

## General

Ctrl + Shift + P  
then F1      Show Command Palette

Ctrl + P      Quick Open, Go to File

Ctrl + Shift + N      New window/instance

Ctrl + Shift + W      Close window/instance

Ctrl + ,      User Settings

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + S  
S      Keyboard Shortcuts

## Basic editing

Ctrl + X      Cut line (empty selection)

Ctrl + C      Copy line (empty selection)

Alt + Up arrow /  
Down arrow      Move line up/down

Shift + Alt + Up  
arrow / Down  
arrow      Copy line up/down

Ctrl + Shift + K      Delete line

Ctrl + Enter      Insert line below

Ctrl + Shift + Enter      Insert line above

Ctrl + Shift + \      Jump to matching bracket

Ctrl + ] or Ctrl + [      Indent/outdent line

Home      Go to beginning of line

End      Go to end of line

Ctrl + Home      Go to beginning of file

Ctrl + End      Go to end of file

Ctrl + Up arrow /  
Down arrow      Scroll line up/down

Alt + Page Up      Scroll page up

Alt + Page Down      Scroll page down

Ctrl + Shift + [      Fold (collapse) region

Ctrl + Shift + ]      Unfold (uncollapse) region

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + [      Fold (collapse) all subregions

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + ]      Unfold (uncollapse) all subregions

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + O      Fold (collapse) all regions

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + J      Unfold (uncollapse) all regions

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + C      Add line comment

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + U      Remove line comment

Ctrl + /      Toggle line comment

Shift + Alt + A      Toggle block comment

Alt + Z      Toggle word wrap

## Navigation

Ctrl + T      Show all symbols

Ctrl + G      Go to line

Ctrl + P      Go to file

Ctrl + Shift + O      Go to symbol

Ctrl + Shift + M      Show Problems panel

F8      Go to next error or warning

Shift + F8      Go to previous error or warning

Ctrl + Shift + Tab      Navigate editor group history

Alt + Left arrow /  
Right arrow      Go back / forward

Ctrl + M      Toggle Tab moves focus

## Search and replace

Ctrl + F      Find

Ctrl + H      Replace

F3      Find next

Shift + F3      Find previous

Alt + Enter      Select all occurrences of Find match

Ctrl + D      Add selection to next Find match

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + D      Move last selection to next Find match

Alt + C      Toggle case-sensitive

Alt + R      Toggle regex

Alt + W      Toggle whole word

## Multi-cursor and selection

Alt + Left click      Insert cursor

Ctrl + Alt + Up  
arrow / Down      Insert cursor above / below

arrow

Ctrl + U Undo last cursor operation

Shift + Alt + I Insert cursor at end of each line selected

Ctrl + I Select current line

Ctrl + Shift + L Select all occurrences of current selection

Ctrl + F2 Select all occurrences of current word

Shift + Alt + Right Expand selection

arrow

Shift + Alt + Left Shrink selection

arrow

Shift + Alt + Move the mouse or Ctrl + Shift + Alt + Arrow keys Column (box) selection

Ctrl + Shift + Alt + Page Up Column (box) selection page up

Ctrl + Shift + Alt + Page Down Column (box) selection page down

## Rich languages editing

Ctrl + Space Trigger suggestion

Ctrl + Shift + Space Trigger parameter hints

Shift + Alt + F Format document

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + F Format selection

F12 Go to Definition

Alt + F12 Peek Definition

Ctrl + K then F12 Open Definition to the side

Ctrl + . Quick Fix

Shift + F12 Show References

F2 Rename Symbol

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + X Trim trailing whitespace

Ctrl + K then M M Change file language

## Editor management

Ctrl + F4 then Ctrl + W Close editor

Ctrl + K F Close folder

Ctrl + \ Split editor

Ctrl + 1 Focus into first group

Ctrl + 2 Focus into second group

Ctrl + 3 Focus into third group

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + Left arrow / Right arrow Focus into previous/next editor group

Ctrl + Shift + Page Up Move editor left

Ctrl + Shift + Page Down Move editor right

Ctrl + K then Left arrow / Right arrow Move active editor group

arrow

## File management

Ctrl + N New File

Ctrl + O Open File

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + O Open folder

Ctrl + R Open recent

Ctrl + S Save

Ctrl + Shift + S Save As

Ctrl + K then S Save All

Ctrl + F4 Close

Ctrl + K then Ctrl + W Close All

Ctrl + Shift + T Reopen closed editor

Ctrl + K Enter Keep preview mode editor open

Ctrl + Tab Open next

Ctrl + Shift + Tab Open previous

Ctrl + K then P Copy path of active file

Ctrl + K then R Reveal active file in Explorer

Ctrl + K then O Show active file in new window/instance

## Display

F11 Toggle full screen

Shift + Alt + 1 Toggle editor layout

(horizontal/vertical)

Ctrl + =	Zoom in
Ctrl + -	Zoom out
Ctrl + B	Toggle Sidebar visibility
Ctrl + Shift + E	Show Explorer / Toggle focus
Ctrl + Shift + F	Show Search
Ctrl + Shift + G	Show Source Control
Ctrl + Shift + D	Show Debug
Ctrl + Shift + X	Show Extensions
Ctrl + Shift + H	Replace in files
Ctrl + Shift + J	Toggle Search details
Ctrl + Shift + U	Show Output panel
Ctrl + Shift + V	Open Markdown preview
Ctrl + K then V	Open Markdown preview to the side
Ctrl + K then Z	Zen Mode (Esc Esc to exit)

## Debug

F9	Toggle breakpoint
F5	Start/Continue
Shift + F5	Stop
F11	Step into
Shift + F11	Step out
F10	Step over
Ctrl + K then Ctrl + I	Show hover

## Integrated terminal

Ctrl + `	Show integrated terminal
Ctrl + Shift + `	Create new terminal
Ctrl + C	Copy selection
Ctrl + V	Paste into active terminal
Ctrl + Up arrow / Down arrow	Scroll up/down
Shift + Page Up	Scroll page up
Shift + Page Down	Scroll page down
Ctrl + Home	Scroll to top
Ctrl + End	Scroll to bottom

## JSON Tools extension

Ctrl + Alt + M	Pretty JSON formatting
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Note: If this shortcut doesn't work, it may be because the shortcut conflicts with Nvidia GeForce Now or some other program. In this case, you can change Ctrl + Alt + M (Toggle microphone on/off) in Nvidia Now to another shortcut.

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