

Global Mapper 21 cheat sheet

File management

Ctrl + O	OPEN a New Data File
Ctrl + S	SAVE the Current Workspace
Ctrl + W	Load a WORKSPACE File
Ctrl + U	UNLOAD All Loaded Data Files

General

Alt + X	EXIT Global Mapper
Alt + C	Show the Overlay CONTROL CENTER

Display options

Shift + V	Toggle Line & Area VERTEX Display On and Off
Ctrl + Alt + Shift + V	Toggle VECTOR LAYER Display On and Off

Digitizer / Edit tool operations

Ctrl + Alt + M	MEASURE the cut-and-fill VOLUME of the currently selected line or area feature
Shift + T	Create new line (TRACE mode)

Snapping

Alt + Left click	DISABLE automatic SNAPPING behavior
V + Left click	ONLY snap to EXISTING VERTICES/ FEATURES

Select features

Ctrl + Left click	ADD/ APPEND selected features to cached selection
L + Left click	Select only the topmost LINE feature at the clicked location

Insert vertices

I + Left click	STAY IN VERTEX INSERT MODE after inserting vertex. Useful if needing to insert multiple vertices
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Image rectification window

Alt + Left click	DISABLE AUTOMATIC SNAP-to-nearest-feature functionality
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3D View: Display and Navigation

Ctrl + Home	Center the 2D view on the current selection
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3D View: Snapping to types of Features

Note: Only one of these modifier keys may be active at a time.

3D View: Tools and Settings

Shift + E	Raise vertical exaggeration
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