

# NerdTree 6.9.10 cheat sheet

## File node mappings

|                   |                                                 |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------|
| O or Double click | Open in preview window                          |
| G then O          | Preview selected file                           |
| T                 | Open selected file in new tab                   |
| Shift + T         | Open selected file in new tab silently          |
| I or Middle click | Open selected file in a horizontal split window |
| G then I          | Preview horizontal split                        |
| S                 | Open selected file in a vertical split window   |
| G then S          | Preview vertical split                          |
| Enter             | Custom open                                     |

## Directory node mappings

|                   |                                                   |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| O or Double click | Open & close node                                 |
| Shift + O         | Recursively open node                             |
| T                 | Open in new tab                                   |
| Shift + T         | Open in new tab silently                          |
| Enter             | Custom open                                       |
| X                 | Close parent of node                              |
| Shift + X         | Close all child nodes of current node recursively |
| E or Middle click | Explore selected directory                        |

## Bookmark table mappings

|           |                          |
|-----------|--------------------------|
| O         | Open bookmark            |
| G then O  | Preview selected file    |
| G then O  | Find directory in tree   |
| T         | Open in new tab          |
| Shift + T | Open in new tab silently |
| I         | Open horizontally split  |
| G then I  | Preview split            |
| S         | Open vertically split    |
| G then S  | Preview vertical split   |
| Enter     | Custom open              |
| Shift + D | Delete bookmark          |

## Tree navigation mapping

|           |                        |
|-----------|------------------------|
| Shift + P | Go to root             |
| P         | Go to parent           |
| Shift + K | Go to first child      |
| Shift + J | Go to last child       |
| Ctrl + J  | Go to next sibling     |
| Ctrl + K  | Go to previous sibling |

## Filesystem mappings

|                          |                                                       |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| Shift + C                | Change tree root to the selected directory            |
| U                        | Move tree root up a directory                         |
| Shift + U                | Move tree root up a directory but leave old root open |
| R                        | Refresh cursor directory                              |
| Shift + R                | Refresh current root                                  |
| M                        | Show menu                                             |
| C then D                 | Change the CWD to the selected directory              |
| Shift + C then Shift + D | Change tree root to CWD                               |

## Tree filtering mappings

|           |                     |
|-----------|---------------------|
| Shift + I | Toggle hidden files |
| F         | Toggle file filters |
| Shift + F | Toggle files        |
| Shift + B | Toggle bookmarks    |

## Other mappings

|           |                                           |
|-----------|-------------------------------------------|
| Q         | Close program window                      |
| Shift + A | Zoom (maximize / minimize) program window |
| ?         | Toggle help                               |

## Bookmark commands

```
:Bookmark []
:BookmarkToRoot
:RevealBookmark
:OpenBookmark
:ClearBookmarks []
:ClearAllBookmarks
```

:ReadBookmarks

:WriteBookmarks

:EditBookmarks

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