



Kate (2024) cheat sheet

File

Alt then F	File menu
Ctrl + N or Alt then F then N	New
Ctrl + Shift + N or Alt then F then W	New Windows
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Ctrl + O or Alt then F then O	Open...
Alt then F then R	Open Recent
Alt then F then I	Open With
Ctrl + T or Alt then F then F or Ctrl + O or Alt then F then F	Open Folder...
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Ctrl + S or Alt then F then S	Save
Ctrl + Shift + S or Alt then F then A	Save As...
Alt then F then Y	Save Copy As...
Ctrl + L or Alt then F then V	Save All
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F5 or Alt then F then D	Reload
Alt then F then L	Reload All
Ctrl + P	Print
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Ctrl + W or Alt + F + C	Close
Alt + F + E	Close All

Edit

Alt then E	Edit menu
Ctrl + Z or Alt then U	Undo
Ctrl + Shift + Z or Alt then E then D	Redo
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Ctrl + X or Alt then E then T	Cut

Ctrl + C or Alt then E then C

Alt then E then H	Copy as HTML
Alt then E then L	Copy File Location
Ctrl + V or Alt then E then P	Paste
Ctrl + Alt + Shift + V or Alt then E then B	Clipboard History
Ctrl + Alt + V	Switch Input Mode
Insert or Alt then E then O	Overwrite Mode
Alt then E then E	Read Only Mode
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Ctrl + F or Alt then E then F	Find...
Alt then E then F	Find Variants
Ctrl + R or Alt then E then R	Replace...
F3	Find Next
Shift + F3	Find Previous
Ctrl + H	Find Selected
Ctrl + Shift + H	Find Selected Backwards
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Ctrl + Shift + F or Alt then E then N	Find in Files
F6	Go to Next Match
Shift + F6	Go to Previous Match

Selection

Alt then C	Selection menu
Ctrl + A or Alt then C then A	Select All
Ctrl + Shift + A or Alt then C then L	Deselect
Ctrl + Shift + B	Block Selection Mode
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Ctrl + / or Alt then C then T	Toggle Comment
Ctrl + J or Alt then C then J	Join Lines
Alt then C then P	Capitalization

Ctrl + U	Uppercase
Ctrl + Shift + U	Lowercase
Ctrl + Alt + U	Capitalize
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Alt then C then C	Clean Indentation
Alt then C then I	Convert Indentation to Spaces
Alt then C then N	Convert indentation to Tabs
Alt then C then F	Format Indentation
Alt then C then G	Align On...
Alt then C then W	Apply Word Wrap

View

Alt then V	View menu
Shift + F8	Previous Split View
F8	Next Split View
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Ctrl + Shift + L	Split Vertical
Ctrl + Shift + T	Split Horizontal
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Ctrl + Shift + R	Close Current View
-	
Alt then V then S then G	Toggle scroll Synchronization
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Ctrl + + Enlarge	Font
Ctrl + -	Shrink Font
Ctrl + 0	Reset Font Size
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F11	Fullscreen

Go

Alt then G	Go menu
Ctrl + Alt + O	Quick Open
Ctrl + Tab	Last Used Views
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Ctrl + G	Go to Line...
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Alt + Up arrow	Previous Document
Alt + Down arrow	Next Document

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Alt + Right arrow	Next Tab
Alt + Left arrow	Previous Tab
-	
Ctrl + 1	Go to Previous Location
Ctrl + Shift + 1	Go to Next Location
-	
Ctrl + E	Go to Previous Editing Location
Ctrl + Shift + E	Go to Next Editing Location
-	
Ctrl + 6	Go to Matching Bracket
Ctrl + Shift + 6	Select to matching Bracket
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Ctrl + B	Set Bookmark

Project

Alt then P	Project menu
Ctrl + Alt + Left arrow or Alt then P then A	Activate Previous Project
Ctrl + Alt + Right arrow or Alt then P then N	Activate Next Project
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Alt then P then C	Close Project
Alt then P then S	Close All Projects
Alt then P then O	Close Orphaned Projects
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Alt then P then P	Project TODOs

LSP client

Alt then C	LSP client
Alt then L then Y	Symbol Info
Ctrl + Alt + P	Search and go to Symbol
Ctrl + T or Ctrl + F	Format
Ctrl + 2	Expand Selection
Ctrl + Shift + 2	Shrink Selection

Tools

Alt then T	Tools menu
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F4	Show Terminal
Ctrl + Shift + F4	Focus Terminal
Ctrl + \	Filter Through Command...
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F7	Switch to Command Line
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Ctrl + Space	Invoke Code Completion
Alt + Shift + Down arrow	Move Lines Down
Alt + Shift + Up arrow	Move Lines Up
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Ctrl + 8	Reuse Word Above
Ctrl + 9	Reuse Word Bellow
-	
Ctrl + Space	Invoke Code Completion
-	
Ctrl + Shift + O	Automatic Spell Checking
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Ctrl + .	Quick Fix
Alt + Shift + Right arrow	Next Item
Alt + Shift + Left arrow	Previous Item
Alt + Shift + C	Clear Diagnostics Filter

More information: defkey.com/tk/kate-2024-shortcuts

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Settings

Alt then S	Settings
Ctrl + M	Show Menu bar
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Ctrl + Alt + ,	Configure Keyboard Shortcuts...
Ctrl + Shift + ,	Configure Kate...

Help

Alt then H	Help
F1	Kate Handbook
Shift + F1	What's This?
Ctrl + Alt + L	Find Action...

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