LightWave 8 Modeler Menus

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Freeze	D	Construct > Convert
Gear		Create > Primitives: More
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Magnet	:	Modify > Translate
Magnify		View > Viewports
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Make Closed Curve		Create > Curves: Make Curve
Make Open Curve	^P	Create > Curves: Make Curve

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Make Pole		Multiply > Subdivide: More
Make Polygon	р	Create > Polygons
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Make UVs		Map > Texture
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Measure Tool	^E	Detail > Edges: Measure
Merge Points	m	Detail > Points
Merge Polys	Ζ	Detail > Polygons
Metaballs		Create > Polygons
Metaedges		Create > Polygons
MetaFormPlus		Multiply > Subdivide: More
Mirror	V	Multiply > Duplicate
MoCap Skelegons		Setup > Skelegons: More
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Motion Path Clone		Multiply > Duplicate: More
Motion Path Extrude	Р	Multiply > Extend: More
Move	t	Modify > Translate
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Multi Text		Create > Text
New Color Map		Map > Color
New Endomorph		Map > Morph
New Object	Ν	Top Menu Group > File
New Quad Polygon Map		Map > Texture: Poly Map
New UV Map		Map > Texture
New Weight Map		Map > Weight
Next Empty Layer		View > Layers: More
Normal Baker		Map > General: More
Normalize Map		Map > General: More
Numeric	n	Bottom Edge
Object Collapse	end	View > Layers
Pan		View > Viewports
ParametricObj		Create > Primitives: More
Particle Clone		Multiply > Duplicate: More
Paste	V	Top Menu Group > Edit
Paste Tool		Top Menu Group > Edit
Paste UVs		Map > Texture: More
Patch	^F	Construct > Patches
Path to Motion		Top Menu Group > File: Export
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Pivot		View > Layers
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Point Clone Plus		Multiply > Duplicate: More
Point Color		Map > Color
Point Info	i	Bottom Edge > Info
Point Normal Move		Modify > Translate: More
Points	+	Create > Points
Points (Selection)	^G	Bottom Edge
Points to Polys		Create > Polygons
Pole Evenly Tool		Modify > Transform: More
Pole Tool		Modify > Transform: More
Poly Info	i	Bottom Edge > Info
Polygon Map to UVs		Map > Texture: Poly Map
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Polygons (Selection)	^H	Bottom Edge
Presets Panel	F9	Top Menu Group > Windows
QS Dbl Term		Multiply > Subdivide: More
QS Double		Multiply > Subdivide: More
QS Term		Multiply > Subdivide: More
Quantize UVs		Map > Texture: Point Maps
Quantize		Modify > Transform: More
Quick Saw		Multiply > Subdivide: More
QuickCut1		Multiply > Subdivide: More
QuickCut2		Multiply > Subdivide: More
QuickCut3		Multiply > Subdivide: More
Quit	Q	Top Menu Group > File
Radial Array		Multiply > Duplicate: More
Radial Select		View > Selection: More
Rail Bevel		Multiply > Extend: More
Rail Clone		Multiply > Duplicate: More
Rail Extrude	^R	Multiply > Extend
Random Points		Create > Points
Random Pricks		Multiply > Subdivide: More
Recent Content Directories		Top Menu Group > Edit
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Reduce Points		Construct > Reduce
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Reduce Polys +		Construct > Reduce
Remove Edges		Detail > Edges
Remove Polygons	k	Construct > Reduce: Remove
Remove Vertices from Polygons		Construct > Reduce: Remove
Rename Skelgns		Setup > Skelegons
Rename Vertex Map		Map > General: Edit Maps
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Rotate	у	Modify > Rotate
Rotate About Normal		Modify > Rotate: More
Rotate Any Axis		Modify > Rotate: More
Rotate Arbitrary Axis		Modify > Rotate: More
Rotate HPB		Modify > Rotate: More
Rotate Morph		Modify > Rotate: More
Rotate Skelegons		Setup > Skelegons
Rotate To Ground	F4	Modify > Rotate: More
Rotate To Object		Modify > Rotate: More
Rotate UVs (Per Poly)		Map > Texture: More
Rounder		Multiply > Extend
Router		Multiply > Extend: More
Rove		Modify > Translate: More
S (Point Sets)		VMap Bar
Save All Objects		Top Menu Group > File
Save Cmd List		Utilities > Commands
Save Incremental	S	Top Menu Group > File
Save Layers as Object		Top Menu Group > File
Save Object	S	Top Menu Group > File
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Save-Object-Section		Top Menu Group > File: Sections
Save-Object-Section-Cut		Top Menu Group > File: Sections
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Save-Object-Section-Points-Cut		Top Menu Group > File: Sections
Scale Morph		Modify > Transform: More
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Segment Scale		Modify > Transform
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Spray Points		Create > Points
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SPW2Weight		Map > Weight
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Star Sphere		Create > Primitives: More
Statistics	W	Bottom Edge
Stipple		Create > Points
Stretch	h	Modify > Transform
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Translate Plus		Modify > Translate: More
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Triple	Т	Multiply > Subdivide
Twist		Modify > Rotate
Undo	^Z	Top Menu Group > Edit
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Wedge		Create > Primitives: More
Weights		Map > Weight
Weld	M	Detail > Points
Weld Average		Detail > Points
Wrap Sphere		Modify > Transform: More
Zoom	^Q	View > Viewports
Zoom In		View > Viewports: More
Zoom In X2	>	View > Viewports: More
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Zoom Out X2	<	View > Viewports: More