

PERFORMANCE MODE

Perform (NTempo)

Perform	any key from A through ' ' (apostrophe)
Pause / Cutoff	Q
Stop Completely	ESC or SPACEBAR
Auto-Cruise (play performed tempo)	U
Auto-Resume (play notated tempos)	R
Sudden vamp	tap the number of measures to vamp (from 1 to 4)
Vamp in a repeat	tap ENTER (inside a repeat)
Jump out of a vamp	TAB

Play

Play	SPACEBAR
Stop	SPACEBAR or ESC

Navigate

Back to place you last started	BACKSPACE (once)
Back to beginning	BACKSPACE (twice)
Next measure	]
Previous measure	[
Take next repeat	=

Next beat	RIGHT ARROW
Previous beat	LEFT ARROW
Next song or rehearsal mark	SHIFT + ]
Previous song or rehearsal mark	SHIFT + [
Open Go To dialog box	CTRL + G (PC) ⌘ + G (Mac)

EDIT MODE

Articulations

> > >	Accent	5
· ˘ ˘	Staccato	1
Λ Δ Λ	Strong Accent (Marcato)	6
-	Semi-Staccato	- (dash)

Edit Notes

	Slur	SHIFT + S
	Fermata, Caesura, and Tenuto	9
	Flat	2
	Sharp	3
	Natural	4

For microtonal (quarter-tone) accidentals, add the SHIFT key.

Dynamics

	Piano Dynamics	P
	Forte Dynamics	F
	Crescendo symbol or text	, or <
	Decrescendo symbol or text	. or >

Edit Score

	Change Bar Lines	I
	Repeat Bar Lines	SHIFT + ;
	Rehearsal Mark	SHIFT + R

Text

Add/Edit Lyrics	L
Add Your Own Text	K

EDIT MODE - NTEMPO STAFF ONLY

ADD NOTE

1. Press ESC to clear the cursor.
2. In the Sidebar click the note value you want or press a keyboard equivalent (once for note and twice for rest):

Double whole rest/note	SHIFT + W
Whole note/rest	W
Half note/rest	H
Quarter note/rest	Q
8th note/rest	E
16th note/rest	S
32nd note/rest	T
64th note/rest	K
128th note/rest	L

3. Position your cursor (with note value displayed in blue) on the NTempo staff.
4. Click mouse or press ENTER.

	Augmentation Dots	D
	Ties	SHIFT + T

DELETE NOTE

1. Highlight or click-select note in the NTempo staff.
2. Press DELETE or select **Edit > Delete**.

COPY & PASTE RHYTHM

1. Highlight part in score (one staff only).
2. Press CTRL + C (PC) or ⌘ + C (Mac).
3. Go to NTempo staff and highlight same size.
4. Press CTRL + V (PC) or ⌘ + V (Mac).

ZOOM (IN EITHER MODE):

- Zoom in: Press CTRL + = (PC) or ⌘ + = (Mac)
- Zoom out: Press CTRL + - (PC) or ⌘ + - (Mac)
- Zoom to (percentage): Press CTRL + SHIFT + = (PC) or ⌘ + SHIFT + = (Mac)

Add to NTempo staff from the Sidebar to handle significant tempo changes:

Restore Notated Tempo	RN
Capture Tempo	CAP
Restore Captured Tempo	RC

CREATE TUPLET (SUCH AS A TRIPLET)

1. Highlight the existing notes in the NTempo staff you want to change to a triplet.
2. Click the triplet icon in the Sidebar:

PREV. MEASURE
PREV. NTEMPO NOTE
NEXT MEASURE
NEXT NTEMPO NOTE
VAMP 4 MEASURES
VAMP 3 MEASURES
PREV. REHEARSAL/SONG
VAMP 2 MEASURES
NEXT REHEARSAL/SONG
VAMP 1 MEASURE
1: LAST START 2: BEGINNING
JUMP OUT OF VAMP/REPEAT
NTEMPO
VAMP
NTEMPO
VAMP
NTEMPO
NTEMPO
AUTO-CRUISE
NTEMPO
AUTO-RESUME
FADE IN
TAKE NEXT REPEAT
FADE OUT
STOP

Navigation and Special Keys

Middle  
C

NTempo  
Keys

Live Play

1. Open a show file; any song.
2. Be in Edit mode (press the **Edit** button).
3. Click on any measure in the score for the instrument you want to play so a light yellow box appears in its staff.
4. Play anything on the MIDI keyboard.



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