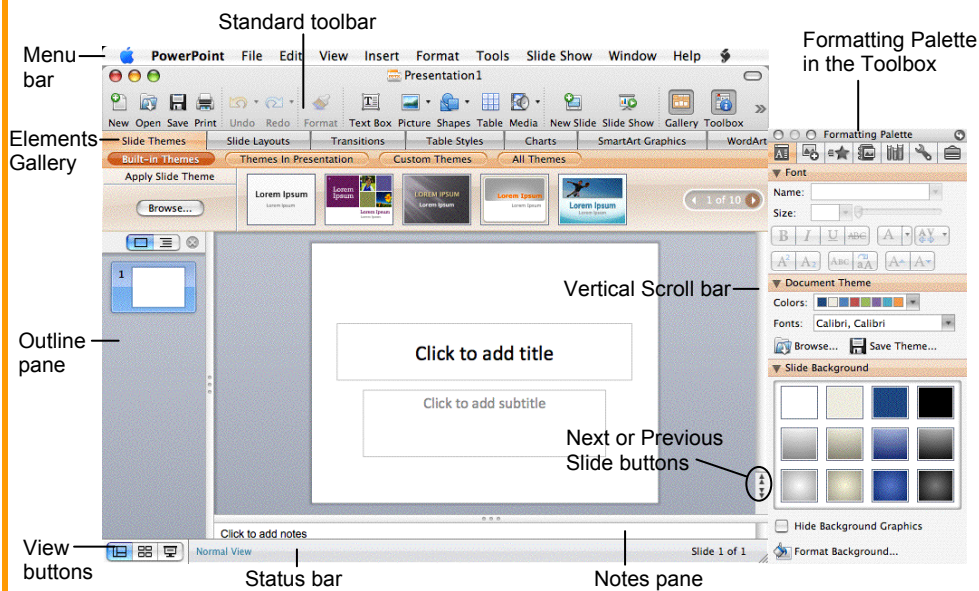


# PowerPoint 2008

## Quick Reference Card



### PowerPoint 2008 Screen



### Keyboard Shortcuts

#### General

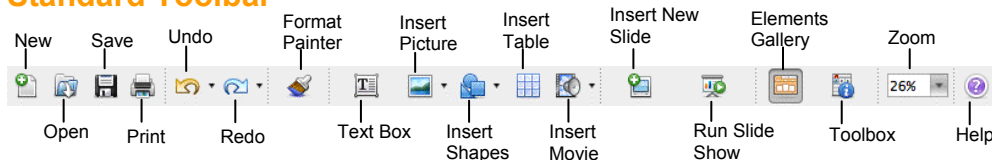
Open a Presentation	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;O&gt;</b>
Save a Presentation	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;S&gt;</b>
Print a Presentation	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;P&gt;</b>
Close a Presentation	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;W&gt;</b>
Undo	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;Z&gt;</b>
Redo or Repeat	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;Y&gt;</b>
Insert New Slide	<b>&lt;Shift&gt; + &lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;N&gt;</b>
Switch Between Applications	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;Tab&gt;</b>

#### Navigation

Previous Slide	<b>&lt;Page Up&gt;</b>
Next Slide	<b>&lt;Page Down&gt;</b>
First Slide	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;Home&gt;</b>
Last Slide	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;End&gt;</b>

