

# Photoshop 6 Keyboard Shortcuts

Tools	
Add Shape	+
Subtract Shape	-
Decrease Brush Size	[
Increase Brush Size	]
Decrease Brush Softness by 25%	Shift+ [
Increase Brush Hardness by 25%	Shift+ ]
Previous Brush	<
Next Brush	>
First Brush	Shift+ <
Last Brush	Shift+ >
Tool Opacity 10% → 100%	1 → 0
Path Component Selection Tool	A
Paintbrush Tool	B
Crop Tool	C
Default Colors	D
Eraser Tool	E
Gradient Tool	G
Hand Tool	H
Eyedropper Tool	I
Airbrush Tool	J
Slice Tool	K
Lasso Tool	L
Marquee Tool	M
Notes Tool	N
Dodge / Burn / Sponge Tool	O
Pen Tool	P
Standard / Quick Mask Mode	Q
Blur / Sharpen / Smudge Tool	R
Clone Stamp Tool	S
Type Tool	T
Shape Tool	U
Move Tool	V
Magic Wand Tool	W
Switch Colors	X
History Brush Tool	Y
Zoom Tool	Z
Cycle Path Comp. / Direct Selection	Shift+A
Toggle Paintbrush / Pencil Tools	Shift+B
Cycle Eraser Tools	Shift+E
Toggle Gradient / Paint Bucket Tools	Shift+G
Cycle Eyedropper / Sampler / Measure	Shift+I
Toggle Slice / Slice Select Tools	Shift+K
Cycle Lasso Tools	Shift+L
Toggle Rect. / Elliptical Marquee	Shift+M
Toggle Notes / Audio Annotation Tools	Shift+N
Cycle Dodge / Burn / Sponge Tools	Shift+O
Toggle Pen / Freeform Pen Tools	Shift+P
Cycle Blur / Sharpen / Smudge Tools	Shift+R
Toggle Clone / Pattern Stamp Tools	Shift+S
Cycle Shape / Line Tools	Shift+U
Toggle History / Art History Brush	Shift+Y
Miscellaneous	
Help	F1
Tool Help	Shift+F1
Accept Operation	Return / Enter
Cancel Operation	Ctrl+. / Esc
Next Document	Ctrl+Tab
Previous Document	Ctrl+Shift+Tab

Layers	
Ascend through Layers	Alt+ ]
Bring Layer to Front	Ctrl+Shift+ ]
Descend through Layers	Alt+ [
Group with Previous	Ctrl+G
Layer Opacity 10% → 100%	1 → 0
Layer via Copy	Ctrl+J
Layer via Copy (with Dialog Box)	Ctrl+Alt+J
Layer via Cut	Ctrl+Shift+J
Layer via Cut (with Dialog Box)	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+J
Merge Down (Linked / Grouped)	Ctrl+E
Merge Visible	Ctrl+Shift+E
Merge Visible to Active Layer	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+E
Move Layer Down	Ctrl+ [
Move Layer Up	Ctrl+ ]
New Layer	Ctrl+Shift+N
New Layer (without Dialog Box)	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+N
Preserve Transparency	/
Select Bottom Layer	Alt+Shift+ [
Select Top Layer	Alt+Shift+ ]
Send Layer to Back	Ctrl+Shift+ [
Stamp Down	Ctrl+Alt+E
Stamp Visible	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+E
Ungroup Layers	Ctrl+Shift+G
Editing	
Copy	Ctrl+C
Copy Merged	Ctrl+Shift+C
Cut	Ctrl+X
Duplicate Free Transform	Ctrl+Alt+T
Duplicate Transform Again	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+T
Extract	Ctrl+Alt+X
Fade Last Filter / Adjustment	Ctrl+Shift+F
Fill Dialog	Shift+Backspace
Fill from History	Ctrl+Alt+Backspace
Fill from History & Preserve Trans.	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+Backspace
Fill w/ Background & Preserve Trans.	Ctrl+Shift+Backspace
Fill w/ Foreground & Preserve Trans.	Alt+Shift+Backspace
Fill with Background Color	Ctrl+Backspace
Fill with Foreground Color	Alt+Backspace
Free Transform	Ctrl+T
Last Filter	Ctrl+F
Last Filter Dialog Box	Ctrl+Alt+F
