Org-Mode Reference Card (1/2)

(for version 4.44)

Getting Started

(add-to-list 'auto-mode-alist '("\\.org\$" . org-mode)) (define-key global-map "\C-cl" 'org-store-link) 1 (define-key global-map "\C-ca" 'org-agenda) 1

For the many customization options try M-x org-customize To read the on-line documentation try M-x org-info

Visibility Cycling

rotate current subtree between states	TAB
rotate entire buffer between states	S-TAB
show the whole file	C-c C-a

Motion

next/previous heading	C-c $C-n/p$
next/previous heading, same level	C-c C-f/b
backward to higher level heading	C-c C-u
jump to another place in document	C-c C-j
previous/next plain list item	${ t S-UP/DOWN}^3$

Structure Editing

insert new heading/item at current level insert new TODO entry/checkbox item toggle checkbox(es) in region/entry/at point toggle checkbox at point	M-RET M-S-RET C-c C-x C-b C-c C-c
promote current heading up one level demote current heading down one level promote current subtree up one level demote current subtree down one level	M-LEFT M-RIGHT M-S-LEFT M-S-RIGHT
move subtree/list item up/down kill subtree copy subtree yank subtree narrow buffer to current subtree	M-S-UP/DOWN C-c C-x C-w C-c C-x M-w C-c C-x C-y C-x n s

Archiving

toggle ARCHIVE tag		C-c	C-x	C-a
mark fully dine children	C-u	C-c	C-x	C-a
move subtree to achive file		C-c	\$	
move all fully done children		C-u	C-c	\$
To set archive location for current file,	add a l	ine li	ike^2 :	

#+ARCHIVE: archfile::* Archived Tasks

Filtering and Sparse Trees

show sparse tree for all matches of a regexp	C-c /
view TODO's in sparse tree	C-c C-v
global TODO list in agenda mode	C-c t^1
create sparse tree with all deadlines due	C-c C-w
time sorted view of current org file	C-c C-r

Tables

Creating a table

just start typing, e.g.	Name Phone Age RET - TAB
convert region to table	С-с
separator at least 3 spaces	C-3 C-c

Commands available inside tables

The following commands work when the cursor is *inside a table*. Outside of tables, the same keys may have other functionality.

Re-aligning and field motion

re-align the table without moving the cursor	C-c C-c
re-align the table, move to next field	TAB
move to previous field	S-TAB
re-align the table, move to next row	RET

Row and column editing

move the current column left move the current column right kill the current column insert new column to left of cursor position	M-LEFT M-RIGHT M-S-LEFT M-S-RIGHT
move the current row up move the current row down kill the current row or horizontal line insert new row above the current row insert horizontal line below the current row insert horizontal line above the current row sort lines in region	M-UP M-DOWN M-S-UP M-S-DOWN C-c - C-u C-c - C-c ^

Regions

cut rectangular region	C-c C-x C-w
copy rectangular region	C-c C-x M-w
paste rectangular region	С-с С-х С-у
fill paragraph across selected cells	C-c C-q

Calculations (in combination with Emacs calc package)

set and eval column formula	C-c =
set and eval named-field formula	C-u $C-c$ =
edit formulas in separate buffer	C-c '
re-apply all stored equations to current line	C-c *
re-apply all stored equations to entire table	C-u C-c *
rotate calculation mark through # * ! ^_ \$	C-#
display column number cursor is in	C-c ?
sum numbers in current column/rectangle	C-c +
copy down with increment	$\mathtt{S-RET}^3$

Formulas typed in field are executed by TAB, RET and C-c C-c. = introduces a column formula, := a named-field formula.

