Gnus 5.0
Quick Refcard

Notes

The prefixed behavior of commands is given in [brackets]. Often the prefix is used to specify:

[distance] How many objects to move the point over.

[scope] How many objects to operate on (including the current one).

[p/p] The "Process/Prefix Convention": If a prefix is given then it determines how many objects to operate on. Else if there are some objects marked with the process mark #, these are operated on. Else only the current object is affected.

[level] A group subscribedness level. Only groups with a lower or equal level will be affected by the operation. If no prefix is given, 'gnus-group-default-list-level' is used. If 'gnus-group-use-permanent-levels', then a prefix to the 'g' and 'l' commands will also set the default level.

[score] An article score. If no prefix is given, 'gnus-summary-default-score' is used.

C-c C-i	Go to the Gnus online **info**.
C-c C-b	Send a Gnus **bug** report.

Group Mode

RET	(=) Select this group. [Prefix: how many (read) articles to fetch. Positive: newest articles, negative: oldest ones.]
SPC	Select this group and display the first unread article. [Same prefix as above.]
?	Give a very short help message.
<	Go to the beginning of the Group buffer.
>	Go to the end of the Group buffer.
,	Jump to the lowest-level group with unread articles.
.	Jump to the first group with unread articles.
#	(M m) Set the process mark on this group. [scope]
a	Post an **article** to a group.
c	Mark all unticked articles in this group as read (**catch-up**). [p/p]
g	Check the server for new articles (**get**). [level]
j	**Jump** to a group.
l	(A s) **List** groups with unread articles. [level]
m	**Mail** a message to someone.
n	Go to the **next** group with unread articles. [distance]
p	(DEL) Go to the **previous** group with unread articles. [distance]
q	**Quit** Gnus.
s	**Save** the '.newsrc.eld' file (and '.newsrc' if 'gnus-save-newsrc-file').
u	(S t) Toggle subscription to this group (**unsibscribe**). [p/p]
C	Mark all articles in this group as read (**catch-up**). [p/p]
L	(A u) **List** all groups. [If no prefix is given, level 7 is the default]
Q	**Quit** Gnus without saving any startup (.newsrc) files.
U	(S s) Prompt for a group and toggle its subscription.
C-c C-a	(A a) List all groups whose names match a regexp (**apropos**).
C-c C-d	Show the **description** of this group. [Prefix: re-read it from the server.]
C-c C-l	(A k) **List** all killed groups.
C-c C-s	**Sort** the groups by name, number of unread articles, or level (depending on 'gnus-group-sort-function').
C-k	(S k) **Kill** this group.
C-w	(S w) Kill all groups in the region.
C-y	(S y) **Yank** the last killed group.
C-x C-t	**Transpose** two groups.
M-f	Fetch this group's **FAQ** (using ange-ftp).
M-g	Check the server for new articles in this group (**get**). [p/p]
A z	List the **zombie** groups.
G h	Make the Gnus **help** (documentation) group.

Article Mode

The normal navigation keys work in Article mode. Some additional keys are:

RET	(middle mouse button) Activate the button at point to follow an URL or Message-ID.
TAB	Move the point to the next button.
h	(s) Go to the **header** line of the article in the **summary** buffer.
C-c ^	Get the article with the Message-ID near point.
C-c C-m	**Mail** reply to the address near point (prefix: include the original).

