

Stupid Windows Vista Tricks

Keyboard shortcuts

Ctrl+Shift+Esc	Task Manager (Ctrl+Alt+Del - Tasks Screen)
Ctrl+Shift+Enter	Run an executable with elevated privileges
Windows logo key+I-0	Launch the shortcuts on the Quick Launch toolbar
Windows logo key+T	Cycle through programs on the taskbar
Windows logo key+Tab	Cycle through programs on the taskbar using Flip 3-D
Ctrl+Windows logo key+Tab using Flip 3-D	Use arrow keys to cycle through programs on the taskbar
Windows logo key+Spacebar	Bring all gadgets to the front and select Windows Sidebar
Windows logo key+G	Cycle through Sidebar gadgets
Windows logo key+X	Open Windows Mobility Center

Huge Icons on your Desktop

Click on your Desktop, press Ctrl + Scroll Up (this works in any folder).

You can make them larger when you select Large Icons from the menu (Right Click | VIEW | LARGE ICONS.) I use this for Internet Explorer all the time.

Turn Windows Features on or off

Some programs and features that are included with Windows, such as Internet Information Services, must be turned on before you can use them. Certain other features are turned on by default, but you can turn them off if you don't use them.

In earlier versions of Windows, to turn a feature off you had to uninstall it completely from your computer but in Windows Vista, the features remain stored on your hard disk, so you can turn them back on at any time if you want to. Turning off a feature does not uninstall the feature, and it does not reduce the amount of hard disk space used by Windows features. Open the CONTROL PANEL, click PANEL | PROGRAMS. Now click "Turn Windows features on or off" in the Programs and Features section.