Shortcuts

Penpot provides shortcuts that help to speed your workflow. Many keyboard shortcuts appear next to the command names in menus.

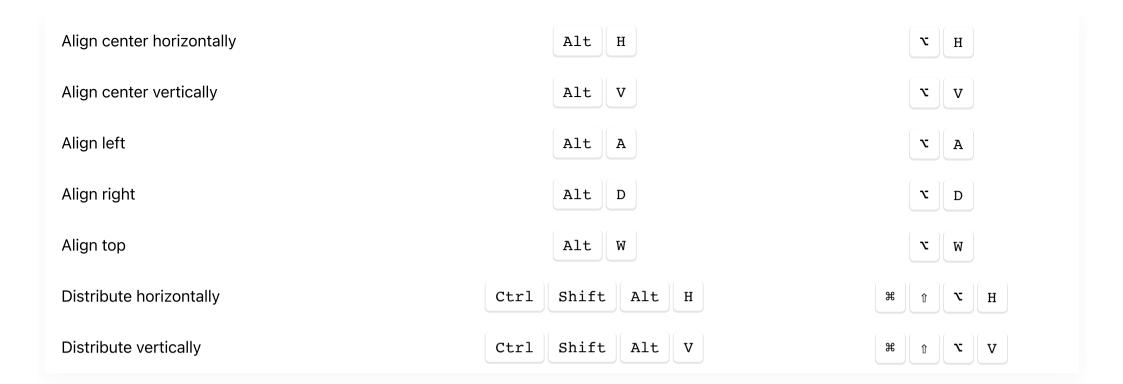
Here you can find a list of all keyboard shortcuts that you can use in Penpot. Bear in mind that most of them are at the workspace, where they are more needed.

You can also check the shortcuts at the GitHub file.