Liquify	Ctrl+Shift+X
Paste	Ctrl+V
Paste Into Selection	Ctrl+Shift+V
Paste Outside	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+V
Step Backward in History	Ctrl+Alt+Z
Step Forward in History	Ctrl+Shift+Z
Transform Again	Ctrl+Shift+T
Undo	Ctrl+Z
Palettes	
Show / Hide Actions Palette	F9
Show / Hide All Palettes	Tab
Show / Hide Color Palette	F6
Show / Hide Info Palette	F8
Show / Hide Layers Palette	F7
Show / Hide Tool Bar & Palettes	Shift+Tab
Show Options / Brushes Palette	Return

Views	
Apply Zoom & Keep Box Active	Shift+Return
Cycle Screen Modes	F
Fit to Screen	Ctrl+0
Lock / Unlock Guides	Ctrl+Alt+ ;
Move View to Bottom Right	End
Move View to Top Left	Home
Scroll View Down One Page	PageDown
Scroll View Down 10px	Shift+PageDown
Scroll View Left One Page	Ctrl+PageUp
Scroll View Left 10px	Ctrl+Shift+PageUp
Scroll View Right One Page	Ctrl+PageDown
Scroll View Right 10px	Ctrl+Shift+PageDown
Scroll View Up One Page	PageUp
Scroll View Up 10px	Shift+PageUp
Show / Hide Extras	Ctrl+H
Show / Hide Grid	Ctrl+Alt+ '
Show / Hide Guides	Ctrl+ '
Show / Hide Menubar	Shift+ F
Show / Hide Rulers	Ctrl+R
Show / Hide Target Path	Ctrl+Shift+H
Snap On / Off	Ctrl+ ;
Toggle Hand Tool	Space
Toggle Zoom In	Ctrl+Space
Toggle Zoom Out	Alt+Space
View Actual Pixels	Ctrl+Alt+0
Zoom In	Ctrl+ +
Zoom In & Resize Window	Ctrl+Alt+ +
Zoom Out	Ctrl+ -
Zoom Out & Resize Window	Ctrl+Alt+ -
Blending Modes	
Cycle Blending Modes Backward	Shift+ -
Cycle Blending Modes Forward	Shift+ +
Behind	Alt+Shift+Q
Clear	Alt+Shift+R
Color	Alt+Shift+C
Color Burn	Alt+Shift+B
Color Dodge	Alt+Shift+D
Darken	Alt+Shift+K
Difference	Alt+Shift+E
Dissolve	Alt+Shift+I
Exclusion	Alt+Shift+X
Hard Light	Alt+Shift+H
Hue	Alt+Shift+U
Lighten	Alt+Shift+G
Luminosity	Alt+Shift+Y
Multiply	Alt+Shift+M
Normal	Alt+Shift+N
Overlay	Alt+Shift+O
Saturation	Alt+Shift+T
Screen	Alt+Shift+S
Soft Light	Alt+Shift+F
Threshold	Alt+Shift+L
Pass Through (Layer Sets)	Alt+Shift+P
Desaturate (Sponge Tool)	Alt+Shift+J
Saturate (Sponge Tool)	Alt+Shift+A
Highlights (Dodge & Burn Tools)	Alt+Shift+Z
Midtones (Dodge & Burn Tools)	Alt+Shift+V
Shadows (Dodge & Burn Tools)	Alt+Shift+W

Type	
Align Left	Ctrl+Shift+L
Align Right	Ctrl+Shift+R
Center Text	Ctrl+Shift+C
Change Kerning by 100/1000em	Ctrl+Alt+ ←, →
Change Kerning by 20/1000em	Alt+ ←, →
Decrease / Increase Baseline by 10pt	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+ ↑, ↓
Decrease / Increase Baseline by 2pt	Alt+Shift+ ↑, ↓
Decrease / Increase Leading by 10pt	Ctrl+Alt+ ↑, ↓
Decrease / Increase Leading by 2pt	Alt+ ↑, ↓
Decrease / Increase Type Size by 10pt	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+ <, >
Decrease / Increase Type Size by 2pt	Ctrl+Shift+ <, >
Justify Paragraph (Force Last Line)	Ctrl+Shift+F
Justify Paragraph (Left Align Last Line)	Ctrl+Shift+J
Move Cursor One Word Left or Right	Ctrl+ ←, →
Move Cursor to End of Line	End
Move Cursor to End of Story	Ctrl+End
Move Cursor to Start of Line	Home
Move Cursor to Start of Story	Ctrl+Home
Move to Previous / Next Paragraph	Ctrl+ ↑, ↓
