

Photoshop 6 Keyboard Shortcuts

Tools	
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
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	\

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 Tracking by 100/1000em	Ctrl+Alt+ ←, →
Change Tracking 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 0	Ctrl+Alt+Shift+A
Set Tracking to Auto	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
Cancel Type Changes	Esc
Commit Type Changes	Ctrl+Return / Enter
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
Hue / 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
Miscellaneous	
Help	F1
Tool Help	Shift+F1
Accept Operation	Return / Enter
Cancel Operation	Ctrl+. / Esc
Next Document	Ctrl+Tab / Ctrl+F6
Previous Document	Ctrl+Shift+Tab
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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		Set Tracking to 0 (Type Mode)		Behind Blending Mode	
W	Magic Wand Tool	Close		Close All Documents		Shadows (Dodge & Burn Tools)	
E	Eraser Tool	Merge Down (Linked / Grouped)	Stamp Down	Merge Visible	Cycle Eraser Tools	Difference Blending Mode	Stamp Visible
R	Blur / Sharpen / Smudge Tool	Show / Hide Rulers		Align Right (Type Mode)	Cycle Blur / Sharpen / Smudge	Clear Blending Mode	
T	Type Tool	Free Transform	Duplicate Free Transform	Transform Again	Filter Menu...	Saturation Blending Mode	Duplicate Transform Again
Y	History Brush Tool	Proof Colors (CMYK Preview)		Gamut Warning	Toggle Art / History Brush Tools	Luminosity Blending Mode	
U	Shape Tool	Hue / Saturation	Hue / Saturation (with Last Settings)	Desaturate	Cycle Shape / Line Tools	Hue Blending Mode	
I	Eyedropper Tool	Invert		Invert Selection	Eyedropper / Sampler / Measure	Dissolve Blending Mode	
O	Dodge / Burn / Sponge Tool	Open	Open As		Cycle Dodge / Burn / Sponge	Overlay Blending Mode	
P	Pen Tool	Print	Print Options		Toggle Pen / Freeform Pen Tools	Pass Through Blend Mode (Sets)	Print One (Use Current Settings)
A	Path Component Selection Tool	Select All			Path Component / Direct Selection	Saturate (Sponge Tool)	Set Leading to Auto (Type Mode)
S	Clone Stamp Tool	Save	Save As (Copy)	Save As	Toggle Clone / Pattern Stamp	Screen Blending Mode	Save for Web
D	Default Colors	Deselect (Drop)	Feather Selection	Reselect		Color Dodge Blending Mode	
F	(Full) Screen Modes	Last Filter	Last Filter Dialog Box	Fade (Last Filter / Adjustment)	File Menu...	Soft Light Blending Mode	
G	Gradient Tool	Group with Previous		Ungroup Layers	Toggle Gradient / Paint Bucket	Lighten Blending Mode	
H	Hand (Pan) Tool	Show / Hide Extras		Show / Hide Target Path		Hard Light Blending Mode	Toggle Hyphenation (Type Mode)
J	Airbrush Tool	New Layer via Copy	New Layer via Copy (w/ Dialog Box)	New Layer via Cut		Desaturate (Sponge)	New Layer via Cut (w/ Dialog Box)
K	Slice Tool	Preferences	Preferences Panel (Last Used)	Color Settings	Toggle Slice / Slice Select Tools	Darken Blending Mode	
L	Lasso Tool	Levels	Levels (with Last Settings)	Auto Levels	Cycle Lasso Tools	Threshold Blending Mode	Auto Contrast
Z	Zoom Tool	Undo	Step Back in History	Step Forward in History		Highlights (Dodge & Burn Tools)	
X	Switch Colors	Cut	Extract	Liquify		Exclusion Blending Mode	Vert. Scale to 100% (Type Mode)
C	Crop Tool	Copy		Copy Merged		Color Blending Mode	
V	Move Tool	Paste		Paste Into Selection	View Menu...	Midtones (Dodge & Burn Tools)	Paste Behind Selection
B	Paintbrush Tool	Color Balance	Color Balance (with Last Settings)		Toggle Paintbrush / Pencil Tools	Color Burn Blending Mode	
N	Notes Tool	New Document	New Document (with Last Settings)	New Layer (with Dialog Box)	Toggle Notes / Audio Annotations	Normal Blending Mode	New Layer (without Dialog Box)
M	Marquee Tool	Curves	Curves (with Last Settings)	Jump to ImageReady	Rectangular / Elliptical Marquee	Multiply Blending Mode	
-		Zoom Out	Zoom Out & Resize Window		Cycle Blending Modes Forward		
+		Zoom In	Zoom In & Resize Window	Toggle Superscript (Type Mode)	Cycle Blending Modes Backward		Toggle Subscript (Type Mode)
;		Toggle Snap On / Off	Lock / Unlock Guides				
'		Show / Hide Guides	Show / Hide Grid				
[Decrease Brush Size	Move Layer Down		Send Layer to Back	Descend through Layers	Select Bottom Layer	
]	Increase Brush Size	Move Layer Up		Bring Layer to Front	Ascend through Layers	Select Top Layer	
<	Previous Brush			Decrease Type Size by 2pt			Decrease Type Size by 10pt
>	Next Brush	Cancel Operation		Increase Type Size by 2pt			Increase Type Size by 10pt
/	Toggle Preserve Transparency			Toggle Strikethrough (Type Mode)			
\	Toggle Layer Mask as Rubylith	Select Layer Mask (Channel)	Load Layer Mask as Selection				
~	Toggle Channel / Rubylith View	Select Composite Channel	Load Composite as Selection				
Backspace	Delete Selection	Fill with Background Color	Fill from History	Fill w/ Background & Preserve Trans.	Fill with Foreground Color	Fill w/ Foreground & Preserve Trans.	Fill from History & Preserve Trans.
Return	Show Options / Brushes Palette	Commit Changes				Apply Zoom & Keep Box Active	
Space	Hand Tool / Drag Selection	Toggle Zoom In			Toggle Zoom Out		
Tab	Show / Hide Toolbar & Palettes	Next Document		Previous Document	Next Application (Windows)	Show / Hide All Palettes	
⇧	Move Selection Area 1px Left	Move Selection 1px Left	Duplicate Selection 1px Left	Move Selection 10px Left	Decrease Tracking by 20/1000em	Move Selection Area 10px Left	Duplicate Selection 10px Left
⇨	Move Selection Area 1px Up	Move Selection 1px Up	Duplicate Selection 1px Up	Move Selection 10px Up	Increase Leading 2pt (Type Mode)	Move Selection Area 10px Up	Duplicate Selection 10px Up
⇩	Move Selection Area 1px Right	Move Selection 1px Right	Duplicate Selection 1px Right	Move Selection 10px Right	Increase Tracking by 20/1000em	Move Selection Area 10px Right	Duplicate Selection 10px Right
⇧⇩	Move Selection Area 1px Down	Move Selection 1px Down	Duplicate Selection 1px Down	Move Selection 10px Down	Decrease Leading 2pt (Type Mode)	Move Selection Area 10px Down	Duplicate Selection 10px Down
Home	Move View to Top Left	Cursor to Start of Story (Type)		Select Type to Start of Story (Type)		Select Type to Start of Line	
End	Move View to Bottom Right	Cursor to End of Story (Type)		Select Type to End of Story (Type)		Select Type to End of Line	
PageUp	Scroll View Up	Scroll View Left		Scroll View Left 10px		Scroll View Up 10px	
PageDown	Scroll View Down	Scroll View Right		Scroll View Right 10px		Scroll View Down 10px	