

The Mess created by WordPerfect Programmers Mapping from Function Key to Command: 1990 MS DOS.

User Thinking: Every command is a WORD which I can SPELL on the keyboard.

Programmer Thinking: Every command is a KEY which the user has to learn by heart. HELP! There are only 12 Function Keys, So lets add another 36 Commands by using the 12 Function keys in combination with Shift, Ctrl, and Alt. What a marvelous solution, this even gives us 6 extra, spare, Function Key combinations, for F11 and F12!

WordPerfect's quick-reference card runs five text pages.

WordPerfect Corp. doesn't need to worry too much about piracy: WordPerfect is almost unusable without its manual of over 600 pages!

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WordPerfect Template for the IBM keyboard

There are 4 possibilities for each of the 12 Function Keys: Unshifted, Shifted, Ctrl, and Alt.

WordPerfect™ for IBM® Personal Computers	Shell	Spell	Screen	Move	Ctrl	Text In/Out	Tab Align	Footnote	Font	Ctrl	Merge/Sort	Macro Define		
Column Left/Right Compose Delete to End of Ln/Pg Delete Word Hard Page Margin Release Pull-Down Menus Screen Up/Down Word Left/Right	Thesaurus	Replace	Reveal Codes	Block	Alt	Mark Text	Flush Right	Columns/Table	Style	Alt	Graphics	Macro		
Home, ←/→ 2 End/PgDn Backspace Enter Tab = -/ (num) ←/→	Setup	◆Search	Switch	◆Indent◆	Shift	Date/Outline	Centre	Print	Format	Shift	Merge Codes	Retrieve		
74210-74210-74210 © WordPerfect Corp. 1990 TMUKIWP51XID-3/90	Cancel	◆Search	Help	◆Indent		List	Bold	Exit	Underline		End Field	Save	Reveal Codes	Block
	F1	F2	F3	F4		F5	F6	F7	F8		F9	F10	F11	F12