Select One Character to Left or Right	Shift+ ←, →
Select One Line (to end) Up or Down	Ctrl+Shift+ ↑, ↓
Select One Line Up or Down	Shift+ ↑, ↓
Select One Word to Left or Right	Ctrl+Shift+ ←, →
Select Type to End of Line	Shift+End
Select Type to End of Story	Ctrl+Shift+End
Select Type to Start of Line	Shift+Home
Select Type to Start of Story	Ctrl+Shift+Home
Set Horizontal Scale to 100%	Ctrl+Shift+X
Set Leading to Auto	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+A
Set Tracking to 0	Ctrl+Shift+Q
Set Vertical Scale to 100%	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+X
Show / Hide Type	Ctrl+H
Toggle Hyphenation On / Off	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+H
Toggle Single / Every-Line Composer	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+T
Toggle Small Caps On / Off	Ctrl+Shift+H
Toggle Strikethrough On / Off	Ctrl+Shift+ /
Toggle Subscript On / Off	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+ +
Toggle Superscript On / Off	Ctrl+Shift+ +
Toggle Underlining On / Off	Ctrl+Shift+U
Toggle Uppercase On / Off	Ctrl+Shift+K
Color Adjustment	
Auto Contrast	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+L
Auto Levels	Ctrl+Shift+L
Proof Colors (CMYK Preview)	Ctrl+Y
Color Balance	Ctrl+B
Color Balance (with Last Settings)	Ctrl+Alt+B
Curves	Ctrl+M
Curves (with Last Settings)	Ctrl+Alt+M
Desaturate	Ctrl+Shift+U
Gamut Warning	Ctrl+Shift+Y
Hue / Saturation	Ctrl+U
Invert / Saturation (with Last Settings)	Ctrl+Alt+U
Invert	Ctrl+ I
Levels	Ctrl+L
Levels (with Last Settings)	Ctrl+Alt+L

File	
Close	Ctrl+W / Ctrl+F4
Close All	Ctrl+Shift+W
Color Settings	Ctrl+Shift+K
New Document	Ctrl+N
New Document (with Last Settings)	Ctrl+Alt+N
Next Document	Ctrl+Shift+Tab
Open	Ctrl+O
Open As	Ctrl+Alt+O
Page Setup	Ctrl+Shift+P
Preferences	Ctrl+K
Preferences (Last Used)	Ctrl+Alt+K
Previous Document	Ctrl+Tab
Print	Ctrl+P
Print One	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+P
Print Options	Ctrl+Alt+P
Quit	Ctrl+Q
Revert	F12
Save	Ctrl+S
Save As	Ctrl+Shift+S
Save As (Copy)	Ctrl+Alt+S
Save for Web	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+S
Selections	
Delete Selection	Backspace
Deselect (Drop)	Ctrl+D
Feather Selection	Ctrl+Alt+D
Invert Selection	Ctrl+Shift+I
Move Duplicate of Selection 10px	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+ ←, ↑, →, ↓
Move Duplicate of Selection 1px	Ctrl+Alt+ ←, ↑, →, ↓
Move Selection (while creating)	Space
Move Selection 10px	Ctrl+Shift+ ←, ↑, →, ↓
Move Selection 1px	Ctrl+ ←, ↑, →, ↓
Move Selection Area 10px	Shift+ ←, ↑, →, ↓
Move Selection Area 1px	←, ↑, →, ↓
Reselect	Ctrl+Shift+D
Select All	Ctrl+A
Channels	
Load Composite as Selection	Ctrl+Alt+ ~
Load Layer Mask as Selection	Ctrl+Alt+ \
Load Selection Channel 1 → 9	Ctrl+Alt+1 → 9
Select Channel 1 → 9	Ctrl+1 → 9
Select Composite Channel	Ctrl+ ~
Select Layer Mask (Channel)	Ctrl+ \
Toggle Channel / Rubylith View	-
Toggle Layer Mask as Rubylith	\
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	Ctrl	Ctrl+Alt	Ctrl+Shift	Alt	Shift	Alt+Shift	Ctrl+Alt+Shift
