

Keyboard Shortcuts | Microsoft Windows Key

Do not press the first plus (+) sign in each of the shortcuts below. If there are two plus (+) signs, then you will press + because of the second is the shortcut.

The “ Windows Key ” is between the “ Ctrl ” key and the “ Alt ” key
Windows Key (Opens Start menu)
Windows + Tab (Switches between apps)
Windows + Pause/Break (Opens the System Configuration Menu)
Windows + F (Find Files)
Windows + U (Utility Manager)
Windows + X (Opens the secret Start menu)
Windows + L (Locks your computer)
Windows + E (Opens File Explorer)
Windows + I (Opens the Settings menu)
Windows + D (Shows the desktop or hide if you pressed again)
Windows + P (Opens presentation/projection sidebar)
Windows + R (Opens the Run window)
Windows + C (Opens Copilot Chat sidebar)
Windows + T (Cycles through the apps, including pinned apps, on the taskbar)
Windows + [a Number] (Opens the app pinned in the [Number] position on the taskbar)
Windows + , (Will display the desktop briefly)
Windows + M (Minimize all open Windows)
Windows + Shift + M (Restore minimized Windows)
Windows + Shift + Right arrow (Move selected window to the right monitor)
Windows + Shift + Left arrow (Move selected window to the left monitor)
Windows + Print Screen (Take a screenshot of the entire desktop)

