

Windows PowerShell ISE cheat sheet

Editing text

F1	(Script pane) Help. Important: You can specify that F1 help comes from the TechNet Library on the web or downloaded Help (see Update-Help). To select, click Tools, Options, then on the General Settings tab, set or clear Use local help content instead of online
Ctrl + C	(Script pane, Command Pane, Output Pane) Copy
Ctrl + X	(Script pane) Cut
Ctrl + M	(Script pane) Expand or Collapse Outlining
Ctrl + F	(Script pane) Find in Script
F3	(Script pane) Find Next in Script
Shift + F3	(Script pane) Find Previous in Script
Ctrl +]	(Script pane) Find Matching Brace
Ctrl + V	(Script pane, Command Pane) Paste
Ctrl + Y	(Script pane, Command Pane) Redo
Ctrl + H	(Script pane) Replace in Script
Ctrl + S	(Script pane) Save
Ctrl + A	(Script pane, Command Pane, Output Pane) Select All
Ctrl + J	(Script pane, Command Pane) Show Snippets
Ctrl + Z	(Script pane, Command Pane) Undo

Running scripts

Ctrl + N	New
Ctrl + O	Open
F5	Run
F8	Run Selection
Ctrl + Break	Stop Execution. Ctrl + C can be used when the context is unambiguous (when there is no text selected).

Ctrl + Tab

Tab (to next script). Note: Tab to next script works only when you have a single Windows PowerShell tab open, or when you have more than one Windows PowerShell tab open, but the focus is in the Script Pane.

Ctrl + Shift + Tab

Tab (to previous script). Note: Tab to previous script works when you have only one Windows PowerShell tab open, or if you have more than one Windows PowerShell tab open, and the focus is in the Script Pane.

Customizing the view

These shortcuts are available from the all panes in the Windows PowerShell ISE

Ctrl + D	Go to Command (v2) or Console (v3 and later) Pane
Ctrl + Shift + O	Go to Output Pane (v2 only)
Ctrl + I	Go to Script Pane
Ctrl + R	Show Script Pane
Ctrl + R	Hide Script Pane
Ctrl + 1	Move Script Pane Up
Ctrl + 2	Move Script Pane Right
Ctrl + 3	Maximize Script Pane
Ctrl + +	Zoom In
Ctrl + -	Zoom Out

Script debugging

Use these keyboard shortcuts on Script Pane, when debugging a script.

F5	Run/Continue
F11	Step Into
F10	Step Over
Shift + F11	Step Out
Ctrl + Shift + D	Display Call Stack
Ctrl + Shift + L	List Breakpoints
F9	Toggle Breakpoint
Ctrl + Shift + F9	Remove All Breakpoints

Shift + F5	Stop Debugger
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Note: You can also use the keyboard shortcuts designed for the Windows PowerShell console when you debug scripts in Windows PowerShell ISE. To use these shortcuts, you must type the shortcut in the Command Pane and press ENTER.

Use these keyboard shortcuts on Console Pane, when debugging a script:

C	Continue
S	Step Into
V	Step Over
O	Step Out
Enter	Repeat Last Command (for Step Into or Step Over)
K	Display Call Stack
Q	Stop Debugging
L	List the Script
H or ?	Display Console Debugging Commands

Windows PowerShell tabs

Ctrl + W	Close PowerShell Tab
Ctrl + T	New PowerShell Tab
Ctrl + Shift + Tab	Previous PowerShell tab. This shortcut works only when no files are open on any Windows PowerShell tab
Ctrl + Tab	Next Windows PowerShell tab. This shortcut works only when no files are open on any Windows PowerShell tab

Starting and exiting

Alt + F4	Exit
Ctrl + Shift + P	Start PowerShell.exe (Windows Powershell console)

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More information: defkey.com/windows-powershell-ise-shortcuts

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