

21 Awesome Keyboard Shortcuts for Word, Excel and Outlook

Ctrl+Shift+G

Ctrl+Alt+0

Ctrl+Alt+P

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS: WORD

Need word counts when composing entries for blogs or Twitter? Using Ctrl+Shift+G gives you words and character counts with and without spaces. It also gives you paragraphs and lines.

Change document view to outline view, making it easier to work with master documents, and collapse and expand by heading with Ctrl+Alt+O.

Go back to print layout from any other view by selecting Ctrl+Alt+P.

Ctrl+Shift+*

Alt+Shift+P Insert Page Number

Shift+Delete
Delete Column/Row

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS: WORD

See paragraph symbols and other nonprinting characters by toggling Show/Hide to Show by using Ctrl+Shift+*.

Click Alt+Shift+P to Insert Page Number anywhere in the document. This is especially useful in header/footer.

Delete Selected Table Column or Row by hitting Shift+Delete. Watch for black block arrows on the column or row to select.

Home Start of Row

Ctrl+Home

Ctrl+End

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS: EXCEL BACK TO BASICS

Stop scrolling with these handy Excel navigation shortcuts that everyone should know!

Press the Home key to get back to the left-most visible cell in the row (usually column A).

Use Ctrl+Home key combination to take you to the upper- and left-most cell (usually A1).

Hit Ctrl+End to go to the lower-right corner of your data, which should usually be the end. If it lands you in a blank, there may be formulas resulting in blanks.

Ctrl+8
Show/Hide Outline

Ctrl+9

Ctrl+T

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS: EXCEL

Did you lose your outline levels in subtotal mode? Use Ctrl+8 to bring them back (or hide them) while keeping your actual subtotals visible.

Hide a row quickly (Hint: add Shift to Unhide) with Ctrl+9. It works on multiple rows, too. Rows are easily unhidden, so don't use this to "secure" data.

Create a table from anywhere inside a well-built list with Ctrl+T. You don't have to select all cells, as long as the table has no completely blank rows or columns.

Shift +F11 New work sheet

Ctrl+F1
Collapse ribbon

Ctrl+Shift+0

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS: EXCEL

Create a new work sheet to the right of the active work sheet with Shift+F11. Need two or more? Select the number of work sheets you need, and then use the shortcut.

Enlarge your screen real estate quickly by collapsing the ribbon to only tabs by selecting Ctrl+Fl. This is very handy when you want to see more data than ribbon!

Locate or quickly clear all cells with comments using Ctrl+Shift+0. Great shortcut if you've hidden all comment indicators.

Ctrl+Shift+F

Ctrl+Shift+G

Ctrl+Shift+M Create Message

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS: Ctrl+Shift+Outlook

Advanced Find (Ctrl+Shift+F) lets you go beyond the search box and the ribbon options, like subject, from and received date, and create complex searches that include multiple criteria to zero in on exactly what you need.

Flag for Follow-up (Ctrl+Shift+G) launches a dialog box that lets you choose the type of flag (today, tomorrow, custom date) and even set up a reminder. Try a Search folder for Flagged items to manage these to-do items!

Create Message (Ctrl+Shift+M) from any view without having to navigate back to your email or use multiple clicks from the New item button.

Ctrl+Y Go To Folder

F3
Go To Search Box

Space Bar

KEYBOARD SHORTCUTS: OUTLOOK

Go to another folder on your long detailed folder list by clicking Ctrl+Y. Use the arrow keys to expand folders that have subfolders.

Reveal the Search Tools contextual tab and place your cursor into the Search box with F3. Press Alt to reveal the shortcut keys in the Search tab.

Use the Space Bar for scrollbar-free scrolling down a long message in the Reading Pane. Use Tab and Shift+Tab to move back and forth between the panes.



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