

Yabai Cheat Sheet

Changing Window Focus

change window focus within space

`alt + j` - focus south

`alt + k` - focus north

`alt + h` - focus west

`alt + l` - focus east

change focus between external displays (left and right)

`alt + s` - focus west

`alt + g` - focus east

Modifying the Layout

rotate layout clockwise

`shift + alt + r` - rotate 270

flip along y-axis

`shift + alt + y` - mirror y-axis

flip along x-axis

`shift + alt + x` - mirror x-axis

toggle window float

`shift + alt + t` - toggle float

Modifying Window Size

maximize a window

`shift + alt + m` - toggle zoom-fullscreen

balance out tree of windows (resize to occupy same area)

`shift + alt + e` - balance

Moving Windows Around

swap windows

`shift + alt + j` - swap south

`shift + alt + k` - swap north

`shift + alt + h` - swap west

`shift + alt + l` - swap east

move window and split

`ctrl + alt + j` - warp south

`ctrl + alt + k` - warp north

`ctrl + alt + h` - warp west

`ctrl + alt + l` - warp east

move window to display left and right

`shift + alt + s` - focus west

`shift + alt + g` - focus east

move window to prev and next space

`shift + alt + p` - space prev

`shift + alt + n` - space next

move window to space

`shift + alt + 1` - space 1

`shift + alt + 2` - space 2

`shift + alt + 3` - space 3

`shift + alt + 4` - space 4

`shift + alt + 5` - space 5

`shift + alt + 6` - space 6

`shift + alt + 7` - space 7

`shift + alt + 8` - space 8

Starting/Stopping/Restarting Yabai

stop/start/restart yabai

`ctrl + alt + q` - yabai --stop-service

`ctrl + alt + s` - yabai --start-service

`ctrl + alt + r` - yabai --restart-service