



TOOLS

- M Marquee tools
- V Move
- L Lasso tools
- W Magic Wand
- C Crop
- K Slice tools
- J Spot Healing Brush, Healing Brush, Patch, Red Eye
- B Brush, Pencil, Color Replacement
- S Clone Stamp, Pattern Stamp
- Y History Brush, Art History Brush
- E Eraser tools
- G Gradient, Paint Bucket
- R Blur, Sharpen, Smudge
- O Dodge, Burn, Sponge
- A Path Selection, Direct Selection
- T Type tools
- P Pen tools
- U Rectangle, Ellipse, Polygon, Line, Custom shape
- N Notes
- I Eyedropper, Color sampler, Measure
- H Hand
- Z Zoom
- X Switch Foreground and Background colors
- D Default colors
- Q Quick Mask Mode
- F Cycle through screen modes

SWITCHING TOOLS

To switch between all tools within groups, add the Shift key to the letters above.
For example, to switch between rectangular and elliptical marquee..... Shift-M

SELECTING

- Draw Marquee from Center Alt-Marquee
- Add to a Selection Shift
- Subtract from a Selection Alt
- Intersection with a Selection Shift-Alt
- Make Copy of Selection w/Move tool Alt-Drag Selection
- Make Copy of Selection when not in Move tool..... Ctrl-Alt-Drag Selection
- Move Selection (in 1-pixel Increments) Arrow Keys
- Move Selection (in 10-pixel Increments) Shift-Arrow Keys
- Select all Opaque Pixels on LayerCtrl-click on Layer Thumbnail (in Layers palette)
- Restore Last Selection Ctrl-Shift-D
- Feather Selection Ctrl-Alt-D
- Move Marquee while drawing selection..... Hold Space while drawing marquee

VIEWING

- Fit on Screen Double-click on Hand tool or Ctrl-O
- 100% View Level (Actual Pixels) Double-Click on Zoom Tool or Ctrl-Alt-O
- Zoom in Ctrl-Space-Click or Ctrl-Plus(+)
- Zoom out Alt-Space-Click or Ctrl-Minus(-)
- Hide all tools and palettes Tab
- Hide all palettes except Toolbox and Options bar Shift-Tab
- Rotate through full screen modes F
- Hide or display menu bar when viewing in full screen mode Shift-F
- Scroll image left or right in window Ctrl-Shift-Page Up/Down
- Jump/Zoom to part of Image Ctrl-drag in Navigator Palette
- Toggles layer mask on/off as rubylith..... \

LAYER SHORTCUTS

- Create new layer Ctrl-Shift-N
- Select non-contiguous layers Ctrl-Click layers
- Select contiguous layers Click one layer, then Shift-Click another layer
- Delete Layer Delete key (while in the Move tool)
- View contents of layer mask Alt-Click layer mask icon
- Temporarily turn off layer mask Shift-Click layer mask icon
- Clone layer as you move it Ctrl-Alt-Drag outside selection with any tool
- Find/Select layer containing object Right-Click on the object w/Move tool
- Change layer opacity Number pad keys (w/Move tool selected)
- Cycle down or up through blend modes..... Shift-Plus(+) or Minus(-)
- Change to a specific blend mode
..... (w/Move tool) Shift-Alt-letter (ie: N=Normal, M=Multiply. etc.)
- Switch to layer below/above current layer..... Alt-[or Alt-]

TYPE SHORTCUTS

- Select all text on layer..... Double-Click on T thumbnail in Layer palette
- Increase/Decrease size of selected text by 2 pts..... Ctrl-Shift->/<

- Increase/Decrease size of selected text by 10 pts..... Ctrl-Shift-Alt->/<
- Expand or tighten tracking/ Kerning Alt-Right/Left Arrow
- Align text left/center/right..... Ctrl-Shift-L/C/R

PAINTING

- Fill selection with background color Ctrl-Backspace
- Fill selection with foreground color..... Alt-Backspace
- Fill selection with foreground color using Lock Transparent Pixels
..... Shift-Alt-Backspace
- Fill selection with source state in History palette..... Ctrl-Alt-Backspace
- Display Fill dialog box Shift-Backspace
- Sample as background color Alt-Click w/Eyedropper tool
- To get Move tool While in any painting/editing tool-hold Ctrl
- To get Eyedropper with Paint tools Alt
- Change paint opacity (with Airbrush OFF)..... Number keys
- Change paint opacity (with Airbrush ON) Shift-Number keys
- Change Airbrush flow (with Airbrush ON) Number keys
- Change Airbrush flow (with Airbrush OFF) Shift-Number keys
- Cross-Hair Cursor..... Any painting/editing tool-turn Caps Lock on
- Decrease/Increase Brush Size [or]
- Decrease/Increase Hardness of Brush..... Shift-[or Shift-]
- Switch between preset Brushes < or >
- Open Brushes pop-up palette..... Right-Click in Image window
- Erase to History palette's source state Alt-Eraser
- Cycle down or up through blend modes..... Shift-Plus(+) or Minus(-)
- Change to a specific blend mode.... Shift-Alt-letter (ie: N=Normal, M=Multiply. etc.)
- Create fixed color target from within a dialog box Shift-Click in image window
- Delete fixed color target..... Alt-Click on target with Color Sampler tool
- Create new spot-color channel from current selection
..... Ctrl-Click on New Channel button in Channels palette

PEN TOOL SHORTCUTS

- To get Direct Selection tool while using Pen Ctrl
- Switch between Add-Anchor and Delete-Anchor Point tools Alt
- Switch from Path Selection tool to Convert Point tool when
pointer is over anchor point Ctrl-Alt
- To Select a whole path w/Direct Selection tool Alt-click
- Convert path to a selection Ctrl-click on path name (in Paths palette)

PALETTE SHORTCUTS

- Show/Hide Brushes palette F5
- Show/Hide Color palette F6
- Show/Hide Layers palette F7
- Show/Hide Info palette F8
- Show/Hide Actions palette..... Alt-F9
- Open Adobe Bridge..... Ctrl-Alt-O

OTHER SHORTCUTS

- Undo or Redo operations beyond last one Ctrl-Alt-Z/Ctrl-Shift-Z
- Apply Last Filter Ctrl-F
- Opens Last Filter Dialog Box..... Ctrl-Alt-F
- Automatically fix Color Levels..... Ctrl-Shift-L
- Hand Tool Spacebar
- Reset Dialog Box..... Hold Alt, Cancel turns into Reset Button, Click it
- Increase/Decrease value (in any option field) by 1 unit..... Up/Down Arrow
- Increase/Decrease value (in any option field) by 10 units Shift-Up/Down Arrow
- Replay last Transformation Ctrl-Shift-T
- Measure Angle between Lines (Protractor Function)
..... After ruler is drawn, Alt-Drag end of line with Measure Tool
- Move Crop Marquee while creating..... Hold Space while drawing
- Switch between open documents Ctrl-Tab
- Snap Guide to Ruler ticks..... Hold Shift while dragging
- Highlight Fields in Options bar (n/a for all tools) Enter

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