

# Google Sheets Keyboard Shortcuts

A Comprehensive Cheat Sheet by [ChromeGeek.com](https://ChromeGeek.com)

Unlock your productivity in Google Sheets with these essential keyboard shortcuts for various platforms!

## General & Desktop Shortcuts (Windows / Mac)

**Note:** For Mac users, use Cmd (⌘) instead of Ctrl, and Option (⌥) instead of Alt, unless specified.

### Arrow Keys

Move selection by one cell

### Ctrl + Arrow

Move to end of data range

### Ctrl + Home

Move to cell A1

### Ctrl + End

Move to last cell with content

### Shift + Arrow

Extend selection by one cell

### Ctrl + Shift + Arrow

Extend selection to end of data range

### Ctrl + A

Select all (press twice to select entire sheet)

### Ctrl + Space

Select entire column

### Shift + Space

Select entire row

**Enter**

Move to cell below (after entering data)

**Shift + Enter**

Move to cell above (after entering data)

**Tab**

Move to cell right (after entering data)

**Shift + Tab**

Move to cell left (after entering data)

**F2 / Ctrl + Enter**

Edit active cell (put cursor inside cell)

**Ctrl + C**

Copy

**Ctrl + X**

Cut

**Ctrl + V**

Paste

**Ctrl + Z**

Undo

**Ctrl + Y**

Redo

**Delete**

Clear cell content

## Formatting Shortcuts

**Ctrl + B**

Bold

**Ctrl + I**

Italic

**Ctrl + U**

Underline

**Ctrl + Shift + 5**

Apply percent format (%)

**Ctrl + Shift + 4**

Apply currency format (\$)

**Ctrl + Shift + 1**

Apply decimal format

**Ctrl + ;**

Insert current date

**Ctrl + Shift + ;**

Insert current time

## Rows & Columns Shortcuts

**Ctrl + Alt + I + R**

Insert row above

**Ctrl + Alt + I + C**

Insert column left

**Ctrl + Alt + E + R**

Delete row

**Ctrl + Alt + E + C**

Delete column

**Ctrl + Alt + H + R**

Hide row

**Ctrl + Alt + H + C**

Hide column

**Ctrl + Alt + H + S**

Show hidden rows/columns

## Formulas & Functions Shortcuts

=

Start a formula

**F4**

Toggle absolute/relative cell references (\$)

**Ctrl + Shift + Enter**

Complete an array formula (Mac: Cmd + Shift + Enter)

**Ctrl + Alt + F**

Open the "Find and Replace" dialog

## ChromeOS Specific Shortcuts

Most general desktop shortcuts also apply on ChromeOS. Here are a few notable ones:

### Search (magnifying glass) + Shift + L

Lock screen

### Search (magnifying glass) + L

Select next item on shelf

### Search (magnifying glass) + M

Minimize window

### Ctrl + Shift + Q (twice)

Sign out of your Google Account

## Android & iPhone/iPad Shortcuts (with External Keyboard)

While touch gestures are primary on mobile, connecting an external keyboard (Bluetooth, USB-C) allows you to use many of the desktop shortcuts. Here are some commonly supported ones:

### Ctrl / Cmd + C

Copy selected cell(s)

### Ctrl / Cmd + V

Paste copied content

### Ctrl / Cmd + Z

Undo last action

### Ctrl / Cmd + Y

Redo last undone action

### Arrow Keys

Navigate between cells

## Enter

Move down to the next cell

## Tab

Move right to the next cell

## Shift + Tab

Move left to the previous cell

## Delete / Backspace

Clear cell content

## Ctrl / Cmd + B

Bold text

## Ctrl / Cmd + I

Italicize text

## Ctrl / Cmd + U

Underline text

## F2

Edit selected cell's content

On iOS, you can also press and hold the Cmd (⌘) key to see a list of available shortcuts for the current app.