

AutoCAD Shortcuts: Knowledge Check

Test your understanding of essential AutoCAD commands and concepts.

Core Concepts

1. What is the purpose of the prefix '_' (underscore) when using AutoCAD in a Polish language version?

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2. Why do professionals prefer typing aliases over clicking icons?

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3. Define the term "Snap" in AutoCAD.

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Command Identification

Match the following drawing and modifying actions to their correct English shortcut by writing the letter in the table below.

Action	Shortcut
4. Create a straight segment from one point to another	
5. Duplicate an existing object	
6. Draw a four-sided closed polyline	
7. Cut an object to meet the edges of other objects	

Application

You are drafting a floor plan. State the sequence of shortcut aliases you would type to perform the following actions.

8. Draw a line, then immediately draw a circle, and then draw another line.

9. You have just drawn a rectangle. What key can you press to immediately draw another rectangle without typing 'REC' again?



Remember to use the Command Line to verify your inputs and view prompts!

Answer Key

It allows you to use English shortcuts in any language version of the software.

Typing aliases reduces mouse travel. Professionals type with their left hand and navigate with their right.

A tool that allows you to lock onto specific points like endpoints or midpoints.

L, C, L (or L, C, Space/Enter if repeating previous command logic applies, but explicitly L, C, L is fine).

Enter or Spacebar