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Introduction

EasyCal™ is mainly design for any CAD Drawing; Accounting; Spreadsheet and any other application that calculations are needed.. It has some feature that will fit in daily use.

EasyCal™ is an easy and convenient to use a calculator when working in Windows™ Version 3.1 and higher. It comes with a metric converter that can let user to perform metric calculation easier. With its stay on top feature, user can access EasyCal™ in any application you are currently using, and there is no need to press the ALT-ESC or ALT-Tab to switch form one application to calculator again and again.

EasyCal™ can also let you display the date and the time in various format when EasyCal™ is in its minimize mode.

EasyCal™ have an option that let you link EasyCal™ to the application you are currently working on and send the date, time, and/or calculation result to the linked application automatically. If your application accept keyboard input, it will work fine with EasyCal™.

You can Press [F1] anytime if you need help, EasyCal™ will show you with the relative topic of the current screen.

Tooltips to let you easy understand what these buttons   stand for, and make you working with EasyCal™ fast and easy.

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Freqency Ask Question……...

How do I move EasyCal™ to the location I really want while its in Calculation Mode?

How do I move EasyCal™ to the location I really want while its in Minimize Mode?

How do I change the date and time display format, if I dont like the display formats that EasyCal™ currently used?

How do I link EasyCal™ to the application I am currently working on, and what is the difference between Manual and Automatic mode? How do they work?

After I select my word processor to linked with EasyCal™, why does it sometimes display an error message that says Link Error, change the link mode to manual, and tell me to re-link again. Why does this happen and what shall I do?

EasyCal™ always send the result to my application, if I just want to perform calculation without having the result send to my application, what should I do?

I had already linked my application with EasyCal™, why didnt it send the result to my application automatically?

Please make sure the Automatic Paste Option was selected, because EasyCal™ will only send the result to the linked application when the Automatic Paste Option was selected, otherwise it will send the result to Clipboard only.

You can have two method to use, depend on what you want to do.

1. Temporary disable the automatically send result function.
   In the Option Setup Windows, you can see the option Enable Paste/Linking, uncheck this to temporarily disable EasyCal™ to send result to the linked application.

2. Send the result to clipboard

   In the Option Setup Windows, click on the **Set...** button to display the Task List Window, select the Manual Paste option, and now EasyCal™ will only send the result to the clipboard and not to your application.

To move EasyCal™ is simple, when you point the mouse cursor on the empty space next to Option Button; the mouse cursor will change to the move mode. Now, you can move EasyCal™ by press down and hold the left mouse button, and move to your desired postition.. EasyCal™ will move to any place you want. If you are satisfied with   the new location, release the mouse button and EasyCal™ will remember this location and stay at this place until you move it again.

If EasyCal™ is in Minimize Mode, you can point the mouse cursor to any edge of EasyCal Button, and press down and hold the left mouse button. Although the cursor will not change, but EasyCal™ is ready for you to move it to any location you desire. If you are satisfied with the location, release the mouse button and EasyCal™ will remember this location and stay at this place until you move it again.

To change the display format, just point to and click the right mouse button, the Display Option windows will show up, and now you can select the display format you want.

To link EasyCal™ to your working application is easy, whether you are in minimize or calculation mode. You can set linking application by clicking the Set... button, EasyCal™ will show a task window and it let you select the application that is currently running under Windows™. Session.

Manual mode: - EasyCal™ will send the calculation result to clipboard, you can use the paste command in your application.

Automatic mode   - EasyCal™ will send the calculation result direct to the linked application at the cursor position.

If your word processor or application you linked with EasyCal™ allows working with multiple files or documents, you can properly linked to one of the files you are working currently. If this time you switch to another files or save the file to another name, EasyCal™ will lose its link target, so it displays a message to tell you re-link your application to EasyCal™ again.

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How to Register EasyCal™

To register EasyCal™, click on the Register Button from the Option Setting window, EasyCal™ will display a Registration information Window   just follow the instruction to enter your information, and print it right away. Sent the registration form with Money Order or Check payable to RICKY LAU SIU FAI as the address shown at the top of registration   form.. All the Money Order of Check should all be in Canadian funds and drawn on Canada Bank.

If EasyCal™ can not print the registration form , it may be your printer driver is not compatible with EasyCal™. In this case, you can also print the registration form REGFORM.TXT using your favourite editor and fill in the information. You can tell us what brand of your printeris , and we will try to make it works with it in future EasyCal™ releases. To make you feel CONVIENCE AND COMFORTABLE is our goals.

