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Keyboard Shortcuts Reference



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This page is a reference of keyboard shortcuts in Chrome DevTools.

You can also find shortcuts in tooltips. Hover over a UI element of DevTools to display its tooltip. If the element has a shortcut, the tooltip includes it.

Keyboard shortcuts for opening DevTools

To open DevTools, press the following keyboard shortcuts while your cursor is focused on the browser viewport:

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Open whatever panel you used last	Command+Option+I	F12 or Control+Shift+I
Open the Console panel	Command+Option+J	Control+Shift+J

Global keyboard shortcuts

The following keyboard shortcuts are available in most, if not all, DevTools panels.

Action	Mac
Show Settings	? or Function+F1
Focus the next panel	Command+]]
Focus the previous panel	Command+[[
Switch back to whatever <u>docking position</u> (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#placement) you last used. If DevTools has been in its default position for the entire session, then this shortcut undocks DevTools into a separate window	Command+Shift+D
Toggle Device Mode (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/device-mode/)	Command+Shift+M
Toggle Inspect Element Mode	Command+Shift+C
Open the Command Menu (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#command-menu)	Command+Shift+P
Toggle the Drawer (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#drawer)	Escape
Normal reload	Command+R
Hard reload	Command+Shift+R
Search for text within the current panel. Not supported in the Audits , Application , and Security panels	Command+F
Opens the Search tab in the Drawer (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#drawer), which lets you search for text across all loaded resources	Command+Option+F
Open a file in the Sources panel	Command+O or Command+P
Zoom in	Command+Shift++
Zoom out	Command+-
Restore default zoom level	Command+0

Action	Mac
Run snippet	Press Command+O to open the Command Menu (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#command-menu), type ! followed by the name of the script, then press Enter

Elements panel keyboard shortcuts

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Undo change	Command+Z	Control+Z
Redo change	Command+Shift+Z	Control+Y
Select the element above / below the currently-selected element	Up Arrow / Down Arrow	Up Arrow / Down Arrow
Expand the currently-selected node. If the node is already expanded, this shortcut selects the element below it	Right Arrow	Right Arrow
Collapse the currently-selected node. If the node is already collapsed, this shortcut selects the element above it	Left Arrow	Left Arrow
Expand or collapse the currently-selected node and all of its children	Hold Option then click the arrow icon next to the element's name	Hold Control+Alt then click the arrow icon next to the element's name
Toggle Edit Attributes mode on the currently-selected element	Enter	Enter
Select the next / previous attribute after entering Edit Attributes mode	Tab / Shift+Tab	Tab / Shift+Tab
Hide the currently-selected element	H	H
Toggle Edit as HTML mode on the currently-selected element	Function+F2	F2

Styles pane keyboard shortcuts

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Go to the line where a property value is declared	Hold Command then click the property value	Hold Control then click the property value
Cycle through the RBGA, HSLA, and Hex representations of a color value	Hold Shift then click the Color Preview box next to the value	Hold Shift then click the Color Preview box next to the value
Select the next / previous property or value	Click a property name or value then press Tab / Shift+Tab	Click a property name or value then press Tab / Shift+Tab
Increment / decrement a property value by 0.1	Click a value then press Option+Up Arrow / Option+Down Arrow	Click a value then press Alt+Up Arrow / Alt+Down Arrow
Increment / decrement a property value by 1	Click a value then press Up Arrow / Down Arrow	Click a value then press Up Arrow / Down Arrow
Increment / decrement a property value by 10	Click a value then press Shift+Up Arrow / Shift+Down Arrow	Click a value then press Shift+Up Arrow / Shift+Down Arrow
Increment / decrement a property value by 100	Click a value then press Command+Up Arrow / Command+Down Arrow	Click a value then press Shift+Page Up / Shift+Page Down

Sources panel keyboard shortcuts

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Pause script execution (if currently running) or resume (if currently paused)	F8 or Command+\	F8 or Control+\
Step over next function call	F10 or Command+'	F10 or Control+'
Step into next function call	F11 or Command+;	F11 or Control+;

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Step out of current function	Shift+F11 or Command+Shift+;	Shift+F11 or Control+Shift+;
Select the call frame below / above the currently-selected frame	Control+. / Control+,	Control+. / Control+,
Save changes to local modifications	Command+S	Control+S
Save all changes	Command+Option+S	Control+Alt+S
Go to line	Control+G	Control+G
Jump to a line number of the currently-open file	Press Command+0 to open the Command Menu (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#command-menu), type : followed by the line number, then press Enter	Press Control+0 to open the Command Menu (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#command-menu), type : followed by the line number, then press Enter
Jump to a column of the currently-open file (for example line 5, column 9)	Press Command+0 to open the Command Menu (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#command-menu), type :, then the line number, then another :, then the column number, then press Enter	Press Control+0 to open the Command Menu (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/ui#command-menu), type :, then the line number, then another :, then the column number, then press Enter
Go to a function declaration (if currently-open file is HTML or a script), or a rule set (if currently-open file is a stylesheet)	Press Command+Shift+0, then type in the name of the declaration / rule set, or select it from the list of options	Press Control+Shift+0, then type in the name of the declaration / rule set, or select it from the list of options

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Close the active tab	Option+W	Alt+W

Code Editor keyboard shortcuts

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Delete all characters in the last word, up to the cursor	Option+Delete	Control+Delete
Add or remove a line-of-code breakpoint (https://developers.google.com/web/tools/chrome-devtools/javascript/breakpoints#loc)	Focus your cursor on the line and then press Command+B	Focus your cursor on the line and then press Control+B
Go to matching bracket	Control+M	Control+M
Toggle single-line comment. If multiple lines are selected, DevTools adds a comment to the start of each line	Command+/ Command+U	Control+/ Control+U
Select / de-select the next occurrence of whatever word the cursor is on. Each occurrence is highlighted simultaneously	Command+D / Command+U	Control+D / Control+U

Performance panel keyboard shortcuts

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Start / stop recording	Command+E	Control+E
Save recording	Command+S	Control+S
Load recording	Command+O	Control+O

Memory panel keyboard shortcuts

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Start / stop recording	Command+E	Control+E

Console panel keyboard shortcuts

Action	Mac	Windows / Linux
Accept autocomplete suggestion	Right Arrow or Tab	Right Arrow or Tab
Reject autocomplete suggestion	Escape	Escape
Get previous statement	Up Arrow	Up Arrow
Get next statement	Down Arrow	Down Arrow
Focus the Console	Control+`	Control+`
Clear the Console	Command+K or Option+L	Control+L
Force a multi-line entry. Note that DevTools should detect multi-line scenarios by default, so this shortcut is now usually unnecessary	Command+Return	Shift+Enter
Execute	Return	Enter
Expand all sub-properties of an object that's been logged to the Console	Hold Alt then click Expand ►	Hold Alt then click Expand ►

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