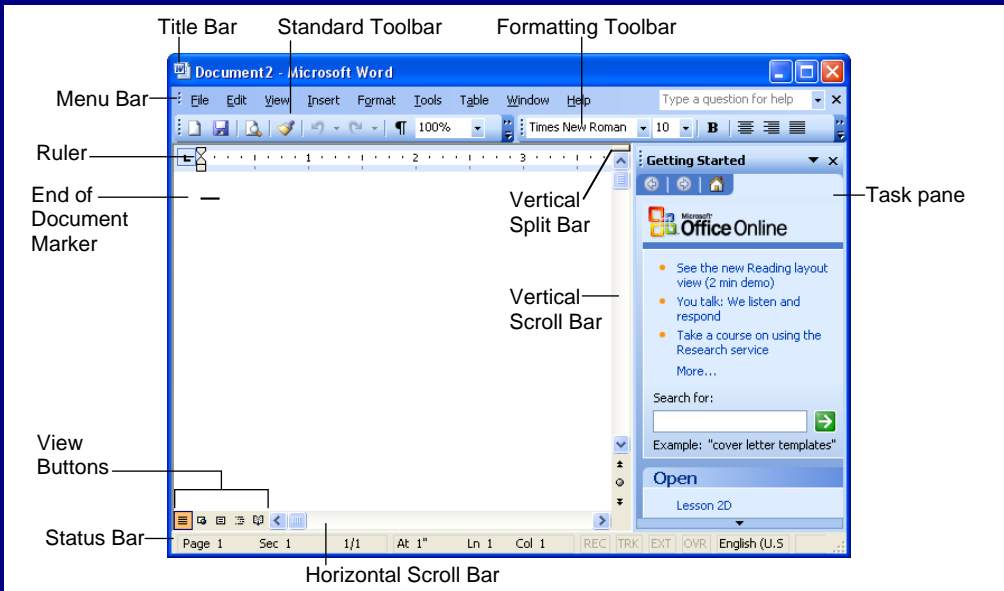


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The Word 2003 Screen



Shortcuts

General

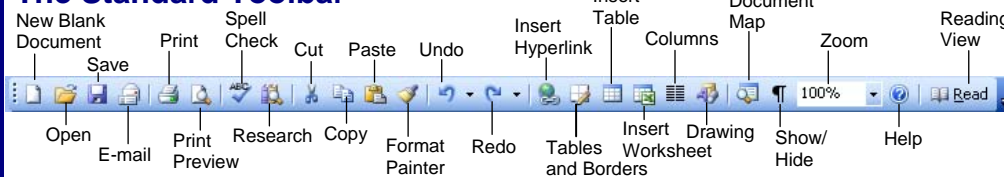
- Open a Document <Ctrl> + <O>
- Save a Document <Ctrl> + <S>
- Print a Document <Ctrl> + <P>
- Close a Document <Ctrl> + <W>
- Undo <Ctrl> + <Z>
- Redo or Repeat <Ctrl> + <Y>
- Help <F1>
- Switch Between Applications <Alt> + <Tab>

Navigation—To Go:

- Up One Screen <Page Up>
- Down One Screen <Page Down>
- Beginning of a Line <Home>
- End of a Line <End>
- Beginning of Document <Ctrl> + <Home>
- End of Document <Ctrl> + <End>
- Open the Go To Dialog Box <F5>