There are three Version of EasyCal™ you can register as:

1)Register Version -   We will only send you a register serial code with a license agreement between you (End User) to us (The author) without any diskette.
   Price : - CAD$15.00
   S&H : - US & Canada CAD$5.00   /   Internation CAD$8.00
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   Price : - CAD$20.00
   S&H : - US & Canada CAD$5.00   /   Internation CAD$8.00
   Screen Saver : - Free of Charge and will be included in the enclosed diskette.

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

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Click left button to return EasyCal™ to calculation mode.
Click right button to display the display setting window.

Show you the current date with format you selected in display setting windows. Click right button will automatically send the current date to linked application as the same format displayed..

Show you the current time with format you selected in display setting windows. Click right button will automatically send the current time to linked application as the same format displayed.

Press and hold the left button on any edge of EasyCal™, you can move to the location where you want. EasyCal will remember and anchor here until you move it again.

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

| MC | MR | M- | M+ | | 0 | + | - | × | / | = | % | Minimize |
| C | CE | Back | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | . | Option |

| Area | Capacity | | |
| Length | Weight | | Convert |

Button Definition.

MC Memory Cancel Button - Press this button will reset the memory value to ZERO. (You can press [END] key)
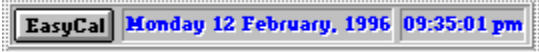
MR Memory Remember Button - Press this button will display the memory value in result panel. (You can press [HOME] key)

M- Memory Minus Button - Press this button will minus the result in Result Panel from memory value. (You can press [DELETE] key

M+ Memory Plus Button - Press this button will add the result in Result Panel to memory value. (You can press [INSERT] key)

EasyCal Monday 12 February, 1996 09:35:01 pm Cancel Button - Press this button will reset the result in Result Panel to ZERO and start a new calculation. (You can press [PAGE UP] or [ESC] key)

CE Cancel Error Button - Press this button if you enter a wrong number, EasyCal™ will return the last calculation value for you to working again. (You can press [PAGE DOWN] key)

Back Back Button - Press this button will backward one digit space, its helpful when you entering a long number and prevent you to reenter again from error.(You can press [Backspace] Key)

| EasyCal | Monday 12 February, 1996 | 09:35:01 pm | (Hotkey - [END] key) |

| EasyCal | Monday 12 February, 1996 | 09:35:01 pm | (Hotkey -[HOME] key) |

| EasyCal | Monday 12 February, 1996 | 09:35:01 pm | (Hotkey -[DELETE] key |

| EasyCal | Monday 12 February, 1996 | 09:35:01 pm | (Hotkey -[INSERT] key) |

| EasyCal | Monday 12 February, 1996 | 09:35:01 pm | (Hotkey -[PAGE UP] or [ESC] key) |

| CE | (Hotkey -[PAGE DOWN] key) |

| Back | (Hotkey -[Backspace] Key) |

This is Result Panel to show the calculation result. If the Paste Link option of EasyCal™ is enabled, this result will

paste to the linked application when or

 are pressed in Automatic Link Mode.

If there is a red spot in Result Panel, that mean you have memory value in EasyCal™

Number pad, you can use either mouse or keyboard to input.

Operation Button

Act as traditional calculator button, but the and

 have different meanings. When the Paste/Linking mode is enabled. Press these two buttons will cause EasyCal™ to send the calculation result to Clipboard in Manual Link Mode and sent the calculation result to Linked Application in Automatic Link Mode.

If you point the mouse here, the mouse pointer will change to move mode. You just press down and hold left button, now you can move EasyCal™ to any location you like. Release the mouse button when satisfied, EasyCal™ will remember this location and anchor here until you move it again.

Click this button will turn EasyCal™ to a small floating button bar.
It has the option to show you current date and time.

Click this button will display an option setting windows that let you customize EasyCal™.
The options are running mode, decimal point setting, color setting, link option, button size, sound and converter mode.

Four sets of metric conversion is available in EasyCal™.
Area, Capacity, Length, Weight

You can select the conversion units form this list, these conversion   units are available base on the Metric Button you selected.

This is the Metric Result Panel, showing you the result after conversion from currently selected Metric Unit.

Click this button to perform Conversion, EasyCal™ calculate the value using the figure in Result Panel with the selected Metric Unit and display it in Metric Result Panel.

