WINDOWS 7 Speech Recognition 8 Reference Card

Common Speech Recognition commands

Frequently used commands

The following table shows some of the most commonly used commands in Speech Recognition. Words in italic font indicate that you can say many different things in place of the example word or phrase and get useful results.

To do this	Say this
Click any item by its	Click File; Start; View
name	
Click any item	Click Recycle Bin; Click Computer;
· ·	Click file name
Double-click any item	Double-click Recycle Bin; Double-
-	click Computer; Double-click file
	name
Switch to an open	Switch to Paint; Switch to WordPad;
program	Switch to program name; Switch
	application
Scroll in one direction	Scroll up; Scroll down; Scroll left;
	Scroll right
Insert a new paragraph	New paragraph; New line
or new line in a	
document	
Select a word in a	Select word
document	
Select a word and start	Correct word
to correct it	
Select and delete specific	Delete word
words	
Show a list of applicable	What can I say?
commands	
Update the list of speech	Refresh speech commands
commands that are	
currently available	
Make the computer	Start listening
listen to you	
Make the computer stop	Stop listening
listening	
Move the Speech	Move speech recognition
Recognition microphone	
bar	
Minimize the	Minimize speech recognition
microphone bar	
View Windows Help	How do I do something?
and Support content	For example, say "How do Linstall a
about specific tasks	For example, say "How do I install a printer?" and a list of help topics is
	returned.
	Note that this command is only
	Note that this command is only available if you're using the U.S.
	English Speech Recognizer. For
	more information, see Setting speech
	options.
	options.

Dictation

Commands for working with text

The following table shows commands for using Speech Recognition to work with text. Words in italic font indicate that you can say many different things in place of the example word or phrase and get useful results.

To do this	Say this
Insert a new line in the document	New line
Insert a new paragraph in the document	New paragraph
Insert a tab	Tab
Insert the literal word for the next	Literal word
command (for example, you can insert	
the word "comma" instead of the	
punctuation mark)	N I I
Insert the numeral form of a number	Numeral number
Put the cursor before a specific word	Go to word
Put the cursor after a specific word	Go after word
Don't insert a space before the next word	No space
Go to the start of the sentence that the	Go to start of
cursor is in	sentence
Go to the start of the paragraph the	Go to start of
cursor is in	paragraph
Go to the start of the document	Go to start of
	document
Go to the end of the sentence that the	Go to end of sentence
cursor is in	Go to end of
Go to the end of the paragraph that the cursor is in	
Go to the end of the current document	paragraph Go to end of
Go to the end of the current document	document
Select the word in the current document	Select word
Select the word range in the current	Select word range;
document	Select word through
	word
Select all text in the current document	Select all
Select a number of words before the	Select previous 20
location of the cursor	words; Select
	previous 10 words
Select a number of words after the	Select next 20
location of the cursor	words; Select next
	10 words
Select the last text you dictated Clear the selection on the screen	Select that Clear selection
Clear the selection on the screen Capitalize the first letter of the word	Clear selection Caps word
Capitalize the first letter of the word Capitalize all the letters of the word	All caps word
Make all the letters in the word	No caps word
lowercase	no caps word
Change the next number of words to	Change next 10
uppercase	words to uppercase
Change the next number of words to	Change next 10
lowercase	words to lowercase
Delete the previous sentence	Delete previous

	sentence
Delete the next sentence	Delete next
	sentence
Delete the previous paragraph	Delete previous
	paragraph
Delete the next paragraph	Delete next
	paragraph
Delete the selected or last dictated text	Delete that

Windows

Commands for working with windows

The following table shows commands for using Speech Recognition to work with windows and programs. Words in italic font indicate that you can say many different things in place of the example word or phrase and get useful results.

