i3 Window Manager Cheat Sheet

Alt - Default Op Key (MOD1), Windows Key(MOD4) is other commonly used key

Application Functions

Alt-D - open programs using Dmenu

Alt-F - Full screen

Alt-E - Toggle horizontal/vertical split

Alt-S - Stacking mode

Alt-W - Tabbed mode

Alt-Enter - open urxvt terminal

Window Management

Alt 1-9 - Jump to windows 1-9

Shift+Alt 1-9 - Move active app to window

Alt-J - Move focus left

Alt-K - Move focus down

Alt-L - Move focus up

Alt-; - Move focus right

Shift+Alt-Space - Toggle floating mode

i3 Management

Shift+Alt-e - Exit i3

Shift+Alt-r - Restart i3 in place

Advanced

Alt-v - Align vertically

Alt-h - Align horizontally

Alt-v + Alt-D - Open and align new window vertically

Alt-h + Alt-D - Open and align new window horizontally