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

Please Select Paste Link Application ☒

○ Manual Paste   ⦿ Automatic Paste

Document - WordPad
FF Capture
File Open Message Window
Hotspot Editor
Program Manager
Spooler Process
Untitled - Notepad

EasyCal Link to : Untitled - Notepad

[Link It]   [Don't Change]
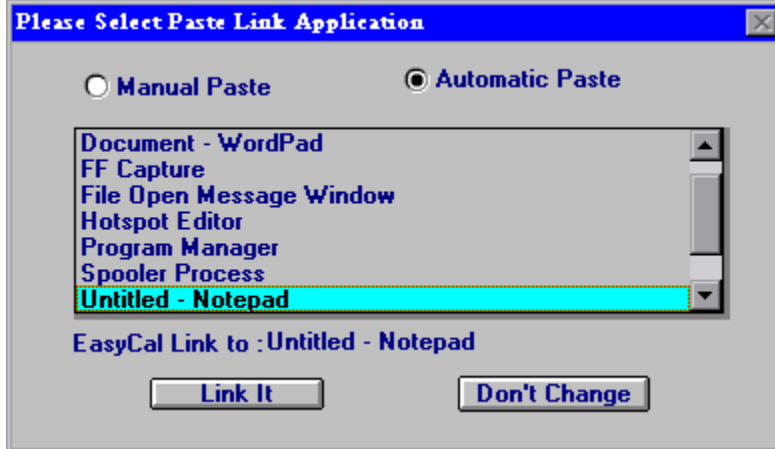
Select the paste mode that EasyCal™ should use.

[Automatic] - EasyCal™ will send the calculation result to the linked application automatically.

[Manual]   -   EayCal™ will send the calculation result to clipboard.
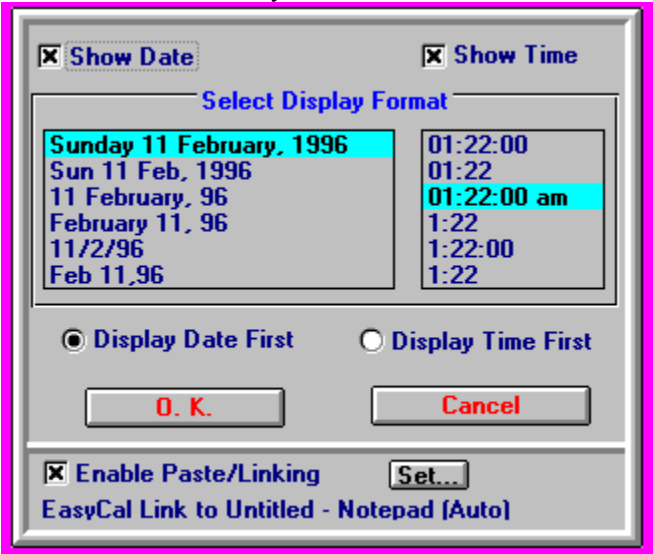
This task list window show you what applications are currently running. You can select any application by clicking on its name to linking it with EasyCal™.

This message tell you what application that EasyCal™ is linking currently.

Click this button to confirm linking option and return to EasyCal™.

Click this button to cancel any change you made and return to EasyCal™.

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

☒ Show Date   ☒ Show Time

Select Display Format

Sunday 11 February, 1996
Sun 11 Feb, 1996
11 February, 96
February 11, 96
11/2/96
Feb 11,96

01:22:00
01:22
01:22:00 am
1:22
1:22:00
1:22

⦿ Display Date First   ○ Display Time First

O. K.	Cancel

☒ Enable Paste/Linking   Set...

EasyCal Link to Untitled - Notepad (Auto)

Check this box if you want EasyCal™ display currently date.

Check this box if you want EasyCal™ display currently time.

Click to the date format you want EasyCal™ to use to display the date.
EasyCal™ will send the date to the linked application as the date displayed on the floating bar.

Click on the time format you want EasyCal™ use it to display the time.
EasyCal™ will send the time to the linked application as the time display on the floating bar.

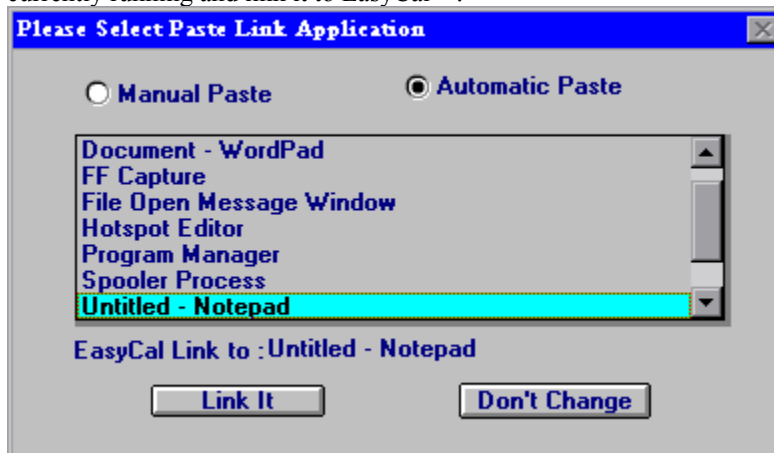Click this option to tell EasyCal™ display date first.

