

Pixelmator Pro cheat sheet

Navigate an image

Cmd + +	Zoom in
Cmd + -	Zoom out
Cmd + 0	Zoom to fit
Option + Cmd + 0	View actual size
Z	Select Zoom tool

Select tools

S	Style
V	Arrange
L	Free Selection
M	Rectangular Selection
Y	Elliptical Selection
W	Color Selection
Q	Quick Selection
B	Paint
E	Erase
N	Color Fill
G	Gradient Fill
R	Repair
U	Rectangle Shape
P	Pen
T	Type
C	Color Adjustments
F	Effects
C	Crop
K	Slice and Save for Web

Open, save, an export images

Cmd + N	Create a new image
Cmd + O	Open an image
Cmd + S	Save an image
Shift + Cmd + S	Duplicate an image
Option + Shift + Cmd + S	Save an existing image as a new image
Cmd + E	Export an image

Basic edits

Cmd + Z	Undo last action
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Shift + Cmd + Z	Redo last action
Cmd + X	Cut
Cmd + C	Copy
Cmd + V	Paste
Option + Shift + Cmd + V	Paste and match style
Shift + Cmd + D	Duplicate layer or selected area

Work with layers

Shift + Cmd + N	Create an empty new layer
Backspace	Delete selected layer(s)
Option + Cmd + A	Select all layers
Option + Cmd + E	Merge selected layers
Option + Shift + Cmd + E	Merge all layers
Cmd + G	Group layers
Shift + Cmd + G	Ungroup layers
Cmd +]	Bring selected layer(s) forward
Option + Cmd + [Send selected layer(s) to the front
Cmd + 8	Bring selected layer(s) backward
Option + Cmd +]	Send selected layer(s) to the back
Cmd + Move the mouse + Left click	drag the layer: Move a layer while any tool is active

Style tool

Shift + +	Change brush hardness
Shift + -	Cycle through blending modes

Arrange tool

Left click + Move the mouse	drag a layer handle: Resize a layer
Shift + Left click + Move the mouse or Option + Left click + Move the mouse	Duplicate a layer
Cmd + Move the mouse + Left click	Disable alignment guides while moving or resizing
Option + Move the mouse + Left click	drag a layer handle: Resize a layer from the center

Shift + Move the mouse + Left click	drag a layer handle: Constrain the aspect ratio when resizing a layer
Option + Shift + Left click + Move the mouse	Constrain the aspect ratio when resizing a layer from the center
Control + Move the mouse + Left click	click the layer: Open the shortcut menu for the selected layer
Cmd + Move the mouse + Left click	drag a layer handle: Rotate a layer
Shift + Cmd + Move the mouse + Left click	drag a layer handle: Rotate a layer in 15° steps
Shift + Left click + Move the mouse	drag a layer: Move a layer in a straight or diagonal line

Selection tools

Cmd + A	Select the entire image
Cmd + D	Deselect an active selection
Shift + Cmd + I	Invert a selection
Option + Cmd + L	Load the outline of a layer as a selection
Option + Cmd + R	Turn on Refine Selection
Cmd + C	Copy a selected area
Cmd + X	Cut a selected area
Cmd + V	Paste a selected area
Shift + Cmd + D	Duplicate a selected area
Shift	(Press and hold the Shift key after starting a selection) Constrain selection to a circle or a square
Shift	(Hold down the Shift key before starting to select) Add to a selection
Option	(Hold down the Option key before starting to select) Subtract from a selection
Shift + Option	(Hold down the Shift and Option key before starting to select) Intersect a selection

Paint and erase

D	Reset foreground and
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	background colors to white and black
X	Switch between foreground and background color
Shift + Left click	Paint or erase a straight line
Shift	(Press and hold the Shift key before starting to paint) Paint or erase a vertical or horizontal line
Double click	(Doubleclick a brush) Open brush settings
Shift + Left click	Paint straight lines
Shift + Move the mouse	Paint vertical or horizontal lines
, or .	Navigate through brushes
[or]	Increase or decrease brush size
Shift + [or Shift +]	Change brush hardness
Shift + Left click + Move the mouse	drag gradient: Constrain gradient to 15° angle
Option + Left click	Pick a color from your image
Cmd + Backspace	Fill layer with foreground color
Option + Backspace	Fill layer with background color

Clone tool

Option + Left click	Set clone source
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Shapes and vectors

U	Draw a rectangle shape
Shift	Press and hold the Shift key before starting to draw: Unite a shape with the selected shape
Option	Press and hold the Option key before starting to draw: Subtract a shape from the selected shape
Option + Shift	Press and hold the Option and Shift key before starting to draw: Intersect a shape with the selected shape

General

Cmd + ,	Show Pixelmator Pro preferences
Shift + Option +	View file info

Cmd + I	
Cmd + /	Show Info bar
Option + Cmd + T	Hide toolbar
Control + Cmd + F	Enter fullscreen
Cmd + W	Close window
Option + Cmd + W	Close all windows
Control + Tab	Show Next Tab
Control + Shift + Tab	Show Previous Tab
Shift + Cmd + \	View All Tabs
Cmd + `	Cycle through windows
Cmd + M	Minimize window
Option + Cmd + M	Minimize all windows
Cmd + H	Hide Pixelmator
Option + Cmd + H	Hide others
Cmd + P	Print
Cmd + Q	Quit Pixelmator Pro

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