Screen VT100/ANSI Terminal Emulator Cheat Sheet
Default Keyboard Shortcuts

Shortcut	Command	Description
C-a '	select	Prompt for a window name or number to switch to.
C-a "	windowlist -b	Present a list of all windows for selection.
C-a 0. . . 9	select 0. . . select 9	Switch to window number 0. . . 9.
C-a -	select -	Switch to the blank window.
C-a [TAB]	focus	Switch the input focus to the next region.
C-a C-a	other	Toggle to the window displayed previously.
C-a a	meta	Send the command character (C-a) to window.
C-a A	title	Allow the user to enter a name for the current window.
C-a b **C-a C-b**	break	Send a break to window.
C-a B	pow_break	Reopen the terminal line and send a break.
C-a c **C-a C-c**	screen	Create a new window with a shell and switch to that window.
C-a C	clear	Clear the screen.
C-a d **C-a C-d**	detach	Detach screen from this terminal.
C-a D D	pow_detach	Detach and logout.
C-a f **C-a C-f**	flow	Toggle flow on, off or auto.
C-a F	fit	Resize the window to the current region size.
C-a C-g	vbell	Toggles screen's visual bell mode.
C-a h	hardcopy	Write a hardcopy of the current window to the file "hardcopy.n".
C-a H	log	Begins/ends logging of the current window to the file "screen-log.n".
C-a i **C-a C-i**	info	Show info about this window.
C-a k **C-a C-k**	kill	Destroy current window.
C-a l **C-a C-l**	redisplay	Fully refresh current window.
C-a L	login	Toggle this windows login slot. Available only if screen is configured to update the utmp database.
C-a m **C-a C-m**	lastmsg	Repeat the last message displayed in the message line.
C-a M	monitor	Toggles monitoring of the current window.
C-a [space] **C-a n** **C-a C-n**	next	Switch to the next window.
C-a N	number	Show the number (and title) of the current window.
C-a [back-space] **C-a h** **C-a p** **C-a C-p**	prev	Switch to the previous window (opposite of **C-a n**).

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C-a q **C-a C-q**	xon	Send a control-q to the current window.
C-a Q	only	Delete all regions but the current one.
C-a r **C-a C-r**	wrap	Toggle the current window's line-wrap setting (turn the current window's automatic margins on and off).
C-a s **C-a C-s**	xoff	Send a control-s to the current window.
C-a S	split	Split the current region into two new ones.
C-a t **C-a C-t**	time	Show system information.
C-a v	version	Display the version and compilation date.
C-a C-v	digraph	Enter digraph.
C-a w **C-a C-w**	windows	Show a list of window.
C-a W	width	Toggle 80/132 columns.
C-a x **C-a C-x**	lockscreen	Lock this terminal.
C-a X	remove	Kill the current region.
C-a z **C-a C-z**	suspend	Suspend screen. Your system must support BSD-style job-control.
C-a Z	reset	Reset the virtual terminal to its "power-on" values.
C-a .	dumptermcap	Write out a ".termcap" file.
C-a ?	help	Show key bindings.
C-a C-	quit	Kill all windows and terminate screen.
C-a :	colon	Enter command line mode.
C-a [**C-a C-[** **C-a [ESC]**	copy	Enter copy/scrollback mode.
C-a]	paste .	Write the contents of the paste buffer to the stdin queue of the current window.
C-a { **C-a }**	history	Copy and paste a previous (command) line.
C-a >	writebuf	Write paste buffer to a file.
C-a <	readbuf	Reads the screen-exchange file into the paste buffer.
C-a =	removebuf	Removes the file used by **C-a <** and **C-a >**.
C-a ,	license	Shows where screen comes from, where it went to and why you can use it.
C-a _	silence	Start/stop monitoring the current window for inactivity.
C-a *	displays	Show a listing of all currently attached displays.