FAR manager cheat sheet of keyboard shortcuts

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Shortcut	Description
Ctrl + \	Change working directory to the root folder, i.e. root of the drive.
Ctrl + **PgUp**	Move up to the parent directory.
Alt + **F1**	Set the working drive for the left panel.
Alt + **F2**	Set the working drive for the right panel.
Ctrl + **u**	Swap panels (left becomes right and vice versa).
Ctrl + **Left/Right Arrow**	Move the separating bar between panels left/right, changing the occupied space.
Ctrl + **Up/Down Arrow**	Move the bottom border of the panels up/down.
Alt + **F7**	Open File Search dialog box
Alt + **F12**	Open history of the visited folders.
Alt + **F8**	Open history of the viewed files.
F9 + **c** + **c** or **F11** + **Advanced Compare**	Compare files/directories open in Panels. Standard compare (F9 + c + c) compares by name,size and time stamp. Advanced Compare allows to choose what to compare on. The files that differ are highlighted in blue.
Ctrl + **1**	Set panel view to 3-column layout showing just names.
Ctrl + **2**	Return to the standard 2-column view of names only.
Ctrl + **3**	Full panel view - shows name, size, date, time columns.
Ctrl + **5**	Full screen view - name, size, allocated, write, created, accessed, attributes columns.
Sort displayed items	
Ctrl + **F3**	Sort by file/folder name.
Ctrl + **F4**	Sort by extension.
Ctrl + **F5**	Sort by modified date.
Ctrl + **F6**	Sort by size.
Ctrl + **F8**	Sort by creation time

Shortcut	Description
Ctrl + **F9**	Sort by access time
Shift + **move up/down**	Select single/multiple items. To deselect, hold Shift and move in the opposite direction.
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F9 → **o** → **l**	Open color selection dialog box.
F11 + **Temporary Panel**	Create and switch to a Temporary Panel. You can copy/drag files and folders from the visible Panel to it. This allows to work on multiple items from different locations at the same time.
Filter what is shown in the Panel	
Ctrl + **i**	Open Filter dialog menu. It contains all file types/extensions seen in the current folder. By moving with *Arrow Up/Down* you can select/deselect any single or combination of multiple extensions to include or exclude in the display. Highlight the extension in question and press: • **<space>** or **+** or **i**: Include files with such extension in the display, exclude from display anything else. Pressing the same key again clears the selection. • **Shift** + **Backspace**: Clear all selections made so far. • **x**: Exclude the selected extensions from showing, display what is left. • **Insert**: Open a dialog menu to create Custom filter. This allows to include/exclude files by their name/extension, size, attributes, and modification date. You can use relative operators >=, ⇐. All operands in a Custom filter are ANDed. Make sure to activate this Custom filter with Space or + in the filter list later.
Enter	Activate the filter.