

QuarkXPress 2016

Keyboard Command Guide: Mac OS X

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Menu commands (Mac OS®)

QuarkXPress menu

Preferences	⌘+Option+Shift+Y
Quit	⌘+Q

File menu

New Project	⌘+N
New Library	⌘+Option+N
Open	⌘+O
Close	⌘+W
Save	⌘+S
Save As	⌘+Shift+S
Revert to last Auto Save	Option+ Revert to Saved
Import	⌘+E
Save Text	⌘+Option+E
Append	⌘+Option+A
Export Layout as PDF	⌘+Option+P
Export Page as EPS	⌘+Option+Shift+S
Print	⌘+P

Edit menu

Undo	⌘+Z
Redo	⌘+Shift+Z
Cut	⌘+X
Copy	⌘+C
Paste	⌘+V
Paste without Formatting	⌘+Option+V
Paste In Place	⌘+Option+Shift+V
Select All	⌘+A
Find/Change	⌘+F
Close Find/Change	⌘+Option+F
Paragraph pane (Preferences dialog box)	⌘+Option+Y
Style Sheets dialog box	Shift+F11
Colors dialog box	Shift+F12
Special Characters	⌘+Option+T

Style menu for text

Size > Other	⌘+Shift+\
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Style menu for text

Type Style

Plain	⌘+Shift+P
Bold	⌘+Shift+B
Italic	⌘+Shift+I
Underline	⌘+Shift+U
Word Underline	⌘+Shift+W
Strikethrough	⌘+Shift+ /
Double Strikethrough	⌘+Option+Shift+ /
Outline	⌘+Shift+O
Shadow	⌘+Shift+Y
All Caps	⌘+Shift+K
Superscript	⌘+Shift+=
Subscript	⌘+Shift+ - (hyphen)
Superior	⌘+Shift+V
Ligatures (not available in Plus and East Asian editions)	⌘+Shift+G
Character Attributes dialog box	⌘+Shift+D
Change story direction (Plus and East Asian editions only)	⌘+Option+Shift+T
Rubi (Plus and East Asian editions only)	⌘+Option+R
Group Characters (Plus and East Asian editions only)	⌘+Shift+G
Alignment	
Left	⌘+Shift+L
Centered	⌘+Shift+C
Right	⌘+Shift+R
Justified	⌘+Shift+J
Forced	⌘+Option+Shift+J
Leading	⌘+Shift+E
Formats	⌘+Shift+F
Tabs	⌘+Shift+T
Rules	⌘+Shift+N
Insert Footnote	⌘+Opt+Shift+F1
Insert End Note	⌘+Opt+Shift+F2
Return to Reference	⌘+Opt+Shift+F4
Toggle Font Previews preference	Shift+display Font submenu

Style menu for pictures

Center Picture	⌘+Shift+M
Stretch Picture to Fit Box	⌘+Shift+F
Scale Picture to Box (Proportionally)	⌘+Option+Shift+F

Item menu	
Modify	⌘+M
Frame	⌘+B
Runaround	⌘+T
Drop Shadow	⌘+Option+Shift+D
Duplicate	⌘+D
Step and Repeat	⌘+Option+R
Super Step and Repeat (Plus and East Asian editions only)	⌘+Option+D
Delete	⌘+K
Group	⌘+G
Ungroup	⌘+U
Lock Position/Unlock Position	F6
Apply Fit Box to Text	Cmd + Option + Shift + F5
Send to Back	Shift+F5
Bring to Front	F5
Bring Forward	Option+Item > Bring to Front or Option+F5
Send Backward	Option+Item > Send to Back or Option+Shift+F5
Insert Inline Table	Cmd+Opt+Shift+Z
Space/Align	
Left Align (Item Relative)	⌘+Left arrow key
Left Align (Page Relative)	⌘+Shift+Left arrow key
Right Align (Item Relative)	⌘+Right arrow key
Right Align (Page Relative)	⌘+Shift+Right arrow key
Center Align Horizontal (Item Relative)	⌘+[
Center Align Horizontal (Page Relative)	Shift+⌘+[
Center Align Vertical (Item Relative)	⌘+]
Center Align Vertical (Page Relative)	Shift+⌘+]
Top Align (Item Relative)	⌘+Up arrow key
Top Align (Page Relative)	⌘+Shift+Up arrow key
Bottom Align (Item Relative)	⌘+Down arrow key
Bottom Align (Page Relative)	⌘+Shift+Down arrow key
Display Space/Align tab of Measurements palette	⌘+, (comma)
Shape (convert Bézier line to filled-center Bézier box)	Option+ Item > Shape > [Bézier shape]
Edit	
Runaround	Option+F4
Clipping Path	Option+Shift+F4
Point/Segment Type	
Corner Point	Option+F1

