

## AccuDraw Shortcuts

AccuDraw includes a wide variety of single and double character command directives known as the shortcut key-ins. By pressing the appropriate key, you can direct AccuDraw to perform a specific task. Single letter keyboard shortcuts activate the respective command, while multi-level keyboard shortcuts display a pop-up menu when the first level of keyboard shortcut is pressed. You may then click the desired option from the pop-up menu or press the desired next level keyboard shortcut.

The following table lists the most commonly used shortcuts.

Key(s)	Action
<Enter>	Smart Lock - In Rectangular coordinates, locks X to 0 if the pointer is on the drawing plane y-axis or Y to 0 if the pointer is on the x-axis. In Polar coordinates, locks Angle to 0°, 90°, -90°, or 180° if the pointer is on a drawing plane axis or otherwise locks Distance to its last entered value.
M	Toggles between Rectangular (X,Y) and Polar (angle, distance) coordinates.
O	Moves the compass <b>origin</b> to the current pointer position.
T	Rotates the compass to align with the axes in a standard <b>Top</b> view by setting the green tick (Y Axis) of the compass with due North. Pressing this key a second time restores context-sensitive rotation.
V	Rotates the compass to align with the current <b>View</b> by setting the green tick (Y Axis) of the compass pointing up. Pressing this key a second time restores context-sensitive rotation.
R	Brings up a pop-up menu of rotation options. The most commonly used are: <b>RQ</b> - Quick Rotation of the Drawing plane to a dynamically specified orientation. <b>RE</b> - Orients the compass to an element. <b>RV</b> - Rotates the view to match the current compass rotation.
X	Toggles the lock status for the <b>X</b> value.
Y	Toggles the lock status for the <b>Y</b> value.
Z	Toggles the lock status for the <b>Z</b> value on 3D drawings.
D	Toggles the lock status for the <b>Distance</b> value while in Polar mode.
A	Toggles the lock status for the <b>Angle</b> value while in Polar mode.
?	Displays the full list of shortcut options.