

## ADVICE ABOUT MAC KEYBOARDS AND PC KEYBOARDS

PC keyboards that have USB connectors work fine when attached to Macs.  
All Mac keyboards work fine when connected to PCs.

The "Return" key on a Mac keyboard is equivalent to the "Enter" key on a PC keyboard.

The "Delete" key on a Mac keyboard is equivalent to the "Backspace" key on the PC keyboard. However, when you press the "Delete" key on a Mac keyboard, the character to the right of the blinking cursor disappears while the character to the left of the blinking cursor disappears when you press the "Backspace" key on the PC keyboard.

The "alt / option" key on a Mac keyboard is equivalent to the "Alt" key on a PC keyboard  
and vice versa.

The "command" key on a Mac keyboard is equivalent to the "Windows" key on a PC keyboard  
and vice versa.

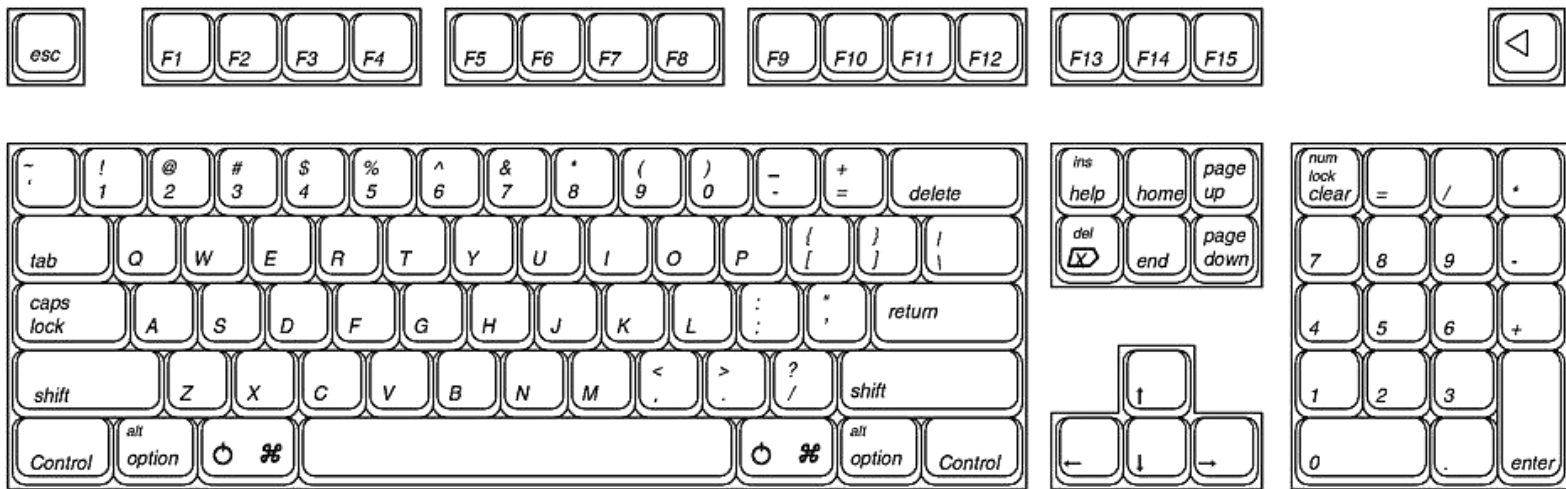
On the lower-left section of a PC keyboard, the "Windows" key is to the left of the "Alt" key.

This means that when you use a PC keyboard on a Mac, the "command equivalent" key is to the left of the "alt / option equivalent" key.

On the lower-left section of a Mac keyboard, the "alt / option" key is to the left of the "command" key.