Item menu

Smooth Point	Option+F2
Symmetrical Point	Option+F3
Straight Segment	Option+Shift+F1
Curved Segment	Option+Shift+F2

Page menu

Go to Page dialog box	⌘+J
Display this page's master page	Shift+F10
Display next master page	Option+F10
Display previous master page	Option+Shift+F10
Display Layout (when a master page is displayed)	Shift+F10
Display page pop-up menu	Ctrl+Alt+J

Layout menu

Layout Properties dialog box	⌘+Option+Shift+P
Display previous layout	Control+Shift+Tab
Display next layout	Control+Tab

View menu

Fit in Window	⌘+0 (zero)
Switch to Reflow view	⌘+9
Switch to Story Editor view	⌘+8
Switch to Trim view	⌘+Option+Shift+F7
Fit largest spread in window	Option+Fit in Window or ⌘+Option+0 (zero)
Actual Size	⌘+1
Thumbnails	Shift+F6
Display/hide Guides	F7
Display/hide Page Grids	Option+F7
Display/hide Text Box Grids	⌘+Option+F7
Snap to Guides	Shift+F7
Snap to Page Grids	Option+Shift+F7
Display/hide Rulers	⌘+R
Display/hide Invisibles	⌘+I
Switch to Output Preview view set	⌘+Option+Shift+G
Switch to Authoring View view set	⌘+Option+Shift+I
Hide Selection	⌘+Shift+H
Enter full screen	⌘+Option+F
Display/hide Dynamic Guides	⌘+F7

Utilities menu

Check Spelling > Word/Selection	⌘+L
Check Spelling > Story	⌘+Option+L
Check Spelling > Document Layout	⌘+Option+Shift+L
Add (during Check Spelling session)	⌘+A
Add all suspect words to auxiliary dictionary (during Check Spelling session)	Option+Shift+click Add All button
Skip button (during Check Spelling session)	⌘+S
Replace All button (during Check Spelling session)	⌘+R
Replace button (during Check Spelling session)	⌘+Shift+R
Done button (during Check Spelling session)	⌘+D
Suggested Hyphenation	⌘+Option+Shift+H
Usage dialog box	
Fonts pane	⌘+F6 or F13
Pictures pane	⌘+Option+F6
Line Check > Next Line	⌘+;

Window menu

Display/hide Tools palette	F8
Display/hide Measurements palette	F9
Display/hide Page Layout palette	F10
Display/hide Style Sheets palette	F11
Display/hide Colors palette	F12
Display/hide Lists palette	Option+F11

Dialog box commands (Mac OS)

Fields

Select next field	Tab
Select previous field	Shift+Tab
Select field with text insertion bar	Double-click
Cut	⌘+X
Copy	⌘+C
Paste	⌘+V
Revert fields to original values	⌘+Z
Perform math by combining operators	+ (addition)
	- (subtraction)
	* (multiplication)
	/ (division)

Buttons

OK (or bordered button)	Return or Enter
Cancel	⌘+. (period) or esc
Set button in Tabs tab (in Paragraph Attributes dialog box)	⌘+S

Lists (in dialog boxes)

Select consecutive items in list	Shift+click
Select nonconsecutive items in list	⌘+click

Palette commands (Mac OS)