Summary Mode

SPC	(A SPC, A n) Select an article, scroll it one page, move to the next one.
DEL	(A DEL, A p, b) Scroll this article one page back. [distance]
RET	Scroll this article one line forward. [distance]
=	Expand the Summary window. [Prefix: shrink it to display the Article window]
^	(A ^, A r) Go to the parent of this article (the References header).
<	(A <, A b) Scroll to the beginning of this article.
>	(A >, A e) Scroll to the end of this article.
,	(G b) Go to the best article (the one with highest score).
.	(G f) Go to the first unread article.
!	(u, M !, M t) Tick this article (mark it as interesting) and move to the next one. [scope]
?	(M ?) Mark this article as dormant (only followups are interesting). [scope]
#	(M P p, M #) Mark this article with the process mark.
|	(O p) Pipe this article to a shell command. [p/p]
&	Execute a command on all articles matching a regexp. [Prefix: move backwards.]
a	(S p) Post an **article** to this group.
c	(Z c) Mark all unticked articles as read and go to the next group (**catch-up**).
d	(M d, M r) Mark this article as read and move to the next one. [scope]
e	(B w) **Edit** this article (only in a mail group).
f	(S f) Post a **followup** to this article.
g	(A g) (Re)fetch this article (**get**). [Prefix: just show the article.]
j	(G g) Ask for an article number and then **jump** that summary line.
k	(M k) **Kill** all articles with the same subject then select the next one.
l	(G l) Go to the **last** article read.
m	(S m) Send a **mail** to some other person.
n	(G n) Go to the **next** unread article.
o	(C-o, O o) Save this article using the default article saver (**output**). [p/p]
p	Go to the **previous** unread article.
q	(Z Z, Z Q) **Quit** this group.
r	(S r) Mail a **reply** to the author of this article.
s	(A s) Perform an i**search** in the article buffer.
t	(W t) **Toggle** the displaying of all headers.
w	(W l) Remove page breaks (**^L**) from the article.
x	(M M-r) **Expunge** all read articles from this group.
C	(S c) **Cancel** this article (only works if it is your own).
D	Mark this article as read and move to the previous one. [scope]
F	(S F) Post a **followup** and include the original. [p/p]
Q	(Z E) **Quit** without updating the group information.
R	(S R) Mail a **reply** and include the original. [p/p]
U	Tick this article and move to the previous one. [scope]
C-k	(M K) **Kill** all articles with the same subject as this one.
C-t	**Toggle** truncation of summary lines.
C-w	Mark all articles between point and mark as read.
M-^	Fetch the article with a given Message-ID.
M-#	(M P u, M M-#) Unmark this article.
M-&	Execute a command on all articles having the process mark.
M-g	(Z G) Check for new articles in this group (**get**).
M-k	Edit this group's **kill** file.
M-r	Search through all previous articles for a regexp.
M-s	**Search** through all subsequent articles for a regexp.
M-u	(M SPC, M c) Clear all marks from this article and move to the next one (**unmark**). [scope]
M-K	Edit the general **kill** file.
M-U	Clear all marks from this article and move to the previous one (**unmark**). [scope]
M-C-b	(T p) Go to the previous thread (**backward**). [distance]
M-C-f	(T n) Go to the next thread (**forward**). [distance]
M-C-k	(T k) **Kill** the current (sub)thread. [Negative prefix: tick it, positive prefix: unmark it.]
M-C-t	(T T) **Toggle** threading.
C-c C-f	(S o m) **Forward** this article by mail to a person.
C-c C-v C-v	(X v u) Uudecode and view these series. [p/p]
C-c C-r	(W r) Do a Caesar **rotate** (rot13) on the article.
B DEL	**Delete** the mail article from disk (!). [p/p]
B c	**Copy** this article from any group to a mail group. [p/p]
B m	**Move** the article from one mail group to another. [p/p]
M H	Catch-Up (mark read) this group to point (**here**).
O z	Save this article in **file**, **mh** folder, **mail**, **rmail**, **vm** format. [p/p]
S b	**Both** post a followup to this article, and send a reply.
S s	**Supersede** this article with a new one (only for own articles).
S B	**Both** post a followup, send a reply, and include the original. [p/p]
T h	**Hide** this (sub)thread.
T s	**Show** the thread hidden under this article.
W b	Make Message-IDs and URLs in the article to mouse-clickable **buttons**.
W w	Do **word** wrap in the article.
W T e	Convert the article timestamp to time **elapsed** since sent.
W T l	Convert the article timestamp to the **local** timezone.
W T u	(W T z) Convert the article timestamp to **UTC** (**Zulu**, GMT).
W W a	Hide unwanted parts of the article (citation, headers, signature).
W H a	Highlight **all** parts of the article (citation, headers, signature).