



# MythTV 32 cheat sheet

## Front end

Arrow keys	Used to move the highlight point around
Alt + F4	Exit the application
Space or Enter	Take action on the item under the highlight point
P	Play in both "Watch a Recording" and "Delete a Recording"
D	Delete in both "Watch a Recording" and "Delete a Recording"
I	Edit recording options from the EPG, "Program Finder", "Program Recording Priorities", or "Fix Scheduling Conflicts" screens.

From the Playback and Delete screens, 'I' presents options for recorded shows such as Auto Expire or Stop Recording. Pressing 'I' while on the Recording Options screen will take you to the Advanced Recording Options screen.

## Watching TV and recording

Up arrow / Down arrow	Change the channel
[Num 1 - 9]	Type a number to enter a channel number or jump amount (HHMM format)
P	Pause / Play
C	Change inputs on TV Tuner card
Esc	Quit
I	Puts the On-screen Display up again. During playback, 'I' toggles between position and show description info. If a jump amount is entered, jump to that position (e.g., '75I' or '115I' will jump to one hour and 15 minutes after the start).
M	Brings up the menu. While in LiveTV the first item is the EPG, while watching a recording, the first item is Edit Recording
S	Brings up Electronic Program

## Guide (EPG)

Page Up	Jump back the configured number of minutes (default is 10)
Page Down	Jump ahead the configured number of minutes (default is 10)
End or Z	Skip to next commercial break marker
Home or Q	Skip back to previous commercial break marker
T	Toggle close caption support
F	Rotate between the various Picture Adjustments (Colour, Hue, etc.) While Picture Adjustment is on-screen, use Left and Right arrows to adjust. These settings adjust the look of the video playback, and are independent of the G-key settings used at record-time. The Xv picture controls must be enabled in the Playback settings.
[ or F10	Decrease volume
] or F11	Increase volume
or F9	Toggle mute
/	Jump to the next "favorite" channel
?	Mark/unmark the current channel as a "favorite"
U	Increase the play speed
J	Decrease the play speed
W	Cycle through 4:3 aspect ratio, 16:9, 4:3 Zoom (like Pan and Scan), 16:9 Zoom, and 16:9 Stretch (eliminates black sidebars in TV signal)
Left arrow	(if a jump amount is entered) jump back that amount
Right arrow	(if a jump amount is entered) jump ahead that amount

## Without the stickykeys option selected

Left arrow	Rewind the configured number of seconds (default is 5)
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Right arrow      Fast forward the configured number of seconds (default is 30)

<      Starts rewind mode as if stickykeys are selected

>      Starts fast forward mode as if stickykeys are selected

## With Stickykeys option selected

Right arrow      Starts fast forward mode

Left arrow      Starts rewind mode

## In fast forward or rewind mode

Left arrow / Right arrow      Increases the ff/rew speed

0      Plays at normal speed, but leaves the time indicator on screen

1 or 2      Plays back more slowly than normal ff/rew speed (1 is slowest)

3      Plays back at normal ff/rew speed

4      Plays back faster than normal ff/rew speed (9 is fastest)

Space      Exits fast forward or rewind mode

## While video is paused

Left arrow      Rewind 1 frame

<      Rewind 1 second

Right arrow      Advance 1 frame

>      Advance 1 second

## Watching TV only

G      Rotate between the various Picture Adjustments (Colour, Hue, etc.) for recording. These values affect the look of the resulting .nuv file, and are independent of the playback picture settings. While Picture Adjustment is on-screen, use Left and Right arrows to adjust.

H      Channel history. Each repeat steps back through the previous channels.

O      Turns on 'Browse' mode, allowing user to browse channels and program info while watching current show Full Screen.

Alt + F7      Bring up the signal meter

F8      Toggle the sleep timer 30m->1hr->1hr30m->2hr->Off

Y      Switch between multiple capture cards. NOTE: you lose your LiveTV buffer on your current card. Useful for different-sourced cards (such as Dish Network on one, HDTV over-the-air on another card.)