Tools palette

Display/hide palette	F8
Switch between Item tool and Text Content tool or Picture Content tool	Shift+F8
Select next tool	Option+F8
Select previous tool	⌘+Option+F8
Move tool to main palette	Control+select tool
Move tool into pop-up tool list	Control+click tool
Tool selection shortcuts (not available when Text Content tool is selected)	
Item tool	V
Text tools	T
Picture Content tool	R
Box tools	B
Line tool	L
Pen tools	P
Table tool	G
Zoom tool	Z
Pan tool	X

Measurements palette

Display/hide palette	F9
Select the X field of the Home tab or the Space/Align tab (or display palette)	⌘+Option+M
Select the Font field of the Home tab or the Character tab	⌘+Option+Shift+M
Select the Character tab	⌘+Shift+D
Select the Font Size field of the Character tab	⌘+Shift+\
Select the Leading field of the Paragraph tab	⌘+Shift+E
Select the initial field of the Paragraph tab	⌘+Shift+F
Select the Rules tab	⌘+Shift+N
Select the Position field of the Tabs tab	⌘+Shift+T
Select the initial field of the Frame tab	⌘+BF
Select the Runaround tab	⌘+T
Select the Drop Shadow tab	⌘+Option+Shift+T
Toggle Font Preview preference	Shift+display the Font drop-down menu
Select next field	Tab
Select previous field	Shift+Tab

Measurements palette

Toggle forward through tabs ⌘+Option+; (semicolon)

Toggle backward through tabs ⌘+Option+, (comma)

Exit/Apply Return or Enter

Exit/Cancel ⌘+. (period) or Escape

Display **Space/Align** tab ⌘+, (comma)

Modifying Font Size via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Font size Increment/Decrement (Points, from Drop Down list) Click Ticker

Font size Increment/Decrement (1 Point) Option+Click Ticker

Font size Increment/Decrement (20 Points) Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Scale percentage via the Measurements Palette

Ticker

Scale Percentage Increment/Decrement (10%) Click Ticker

Scale Percentage Increment/Decrement (1%) Option+Click Ticker

Scale Percentage Increment/Decrement (25%) Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Kerning/Tracking via the Measurements Palette

Ticker

Kerning/Tracking Increment/Decrement (10 em) Click Ticker

Kerning/Tracking Increment/Decrement (1 em) Option+Click Ticker

Kerning/Tracking Increment/Decrement (100 em) Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Sending (Points) via the Measurements Palette

Ticker

Sending Increment/Decrement (1 point) Click Ticker

Sending Increment/Decrement (0.1 point) Option+Click Ticker

Sending Increment/Decrement (10 points) Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Baseline Shift via the Measurements Palette

Ticker

Baseline Shift Increment/Decrement (1 point) Click Ticker

Baseline Shift Increment/Decrement (0.1 points) Option+Click Ticker

Baseline Shift Increment/Decrement (10 points) Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Box Picture Angle via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Box Picture Angle Increment/Decrement (10 Degrees) Click Ticker

Box Picture Angle Increment/Decrement (1 Degree) Option+Click Ticker

Box Picture Angle Increment/Decrement (45 Degrees) Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Box Picture Skew via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Skew Picture 10 Degrees Click Ticker

Measurements palette

Skew Picture 1 Degree	Option+Click Ticker
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Skew Picture 25 Degrees	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Angle via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Box Angle Increment/Decrement (10 Degrees)	Click Ticker
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Box Angle Increment/Decrement (1 Degree)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Angle Increment/Decrement (45 Degrees)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Skew via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Skew Box (10 Degrees)	Click Ticker
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Skew Box (1 Degree)	Option+Click Ticker
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Skew Box (25 Degrees)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Corner Radius via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Corner Radius Increment/Decrement (10 points)	Click Ticker
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Corner Radius Increment/Decrement (1 point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Corner Radius Increment/Decrement (25 points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Angle via the Measurements Palette

Ticker

Box Text Angle Increment/Decrement (10 Degrees)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Angle Increment/Decrement (1 Degree)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Angle Increment/Decrement (45 Degrees)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Skew via the Measurements Palette