1	Layer / Tool Opacity 10%	Select Channel 1	Load Selection Channel 1				
2	Layer / Tool Opacity 20%	Select Channel 2	Load Selection Channel 2				
3	Layer / Tool Opacity 30%	Select Channel 3	Load Selection Channel 3				
4	Layer / Tool Opacity 40%	Select Channel 4	Load Selection Channel 4				
5	Layer / Tool Opacity 50%	Select Channel 5	Load Selection Channel 5				
6	Layer / Tool Opacity 60%	Select Channel 6	Load Selection Channel 6				
7	Layer / Tool Opacity 70%	Select Channel 7	Load Selection Channel 7				
8	Layer / Tool Opacity 80%	Select Channel 8	Load Selection Channel 8				
9	Layer / Tool Opacity 90%	Select Channel 9	Load Selection Channel 9				
0	Layer / Tool Opacity 100%	Fit to Screen	View Actual Pixels				
Q	Standard / Quick Mask Mode	Quit					
W	Magic Wand Tool	Close	Set Tracking to 0 (Type Mode)				
E	Eraser Tool	Merge Down (Linked / Grouped)	Close All Documents	Window Menu...			
R	Blur / Sharpen / Smudge Tool	Show / Hide Rulers	Merge Visible	Edit Menu...	Cycle Eraser Tools	Behind Blending Mode	
T	Type Tool	Free Transform	Align Right (Type Mode)	Filter Menu...	Cycle Blur / Sharpen / Smudge	Shadows (Dodge & Burn Tools)	
Y	History Brush Tool	Proof Colors (CMYK Preview)	Transform Again		Toggle Art / History Brush Tools	Difference Blending Mode	Stamp Visible
U	Shape Tool	Hue / Saturation	Gamut Warning		Cycle Shape / Line Tools	Clear Blending Mode	Duplicate Transform Again
I	Eyedropper Tool	Invert	Desaturate	Image Menu...	Eyedropper / Sampler / Measure	Saturation Blending Mode	
O	Dodge / Burn / Sponge Tool	Open	Invert Selection		Cycle Dodge / Burn / Sponge	Luminosity Blending Mode	
P	Pen Tool	Open As			Toggle Pen / Freeform Pen Tools	Hue Blending Mode	
A	Path Component Selection Tool	Print			Path Component / Direct Selection	Dissolve Blending Mode	
S	Clone Stamp Tool	Select All	Page Setup		Toggle Clone / Pattern Stamp	Overlay Blending Mode	
D	Default Colors	Save	Save As	Select Menu...	Toggle Dodge / Burn / Sponge	Pass Through Blend Mode (Sets)	Print One (Use Current Settings)
F	(Full) Screen Modes	Deselect (Drop)	Reselect	File Menu...	Path Component / Direct Selection	Saturate (Sponge Tool)	Set Leading to Auto (Type Mode)
G	Gradient Tool	Last Filter	Fade (Last Filter / Adjustment)		Toggle Clone / Pattern Stamp	Screen Blending Mode	Save for Web
H	Hand (Pan) Tool	Group with Previous	Ungroup Layers	Help Menu...	Show / Hide Menu Bar	Color Dodge Blending Mode	
J	Airbrush Tool	Show / Hide Extras	Show / Hide Target Path		Toggle Gradient / Paint Bucket	Soft Light Blending Mode	
K	Slice Tool	New Layer via Copy	New Layer via Cut	Layer Menu...	Toggle Slice / Slice Select Tools	Lighten Blending Mode	
L	Lasso Tool	Preferences	Color Settings		Cycle Lasso Tools	Hard Light Blending Mode	Toggle Hyphenation (Type Mode)
Z	Zoom Tool	Levels	Auto Levels			Desaturate (Sponge)	New Layer via Cut (w/ Dialog Box)
X	Switch Colors	Undo	Step Forward in History			Darken Blending Mode	
C	Crop Tool	Cut	Liquify	View Menu...		Threshold Blending Mode	Auto Contrast
V	Move Tool	Copy	Copy Merged			Highlights (Dodge & Burn Tools)	
