USC Marshall School of Business

Excel 2007 Cheat Sheet

Academic Information Services

Find Excel 2003 Commands in Excel 2007

Double click a tab to hide all buttons. Double

Chart Tools

Design

Use this handout to find where Excel 2003 commands are located in Excel 2007. It consists of the following three sections:

- Navigation tips about getting around in Excel 2007.
- New location of buttons from the old Standard and Formatting toolbars.
- New locations of the old menu items.

Click a tab to view a different

NAVIGATION TIPS

Tabbed Ribbons

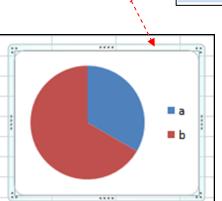
The old menu system and toolbar buttons have been combined into stationary tabs with buttons on them.





Special Tabs

Selecting objects such as charts and PivotTables will cause new tabs to appear. These tabs contain buttons which pertain to the type of object you have selected.



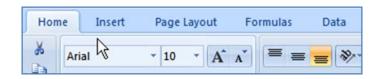
Double clicking the object will make the tab appear *AND* display its buttons.

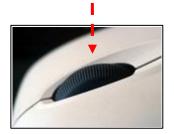
Layout

Format

Ouickly Browse Through Tabs

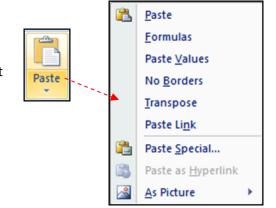
If you hover your mouse within the ribbon area and spin your mouse wheel, you can quickly scroll through the tabs.



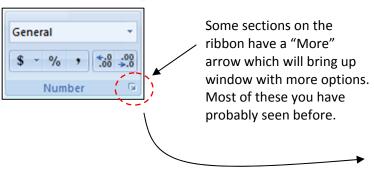


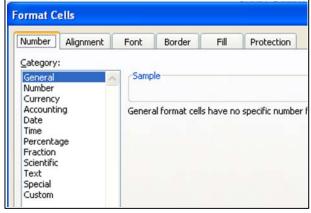
Split Buttons

Note that some buttons have two halves. The top part issues its most common use while the bottom part brings up a list of commands.



Accessing More Options



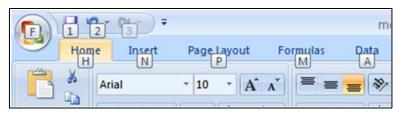


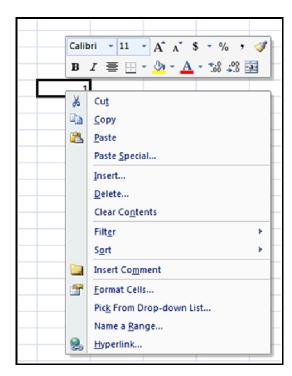
Right Click for Quick Commands

If you right click an area or object in Excel, you will get a pop-up menu and usually a small formatting tool bar. The pop-up menu commands will change to reflect the area or type of object you right clicked.

Keyboard Shortcuts

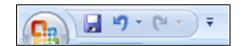
Most shortcut keys still work (for example, **Control + S** saves). However if you used to navigate the menu by pressing the **ALT** key, the letters or numbers you have to press now will be a different sequence.





The Quick Access Toolbar

This is the only customizable toolbar in Excel. You can add and remove buttons from it and if desired, move its location to below the ribbon rather than above.



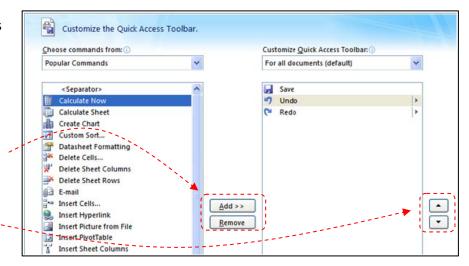
Adding Buttons to the Quick Access Toolbar

There are several methods of adding buttons to the Quick Access Toolbar:

Right click any button on any tab and select Add to Quick Access Toolbar "Add to Quick Access Toolbar". Paste Customize Quick Access Toolbar... Click the drop down arrow on its right and then click the command you wish to **Customize Quick Access Toolbar** Home appear on the toolbar. Click it again to New remove the command. Arial Open Paste BI Save

To view all available buttons and organize the Quick Access Toolbar:

- a. Right click any button.
- b. Click "Customize Quick Access Toolbar".
- Select an icon from the list then click the "Add" button.
- d. Organize the toolbar by using the up/down arrows.



Remove Buttons to the Quick Access Toolbar

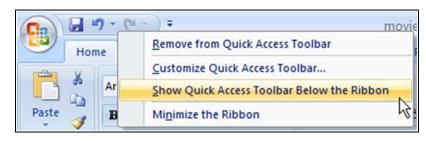
- 1. Right click the button to be removed.
- 2. Select "Remove from Quick Access Toolbar".



