Information shortcuts

Open help menu	⇧ ⌘	?
Movie properties	⌘	J

Import and Export shortcuts

Import media	⌘	I
Share the selection movie	⌘	E

Play video

Play video beginning from the frame beneath	SPACEBAR
Play the selection	/
Play the selected clip from beginning	\
Play selected item in full screen	⇧ ⌘ F
Exit full screen	ESC
Move the palyhead by one frame	←

Manage events and projects

Create a new movie project	⌘	N
Move to trash	⌘	⌫
Open iMovie preferences	⌘	, (COMMA)

Audio related

Open voiceover controls in the viewer	V
Turn on or silence audio while skimming video	⇧ S
Detach audio from a clip	⌥ ⌘ B
Undo	⌘ Z
Redo	⇧ ⌘ Z

Video edit

Select an entire clip or project	⌘ A
Deselect all clips	⇧ ⌘ A
Add the selection to the movie	E
Connect the clip at the playhead position	Q
Insert the selection in the movie	W
Automatically improve the Video and audio quality	⇧ ⌘ E
Cut the selected frames	⌘ X
Copy the selected frames	⌘ C
Paste	⌘ V
Paste Color adjustment	⌥ ⌘ A
Paste Crop adjustment	⌥ ⌘ R
Paste stabilization adjustment	⌥ ⌘ Z
Paste Rolling shutter adjustment	⌥ ⌘ T
Paste volume adjustment	⌥ ⌘ O
Paste the video effect	⌥ ⌘ L
Paste the speed adjustments	⌥ ⌘ S
Paste cutway Settings	⌥ ⌘ U
Paste the map style	⌥ ⌘ M
Rate favorite	F
Unmark selected frames	U
Rate the selection as rejected or delete	⌫
Loop Playback	⌘ L
Open the clip trimmer	⌘ \
Open the precision editor	⌘
Crop	⌘ K
Split clip at Playhead	⌘ T
Create still frame	⇧ ⌘ S

Text edit

Copy the selected Text	⌘ C
Cut the selected Text	⌘ X
Paste the copied Text	⌘ V

iMovie window

Minimize	⌘ M
Go to library view	1
Go to iMovie theater	2
Show or hide the Adjustment bar	3
Show or hide the Libraries list	⇧ ⌘ 1
Show transitions in the browser	⌘ 1
Show titles	⌘ 2
Show map and backgrounds	⌘ 3
Show your iTunes library	⌘ 4
Show sound effect	⌘ 5
Show your garageband library	⌘ 6
Play in full screen	⇧ ⌘ F

View menu function

Switch to Clip Viewer or Timeline Viewer	⌘ E
Scroll to playhead	⌥ ⌘ P
Scroll to selection	⌥ ⌘ S
Zoom to selection	⌥ ⌘ Z

Bookmarks

Add bookmark	⌘ E
Delete bookmark	⇧ ⌘ E
Next bookmark	⌘]
Previous bookmark	⌘ [

Advanced Functions

Paste over at playhead	⇧ ⌘ V
Reverse clip direction	⌘ R
Lock audio clip at Playhead	⌘ L

iMovie shortcuts for Mac

Navigation

Play/Stop and Start/stop capture	SPACE
Move playhead to beginning of movie	HOME
Forward one frame	→
Forward ten frames	⇧ →
Move playhead forward	HOLD →
Back one frame	←
Back ten frames	⇧ ←
Move playhead backward	HOLD ←
Move between text filed	⇥
Jump forward to the next clip	↓
Jump to the beginning of the current clip or jump to the previous clip	↑

Accept/ Cancel

Accept dialog (OK	RETURN
Cancel dialog	ESC
Cancel Dialog	⌘ →

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