Remote Desktop Services cheat sheet

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General

Ctrl + Alt + Home	Activate connection bar
Ctrl + Alt + Break or Ctrl + Alt + Pause or Ctrl + Alt + Print Screen or Ctrl + Alt + Fn + Scroll Lock	Switch between full screen mode and window mode

If these shortcuts don't work, or the keys aren't available, you can try this: Press CTRL+ALT+HOME, TAB, TAB, TAB, TAB, TAB, ENTER. This activates the connection bar, and then presses the Restore down button.

Ctrl + Alt + End	Bring Windows Security dialog box for the Remote Desktop Session Host (RD Session Host) (same as pressing Ctrl + Alt + Del on the local computer)

Equivalent remote shortcuts

This list describes the standard Windows shortcut keys and their equivalent Remote Desktop shortcuts that are different.

Alt + Tab	Remote Desktop shortcut: Alt + Page Up. Switch between programs from left to right
Alt + Shift + Tab	Remote Desktop shortcut: Alt + Page Down. Switch between programs from right to left
Win or Ctrl + Esc	Remote Desktop shortcut: Alt + Home. Display Start menu.
Alt + Space	Remote Desktop shortcut: Alt + D. Display the system menu
Alt + Print Screen	Remote Desktop shortcut: Ctrl + Alt + minus. Place a snapshot of the active window, within the client, on the clipboard
Print Screen	Remote Desktop shortcut: Ctrl + Alt + plus. Place a snapshot of the entire client windows area on the clipboard

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