

## Audacious - OLD, PLEASE USE GITHUB DISCUSSIONS/ISSUES - Feature #820

### Global shortcuts for a Qt version

August 15, 2018 17:02 - Artem S. Tashkinov

<b>Status:</b>	Closed	<b>Start date:</b>	August 15, 2018
<b>Priority:</b>	Minor	<b>Due date:</b>	
<b>Assignee:</b>		<b>% Done:</b>	100%
<b>Category:</b>		<b>Estimated time:</b>	0.00 hour
<b>Target version:</b>	4.1		
<b>Affects version:</b>	3.9.1		
<b>Description</b>			
I wonder why they aren't implemented.			

#### History

##### #1 - August 17, 2018 18:54 - Yao Mitachi

For now, Audacious can just work with however your desktop environment handles shortcuts. I know Plasma and Gnome both have global shortcut functionality. I went into Gnome's keyboard shortcuts settings just now, enabled my shortcut for play/pause and next/previous track, and they work.

##### #2 - August 19, 2018 17:02 - John Lindgren

I wonder why they aren't implemented.

The existing Global Shortcuts plugin uses GDK (and specifically the X11 backend of GDK) and therefore doesn't work with Qt. If you would like to work on a Qt port, that would be great.

##### #3 - August 22, 2018 22:33 - Artem S. Tashkinov

I definitely wouldn't venture to do that with my missing C++ skills, so I'll leave this as a reference:

<https://github.com/falceeffect/UGlobalHotkey>

<https://github.com/hluk/qxtglobalshortcut>

<https://evileg.com/en/post/174/>

##### #4 - August 22, 2018 22:36 - Artem S. Tashkinov

Sorry for spamming:

<https://github.com/Legotckoi/QGlobalShortcut>

<https://github.com/mitei/qglobalshortcut>

##### #5 - December 05, 2020 16:40 - John Lindgren

- % Done changed from 0 to 100
- Status changed from New to Closed

Git master has a Qt Global Hotkeys plugin now.

<https://github.com/audacious-media-player/audacious-plugins/pull/86>

**#6 - December 21, 2020 21:05 - Thomas Lange**

- Target version set to 4.1