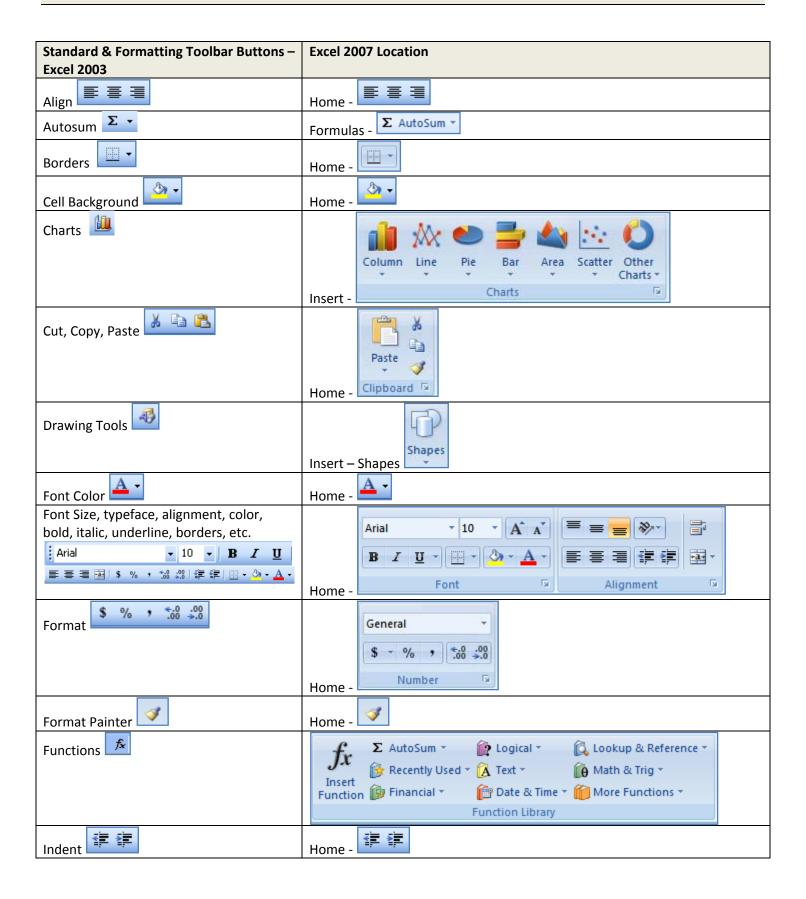
Move the Quick Access Toolbar Below the Ribbon

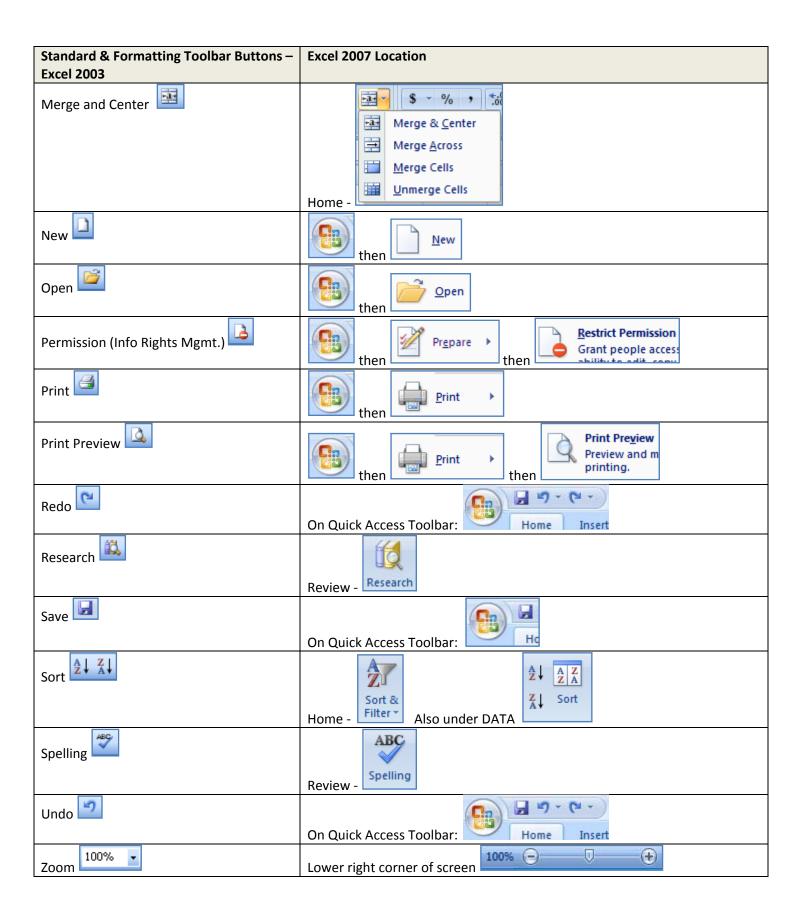
This will give you room for more buttons without cutting off your file on the title bar.

- 1. Right click any button on the Quick Access Toolbar.
- 2. Select "Show Quick Access Toolbar Below the Ribbon".



NEW LOCATION OF BUTTONS FROM THE OLD STANDARD AND FORMATTING TOOLBARS





NEW LOCATIONS OF THE OLD MENU COMMANDS

