Welcome & Conventions

Welcome! This cheat sheet describes common mouse and keyboard shortcuts for Tracktion Waveform. Please note that these shortcuts are written for macOS, using the **command (cmd)** key where indicated. On a Windows system, you'd use your **control (ctrl)** key. I hope you find this guide useful. Feel free to provide feedback. Enjoy!

<required>	<>'s indicate some sort of key combination is required. eg: <number> = type any numbers
[optional]	[ ]'s indicate something is optional
bold	bold indicates a keyboard key
+	plus indicates holding a combination of keys / mouse buttons / performing movements
|	pipe indicates OR. eg: **a | b** = press key a or key b

Keyboard Navigation

home	Move Cursor to Start of Song
w	Move Cursor to Start of Clip
end	Move Cursor to End of Clip or End of Song
]	Move Cursor to Next Marker
[	Move Cursor to Previous Marker
a	Set In/Out Markers to Selection
i	Set In-Marker
o	Set Out-Marker
shift + [	Move Cursor to In-Marker
shift +]	Move Cursor to Out-Marker
<number>, enter	Add a marker at the Cursor. Again, move Cursor to specified marker

Transport & Master

space	Play / Stop
r	Record
cmd + r	Toggle arm all inputs
l	Toggle Loop
q	Toggle Snap
c	Toggle Click
p	Toggle Punch
s	Toggle Scrolling
y	Toggle Automation Write
h	Toggle Automation Read

Viewing

b	Toggle Browser
m	Toggle Mixer
v	Toggle Plugins
ctrl + p	Toggle MIDI Editor

Selection

cmd + a	Select all
esc	Select none
alt + up arrow	Select item above selection
alt + down arrow	Select item below selection
alt + left arrow	Select item to the left of selection
alt + right arrow	Select item to the right of selection
alt + home	Select item at the top of selection
alt + end	Select item at the bottom of selection

Common Editing

delete | backspace	Delete
cmd + c	Copy
cmd + x	Cut
cmd + v	Paste
cmd + i	Paste + Insert
cmd + z	Undo
cmd + y	Redo

Editing Clips

g	Insert new MIDI Clip
/	Split Clip at Cursor
d	Duplicate
shift + left arrow	Nudge clips left
shift + right arrow	Nudge clips right
shift + up arrow	Nudge clips up
shift + down arrow	Nudge clips down
e	Mute clips
j	Move clips to Cursor
k	Move end of clips to Cursor
x	Auto-crossfade clips

Manipulating Tracks

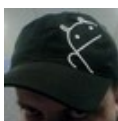|	
t	Insert new track
shift + s	Solo tracks
shift + m	Mute tracks
shift + alt + m	Reset mutes/solos
z	Toggle track height
shift + z	Set all tracks to default height
f	Toggle selected plugins

MIDI Editor (Tools & Views)

alt + cmd + 1	MIDI Selection Tool
alt + cmd + 2	MIDI Pencil Tool
alt + cmd + 3	MIDI Eraser Tool
alt + cmd + 4	MIDI Line Tool
alt + cmd + 5	MIDI Melody Paint Tool
alt + cmd + v	Show MIDI Velocities
alt + cmd + c	Show MIDI Controllers
alt + cmd + e	Toggle MIDI Note Echo
alt + cmd + s	Toggle MIDI Step Mode
alt + cmd + r	Insert Rest in Step Mode
alt + cmd + t	Toggle MIDI Toolbar

MIDI Editor (Note Editing)

With one or more notes selected...	
cmd + o	Shift MIDI notes up one octave
shift + cmd + o	Shift MIDI notes down one octave
alt + cmd + right	Nudge note start right
alt + cmd + left	Nudge note start left
cmd + f	Fit notes on screen
cmd + 3	Create triad chord
cmd + 7	Create seventh chord
cmd + t	Invert chord up
shift + cmd + t	Invert chord down
cmd + m	Merge notes
cmd + /	Split notes
alt + v	Randomize velocity
shift + l	Legato notes
alt + cmd + m	Mute notes

Mouse Nav & Zoom (Timeline)

Position mouse directly above Cursor on Timeline (changes to cross-arrow)	
left-click [+ drag] anywhere in a track left-click [+ drag horizontally] in Timeline	Position Cursor
left-click + drag vertically	Zoom around Cursor
Position mouse away from Cursor on Timeline (changes to hand)	
left-click + drag	Change Song Position
right-click + drag horizontally	Zoom around Cursor
alt + left-click [+ drag horizontally]	Position Cursor
alt + left-click + drag vertically	Zoom around Cursor

Mouse Nav & Zoom (Track)

Position mouse within a track	
left-click + drag	Position Cursor
shift + left-click + drag	Position Song
ctrl + left-click + drag	Zoom around Cursor
shift + alt + left-click + drag (repeatedly)	Zoom in to selection area
shift + alt + left-click (repeatedly)	Zoom out from area
ctrl + alt + left-click + drag	Set In/Out Markers
mousewheel	Zoom around mouse
shift + mousewheel	Position Song
ctrl + mousewheel	Resize tracks around mouse
Position mouse between tracks	

Mouse Nav & Zoom (Track) (cont)

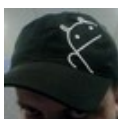|	
left-click + drag	Resize track
shift + drag	Position Song
<shift | ctrl | cmd> + left-click + drag	Resize all tracks
Position mouse over a track's inputs or outputs	
mousewheel	Scroll the track list
ctrl + mousewheel	Resize tracks around the mouse
Position mouse over an expanded MIDI Clip	
mousewheel	Scroll the keyboard position
<shift | ctrl> + mousewheel	Resize the MIDI notes
alt + mousewheel	Zoom track around mouse

Editing Pitch

cmd + =	Pitch up 1 semitone
cmd + -	Pitch down 1 semitone
shift + cmd + =	Pitch up 1 octave
shift + cmd + -	Pitch down 1 octave

Custom Mappings

shift + enter	Move Cursor to Start of Song
`	Toggle between Controls Panel and Compact Toolbar
shift + r	Rename track
alt + cmd + r	Insert Rest in MIDI step entry
These are mappings I added manually. You'll need to do the same to use them.	

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