Ticker

Box Text Skew Increment/Decrement (10 Degrees)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Skew Increment/Decrement (1 Degree)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Skew Increment/Decrement (25 Degrees)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Gutter Width via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Box Text Gutter Width Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Gutter Width Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Gutter Width Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Top Inset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Box Text Top Inset Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Top Inset Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Top Inset Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Left Inset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Box Text Left Inset Increment/ Decrement(1 Point)	Click Ticker
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Measurements palette

Box Text Left Inset Increment/ Decrement(0.1 Points)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Left Inset Increment/ Decrement(10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Bottom Inset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Box Text Bottom Inset Increment/ Decrement(1 Point)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Bottom Inset Increment/ Decrement(0.1 Points)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Bottom Inset Increment/ Decrement(10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Right Inset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Box Text Right Inset Increment/Decrement (1Point)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Right Inset Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Right Inset Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text First Baseline Offset via the

Measurements Palette Ticker

Box Text Right First Baseline Offset Increment/ Decrement(1Point)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Right First Baseline Offset Increment/ Decrement(0.1 Points)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Right First Baseline Offset Increment/ Decrement(10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Box Text Vertical Alignment Inter Para Max via

the Measurements Palette Ticker

Box Text Vertical Alignment Inter Para Max Increment/Decrement (1Point)	Click Ticker
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Box Text Vertical Alignment Inter Para Max Increment/Decrement (0.1 Points)	Option+Click Ticker
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Box Text Vertical Alignment Inter Para Max Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Frame Width via the Measurements Palette

Ticker

Frame Width Increment/Decrement (Points, from Drop Down list)	Click for Drop down list
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Frame Width Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Frame Width Increment/Decrement (5 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Left Indent via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Left Indent Increment/Decrement (8 Points)	Click Ticker
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Left Indent Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Measurements palette

Left Indent Increment/Decrement (25 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying First Line Indent (Absolute) via the Measurements Palette Ticker

First Line Indent(Absolute) Increment/Decrement (8 Points)	Click Ticker
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First Line Indent(Absolute) Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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First Line Indent(Absolute) Increment/ Decrement(25 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying First Line Indent (Em space) via the Measurements Palette Ticker

First Line Indent(Em space) Increment/Decrement (1 Percent)	Click Ticker
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First Line Indent(Em space) Increment/Decrement (0.1 Percent)	Option+Click Ticker
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First Line Indent(Em space) Increment/Decrement (10 Percent)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Right Indent via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Right Indent Increment/ Decrement(8 Points)	Click Ticker
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Right Indent Increment/ Decrement(1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Right Indent Increment/ Decrement(25 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Space Before via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Space Before Increment/Decrement (1Point)	Click Ticker
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Space Before Increment/Decrement (0.1 Points)	Option+Click Ticker
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Space Before Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Space After via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Space After Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
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Space After Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Space After Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Leading via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Leading Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
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Leading Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
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Leading Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker
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Modifying Drop Cap Font size via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Measurements palette

Drop Cap Font Size Increment/Decrement	Click Ticker
Drop Cap Font Size Increment/Decrement (1 Percent)	Option+Click Ticker
Drop Cap Font Size Increment/Decrement (25 Percent)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Minimum Distance from Text via the Measurements Palette Ticker

Minimum Distance from Text Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
Minimum Distance from Text Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
Minimum Distance from Text Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Above From Left via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Above From Left Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
Rule Above From Left Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Above From Left Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Above From Right via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Above From Right Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
Rule Above From Right Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Above From Right Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Above Offset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Above Offset Increment/Decrement (10 Percent)	Click Ticker
Rule Above Offset Increment/Decrement (1 Percent)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Above Offset Increment/Decrement (20 Percent)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Above Offset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Above From Left Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
Rule Above From Left Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Above From Left Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Above Width via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Above Width Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
Rule Above Width Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Above Width Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Below From Left via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Measurements palette