Workspace

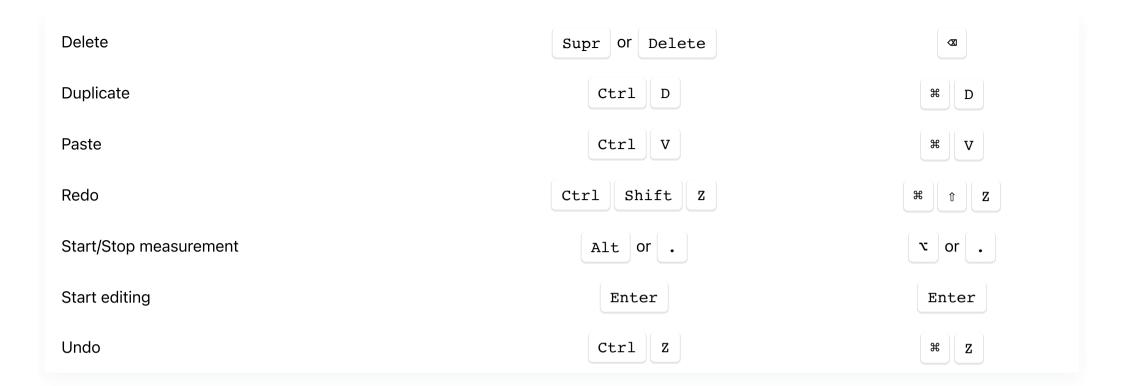
Item Alignment





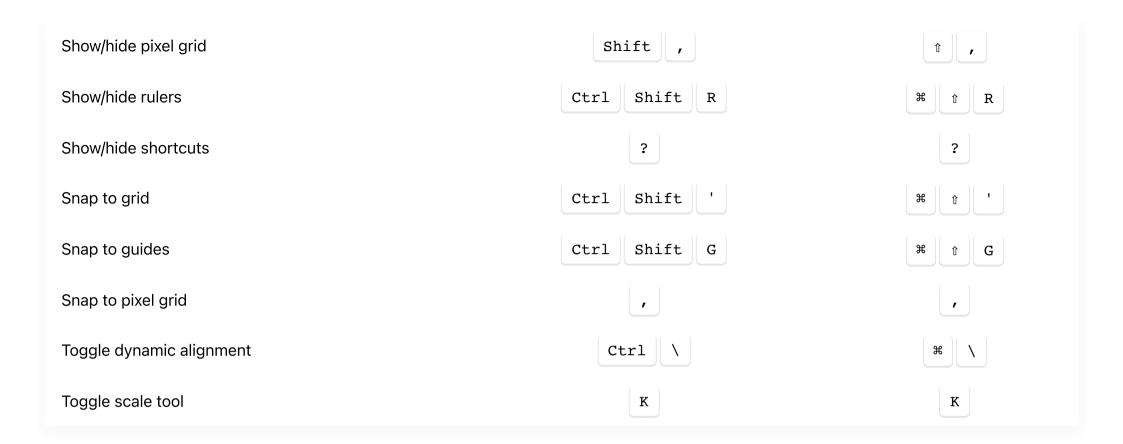
Edit

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|------------|-------------------|-------|
| Cancel | Esc | Esc |
| Clear undo | Ctrl Q | Alt Q |
| Сору | Ctrl C | æ C |
| Cut | Ctrl X | () X |
| | | |



Main menu

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|----------------|-------------------|------------|
| Export shapes | Ctrl Shift E | æ î E |
| Select all | Ctrl A | # A |
| Set thumbnails | Shift | T T |
| Show/hide grid | Ctrl ' | æ |
| | | |



Modify layers

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|--------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Bring forward | Ctrl 1 | # |
| Bring to front | Ctrl Shift 1 | H I |
| Create artboard from selection | Ctrl Alt G | H C G |
| | | |

| Create component | Ctrl K | * K |
|------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Detach component | Ctrl Shift K | # T |
| Flip horizontal | Ctrl H | H H |
| Flip vertical | Ctrl V | * V |
| Group | Ctrl G | ₩ G |
| Mask | Ctrl M | # M |
| Move down | 1 | 1 |
| Move down fast | Shift | (†) L |
| Move left | ← | ← |
| Move left fast | Shift ← | (1) ← |
| Move right | → | → |
| Move right fast | Shift → | ĵ → |
| Move up | 1 | 1 |
| Move up fast | Shift | Î Î |

| Send backwards | Ctrl ↓ | ₩ ↓ |
|---------------------|--------------|------------|
| Send to back | Ctrl Shift ↓ | # 1 |
| Set opacity to 10% | 1 | 1 |
| Set opacity to 20% | 2 | 2 |
| Set opacity to 30% | 3 | 3 |
| Set opacity to 40% | 4 | 4 |
| Set opacity to 50% | 5 | 5 |
| Set opacity to 60% | 6 | 6 |
| Set opacity to 70% | 7 | 7 |
| Set opacity to 80% | 8 | 8 |
| Set opacity to 90% | 9 | 9 |
| Set opacity to 100% | 0 | 0 |
| Ungroup | Shift | Î G |
| Unmask | Ctrl Shift M | H M |

Navigation

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|--------------|
| Go to dashboard | G and then D | G and then D |
| Go to view mode inspect section | G and then H | G and then H |

Panels

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|---------------|-------------------|-------|
| Assets | Alt | |
| Color palette | Alt | Y P |
| History | Alt | Т |
| Layers | Alt L | T L |
| Show/hide UI | _\ | |
| Text palette | Alt T | T |