 Example: Add Col1 and Col2 with printf format specification with constants from constants.el sum from 3rd hline above to here	=\$1+\$2 =\$1+\$2;%.2f =\$1/\$c/\$cm :=vsum(&III)
apply current column formula	

Miscellaneous

to limit column width to N characters,	use	<n> </n>
edit the current field in a separate wind	dow	C-c '
make current field fully visible		C-u TAB
export as tab-separated file	M-x	org-table-export
import tab-separated file	M-x	org-table-import

Tables created with the table.el package

insert a new table.el table	C-c ~
recognize existing table.el table	C-c C-c
convert table (Org-mode \leftrightarrow table.el)	C-c ~

Links

globally store link to the current location	$C-c 1^1$
insert a link (TAB completes stored links)	C-c C-1
insert file link with file name completion	C-u C-c C-l
edit (also hidden part of) link at point	C-c C-l
open file links in emacs (C-u: in emacs) open link at point (3: in emacs) jump back to last followed link(s)	C-c C-o mouse-2/3 C-c &

Internal Links

target
radio $target^2$
find headline
find target or text in buffer
optional link text

External Links

file:/home/dominik/img/mars.jpg	file, absolute
file:papers/last.pdf	file, relative
file:projects.org::*that text	find headline
file:projects.org::find me	find tgt/string
http://www.astro.uva.nl/~dominik	on the web
mailto:adent@galaxy.net	EMail address
news:comp.emacs	Usenet group
bbdb:Richard Stallman	BBDB person
gnus:group	GNUS group
gnus:group#id	GNUS message
vm wl mhe rmail:folder	Mail folder
vm wl mhe rmail:folder#id	Mail message
info:emacs:Regexps	Info file:node
shell:ls *.org	shell command
elisp:(calendar)	elisp form
[[external link][description]]	optional link text

Remember-mode Integration

See the manual for how to make remember.el use Org-mode links and files. The note-finishing command C-c C-c will first prompt for an org file. In the file, find a location with:

rotate subtree visibility	TAB
next heading	DOWN
previous heading	UP
Insert the note with one of the following:	

as sublevel of heading at cursor	RET
right here (cursor not on heading)	RET
before current heading	LEFT
after current heading	RIGHT
shortcut to end of buffer (cursor at buf-start)	RET
Abort	q

Completion

In-buffer completion completes TODO keywords at headline start, TeX macros after "\", option keywords after "#-", TAGS after ":", and dictionary words elsewhere.

Complete	word at point	M-TAB

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TODO Items

rotate the state of the current item	C-c C-t
view TODO items in a sparse tree	C-c C-v
view 3rd TODO keyword's sparse tree	C-3 C-c C-v
set the priority of the current item	C-c , [ABC]
remove priority cookie from current item	C-c , SPC
raise priority of current item	S-UP ³
lower priority of current item	S-DOWN ³
#+SEQ_TODO: TODO TRY BLUFF DONE	todo workflo
#+TYP_TODO: Phil home work DONE	todo types

Tags

set tags for current heading	C-c C-c
realign tags in all headings	C-u C-c C-c
create sparse tree with matching tags	C-c \
globally (agenda) match tags at cursor	C-c C-o

Timestamps

prompt for date and insert timestamp like $C-c$. but insert date and time format Like $C-c$. but make stamp inactive insert DEADLINE timestamp insert SCHEDULED timestamp create sparse tree with all deadlines due the time between 2 dates in a time range change timestamp at cursor by ± 1 day change year/month/day at cursor by ± 1 access the calendar for the current date	C-c . C-u C-c . C-c ! C-c C-d C-c C-s C-c C-w C-c C-y S-RIGHT/LEFT ³ S-UP/DOWN ³
access the calendar for the current date	S-OP/DOWN
insert timestamp matching date in calendar	C-c <
access agenda for current date	C-c C-o
Select date while prompted	mouse-1/RET

Clocking Time

start clock on current item	C-c C-x C-i
stop clock on current item	C-c C-x C-o
cancel current clock	C-c C-x C-x
display total subtree times	C-c C-x C-d
remove displayed times	C-c C-c
insert/update table with clock report	C-c C-x C-r

Dynamic Blocks

update dynamic block at point	C-c C-x C	-u
update all dynamic blocks	C-u C-c C-x C	-u

