

Configuration Files

All ZoomText settings can be saved and restored using configuration files. Configuration files control all ZoomText features, including magnification level, zoom window type, screen enhancements, reading options and hotkeys. Any number of files can be saved, allowing you to create custom ZoomText configurations that can be recalled at any time.

Saving and Loading Configurations

The current ZoomText settings can be saved to a configuration file at any time. This configuration file can be loaded at a later time and the saved settings will take effect immediately.

► **To save settings to a configuration file**

1. Set all ZoomText features as desired.
2. In the File menu, choose Save Configuration...

The Save Configuration dialog box appears displaying the existing configuration files.

3. Type the name of the new configuration in the **F**ile name: box.
4. Click on the **O**K button.

► **To load settings from a configuration file**

1. In the File menu, choose Open Configuration...

The Open Configuration dialog box appears displaying the existing configuration files.

2. Highlight the desired configuration file.
3. Click on the **O**pen button.

The Default Configuration

When you start ZoomText, the default configuration file `Zt8.zxc`, is automatically loaded. This file contains the built-in defaults for all ZoomText settings. You can create your own default configuration, which will load your custom settings whenever ZoomText is run. Don't worry about losing the built-in settings – the original default file can be easily restored.

▶ **To save a custom default configuration**

1. Set all ZoomText features as desired.
2. In the File menu, choose **S**ave As Default.
3. Select Yes to overwrite the current default configuration.

▶ **To restore the original default configuration file**

1. In the File menu, choose Restore Default.
2. Select Yes to overwrite the current default configuration.

Configuration Hotkeys

You can use hotkeys to load configuration files, without activating the ZoomText user interface. Before a configuration hotkey can be used, a configuration file must be assigned to it. The following table lists the default configuration hotkeys. For information on assigning configurations to hotkeys, see "Changing Hotkey Settings" in Chapter 6.

To load...	Press
Configuration File 1	ALT + SHIFT + 1
Configuration File 2	ALT + SHIFT + 2
Configuration File 3	ALT + SHIFT + 3
Configuration File 4	ALT + SHIFT + 4
Configuration File 5	ALT + SHIFT + 5
Configuration File 6	ALT + SHIFT + 6
Configuration File 7	ALT + SHIFT + 7
Configuration File 8	ALT + SHIFT + 8
Configuration File 9	ALT + SHIFT + 9
Configuration File 10	ALT + SHIFT + 0