Path editor

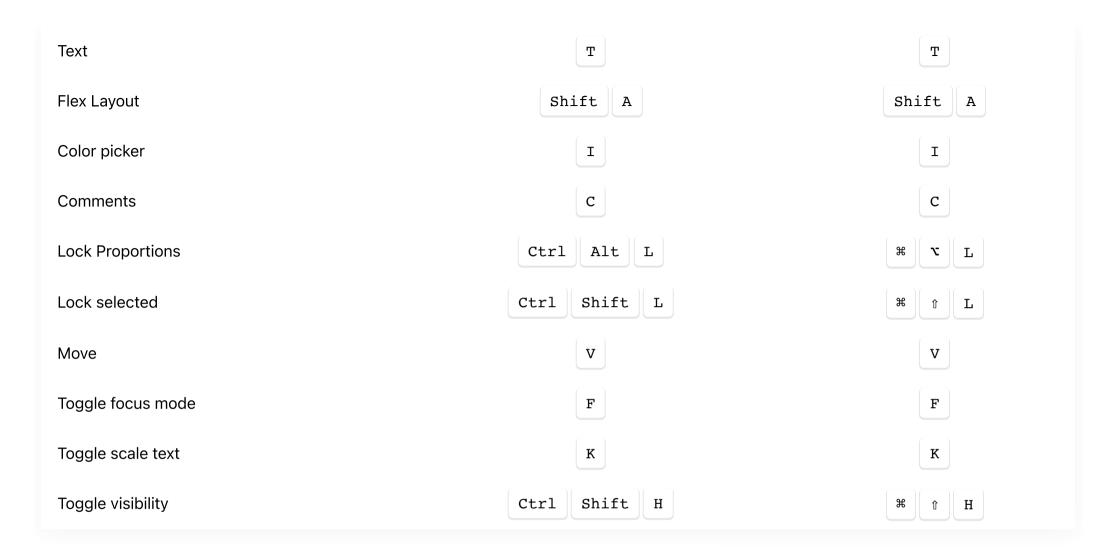
| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|----------------|-------------------|------------|
| Add node | Shift + | 1 + |
| Delete node | Supr or Delete | 3 |
| Draw Path | P | P |
| Join nodes | J | J |
| Make corner | X | x |
| Make curve | C | С |
| Merge nodes | Ctrl | m J |
| Move Nodes | M | М |
| Separate nodes | K | K |
| Snap to nodes | Ctrl ' | 8 ' |

Shapes

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------|
| Boolean difference | Ctrl Alt D | æ z D |
| Boolean exclude | Ctrl Alt E | æ T E |
| Boolean intersection | Ctrl Alt I | E Z I |
| Boolean union | Ctrl Alt U | w v |

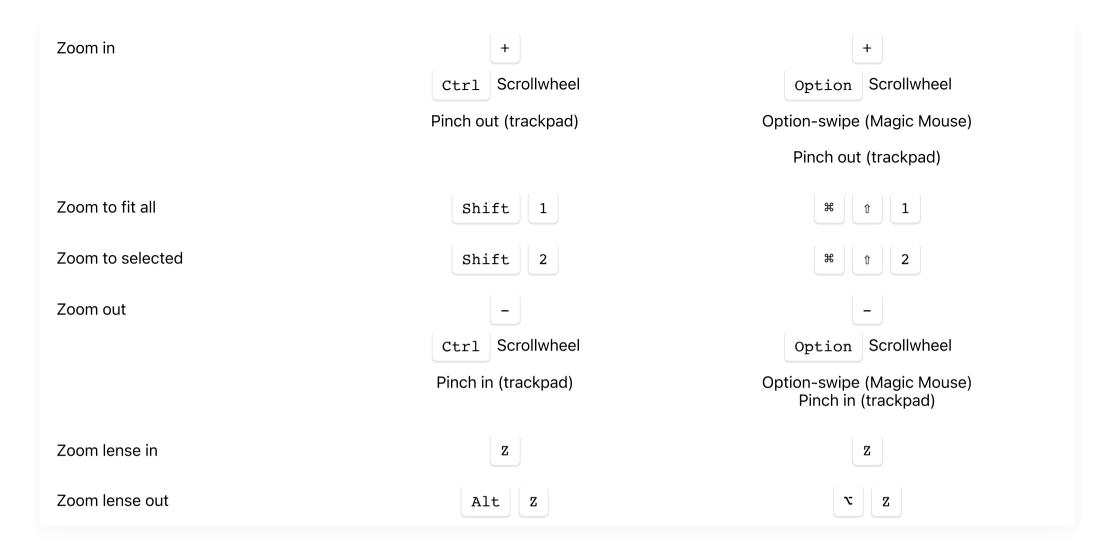
Tools

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|-----------|-------------------|-------|
| Board | В | В |
| Curve | Ctrl C | ₩ C |
| Ellipse | E | E |
| Image | Shift K | î K |
| Path | P | P |
| Rectangle | R | R |
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Zoom