The Fundamentals

The Standard Toolbar



- **To Create a New Document:** Click the **New Blank Document button**, or press **<Ctrl> + <N>**.
- **To Open a Document:** Click the **Open button** on the Standard toolbar, or select **File** → **Open** from the menu, or press **<Ctrl> + <O>**.
- **To Save a Document:** Click the **Save button** on the Standard toolbar, or select **File** → **Save** from the menu, or press **<Ctrl> + <S>**.
- **To Save a Document with a Different Name:** Select **File** → **Save As** from the menu and enter a different name for the document.
- **To Preview a Document:** Click the **Print Preview button** on the Standard toolbar or select **File** → **Print Preview** from the menu.
- **To Print a Document:** Click the **Print button** on the Standard toolbar, or select **File** → **Print** from the menu, or press **<Ctrl> + <P>**.
- **For Advanced Print Options:** Select **File** → **Print** from the menu.
- **To Correct a Spelling Error:** Right-click the error to bring up a suggestion menu.
- **To View or Hide a Toolbar:** Select **View** → **Toolbars** from the menu, or right-click a toolbar, and select the toolbar you want to view or hide.
- **To Show Toolbars on Two Rows:** Click the **Toolbar Options button** at the end of the toolbar and select **Show Buttons on Two Rows**.
- **To Get Help:** Press **<F1>** to open the Help task pane, type your question and press **<Enter>**.
- **To Cut or Copy:** Select the text and click the **Cut button** or **Copy button** on the Standard toolbar, or press **<Ctrl> + <X>** (cut) or **<Ctrl> + <C>** (copy).
- **To Paste:** Place the insertion point where you want to paste the text, click the **Paste button** on the Standard toolbar, or press **<Ctrl> + <V>**.
- **To Move Text using Drag and Drop:** Select the text you want to move, drag the text to the destination, and release the mouse button.
- **To Undo:** Click the **Undo button** on the Standard toolbar or press **<Ctrl> + <Z>**.
- **To Use the Thesaurus:** Right-click the word you want to look up, select **Synonyms** from the shortcut menu, and select a synonym from the list.
- **To Find Text:** Select **Edit** → **Find** from the menu or press **<Ctrl> + <F>**.
- **To Find and Replace Text:** Select **Edit** → **Replace** from the menu, or press **<Ctrl> + <H>**.

Editing

- Cut <Ctrl> + <X>
- Copy <Ctrl> + <C>
- Paste <Ctrl> + <V>
- Overtyping Mode <Insert>

Formatting

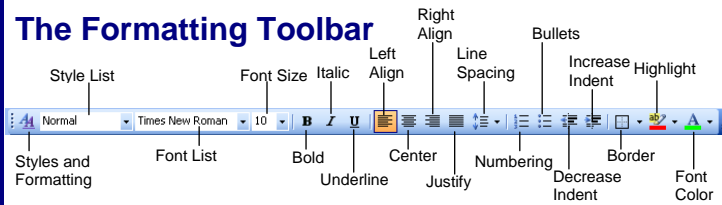
- Bold <Ctrl> +
- Italics <Ctrl> + <I>
- Underline <Ctrl> + <U>
- Align Left <Ctrl> + <L>
- Center <Ctrl> + <E>
- Align Right <Ctrl> + <R>
- Justify <Ctrl> + <J>

Text Selection

- | To Select: | Do This: |
|--------------------|--|
| A Word | Double-click the word |
| A Sentence | Press and hold <Ctrl> and click anywhere in the sentence |
| A Line | Click in the selection bar next to the line |
| A Paragraph | Triple-click the paragraph |
| Everything | <Ctrl> + <A> |

