



WinSCP cheat sheet

Common Panel commands

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| Tab | Change active panel |
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Navigation

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| Ctrl + R | Re-read panel |
| F5 | Re-read panel |
| Backspace | Open parent directory |
| Alt + Up arrow | Open parent directory |
| Ctrl + \ | Open root directory |
| Ctrl + H | Open home directory |
| Alt + Left arrow | Go back |
| Alt + Right arrow | Go forward |
| Alt + F1 | Open path change menu for left panel |
| Alt + F2 | Open path change menu for right panel |
| Ctrl + B | Bookmark current directory |
| Ctrl + O | Display bookmark window |
| Alt + D or Ctrl + L | Display bookmark window |
| Ctrl + Alt + T | Toggle tree panel |

File selection

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| Insert | Select/deselect file |
| + | (numpad) Select group |
| - | (numpad) Deselect group |
| * | (numpad) Invert selection |
| Ctrl + A | Select all files |
| Shift + Ctrl + L | Deselect all files |
| Shift + Ctrl + R | Restore selection |

File management

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| F2 | Rename focused file |
| F4 | Edit focused file |
| Shift + F4 | Edit (create) new file |
| Ctrl + Alt + F4 | Edit focused file in an internal editor |
| F5 | Download (when remote panel is active) or Upload (when local panel is active) |
| Ctrl + K | Download (when remote panel is |

active) or Upload (when local panel is active)

Selected files

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| Shift + F5 | Duplicate selected files (remote panel only) |
| F6 | Download (when remote panel is active) or Upload (when local panel is active) selected files and delete original |
| Shift + F6 | Move/rename selected files (remote panel only) |
| Alt + F6 | Add/edit link |
| F7 | Create new folder |
| F8 | Delete selected files |
| Del | Delete selected files |
| Shift + Del | Delete selected files (alternative) |
| F9 | Change properties of selected files |
| Alt + Enter | Change properties of selected files |
| Ctrl + V | Paste files, open path from clipboard, opens session URL from clipboard |

Session management

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| Shift + Ctrl + D | Close active session |
| Ctrl + W | Close active session |
| Ctrl + N | Open a new session |
| Ctrl + Tab | Cycle opened sessions |
| Shift + Ctrl + Tab | Cycle opened sessions |
| Alt + 1 | (Alt + 2, Alt + 3...) Switch to other open session |

Service commands

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| Ctrl + Alt + B | Toggle synchronized browsing |
| Ctrl + C | Compare files in panels |
| Ctrl + P | Open current session in PuTTY |
| Ctrl + Alt + P | Open Preferences dialog |
| Shift + Ctrl + Q | Process queue |
| Ctrl + Alt + R | Toggle automatical refresh of remote directory after operation |
| Ctrl + S | Synchronize directories |

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| Ctrl + U | Keep remote directory up to date |
| Ctrl + T | Open terminal window |
| F10 | Quit |
| Alt + F4 | Quit |
| Alt + F7 | Find file |
| F3 | Find file |
| Esc | Cancel reading of remote directory |

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File panels

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| Ctrl + F3 | Sort files in the active panel by name |
| Ctrl + F4 | Sort files in the active panel by extension |
| Ctrl + F5 | Sort files in the active panel by modification time |
| Ctrl + F6 | Sort files in the active panel by size |
| Ctrl + F7 | Sort files in the active panel by attributes/permissions |
| Ctrl + F8 | Sort files in the active panel by owner (remote panel only) |
| Ctrl + F9 | Sort files in the active panel by group (remote panel only) |
| Ctrl + Enter | Insert names of selected files to command line |
| Shift + Ctrl + C | Copy names of selected files to the clipboard |
| Ctrl + Alt + C | Copy names of selected files including paths to the clipboard |
| Ctrl + [| Copy current local path to the clipboard |
| Ctrl +] | Copy current remote path to the clipboard |
| Ctrl + Alt + H | Toggle hidden and system files displaying |
| Ctrl + Alt + F | Filter files |
| Ctrl + Alt + E | Open current directory in Windows Explorer (local panel only) |
| Shift + Ctrl + N | Show/focus command line |
| Ctrl + Q | Focus queue view (when visible) |

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