# qutebrowser Keyboard-driven browser

## CONCEPTS

Modal like vim: normal mode browses, i enters insert mode for typing in fields, Esc returns. Keys on this sheet are normal mode.

**Normal** browse
**Insert**
↓ i
**Normal**
↓ Esc
**Command**
↓ :

A number before a key repeats it or targets a tab, e.g. 5J moves five tabs right. Most keys are just commands: use :bind to see or change them.

Prefix a command with :help for docs, e.g. :help :open or :help tabs.show.

## NAVIGATION

h / j / k / l
Scroll left / down / up / right

gg / G Top / bottom of page

Ctrl + d / Ctrl + u
Half page down / up

Ctrl + f / Ctrl + b
Page down / up

H / L Back / forward in history

r / R
Reload / reload bypassing cache

o Open URL in current tab

O Open URL in new tab

go Edit current URL

gO Edit current URL in new tab

gu Go up one URL level

Plus / Minus Zoom in / out

## HINTS

f Follow link in current tab

F Follow link in new tab

## HINTS (cont.)

;y Hint link, yank its URL

;b
Hint link, open in background tab

Hints are typed live: once only one label still matches, it fires. Type some of the link text instead of the label to filter.

## TABS

J Next tab

K Previous tab

d Close tab

u Undo closed tab

Alt + 1-9 Go to tab by position

gt Pick tab by number or name

g0 / g$ First / last tab

co Close all other tabs

gJ / gK Move tab right / left

Ctrl + Tab Last used tab

T Select tab from a list

## SEARCH & CLIPBOARD

/ Search forward

? Search backward

n / N Next / previous match

yy Yank page URL

yt Yank page title

pp Open clipboard URL

Pp
Open clipboard URL in new tab

## BOOKMARKS

m Save quickmark for this page

b Load quickmark

B Load quickmark in new tab

M Bookmark this page

## COMMAND MODE

: Open command line

**:open** *<url>*
Open URL (or search term)

**:open -t** *<url>*
Open in new tab

**:q**
Quit qutebrowser

**:wq**
Save session and quit

**:set** *<option> <value>*
Change a setting for this run

**:config-edit**
Edit config.py

**:config-source**
Reload config.py

**:help** *<topic>*
Open built-in docs

**:adblock-update**
Update ad block lists

Ctrl + p / Ctrl + n
Previous / next command in history (command line)

Tab / Shift + Tab
Complete command (command line)

## INSERT & PASSTHROUGH

i Enter insert mode

Esc Back to normal mode

Ctrl + e
Edit field in external editor (insert mode)

gi Focus first input field

## RECIPES

**Starter config.py**

```
# ~/.config/qutebrowser/config.py
config.load_autoconfig()
c.url.searchengines = {'DEFAULT':
'https://duckduckgo.com/?q={}'}
c.tabs.show = 'multiple'
c.content.blocking.enabled = True
config.bind('<Ctrl+Shift+t>',
'undo')
```