Visual Studio Code – Essential Shortcuts Cheat Sheet

Move / Copy Lines

Action	Windows / Linux	macOS
Move line up	Alt + ↑	Option + ↑
Move line down	Alt + ↓	Option + ↓
Copy line up	Shift + Alt + ↑	Shift + Option + ↑
Copy line down	Shift + Alt + ↓	Shift + Option + ↓
Delete line	Ctrl + Shift + K	Cmd + Shift + K

Selection & Multi-Cursor

Action	Windows / Linux	macOS
Select line	Ctrl + L	Cmd + L
Select next same word	Ctrl + D	Cmd + D
Select all same words	Ctrl + Shift + L	Cmd + Shift + L
Cursor above	Ctrl + Alt + ↑	Cmd + Option + ↑
Cursor below	Ctrl + Alt + ↓	Cmd + Option + ↓

Commenting & Formatting

Action	Windows / Linux	macOS
Line comment	Ctrl + /	Cmd + /
Block comment	Shift + Alt + A	Shift + Option + A
Format document	Shift + Alt + F	Shift + Option + F

Navigation

Action	Windows / Linux	macOS
Go to line	Ctrl + G	Cmd + G
Quick file open	Ctrl + P	Cmd + P
Line start	Home	Cmd + ←
Line end	End	Cmd + →