

# How to Toggle WiFi on and Off with a Keyboard Shortcut on Mac

Once you set one up, you can use a keyboard shortcut to turn on or off your WiFi on a Mac, easily. Open Terminal. Copy paste this in: .

Part 1 of 2:

## Creating the Action

1. **Open Terminal.** Copy paste this in: `networksetup -listnetworkserviceorder` .
2. **Remember the number that shows the WiFi.** Then, you can close Terminal and open Automator.
3. **Choose a type for your document.** Click on  and .
4. **Search for `run shell script` in the search bar on the left.** Double click on it.
5. **Make sure the top section is correct on the right:** `Workflow receives no input in any application` .
6. **Copy and paste the following script into the section of 'Run Shell Script,' substituting 'X' with any number that you found the WiFi port to be earlier.** The script is `networksetup -getairportpower enX` .
7. **Click on  in the top right corner.** See if your WiFi turns off. You might need to wait a few seconds. If it works, click on the  and save the action, and name it something obvious like 'WiFi Toggle.' Then, proceed to the next section.

Part 2 of 2:

## Creating the Keyboard Shortcut.

1. **Open  > .** At the top, click on .
2. **Click on .** Scroll to the very bottom until you find the action that you just created.
3. **Click on the  to the right of the name.** Then, click on .
4. **Type in your shortcut.** You might use `Ctrl+?Opt+?Cmd+W` . Control Option Command W). Make sure the shortcut is not a common shortcut.
5. **Test your shortcut.** It should work!

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