Formatting

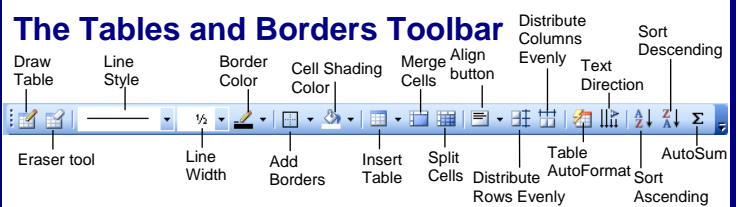
The Formatting Toolbar



- **To Format Selected Text:** Change the style of text by clicking the **B** **Bold button**, **I** **Italics button**, or **U** **Underline button** on the Formatting toolbar.
Change the font type by selecting a font from the **Times New Roman** **Font list** on the Formatting toolbar.
Change the font size by selecting the pt. size from the **12** **Font Size list**.
- **To Copy Formatting with the Format Painter:** Select the text with the formatting you want to copy. Click the **Format Painter button** on the Standard toolbar and drag the Format Painter pointer across the text to which you want to apply the formatting. Double-click the **Format Painter button** to apply the formatting multiple times.
- **To Change Paragraph Alignment:** Select the paragraph(s) and click the appropriate alignment button (**Left**, **Center**, **Right**, or **Justify**) on the Formatting toolbar.
- **To Indent a Paragraph:** Click the **Increase Indent button** on the Formatting toolbar, or click and drag the **Left Indent marker** on the ruler.
- **To Decrease an Indent:** Click the **Decrease Indent button** on the Formatting toolbar.
- **To Add a Tab Stop:** Choose the type of tab you want to insert from the **Tab selector box** and click on the ruler to add the tab. Or select **Format** → **Tabs** from the menu and create tabs in the Tabs dialog box.
- **To Adjust a Tab Stop:** Click and drag the **tab stop** to the new position on the ruler. For exact measurements, select **Format** → **Tabs** from the menu and modify the tabs in the Tabs dialog box.
- **To Remove a Tab Stop:** Drag the **tab stop** from the ruler to remove it.
- **To Change Paragraph Line Spacing:** Select **Format** → **Paragraph** from the menu, click the **Line Spacing list arrow**, and select the spacing option.
- **To Create a Bulleted or Numbered List:** Select the paragraph(s) you want to bullet or number, and click the **Bullets button** or the **Numbering button** on the Formatting toolbar.
- **To Add a Border:** Select the paragraph and select a border from the **Border button arrow** on the Formatting toolbar.
- **To Change a Document's Margins:** Select **File** → **Page Setup** from the menu, click the **Margins tab**, and adjust the margins.
- **To Change a Page's Orientation:** Select **File** → **Page Setup** from the menu, click the **Margins tab** and select the orientation.
- **To Add or View a Document Header or Footer:** Select **View** → **Header and Footer** from the menu.
- **To Switch Between the Header and Footer:** Click the **Switch Between Header and Footer button** on the Header and Footer toolbar.
- **To Insert a Manual Page Break:** Place the insertion point where you want to insert the page break and press **<Ctrl> + <Enter>**.
- **To Insert a Section Break:** Select **Insert** → **Break** from the menu and select the type of section break you want to insert.
- **To Create Newspaper Columns:** Click the **Columns button** on the Standard toolbar and drag to select the number of columns you want.

Tables

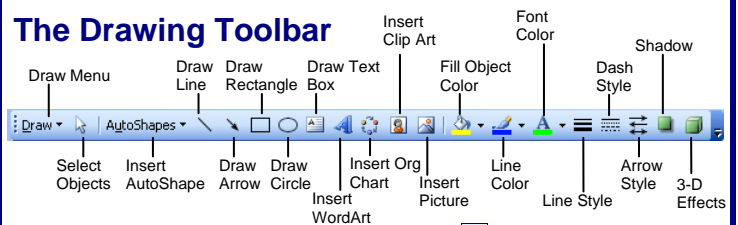
The Tables and Borders Toolbar



- **To Create a Table:** Click the **Insert Table button** on the Standard toolbar and select the number of columns and rows from the grid.
- **To Adjust Column Width or Row Height:** Drag the right border of the column, or drag the bottom border of the row. Right-click the border to AutoFit the column or row according to its contents.
- **To Delete a Column or Row:** Select the column or row, click the **right mouse button** and select **Delete Columns** or **Delete Rows** from the shortcut menu, or select **Table** → **Delete** → **Columns** or **Rows** from the menu.
- **To Insert a Column or Row:** Select the column or row where you want the new column or row to be inserted. Click the **right mouse button** and select **Insert Columns** or **Insert Rows** from the shortcut menu, or select **Table** → **Insert** → **Columns** or **Rows** from the menu.

Drawing and Graphics

The Drawing Toolbar



- **To View the Drawing Toolbar:** Click the **Drawing button** on the Standard toolbar, or select **View** → **Toolbars** → **Drawing**.
- **To Insert a Clip Art Graphic:** Select **Insert** → **Picture** → **Clip Art**, search by keyword, click the graphic's list arrow, and select **Insert**.
- **To Insert a Picture:** Select **Insert** → **Picture** → **From File** from the menu, navigate to and select the file, and click **Insert**.
- **To Draw an Object:** Click the type of object you want to draw on the Drawing toolbar. Draw the shape by clicking on the document with the + pointer and dragging until the shape reaches the desired size.
- **To Move an Object:** Click and drag the object using the mouse.
- **To Resize an Object:** Click the object to select it and drag the object's sizing handles until the shape reaches the desired size.

Mail Merge

1. **Select the document type:** Select **Tools** → **Letters and Mailings** → **Mail Merge Wizard** from the menu, select the type of main document type you want to use, and click **Next**.
2. **Select the starting document:** Specify how you want to set up your letters and click **Next**.
3. **Select recipients:** Specify the list of recipients you want to use (and enter the recipients if necessary) and click **Next**.
4. **Write your letter:** Place the insertion point where you want to insert the mail merge information in the Main Document and click the appropriate item(s) in the mail merge task pane. Click **Next** when you're finished.
5. **Preview your letters:** Browse the merged letters and click **Exclude** to exclude a letter. Click **Next** when you're finished.
6. **Complete the Merge:** Specify where you want to send the merged letters.