LaTeX and cdlatex-mode

preview LaTeX fragment	C-c C-x C-	1
Expand abbreviation (cdlatex-mode)	TAB	
Insert/modify math symbol (cdlatex-mode)	'/,	

Agenda Views

add/move current file to front of agenda remove current file from your agenda cycle through agenda file list	C-c [C-c] C-,
compile agenda for the current week compile global TODO list compile TODO list for specific keyword	${\tt C-c}$ a ${\tt a}^1$ ${\tt C-c}$ a ${\tt t}^1$ ${\tt C-c}$ a ${\tt T}^1$
match tags in agenda files agenda for date at cursor	${\tt C-c~a~m^1} \atop {\tt C-c~C-o}$
show timeline of current org file	C-c C-r

To set categories, add lines like²:

#+CATEGORY: MyCateg

Commands available in an agenda buffer

View Org file

show original location of item	SPC
also available with	mouse-3
show and recenter window	L
goto original location in other window	TAB
also available with	mouse-2
goto original location, delete other windows	RET
toggle follow-mode	f

Change display

delete other windows	0
switch to daily / weekly view	d/w
toggle inclusion of diary entries	D
toggle time grid for daily schedule	g
toggle display of logbook entries	ī
refresh agenda buffer with any changes	r
save all org-mode buffers	s
display the following org-agenda-ndays	RIGHT
display the previous org-agenda-ndays	LEFT
goto today	

Remote editing

digit argument	0-9
change state of current TODO item	t
show tags of current headline	T
set tags for current headline	:
toggle ARCHIVE tag	a
set priority of current item	p
raise/lower priority of current item	${ t S-UP/DOWN}^3$
display weighted priority of current item	P
schedule/set deadline for this item	C-c C-s/d
change timestamp to one day earlier/later	S-LEFT/RIGHT 3
change timestamp to today	>
insert new entry into diary	i
Start the clock on current item (clock-in)	I
Stop the clock (clock-out)	0
Cancel current clock	X

Calendar commands

find agenda cursor date in calendar compute agenda for calendar cursor date	c	
show phases of the moon	M	
show sunrise/sunset times show holidays	S H	
convert date to other calendars	C	

Quit and Exit

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quit agenda, remove agenda buffer	q
exit agenda, remove all agenda buffers	x

Calendar and Diary Integration

Include Emacs diary entries into Org-mode agenda with: (setq org-agenda-include-diary t)

Exporting and Publishing

Exporting creates files with extensions .txt and .html in the current directory. Publishing puts the resulting file into some other place.

export/publish dispatcher	С-с С-е
export visible part only	C-c C-e v
nsert template of export options	C-c C-x t
oggle fixed width for entry or region	C-c :

HTML formatting

make words bold	*bold*
make words italic	/italic/
make words <u>underlined</u>	_underlined_
sub- and superscripts	x^3 , J_dust
T _E X-like macros	\alpha, \to
typeset lines in fixed width font	start with :
tables are exported as HTML tables	start with
links become HTML links	http: etc
include html tags	@ @

Export options

Include additional information for export by putting these anywhere in the org file. Use M-TAB completion to make sure to get the right keywords. M-TAB again just after keyword is complete inserts examples.

the title to be shown	#+TITLE:
the author	#+AUTHOR:
authors email address	#+EMAIL:
language code for html	#+LANGUAGE:
free text description of file	#+TEXT:
which can carry over multiple lines	#+TEXT:
settings for the export process	#+OPTIONS:

Comments: Text not being exported

Text before the first headline is not considered part of the document and is therefore never exported. Lines starting with # are comments and are not exported. Subtrees whose header starts with COMMENT are never exported.

toggle COMMENT keyword on entry C-c;

Notes

- $^{\rm 1}$ This is only a suggestion for a binding of this command. Choose you own key as shown under INSTALLATION.
- 2 After changing a #+KEYWORD or <<<target>>> line, press C-c C-c with the cursor still in the line to update.
- ³ Keybinding affected by org-CUA-compatibility.

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