Rule Below From Left Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Click Ticker
Rule Below From Left Increment/Decrement (0.1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Below From Left Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Below From Right via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Below From Right Increment/Decrement(1 Point)	Click Ticker
Rule Below From Right Increment/Decrement(0.1 Point)	Option + Click Ticker
Rule Below From Right Increment/Decrement(10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Below Offset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Below Offset Increment/Decrement (10 Percent)	Click Ticker
Rule Below Offset Increment/Decrement (1 Percent)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Below Offset Increment/Decrement (20 Percent)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Below Offset via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Below Offset Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Click Ticker
Rule Below Offset Increment/Decrement (1 Point)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Below Offset Increment/Decrement (20 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Modifying Rule Below Width via the Measurements

Palette Ticker

Rule Below Width Increment/Decrement (1 Points)	Click Ticker
Rule Below Width Increment/Decrement (0.1 Points)	Option+Click Ticker
Rule Below Width Increment/Decrement (10 Points)	Shift+Click Ticker

Page Layout palette

Display/hide palette	F10
Display Insert Pages context menu	Control+click in the palette
Display Insert Pages dialog box	Option+drag master page into the layout area of the palette
Display absolute page number	Option+click page

Style Sheets palette

Display/hide palette	F11
Display Edit Style Sheet context menu	Control+click style sheet
Display Edit Style Sheet dialog box	⌘+click style sheet
Apply No Style , then style sheet	Option+click style sheet
(apply to paragraph attributes only)	Option+Shift+click paragraph style sheet

Colors palette

Display/hide palette	F12
Display Colors dialog box	⌘+click color name
Display Edit Colors context menu	Control+click color name
Display/hide Color Blends palette	Opt + F12
Add a color stop with default color black	Mouse Click below Gradient Slider
Add a color stop with custom color	Shift+Mouse Click below Gradient Slider
Edit color of custom color stop	Double click on custom Color stop
Remove custom color stop	Select color Stop and Drag out
Select/deselect Color Picker tool	K
Add color to color picker swatch	Select Color picker and click on desired location
Add swatch color to Colors palette	1. Select color and click on "Add to Colors" button 2. Double click on swatch color, Press OK in Add color dialog.
Add swatch color to Colors palette by supressing Add Color dialog	Select color, Hold Option key and click on "Add to Colors" button
Add all swatch colors to Colors palatte	Shift + Option + Click on "Add to Colors"
Remove swatch color	Hold Option Key and Click on Swatch
Remove all swatch colors	Option + Shift and click on any Swatch

Lists palette

Display/hide palette	Option+F11
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Index palette

Display palette	⌘+Option+I
Select Text field	⌘+Option+I
Click Add button	⌘+Option+Shift+I
Click Add Reversed button	Option+click Add button
Edit selected index entry	Double-click

Find/Change palette

Display palette	⌘+F
Close palette	⌘+Option+F
Change Find Next button to Find First	Option+ Find Next

Turn Hiding On

All Docked Palettes	Control+`
Bottom Palettes	Control+1
Left Palettes	Control+2
Top Palettes	Control+3
Right Palettes	Control+4

Project and layout commands (Mac OS)

Tiling and stacking projects

Window menu

Displaying pages

Go to Page dialog box	⌘+J
Display this page's master page	Shift+F10
Display next master page	Option+F10
Display previous master page	Option+Shift+F10
Display Layout (when a master page is displayed)	Shift+F10

Changing views

Access View Percentage field	Control+V
Any view to Actual Size	⌘+1
Any view to Fit in Window	⌘+0
Any view to 200%	⌘+Option+click
Toggle between 100% and 200%	⌘+Option+click
Fit largest spread in window	Option+Fit in Window or ⌘+Option+0 (zero)
Zoom in	Control+Shift+click/drag
Zoom out	Control+Option+click/drag
Zoom in (not available when Text Content tool is selected)	⌘+ + (plus)
Zoom out (not available when Text Content tool is selected)	⌘+ - (hyphen)
Zoom out in WYSIWYG view	Control+Option+click

Redrawing the screen

Stop redraw	⌘+. (period)
Force redraw	⌘+Option+. (period)

Deleting ruler guides

Delete horizontal ruler guides	Option+click horizontal ruler
Delete vertical ruler guides	Option+click vertical ruler

Closing projects

Close project window	⌘+W
Close all project windows	Option+click close box or ⌘+Option+W