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
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| Reset zoom to 100% | Shift | # 1 0 |
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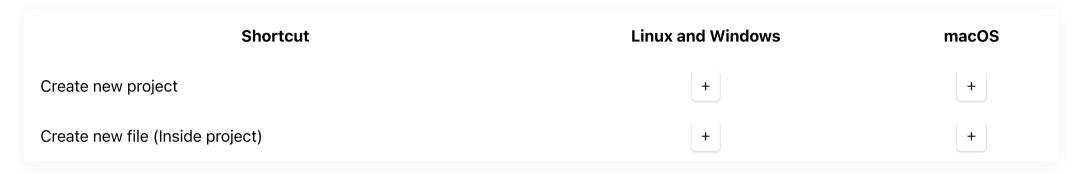
Text edition

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
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| Bold | Ctrl B | # B |
| | | |

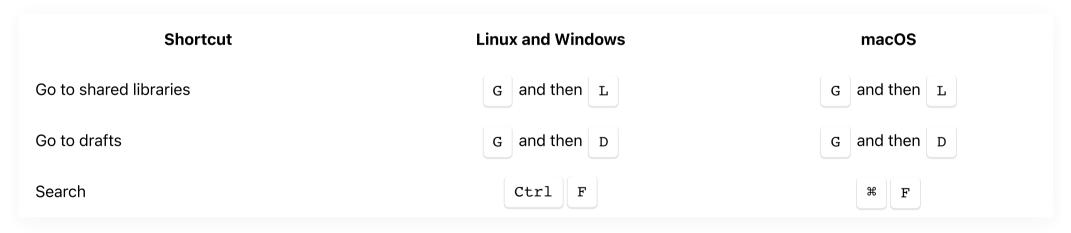
| Italic | Ctrl I | æ I |
|-------------------------|------------------|---|
| Underline | Ctrl | æ |
| Strikethrough | Shift Alt 5 | |
| Increase font size | Ctrl Shift UP | H UP |
| Decrease font size | Ctrl Shift DOWN | H DOWN |
| Increase letter spacing | Alt | \(\mathbf{V}\) \(\mathbf{UP}\) |
| Decrease letter spacing | Alt DOWN | DOMN |
| Increase line height | Shift Alt UP | (1) UP |
| Decrease line height | Shift Alt DOWN | T DOWN |
| Align left | Ctrl Alt | H L L |
| Align right | Ctrl Alt R | ₩ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ |
| Align center | Ctrl Alt T | H T T |
| Justify | Ctrl Alt J | # Z J |

Dashboard

Generic



Navigation



Viewer

Generic

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|----------------|-------------------|------------|
| Next frame | - | - |
| Previous frame | ← | ← |
| Select all | Ctrl A | % A |

Navigation

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|----------------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Go to comment section | G and then C | G and then C |
| Go to inspect section | G and then H | G and then H |
| Go to interactions section | G and then V | G and then V |
| Go to workspace | G and then W | $oxed{G}$ and then $oxed{\mathtt{W}}$ |

Zoom

| Shortcut | Linux and Windows | macOS |
|--------------------|----------------------|--|
| Zoom in | + | + |
| | Ctrl Scrollwheel | Option Scrollwheel |
| | Pinch out (trackpad) | Option-swipe (Magic Mouse) |
| | | Pinch out (trackpad) |
| Zoom out | _ | _ |
| | Ctrl Scrollwheel | Option Scrollwheel |
| | Pinch in (trackpad) | Option-swipe (Magic Mouse) Pinch in (trackpad) |
| Reset zoom to 100% | Shift 0 | |
| Toggle zoom style | F | F |
| Toggle fullscreen | Shift | î F |