### The Fundamentals

#### Standard Toolbar



- **To Create a New Presentation:** Click the **New Presentation** button on the Standard toolbar, or select **File** → **New Presentation** from the menu, or press **<Alt> + <N>**.
- **To Apply a Slide Layout:** Select **Format** → **Slide Layout** from the menu, or click the **Slide Layout** tab in the Elements Gallery.
- **To Apply a Slide Theme:** Select **Format** → **Slide Theme** from the menu, or click the **Slide Themes** tab in the Elements Gallery, or select a design from the **Document Theme** panel of the Formatting Palette.
- **To Open a Presentation:** Click the **Open** button on the Standard toolbar, or select **File** → **Open** from the menu, or press **<Alt> + <O>**.
- **To Save a Presentation:** Click the **Save** button on the Standard toolbar, or select **File** → **Save** from the menu, or press **<Alt> + <S>**.
- **To Save a Presentation with a Different Name:** Select **File** → **Save As** from the menu and enter a different name for the presentation.
- **To Insert a Slide:** Click the **New Slide** button on the Standard toolbar, or select **Insert** → **New Slide** from the menu, or press **<Shift> + <Alt> + <N>**.
- **To Undo:** Click the **Undo** button on the Standard toolbar, or press **<Alt> + <Z>**.
- **To Redo:** Click the **Redo** button on the Standard toolbar, or press **<Alt> + <Y>**.
- **To Insert a Table:** Click the **Insert Table** button from the Standard toolbar.
- **To Print a Presentation:** Click the **Print** button on the Standard toolbar, or select **File** → **Print** from the menu, or press **<Alt> + <P>**.
- **To Cut or Copy:** Select the text and press **<Alt> + <X>** (cut) or **<Alt> + <C>** (copy).
- **To Paste:** Move to where you want to paste the text and press **<Alt> + <V>**.
- **To Open or Close the Toolbox:** Click the **Toolbox** button on the Standard toolbar.
- **To Change the Toolbox:** Select **View** from the menu bar and select the tool you want to view in the Toolbox from the menu. Or, click a button near the top of the Toolbox to change the tool displayed.
- **To View the Elements Gallery:** Click an Elements Gallery tab, or click the **Elements Gallery** button on the Standard toolbar.
- **To Get Help:** Select **Help** from the menu bar or click the **Help** button on the Standard toolbar.

#### Slide Show Delivery

(These shortcut keystrokes only work during a Slide Show.)

End Slide Show	<b>&lt;Esc&gt;</b>
Display Specific Slide	<b>&lt;Slide #&gt; + &lt;Return&gt;</b>
Toggle Screen Black	<b>&lt;B&gt;</b>
Toggle Screen White	<b>&lt;W&gt;</b>
Pause or Restart Show	<b>&lt;S&gt;</b>
Show/Hide Pointer	<b>&lt;A&gt;</b>
Change Arrow to Pen	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;P&gt;</b>
Change Pen to Arrow	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;A&gt;</b>
Erase Screen Doodles	<b>&lt;E&gt;</b>

#### Editing

Cut	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;X&gt;</b>
Copy	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;C&gt;</b>
Paste	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;V&gt;</b>
Find	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;F&gt;</b>
Replace	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;H&gt;</b>
Select All	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;A&gt;</b>
Duplicate	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;D&gt;</b>






#### Formatting

Bold	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;B&gt;</b>
Italic	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;I&gt;</b>
Underline	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;U&gt;</b>
Open Font dialog box	<b>&lt;Alt&gt; + &lt;T&gt;</b>

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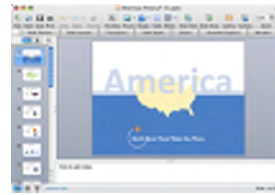
- **To Format Text:** Select the text you want to format and select **Format** → **Font** from the menu to open the Font dialog box. You can also use the commands found on the Formatting toolbar; select **View** → **Toolbars** → **Formatting** to display the Formatting toolbar.
- **To Change Paragraph Alignment:** Select the paragraph(s), select **Format** → **Alignment** from the menu, and select the appropriate alignment (Left, Center, Right, Justify). You can also use the commands found on the Formatting toolbar; select **View** → **Toolbars** → **Formatting** to display the Formatting toolbar.
- **To Use the Format Painter to Copy Formatting:** Select the text with the formatting options you want to copy, click the **Format Painter** button on the Standard toolbar and select the text to which you want to apply the copied formatting.
- **To Edit the Slide Master:** Select **View** → **Master** → **Slide Master** from the menu.
- **To Use the Formatting Palette:** Select the text or object you want to change, then use the options in the appropriate panel like you would in a toolbar or dialog box. For example, to format text, select the text and apply changes in the Font panel of the Formatting Palette.
- **To Change the Slide Theme:** Use the options found on the Slide Themes tab in the Elements Gallery, or click the **Browse** button on the Document Theme panel on the Formatting Palette and select a theme.
- **To Change the Slide Background:** Select a background from the Slide Background panel on the Formatting Palette. Or, select **Format** → **Slide Background** from the menu, select a background setting from the Solid, Gradient, Picture or Texture tab, and click **Apply** or **Apply All**.
- **To Format a Shape:** Select the shape you want to format and use the formatting commands that appear on the Quick Styles and Effects panel on the Formatting Palette. Or, select **Format** → **Shape** from the menu.
- **To View the Presentation in Grayscale:** Select **View** → **Grayscale** from the menu.
- **To Delete a Slide:** Select **Edit** → **Delete Slide** from the menu.