Scrolling

With Pan tool	Option+drag
To start of text	Control+A
To end of text	Control+D
Up one screen	Page Up
Down one screen	Page Down
To first page	Shift+Home
To last page	Shift+End
To previous page	Shift+Page Up
To next page	Shift+Page Down
Extended keyboard	
Start of layout	Home
End of layout	End
Up one screen	Page Up
Down one screen	Page Down
To first page	Shift+Home
To last page	Shift+End
To previous page	Shift+Page Up
To next page	Shift+Page Down

Navigating among layouts

Cycle through layouts	Control+tab
Display previous layout	Control+Shift+Tab
Display next layout	Control+Tab

Navigating among projects

Cycle through project windows	⌘+`
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Item commands (Mac OS)

Selecting/deselecting items

Select item at back or behind	⌘+Option+Shift+click where items overlap
Select multiple items or points	Shift+click
Deselect all items	Escape

Creating, resizing, and rotating items

Constrain to square or circle while creating a box	Press Shift while creating
Constrain proportions while resizing	Shift+drag handle
Scale contents while resizing item	⌘+drag handle
Resize relative to center	Option+drag handle
Resize multiple items (requires multiple selection)	Press ⌘ before dragging handle
Constrain item rotation to 0°/45°/90°	Press Shift while rotating
Constrain straight line angle to 0°/45°/90°	Shift+while creating or resizing line
Duplicate item while dragging	Option+drag

Modifying line width

Increase

Preset range ⌘+Shift+. (period)

1 point ⌘+Option+Shift+. (period)

Decrease

Preset range ⌘+Shift+, (comma)

1 point ⌘+Option+Shift+, (comma)

Editing Bézier items and paths

Add Bézier point	Click segment with Bézier Pen tool
Delete Bézier point	Click point with Bézier Pen tool
Invoke Select Point mode from Bézier Pen tool	⌘
Invoke Convert Point mode from Bézier Pen tool	Option
Invoke Convert Point mode while dragging Bézier handle	Option+drag
Retract Bézier handle	Option+click control handle
Delete active Bézier point	Delete (Select Point tool must be selected)
Select all points on Bézier item or path	Double click point with Select Point tool
Invoke Item mode from Bézier Pen tool	⌘+Option
Constrain active point to 45° movement	Shift+drag point
Constrain active curve handle to 45° movement	Shift+drag curve handle
Convert Bézier line to filled-center Bézier box	Option+ Item > Shape > [Bézier shape]

Moving items

With no constraints	Drag (Item tool) or ⌘+drag (Text Content tool or Picture Content tool)
With horizontal/vertical constraints	Shift+drag (Item tool) or ⌘+Shift+drag (Text Content tool or Picture Content tool)

Nudging items (Item tool)

Move 1 point	Arrow keys
Move 1/10 point	Option+arrow keys
Move 10 points (amount configurable in Preferences)	Shift+arrow keys

Aligning items (Item tool)

Center align (horizontally) two or more items with each other	⌘+[
Center align (vertically) two or more items with each other	⌘+]
Left align two or more items relative to each other	⌘+←
Right align two or more items relative to each other	⌘+→
Top align two or more items relative to each other	⌘+↑
Bottom align two or more items relative to each other	⌘+↓
Center align (horizontally) one or more selected items relative to the page	⌘+Shift+ [
Center align (vertical) one or more selected items relative to the page	⌘+Shift+]
Left align one or more selected items relative to the page	⌘+Shift+←
Right align one or more selected items relative to the page	⌘+Shift+→
Bottom align one or more selected items relative to the page	⌘+Shift+↑
Top align one or more selected items relative to the page	⌘+Shift+↓

Controlling indents

Text commands (Mac OS)

Controlling indents

Increase indent	⌘+ /
Decrease indent	⌘+Option+ /

Applying drop shadows to items

Drop Shadow tab of the Measurements palette	⌘+Option+Shift+D
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Adding automatic page numbers in text box

Previous box page number character	⌘+2
Automatic page number character	⌘+3
Next box page number character	⌘+4

