#### Recorder

An application that saves a sequence of keystrokes and mouse actions. This sequence is called a macro. The keystrokes and mouse actions are played back automatically in an application when you press a particular key combination or choose the macro from the Recorder window.

#### application Control-menu

<u>R</u>estore

<u>M</u>ove

<u>S</u>ize Mi<u>n</u>imize

Ma<u>x</u>imize

<u>C</u>lose

Switch To...

Restores the application window to its former size.

Moves the application window to another location.

Changes the size of the application window.

Shrinks the application window to an icon.

Enlarges the application window to its maximum size.

Closes the application window.

Starts Windows Task List.

title bar

Contains the title of the application running in the window, in this case Recorder.

• Drag the title bar to move the window.

### Minimize button



► Click the Minimize button to shrink the Recorder window to an icon.

## Maximize button



Click the Maximize button to enlarge the Recorder window to its maximum size.

#### File Menu

# <u>F</u>ile

<u>N</u>ew

<u>O</u>pen... <u>S</u>ave

Save <u>A</u>s... <u>M</u>erge...

E<u>×</u>it

Creates a new macro file.

Opens an existing macro file.

Saves changes to the current file.

Saves a new file or an existing file under a new name.

Merges two Recorder files.

Exits Recorder and closes the Recorder window.

#### Macro Menu

# <u>M</u>acro

Run

Record...

<u>D</u>elete

Plays a macro. Records a macro.

Deletes macros from a file.

Properties...

Changes a macro's properties or settings.

# **Options Menu**

## <u>O</u>ptions

<u>C</u>ontrol+Break Checking <u>S</u>hortcut Keys <u>M</u>inimize On Use <u>P</u>references... Turns on or off CTRL+BREAK.

Turns on or off shortcut keys.

Minimizes the Recorder window when replaying a macro.

Changes preferences or default settings for recording macros.

#### **Help Menu**

### <u>H</u>elp

<u>I</u>ndex

<u>K</u>eyboard

 $\underline{\textbf{C}} \textbf{ommands}$ 

<u>P</u>rocedures

<u>U</u>sing Help

About Recorder...

Displays an alphabetical list of all Help topics.

Displays Help on Recorder key combinations.

Displays Help on Recorder commands.

Displays Help on Recorder procedures.

Displays information about Windows Help.

Displays important information about Recorder.

menu bar <u>File Macro Options H</u>elp

Contains the names of all the Recorder menus.

► Click a menu name to display commands.

#### scroll arrow



An arrow on either end of a scroll bar used to move the contents of the window or list box into view.

Click a scroll arrow to move the contents into view.

# scroll bar

A bar that appears at the right and/or bottom edge of a window whose contents aren't completely visible. Each scroll bar contains two scroll arrows and a scroll box for moving the contents of the window or list box.

Click a scroll bar to move the contents one screen.

#### scroll box



A box used to move quickly to a particular location in a file or list.

Drag the scroll box to move to another location.

#### ctrl+shift+K Undo strikethrough macro

A sequence of keystrokes and mouse actions that are played back automatically in an application when you press a particular key combination or choose the macro from the Recorder window.

To play the macro, press the key combination or double-click the macro in the Recorder window.

ctrl+shift+X Make hidden text macro

A sequence of keystrokes and mouse actions that are played back automatically in an application when you press a particular key combination or choose the macro from the Recorder window.

To play the macro, press the key combination or double-click the macro in the Recorder window.

#### ctrl+shift+S Make strikethrough macro

A sequence of keystrokes and mouse actions that are played back automatically in an application when you press a particular key combination or choose the macro from the Recorder window.

To play the macro, press the key combination or double-click the macro in the Recorder window.

# application window

The main window for an application, in this case the Recorder window. The Recorder application window can contain macros and macro names you specify.

# window border

The outside edge of a window.

Drag the window border to change the size of the window.