GNOME Terminal Tabs and shortcuts

CONCEPTS

Plain Ctrl+C and Ctrl+V go to the running program (Ctrl+C sends an interrupt). Copy and paste in the terminal use Ctrl+Shift.

Selecting text also fills the primary selection: middle-click pastes it, separate from the Ctrl+Shift+C clipboard.

TABS

Ctrl + **Shift** + **T**
New tab

Ctrl + **Shift** + **W**
Close tab

Ctrl + **PageUp** / **Ctrl** + **PageDown**
Previous / next tab

Alt + **1-9**
Switch to tab 1-9

Ctrl + **Shift** + **PageUp** / **Ctrl** + **Shift** + **PageDown**
Move tab left / right

WINDOWS

Ctrl + **Shift** + **N**
New window

Ctrl + **Shift** + **Q**
Close window

F11
Toggle full screen

COPY AND PASTE

Ctrl + **Shift** + **C**
Copy selection

Ctrl + **Shift** + **V**
Paste clipboard

Middle › **click**
Paste primary selection

COPY AND PASTE (cont.)

Double › **click** / **Triple** › **click**
Select word / line

ZOOM

Ctrl + **Plus**
Zoom in

Ctrl + **Minus**
Zoom out

Ctrl + **0**
Normal size

SEARCH

Ctrl + **Shift** + **F**
Open find bar

Ctrl + **Shift** + **G**
Find next

Ctrl + **Shift** + **H**
Find previous

Ctrl + **Shift** + **J**
Clear highlight

The find bar can match case, whole words or a regular expression, and can wrap around. Raise the scrollback limit in preferences to search further back.

SCROLLING

Shift + **PageUp** / **Shift** + **PageDown**
Scroll one page

Shift + **Home** / **Shift** + **End**
Scroll to top / bottom

Ctrl + **Shift** + **Left** / **Ctrl** + **Shift** + **Right**
Jump to previous / next command

COMMAND LINE

`gnome-terminal -- <cmd> <args>`
Run a command in the terminal