Google Chrome shortcut keys

Below is a listing of all the major shortcut keysused with the Google Chrome Internet browser. See the computer shortcuts page if you are looking for shortcut keys used in other programs.



If you are using Chrome on a Mac computer, use the Command key instead of the Ctrl key where applicable.

We also have a full list of shortcuts specific to Chromebooks on our Chromebook shortcut keys page.

Shortcut Keys	Description		
Alt+Home	Open your homepage.		
Alt+Left Arrow	Back a page.		
Alt+Right Arrow	Forward a page.		
F11	Display the current website in full-screen mode. Pressing F11 again will exit this mode.		

Esc	Stop loading the page or a downloadfrom loading.	
Ctrl+(- or +)	Zoom in or out of a page, "-" will zoom out and "+" will zoom in on the page.	
Ctrl+1-8	Pressing Ctrl and any number 1 through 8 moves to the corresponding tab in your tab bar.	
Ctrl+9	Switch to last tab.	
Ctrl+0	Reset browser zoom to default.	
Ctrl+Enter	This combination is used to quickly complete an address. For example, type "computerhope" in the address bar and press Ctrl+Enter to get https://www.computerhope.com.	
Ctrl+Shift+Del	Open the <i>Clear browsing</i> data window to quickly clear private data.	
Ctrl+Shift+B	Toggle the bookmarks bar between	

	hidden and shown.		
Ctrl+A	Select everything on a page.		
Ctrl+D	Add a bookmark for the page currently opened.		
Ctrl+F	Open the "find" bar to search text on the current page.		
Ctrl+O	Open a file in the browser.		
Ctrl+Shift+O	Open the <i>Bookmark manager</i> .		
Ctrl+H	Open browser history in a new tab.		
Ctrl+J	Display the downloads window.		
Ctrl+K or Ctrl+E	Moves your text cursor to the omniboxso that you can begin typing your search query and perform a Google search.		
Ctrl+L, Alt+D	Move the cursor to the browser address bar and highlight everything in it.		

Ctrl+N	Open New browser window.		
Ctrl+Shift+N	Open a new window in incognito (private) mode.		
Ctrl+P	Print current page or frame.		
Ctrl+R or F5	Refresh the current page or frame.		
Ctrl+S	Opens the <i>Save As</i> window to save the current page.		
Ctrl+T	Opens a new tab.		
Ctrl+U	View a web page's source code.		
Ctrl+W	Closes the current tab.		
Ctrl+Shift+W	Closes the currently selected window.		
Ctrl+Shift+T	This combination reopens the last tab you've closed. If you've closed multiple tabs, you can press this shortcut key multiple times to restore each of the closed tabs.		
Ctrl+Tab	Moves through each of the open tabs		

	going to the right.		
Ctrl+Shift+Tab	Moves through each of the open tabs going to the left.		
Ctrl+Left-click	Open a link in a new tab in the background.		
Ctrl+Shift Left-click	Open a link in a new tab and switch to the new tab.		
Ctrl+Page Down	Open the browser tab to the right.		
Ctrl+Page Up	Open the browser tab to the left.		
Spacebar	Moves down a page at a time.		
Shift+Spacebar	Moves up a page at a time.		
Home	Go to top of page.		
End	Go to bottom of page.		
Alt+Down Arrow	Display all previous text entered in a text box and available options on a drop-down menu.		