B	Paintbrush Tool	Paste	Paste Into Selection			Exclusion Blending Mode	Vert. Scale to 100% (Type Mode)
N	Notes Tool	Color Balance	Color Balance (with Last Settings)			Color Blending Mode	
M	Marquee Tool	New Document	New Document (with Last Settings)			Midtones (Dodge & Burn Tools)	Paste Behind Selection
+	Add Shape	Curves	Curves (with Last Settings)	New Layer (with Dialog Box)		Color Burn Blending Mode	
-	Subtract Shape	Zoom In	Jump to ImageReady	New Layer via Copy		Normal Blending Mode	New Layer (without Dialog Box)
;		Zoom In & Resize Window	Toggle Superscript (Type Mode)	New Layer via Cut		Multiply Blending Mode	
'		Zoom Out					Toggle Subscript (Type Mode)
[	Decrease Brush Size	Zoom Out & Resize Window					
]	Increase Brush Size	Lock / Unlock Guides					
<	Previous Brush	Show / Hide Guides	Send Layer to Back	Descend through Layers	Decrease Brush Softness by 25%	Select Bottom Layer	
>	Next Brush	Move Layer Down	Bring Layer to Front	Ascend through Layers	Increase Brush Hardness by 25%	Select Top Layer	
/	Toggle Preserve Transparency	Move Layer Up	Decrease Type Size by 2pt		First Brush		Decrease Type Size by 10pt
\	Toggle Layer Mask as Rubylith	Cancel Operation	Increase Type Size by 2pt		Last Brush		Increase Type Size by 10pt
-	Toggle Channel / Rubylith View	Select Layer Mask (Channel)	Toggle Strikethrough (Type Mode)				
Backspace	Delete Selection	Select Composite Channel					
Return	Show Options / Brushes Palette	Fill with Background Color	Fill w/ Background & Preserve Trans.	Fill with Foreground Color	Fill Dialog	Fill w/ Foreground & Preserve Trans.	Fill from History & Preserve Trans.
Space	Hand Tool / Drag Selection	Commit Changes			Apply Zoom & Keep Box Active		
Tab	Show / Hide Toolbar & Palettes	Toggle Zoom In	Previous Document	Toggle Zoom Out			
-	Move Selection Area 1px Up	Next Document		Next Application (Windows)	Show / Hide All Palettes	Previous Application (Windows)	
_	Move Selection Area 1px Down	Move Selection 1px Up	Duplicate Selection 1px Up	Increase Leading 2pt (Type Mode)	Move Selection Area 10px Up	Increase Baseline 2pt (Type Mode)	Duplicate Selection 10px Up
~	Move Selection Area 1px Left	Move Selection 1px Down	Duplicate Selection 1px Down	Decrease Leading 2pt (Type Mode)	Move Selection Area 10px Down	Decrease Baseline 2pt (Type Mode)	Duplicate Selection 10px Down
@	Move Selection Area 1px Right	Move Selection 1px Left	Duplicate Selection 1px Left	Decrease Kerning by 20/1000em	Move Selection Area 10px Left		Duplicate Selection 10px Left
Home	Move View to Top Left	Move Selection 1px Right	Duplicate Selection 1px Right	Increase Kerning by 20/1000em	Move Selection Area 10px Right		Duplicate Selection 10px Right
End	Move View to Bottom Right	Cursor to Start of Story (Type)			Select Type to Start of Line		
PageUp	Scroll View Up	Cursor to End of Story (Type)	Select Type to End of Story (Type)		Select Type to End of Line		
PageDown	Scroll View Down	Scroll View Left	Scroll View Left 10px		Scroll View Up 10px		
		Scroll View Right	Scroll View Right 10px		Scroll View Down 10px		