To do this	Say this
Open a program	Open Paint; Open WordPad; Open
	program name
Switch to an open	Switch to Paint; Switch to WordPad;
program	Switch to program name; Switch
	application
Close a program	Close that; Close Paint; Close
	Documents
Minimize	Minimize that; Minimize Paint;
	Minimize Documents
Maximize	Maximize that; Maximize Paint;
	Maximize Documents
Restore	Restore that; Restore Paint; Restore
	Documents
Cut	Cut that; Cut
Сору	Copy that; Copy
Paste	Paste
Delete	Delete that; Delete
Undo	Undo that; Scratch that; Undo
Scroll in one	Scroll up; Scroll down; Scroll right;
direction	Scroll left
Scroll an exact	Scroll down 2 pages; Scroll up 10 pages
distance in pages	
Scroll an exact	Scroll up 5; Scroll down 7
distance in other	
units	
Go to a field in a	Go to field name; Go to Subject; Go to
form or a program	Address; Go to Cc

Punctuation marks and special characters

Commands for punctuation marks and special characters

The following table shows commands for using Speech Recognition to insert punctuation marks and special characters. Words in italic font indicate that you can say many different things in place of the example word or phrase and get useful results.

To make this	Say this
appear	
,	Comma
;	Semicolon
•	Period; Dot; Decimal point
:	Colon
"	Open double quote; Open quote
"	Close double quote; Close quote; Close
	inverted commas
•	Apostrophe
•	Open single quote
,	Close single quote
>	Greater than sign
<	Less than sign
1	Forward slash
١	Backslash
~	Tilde
@	At sign
!	Exclamation mark; Exclamation point
?	Question mark
#	Number sign; Pound sign
\$	Dollar sign
%	Percent sign
^	Caret
(Open parenthesis; Open paren
)	Close parenthesis; Close paren
_	Underscore
-	Hyphen; Minus sign; Dash
-	En dash
_	Em dash
=	Equal sign
+	Plus sign
{	Open brace; Open curly bracket
}	Close brace; Close curly bracket
[Open bracket; Open square bracket
]	Close bracket; Close square bracket
	Vertical bar
:-)	Smiley face
:-(Frowny face
;-)	Winky face
ТМ	Trademark sign
3⁄4	Three quarter sign
1/4	One quarter sign
1/2	One half sign
£	Pound sterling sign
	0 . 0

&	Ampersand; And sign
*	Asterisk
//	Double slash
``	Back quote
<	Open angle bracket
>	Close angle bracket
±	Plus or minus sign
«	Open angle quote
»	Close angle quote
×	Multiplication sign
÷	Division sign
¢	Cent sign
¥	Yen sign
ş	Section sign
©	Copyright sign
R	Registered sign, Registered trademark sign
0	Degree sign
¶	Paragraph sign
	Ellipsis; Dot dot dot
f	Function sign

Controls

Commands for using common controls

The following table shows commands for using Speech Recognition to perform tasks in Windows. Words in italic font indicate that you can say many different things in place of the example word or phrase and get useful results.

To do this	Say this
Click any item by saying its name	File; Edit; View; Save; Bold
Click any item	Click File; Click Bold; Click Save; Click Close
Double-click any item	Double-click Computer; Double-click Recycle Bin; Double-click folder name
Right-click any item	Right-click Computer; Right-click Recycle Bin; Right-click folder name
Minimize all windows to show your desktop	Show desktop
Click something you don't know the name of	Show numbers (Numbers will appear on the screen for every item in the active window. Say an item's corresponding number to click it.)
Click a numbered item	19 OK; 5 OK
Double-click a numbered item	Double-click 19; Double-click 5
Right-click a numbered item	Right-click 19; Right-click 5

Keyboard keys

Commands for keyboard keys

The following table shows commands for using Speech Recognition to press keyboard keys. Words in italic font indicate that you can say many different things in place of the example word or phrase and get useful results.

To do this	Say this
Press any key on the keyboard	Press keyboard key; Press a; Press capital b; Press Shift plus a; Press Ctrl plus a
Press certain keyboard keys without saying ''press'' first	Delete; Backspace; Enter; Page Up; Page down; Home; End; Tab

Click anywhere on the screen

Commands for clicking anywhere on the screen

The following table shows commands for using Speech Recognition to click anywhere on the screen. Words in italic font indicate that you can say many different things in place of the example word or phrase and get useful results.

To do this	Say this
Show the mousegrid	Mousegrid
Move the mouse pointer to	Number—or numbers—of the
the center of any	square; 1; 7; 9; 1, 7, 9
mousegrid square	
Click any mousegrid	Click number of the square
square	
Select an item to drag with	Number—or numbers—of the
the mousegrid	square where the item appears; 3,
	7, 9 (followed by) mark
Select an area where you	Number—or numbers—of the
want to drag the item with	square where you want to drag; 4,
the mousegrid	5, 6 (followed by) click