

Notepad++ Keyboard Shortcuts

File menu

Shortcut	Action
Ctrl-O	Open File
Ctrl-N	New File
Ctrl-S	Save File
Ctrl-Alt-S	Save As
Ctrl-Shift-S	Save All
Ctrl-P	Print
Alt-F4	Exit
Ctrl-Tab	Next Document (also shows list of open files). Can be disabled – see Settings/Preferences/Global.
Ctrl-Shift-Tab	Previous Document (also shows list of open files). Can be disabled – see above.
Ctrl-W	Close Current Document

Edit menu

Shortcut	Action
Ctrl-C	Copy
Ctrl-Insert	Copy
Ctrl-Shift-T	Copy current line to clipboard
Ctrl-X	Cut
Shift-Delete	Cut
Ctrl-V	Paste
Shift-Insert	Paste
Ctrl-Z	Undo
Alt-Backspace	Undo
Ctrl-Y	Redo
Ctrl-A	Select All
Alt-Shift-Arrow keys, or Alt + Left mouse click	Column Mode Select
Ctrl + Left mouse click	Start new selected area. Only multiple stream areas can be selected this way.
ALT-C	Column Editor
Ctrl-D	Duplicate Current Line
Ctrl-T	Switch the current line position with the previous line position

Ctrl-Shift-Up	Move Current Line, or current selection if a single stream, Up
Ctrl-Shift-Down	Move Current Line, or current selection if a single stream, Down
Ctrl-L	Delete Current Line
Ctrl-I	Split Lines
Ctrl-J	Join Lines
Ctrl-G	Launch GoToLine Dialog
Ctrl-Q	Block comment/uncomment
Ctrl-Shift-Q	Stream comment
Tab (selection of one or more full lines)	Insert Tabulation or Space (Indent)
Shift-Tab (selection of one or more full lines)	Remove Tabulation or Space (outdent)
Ctrl-BackSpace	Delete to start of word
Ctrl-Delete	Delete to end of word
Ctrl-Shift-BackSpace	Delete to start of line
Ctrl-Shift-Delete	Delete to end of line
Ctrl-U	Convert to lower case
Ctrl-Shift-U	Convert to UPPER CASE
Ctrl-B	Go to matching brace
Ctrl-Space	Launch CallTip ListBox
Ctrl-Shift-Space	Launch Function Completion ListBox
Ctrl-Enter	Launch Word Completion ListBox
Ctrl-Alt-R	Text Direction RTL
Ctrl-Alt-L	Text Direction LTR
Enter	Split line downwards, or create new line
Shift-Enter	Split line downwards, or create new line

Search menu

Shortcut	Action
Ctrl-F	Launch Find Dialog
Ctrl-H	Launch Find / Replace Dialog
F3	Find Next
Shift-F3	Find Previous
Ctrl-Shift-F	Find in Files
F7	Switch to Search results window (was Activate sub view before v5.2)
Ctrl-Alt-F3	Find (volatile) Next
Ctrl-Alt-Shift-F3	Find (volatile) Previous
Ctrl-F3	Select and Find Next (was Find (Volatile) Next prior to v5.6.5)
Ctrl-Shift-F3	Select and Find Previous (was Find (Volatile) Previous prior to v5.6.5)
F4	Go to next found
Shift-F4	Go to previous found

Ctrl-Shift-I	Incremental Search
Ctrl-n	Jump Down (to next text marked using n-th style. n is 1 to 5, or 0 for default Found style.
Ctrl-Shift-n	Jump Up (to next text marked using n-the style. n is 1 to 5, or 0 for default Found style.
Ctrl-F2	Toggle Bookmark
F2	Go To Next Bookmark
Shift-F2	Go To Previous Bookmark

View menu

Shortcut	Action
Ctrl-(Keypad-/Keypad+)	or Ctrl + mouse wheel button (if any) Zoom in (+ or up) and Zoom out (- or down)
Ctrl-Keypad/	Restore the original size from zoom
F11	Toggle Full Screen Mode
F12	Toggle Post-It Mode
Ctrl-Alt-F	Collapse the Current Level
Ctrl-Alt-Shift-F	Uncollapse the Current Level
Alt-0	Fold All
Alt-(1~8)	Collapse the Level (1~8)
Alt-Shift-0	Unfold All
Alt-Shift-(1~8)	Uncollapse the Level (1~8)

Run menu

Shortcut	Action
F5	Launch Run Dialog
Alt-F1	Get PHP help
Alt-F2	Google search
Alt-F3	Wikipedia search
Alt-F5	Open file (name at cursor)
Alt-F6	Open file in another instance (name at cursor)
Ctrl-Alt-Shift-R	Open in Chrome
Ctrl-Alt-Shift-X	Open in Firefox
Ctrl-Alt-Shift-I	Open in IE
Ctrl-Alt-Shift-F	Open in Safari
Ctrl-Alt-Shift-O	Send via Outlook