## Delivery, Transitions and Animation

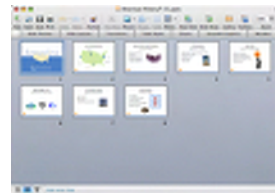
- **To Present a Slide Show:** Click the **Slide Show** button on the Standard toolbar, or click the **Slide Show** button on the horizontal scroll bar.
- **To Doodle on the Current Slide with the Pen:** In Slide Show View, press **<W>** + **<P>** and draw on the screen with the  tool. Press **<W>** + **<A>** to switch back to the arrow pointer. Press **<E>** to erase your doodles.
- **To Add Slide Transitions:** Use Slide Sorter view or the Slides pane in Normal view to select the slide(s) where you want to add a transition. To select multiple slides, hold down the **<Shift>** key as you click each slide. Click the **Transitions** tab in the Elements Gallery. Select a transition category, and select the transition effect you want to use.
- **To Apply Animation:** Select **Slide Show** → **Custom Animation** from the menu. Select the text or object you want to animate. In the Custom Animation panel of the Toolbox, click one of four types of effects (Entrance , Emphasis , Exit , Media Actions ) next to Add Effect. Select an effect from the list. Click the **Play** button to preview the effect.
- **To Add/Rehearse Slide Timings (Create a Self-Running Presentation):** Select **Slide Show** → **Rehearse Timings** from the menu. Display each slide for whatever duration you want, then advance to the next slide. PowerPoint will record how long each slide is displayed.

## Views

- **To Change Views:** Select **View** from the menu bar and select a view from the list. Or, click a view button on the status bar. (Only Normal, Slide Sorter, and Slide Show views are available on the status bar.)



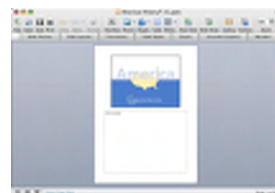
**Normal** includes panes for your presentation's outline, thumbnails of slides in the presentation, the current slide, and notes for that slide. You will probably spend more time in Normal view than in any other view.



**Slide Sorter** displays all the slides in your presentation as *thumbnails* (small pictures). Use Slide Sorter view when you want to rearrange the slides in your presentation and add transition effects to slides.



**Slide Show** displays your presentation as an electronic slide show. Use Slide Show view when you want to deliver your presentation.




**Notes Page** focuses on what you want to say about each slide in the presentation. The large area for notes lets you write extensive notes for each slide.



**Presenter Tools** displays important presentation information on one screen, such as the current time, notes for the slide that is currently shown, and a slide pane so you can see the slide order as you speak.

## Drawing and Graphics

- **To Insert a Clip Art Graphic:** Select **Insert** → **Clip Art** from the menu or click the **Insert Picture** button on the toolbar and select **Insert Clip Art**. Search for the image you want to use and click **Insert**.
- **To Insert a Picture:** Select **Insert** → **Picture** from the menu or click the **Insert Picture** button on the Standard toolbar and select **Insert Picture**. Navigate to and select the file and click **Insert**.
- **To Draw an Object:** Click the **Shapes** button on the Standard toolbar and select the object you want to draw. Click and drag with the  pointer until the shape reaches the desired size. To draw a perfectly proportioned shape, hold down the **<Shift>** key while you drag.
- **To Add a Text Box:** Click the **Text Box** button on the Standard toolbar and click and drag where you want to insert the text box.
- **To Move an Object:** Click and drag the object using the mouse.
- **To Resize an Object:** Click the object to select it. Drag the object's sizing handles until the shape reaches the desired size. To maintain the object's proportions while resizing, hold down the **<Shift>** key while you drag.