## Watching a recording only

Space or Enter      Set a bookmark

X      Queues the current recording for transcoding

O      Brings up menu to allow toggling settings such as Commercial Auto-Skip, Auto-Expire, etc.

E      or M Enters/exits edit mode.

## In edit mode

Left arrow / Right arrow      Move forward and backward

Up arrow / Down arrow      Alter the amount of time you jump forward and backward. Increments are: nearest cutpoint, nearest video keyframe, 1 frame, 0.5 seconds, 1 second, 20 seconds, 1 minute, 5 minutes, and 10 minutes.

Page Up / Down      Move forward and backward to the nearest cut point

< or >      Move forward or backward by 10 times the normal jump amount

Space or Enter      Allows you to set or delete a cut point

Z      Loads the commercial skip list (if

one exists) into the cutlist

C or Q Clear all cut points in the cutlist

## LiveTV Browse Mode

Left arrow Browse program prior to current listed program

Right arrow Browse program following current listed program

Up arrow Browse program on channel above current listed channel/program

Down arrow Browse program on channel below current listed channel/program

/ Browse program on next favorite channel

[0 - 9] Enter a channel number to browse

Space or Enter Change channel to channel of current listed program

R Toggle recording of current program (cycles through types)

Esc or O Exit Browse mode

## Playback Recording Zoom Mode

Left arrow Move video to Left

Right arrow Move video to Right

Up arrow Move video Up

Down arrow Move video Down

Page Up Zoom In

Page Down Zoom Out

Space or Enter Exit Zoom mode leaving picture at current size and position

Esc Exit Zoom mode and return to original size

## If you have two or more tuner cards

V Toggle Picture-in-picture on or off

B Toggles the window focus (lets you change channels on the PiP window)

N Swaps the two channels by

changing channels on both cards

## Electronic Program Guide

Arrow keys or W/A/S/D Move the highlighted program point around

Page Up / Down Move the channel list up or down a page

Home or End Move the highlight left or right by one day

Ctrl + Left arrow or < Move the highlight left by one page

Ctrl + Right arrow or > Move the highlight right by one page

9 or 3 or 7 or 1 (like a numeric keypad) Perform the same as Page Up, Page Down, Home and End

I Bring up more information about a show, and allow you to schedule a recording. If you select "Record this showing" while watching Live TV you can "Instant Record" a program.

Space or Enter Allow you resolve conflicts or change overrides. If the program is not already scheduled to record, it will instead act like pressing 'I'.

M When on a channel, will change to that channel

Esc or C Exits without changing the channel

R Change the current item from Recording/Not-Recording. Successive keypresses cycle through the scheduled recording type list.

X Change the channel to the currently selected channel without leaving the EPG (Most useful in the alternate EPG)

? Mark/unmark the current channel as a "favorite"

/ Cycle the guide listing between all channels and channel groups

## Setting Program or Channel

### Recording Priorities

Right arrow	Increases priority value
Left arrow	Decreases priority value
1	Sorts by title
2	Sorts by priority
Home or End	Toggle sort priority
I	Edit recording options
Esc	Commits changes and exits

### Viewing Scheduled

#### Recordings/Resolving Conflicts

1	Show all recordings
2	Show only important recordings
Home or End	Toggle show showing all/important
I	Edit recording options
Space or Enter	Resolve conflict or override

### Viewing Search Listings

Home	Change to the previous view if applicable
End	Change to the next view if applicable
M	Select another view if applicable. In the title and description search popup, press M again to edit or delete the selected view.

### Recording Profiles Setup Screen

D	On a custom profile group displays a popup to delete the group
M	On a custom profile group displays a menu popup to delete the group

### Recording Groups

In the Watch Recordings screen, Recording Groups allow you to separate programs into user-defined categories, such as "Kids", "Alice", "Bob", etc. This

can be used to reduce clutter, or to segregate content if you use the PIN function.

M	Change the view or to set a group password
I	Move a program from one Recording Group to another

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