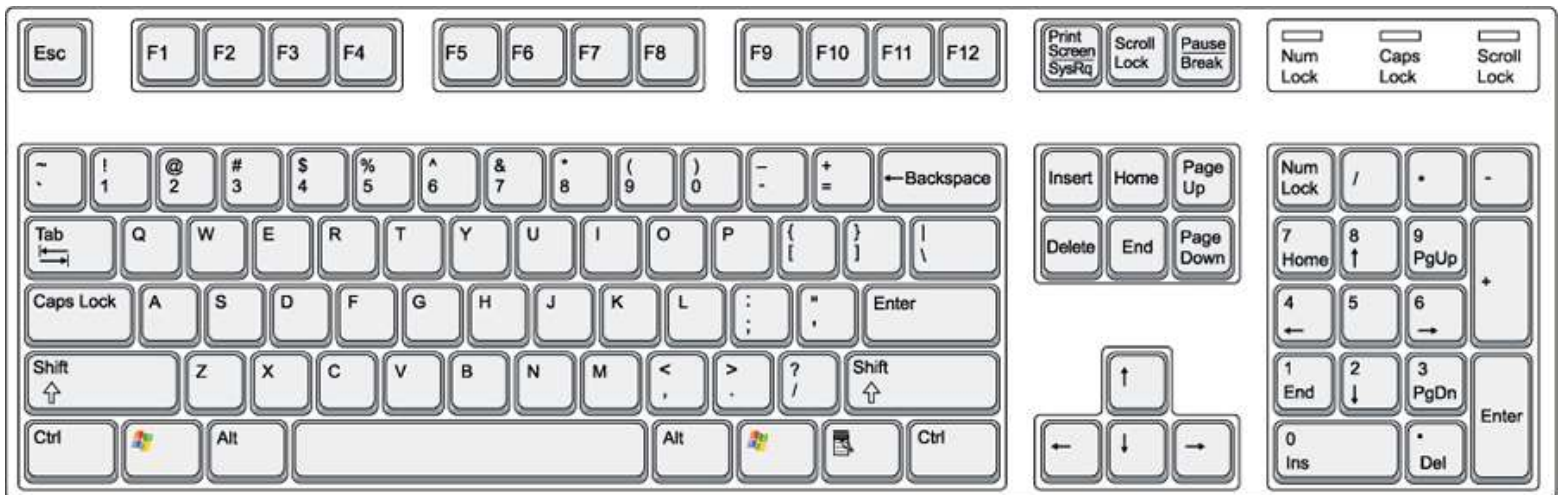
This means that when you use a Mac keyboard on a PC, the "alt / option" key is to the left of the "command" key.

## IMAGE OF A TYPICAL MAC KEYBOARD:



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## IMAGE OF A TYPICAL PC KEYBOARD:



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### IMAGE OF A TYPICAL MAC KEYBOARD:



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### IMAGE OF A TYPICAL PC KEYBOARD:



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IMAGE OF THE BOTTOM ROW OF A TYPICAL MAC KEYBOARD:



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IMAGE OF THE BOTTOM ROW OF A TYPICAL PC KEYBOARD:



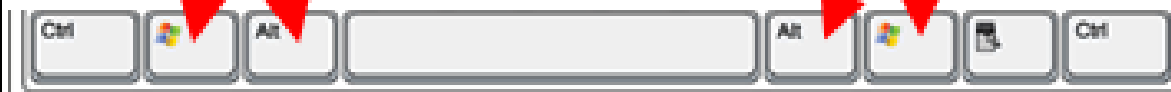
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IMAGE OF THE LEFT SIDE  
OF THE BOTTOM ROW  
OF A TYPICAL MAC KEYBOARD:




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IMAGE OF THE LEFT SIDE  
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OF A TYPICAL PC KEYBOARD:



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If you are using a Mac keyboard in a real or virtual "Windows.." computer:

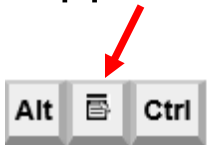
- The Option key is the Windows Alt key.
- The Command key is the Windows key.
- The Delete key is the equivalent of Backspace. To forward delete with it on built-in Apple keyboards (on your Mac notebook), use Fn-Delete. (External Apple keyboards have a forward Delete key.) 
- The Windows Print Screen key is F14 on an external Apple keyboard.


Reference:

<http://lifehacker.com/384256/have-your-mac-and-windows-too-with-boot-camp>

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If you are using a Mac keyboard in a real or virtual "Windows.." computer, Shift + F10, is the same as the Windows "Applications" key on a PC keyboard which look like this:



The Application key has an image of a mouse pointer on a menu (between the Alt and Ctrl keys ) to the right of your Space Bar). Depressing this key will display the selected item's shortcut window. This is the menu that is displayed by right-clicking.

Reference:

<http://www.gcclc.org/StudentFiles/Mouse-Keyboard/Keyboard.htm>