

InDesign CS4 tools panel all 44 tools, shortcuts, and buttons revealed

Selection tools

- Selection (V, Esc)
- Direct Selection (A)
- Position (Shift+A)

Drawing and Type tools

- Pen (P)
- Add Anchor Point(=)
- Delete Anchor Point (-)
- Convert Direction Point (Shift+C)
- Type (T)
- Type On a Path (Shift+T)
- Pencil (N)
- Smooth
- Erase
- Line (l)
- Rectangle Frame (F)
- Ellipse Frame
- Polygon Frame
- Rectangle (M)
- Ellipse (L)
- Polygon

Transformation tools

- Rotate (R)
- Scale (S)
- Shear
- Scissors (C)
- Free Transform (E)
- Gradient Swatch (G)
- Gradient Feather (Shift+G)

Modification and Navigation tools

- Note
- Eyedropper (I)
- Measure (K)
- Hand (H)
- Zoom (Z)

- Indicates the default tool of the group
- Note: Keyboard shortcuts appear in parentheses

Stroke and Fill tools

- Fill (X)
- Stroke (X)
- Swap Fill and Stroke (Shift+X)
- Default Fill and Stroke (D)

Apply to Container

- Formatting affects container
- Formatting affects text

Apply

- Apply Color (,)
- Apply Gradient (.)
- Apply None (/)

Screen Views

- Normal (W)
- Preview (W)
- Preview plus Bleed (W)
- Preview plus Slug (W)