Updating text flow in a layout

Reflow text as current version of QuarkXPress	Option+Open in Open dialog box
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Changing language

Force apply a language (override language locking)	Option+select a language in the Language drop-down menu of the Character tab of the Measurements palette
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Changing font

Font field in Measurements palette	⌘+Option+Shift+M
Previous font	Option+Shift+F9
Next font	Option+F9
Force apply a font (override font locking)	Option+select a font in the Font menu

Entering one font character

Symbol font character	Control+Option+Q
Zapf Dingbats font character	⌘+Option+Z

Modifying font size

Increase	
Preset range	⌘+Shift+. (period)
1 point	⌘+Option+Shift+. (period)
Decrease	
Preset range	⌘+Shift+, (comma)
1 point	⌘+Option+Shift+, (comma)
Resize interactively	

Modifying font size

Proportional relative to center	⌘+Option+Shift+drag handle
Proportional	⌘+Shift+drag handle
Nonproportional	⌘+drag handle

Modifying horizontal/vertical scaling

Increase

5%	⌘+]]
1%	⌘+Option+]]

Decrease

5%	⌘+[[
1%	⌘+Option+[[

Modifying kerning/tracking

Increase

1/20 em	⌘+Shift+]]
1/200 em	⌘+Option+Shift+]]

Decrease

1/20 em	⌘+Shift+[[
1/200 em	⌘+Option+Shift+[[

Modifying word space tracking

Increase

.05 em	⌘+Control+Shift+]]
.005 em	⌘+Control+Option+Shift+]]

Decrease

.05 em	⌘+Control+Shift+[[
.005 em	⌘+Control+Option+Shift+[[

Modifying baseline shift

Up 1 point	⌘+Option+Shift+=
Down 1 point	⌘+Option+Shift+ - (hyphen)

Modifying leading

Increase

1 point	⌘+Shift+' (apostrophe)
1/10 point	⌘+Option+Shift+' (apostrophe)

Decrease

1 point	⌘+Shift+; (semicolon)
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Modifying leading

1/10 point	⌘+Option+Shift+; (semicolon)
Copy Text Formatting	Command+Alt+Shift+C
Apply Text Formatting	Command+Alt+Shift+A

Copying paragraph attributes

Apply a paragraph's formatting to the paragraph that contains the insertion point or the selected text	Option+Shift+click the paragraph with the desired formatting
Go to cross reference source text/marker	Cmd + Option + Shift + F12

Dragging and dropping text

Drag text (Input Settings preference off)	⌘+Control+drag
Drag+copy text (Input Settings preference on)	Shift+drag
Drag+copy text (Input Settings preference off)	⌘+Control+Shift+drag

Clicking buttons when checking spelling

Look up	⌘+L
Skip	⌘+S
Add	⌘+A
Add all suspect words to auxiliary dictionary	Option+Shift+click Done button

Searching for text

Wild card (Find only) (\?)	⌘+/ /
Tab	\t
New paragraph (\p)	⌘+Return
New line (soft return) (\n)	⌘+Shift+Return
New column (\c)	⌘+Enter
New box (\b)	⌘+Shift+Enter
Previous box page number character (\2)	⌘+2
Automatic page number character (\3)	⌘+3
Next box page number character (\4)	⌘+4
Punctuation space	⌘+. (period)
Flex space (\f)	⌘+Shift+F
Backslash (\)	⌘+\
Indent here	\i
Discretionary new line	\d
Discretionary hyphen	\h
Em space	\m
En space	\e

Searching for text

3-per-em space	\5
4-per-em space	\\$
6-per-em space	\^
Figure space	\8
Hair space	\{
Thin space	\[
Zero-width space	\z
Word joiner	\j
Glyph without Unicode value	\~
Straight single quotation mark when Smart Quotes is on	'
Straight double quotation mark when Smart Quotes is on	"
Curly quotation mark	Paste into field

