iMovie Keyboard Shortcuts

for Mac

File menu functions

New Project	command + N	
Open Project	command + O	
Save Project	command + S	
Save Frame As	command + F	
Share	shift + command + F	
Import	shift + command + I	
Show Info	command + I	

Navigation

Play/Stop and Start/Stop capture	space
Move playhead to beginning of movie	Home key (if available)
Move playhead to end of movie	End key (if available)
Forward one frame	▶
Forward ten frames	shift + ▶
Move playhead forward	Hold ▶
Back one frame	◀
Back ten frames	shift + ◀
Move playhead backward	Hold ◀
Move between text fields	tab

Selection

Select multiple items	Shift+click items
Select a range of items	Click first item then Shift+click last item
Select multiple discontigious items	Command+click items

Accept/cancel

Accept dialog (OK)	enter return
Cancel dialog	esc
Cancel rendering	command + >.

Moving/cropping

Move selected audio clip	◀ OR ▶
Move selected audio clip ten frames	shift + ◀ OR ▶
Move selected video clip to create black frames	ctrl + ◀ OR ▶
Move selected video clip to create ten black frames	ctrl + shift + ◀ OR ▶
Move selected video crop marker	◀ OR ▶
Move selected video crop marker ten frames	shift + ◀ OR ▶
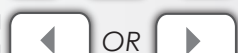
View menu functions

Switch to Clip Viewer or Timeline Viewer	command + E
Scroll to Playhead	alt option + command + P
Scroll to Selection	alt option + command + S
Zoom to Selection	alt option + command + Z

Bookmarks

Add Bookmark	command + E
Delete Bookmark	shift + command + E
Next Bookmark	command + }]
Previous Bookmark	command + { [

Editing

Crop	command + K
Split Clip at Playhead	command + T
Create Still Frame	shift + command + S
Select None	shift + command + A

Advanced functions

Extract Audio	command + J
Paste Over at Playhead	shift + command + V
Reverse Clip Direction	command + R
Lock Audio Clip at Playhead	command + L

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