

Overview of nano's shortcuts

File handling		Moving around	
Ctrl+S	Save current file	Ctrl+B	One character backward
Ctrl+O	Offer to write file ("Save as")	Ctrl+F	One character forward
Ctrl+R	Insert a file into current one	Ctrl+←	One word backward
Ctrl+X	Close buffer, exit from nano	Ctrl+→	One word forward
		Ctrl+A	To start of line
Editing		Ctrl+E	To end of line
Ctrl+K	Cut current line into cutbuffer	Ctrl+P	One line up
Alt+6	Copy current line into cutbuffer	Ctrl+N	One line down
Ctrl+U	Paste contents of cutbuffer	Ctrl+↑	To previous block
Alt+T	Cut until end of buffer	Ctrl+↓	To next block
Ctrl+]	Complete current word	Ctrl+Y	One page up
Alt+3	Comment/uncomment line/region	Ctrl+V	One page down
Alt+U	Undo last action	Alt+\	To top of buffer
Alt+E	Redo last undone action	Alt+/	To end of buffer
Search and replace		Special movement	
Ctrl+Q	Start backward search	Alt+G	Go to specified line
Ctrl+W	Start forward search	Alt+]	Go to complementary bracket
Alt+Q	Find next occurrence backward	Alt+↑	Scroll viewport up
Alt+W	Find next occurrence forward	Alt+↓	Scroll viewport down
Alt+R	Start a replacing session	Alt+<	Switch to preceding buffer
		Alt+>	Switch to succeeding buffer
Deletion			
Ctrl+H	Delete character before cursor	Information	
Ctrl+D	Delete character under cursor	Ctrl+C	Report cursor position
Alt+Bsp	Delete word to the left	Alt+D	Report line/word/character count
Ctrl+Del	Delete word to the right	Ctrl+G	Display help text
Alt+Del	Delete current line		
		Various	
Operations		Alt+A	Turn the mark on/off
Ctrl+T	Execute some command	Tab	Indent marked region
Ctrl+J	Justify paragraph or region	Shift+Tab	Unindent marked region
Alt+J	Justify entire buffer	Alt+V	Enter next keystroke verbatim
Alt+B	Run a syntax check	Alt+N	Turn line numbers on/off
Alt+F	Run a formatter/fixer/arranger	Alt+P	Turn visible whitespace on/off
Alt+:	Start/stop recording of macro	Alt+X	Hide or unhide the help lines
Alt+;	Replay macro	Ctrl+L	Refresh the screen