Special characters

Indent here	⌘+\
Conditional style marker	⌘+Option+Shift+\
Discretionary new line	⌘+Return
New paragraph	Return
New line (soft return)	Shift+Return
New column	Enter
New box	Shift+Enter
Right-indent tab	Option+Tab
Registered symbol (®)	Option+R
Copyright symbol (©)	Option+G
Trademark symbol (™)	Option+2
Bullet (•)	Option+8
Apple® logo character	Option+Shift+K
Pound symbol	Option+3
Euro symbol	Option+Shift+2
Yen symbol	Option+Y
Division symbol	Option+/ (forward slash)

Hyphens and dashes

Breaking standard hyphen	- (hyphen)
Nonbreaking standard hyphen	⌘+=
Discretionary (soft) hyphen	⌘+ - (hyphen)
Do not hyphenate word	⌘+ - (hyphen) immediately before word
Nonbreaking en dash	Option+ - (hyphen)

Hyphens and dashes

Breaking em dash	Option+Shift+ - (hyphen)
Nonbreaking em dash	⌘+Option+=

Spaces

Breaking standard space	Space
Nonbreaking standard space	⌘+5
Breaking en space	Option+Space
Nonbreaking en space	⌘+Option+5
Breaking flexible space	Option+Shift+Space
Nonbreaking flexible space	⌘+Option+Shift+Space
Breaking punctuation space	Shift+Space
Nonbreaking punctuation space	⌘+Shift+Space
Breaking em space	⌘+6
Nonbreaking em space	⌘+Option+6
Breaking thin space	⌘+7
Nonbreaking thin space	⌘+Option+7

Moving the text insertion point

Previous character	←
Next character	→
Previous line	↑
Next line	↓
Previous word	⌘+←
Next word	⌘+→
Previous paragraph	⌘+↑
Next paragraph	⌘+↓
Start of line	⌘+Option+←
End of line	⌘+Option+→
Start of story	⌘+Option+↑
End of story	⌘+Option+↓

Selecting characters

Previous character	Shift+←
Next character	Shift+→
Previous line	Shift+↑
Next line	Shift+↓
Previous word	⌘+Shift+←
Next word	⌘+Shift+→

Selecting characters

Previous paragraph	⌘+Shift+↑
Next paragraph	⌘+Shift+↓
Start of line	⌘+Option+Shift+←
End of line	⌘+Option+Shift+→
Start of story	⌘+Option+Shift+↑
End of story	⌘+Option+Shift+↓

Clicking the mouse to select text

Position text insertion point	One click
Select word	Two clicks in the word
Select word and its period, comma, etc.	Two clicks between word and punctuation
Select line	Three clicks
Select paragraph	Four clicks
Select story	Five clicks

Deleting characters

Previous character	Delete
Next character	Shift+Delete
Next character (extended keyboard)	[Forward delete key]
Previous word	⌘+Delete
Next word	⌘+Shift+Delete
Selected characters	Delete

Picture commands (Mac OS)

Importing pictures

Reimport all pictures in project	⌘+Open in Open dialog box
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Scaling pictures

Increase scale 5%	⌘+Option+Shift+. (period)
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Decrease scale 5%	⌘+Option+Shift+, (comma)
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Resizing boxes and pictures

Resize maintaining aspect ratio	Shift+drag handle
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Resize from center, maintaining aspect ratio	Option+Shift+drag handle
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Resize box and scale picture	⌘+drag box handle
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Resize relative to center	Option+drag handle
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Rotate picture content relative to center	Option+drag rotation handle
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Centering and fitting pictures

Center	⌘+Shift+M
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Fit to box	⌘+Shift+F
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Fit to box maintaining proportions	⌘+Option+Shift+F
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Nudging pictures (Content tool)

Left 1 point	←
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Left 1/10 point	Option+←
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Right 1 point	→
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Right 1/10 point	Option+→
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Up 1 point	↑
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Up 1/10 point	Option+↑
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Down 1 point	↓
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Down 1/10 point	Option+↓
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Modifying pictures

Change Update button to Update All in the Pictures pane of the Usage dialog box	Option+click Update button
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You can customize these shortcuts through QuarkXPress Preferences

Modifying pictures

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