

# Autotrack manual

## Navigating around

The program consists of a menu bar, a title area, a figure area and a status/help area. The contents of all of these depends on what you're doing. If you enter the cell detection screen, then methods relevant to cell detection will be shown.

The program is highly keyboard-dependent, although there are also menu options available for everything. I prefer using the keyboard shortcuts myself, but for people new to this program that is of course no options.

For most keyboard shortcuts, a menu option is available. For shortcuts where that wasn't possible (for example because you need to place your mouse above a cell), an explanation text was added to the status/help area.

Many shortcuts consist of a single letter: if you press `E`, the errors and warnings screen is opened. For some other shortcuts, you need to type a bit more: `/deaths + ENTER` for example opens up a list of all cell deaths.

The best way to get used to the program is to just try things. As long as you do not overwrite existing data, nothing can go wrong.