




























# Shortcut Keys for Windows 10

This guide lists some of the shortcut keys that you can use from the desktop in Windows 10.

Shortcut	Description
Windows key 	Open and close the <b>Start</b> menu.
 +1,  +2, etc.	Switch to the desktop and launch the <i>n</i> th application in the taskbar. For example,  +1 launches whichever application is first in the list, numbered from left to right.
 +D	Switch between <b>Show Desktop</b> (hides/shows any applications and other windows) and the previous state.
 +E	Switch to the desktop and launch File Explorer with the <b>Quick Access</b> tab displayed.
 +I	Open the <b>Settings</b>  app.
 +L	Lock the device and go to the <b>Lock</b> screen.
 +M	Switch to the desktop and minimize all open windows.
 +P	Open the <b>Project</b> pane to search and connect to external displays and projectors.
 +T , then Enter	Cycle through the apps on the taskbar. Press Enter to switch to that app.
 +X	Open the advanced menu in the lower-left corner of the screen.
 +TAB	Open Task view.
 +,	Peek at the desktop. Hold the Windows key, then release when you are done.
 +LEFT ARROW	Dock the active window to the left half of the monitor.
 +RIGHT ARROW	Dock the active window to the right half of the monitor.
 +UP ARROW	Maximize the active window vertically and horizontally.
 +DOWN ARROW	Restore or minimize the active window.
 +SHIFT+UP ARROW	Maximize the active window vertically, maintaining the current width.
 +SHIFT+DOWN ARROW	Restore or minimize the active window vertically, maintaining the current width.
 +SHIFT+LEFT ARROW	With multiple monitors, move the active window to the monitor on the left.
 +SHIFT+RIGHT ARROW	With multiple monitors, move the active window to the monitor on the right.
 +HOME	Minimize all nonactive windows; restore on second keystroke.
 +CTRL+LEFT/RIGHT arrow	Switch to the next or previous virtual desktop.
 +CTRL+D	Create a new virtual desktop.
 +CTRL+F4	Close the current virtual desktop.