

**CalcTERA - v1.00**

Windows tipographical calculator  
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## How do I register and what do I get?

If you like CalcTERA and you choose to use it, you **must** register it. You are not allowed to keep and use CalcTERA unless you register.

Please see ORDRFORM.WRI for more information on registration.

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## CalcTERA

CalcTERA is an easy to use typographical calculator designed to facilitate the computation using typographical units; it does on the fly conversion between a large set of measurement units as well as the four standard mathematical operations (+, -, \*, /) in any unit.

The supported units are:

<b>pt</b>	pica points, 72.27 pica points equals 1 inch
<b>pc</b>	picas, 12 pica points
<b>dd</b>	didot points, 1157 didots equals 1238 pica points
<b>cc</b>	ciceros, 12 didot points
<b>inch</b>	inches, 1 inch equals 2.54 centimeters
<b>cm</b>	centimeters
<b>mm</b>	millimeters
<b>twips</b>	twentieth of a PostScript point: 1440 twips equals to 1 inch; a conventional unit used by Windows drivers
<b>bp</b>	PostScript points (Big Points), 1 bp equals to 1/72 of an inch

Picas (and ciceros) are displayed using the form

<picas>.<points>.<fraction of points>

e.g.

1.6.5

means 1 pica, 6 pica points and 5 tenths of a points, i.e. 18.5 points.

## Options

Via the Options dialogue you can set up the following program preferences:

**Key click** check the box if you want to hear the typical keyboard click whenever a button is pressed

- Display error messages**      check the box if you want to be prompted with an error message box when an error occurs (division by zero, overflow), otherwise an error condition will be indicated by an 'E' appearing in the digits display
- Minimize after**      enter the number of minutes and seconds after which CalcTERA will go from idle to iconic status
- OFF button**      select the desired action for the OFF button (close CalcTERA or go into iconic status)
- Decimals**      enter the number of digits you want to be displayed after the decimal point

This settings are saved in the file CALCTERA.INI in the Windows directory.

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