Click this option to tell EasyCal™ display time first.

Press this button when all the settings Satisfied.

Press this button if you want to undo any change.

Check this box to enable EasyCal™ to send the calculation result to the linked application or to the clipboard.

EasyCal™ will show up a Link Application window when you click this button, You can select an application that is currently running and link it to EasyCal™.

Please Select Paste Link Application

○ Manual Paste   ● Automatic Paste

Document - WordPad
FF Capture
File Open Message Window
Hotspot Editor
Program Manager
Spooler Process
Untitled - Notepad

EasyCal Link to : Untitled - Notepad

[Link It]   [Don't Change]

This line tells you what application is linking and the link mode.
(Auto) -- Automatically sent calculation result to Application that linked.
(Manual) -- Calcualtion result sent to clipboard.

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

Set Button Text Color

Memory Button ▼

Set To My Favourite Color

Undo Change

Click any color box to get your desired color.

Select the button you want to set a new color to.

Click this button to confirm any changes and return to EasyCal™.

Click this button to undo any changes.

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

Click this button to personalize the color of EasyCal™.

Select the button size of EasyCal™.
Large Button works fine at 1024x768 screen resolution.
Normal Button works fine at 800x600 screen resolution
640x480 screen resolution can only use normal Button only.

Select the option you want.
Run On Minimize   - This option tell EasyCal™ to display in it's minimize mode when it launches every time.
Button Click sound - This option can help you make sure every keyboard or mouse input, EasyCal™ using
                              Windows default sound to notify you.
Metric Converter   - This option tells EasyCal™ enable and show metric conversion panel.

Check this box to enable EasyCal™ send calculation result to linked application or to clipboard.

EasyCal™ will show up a Link Application Windows when you click this button, You can select an application that is currently running and link it to EasyCal™.
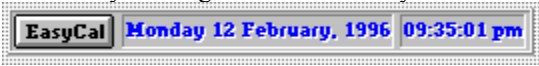
Select you desired decimal point that EasyCal™ will display.

About   - Click this button will show the About box that tells you what version of EasyCal™ you are using, and
          the resources of your computer.
Help   - Click this button to display this Help file of EasyCal™.
Register - Click this button will allow you input and print your information to register EasyCal™, Thank You.
Exit   - Click this button to exit EasyCal™, but why doing this, just minimize it. EasyCal™ does not
          blocking your desktop, it just like the tool bar button on your application.
Return   - Click this button when yare are satisfied every setting.

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

Remember to send us your favourite photo, we will put it in Screen Saver and mail it back to you.

Register   _ □ ✕

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Please fill out this form and mail it to us at the address shown above with the
register fee(money order drawn at Canada Bank) to RICKY LAU SIU FAI.

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Select the version you wanted.

Register Version   - register the version you currently tested, using a registration code with the user name you supply to us.

This version needs to add $3.00CAD for screen savers disk and shipping and handling.

Diskette Version   - you will get a most update version of EasyCal™ that registered with the user name you supply to us.

Screen Saver is free and will be included in diskette.

Site license Version - its a discount base version depends on the quantities you want to register. Only one diskette will send to user and with site license agreement that allow user to install the number of copy as the user registered.

Enter number. of copies you want to register.

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Select your country.

Click this button to enter your information.

Click this button to cancel this action. Why??? Dont you think EasyCal™ is useful and convenient? If not, please send send us some comments about EasyCal™. Thank you!

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Click to the location that you want to know more information about it.

Please Enter Your Information

User Information

User Name :

Company Name :

Address :

City :   State :

Country :   Postal Code :

Email Address:

Where did you get EasyCal V.1.0?

Comments:

Print it NOW   Oh! Let me print it later

Enter your name and address, we will register EasyCal™ using the name you supplied to us, and mail you back with this address.
Site License user should supply the Company Name to us, because we use Company Name as the Register Name.

Please tell us how you got EasyCal™, from frients, BBS or On-Line Service.

Any Comments are welcome or tell us   any function you think EasyCal™ should include, we will put it into our consideration listing.

Click this button to print your registration   form, after you send   your registration   form, we will process your order as soon as possible . Normally 2-3 weeks.

Click this button to cancel this action. Why??? Dont you think EasyCal™ is useful and convenient? If not, please send send us some comments about EasyCal™. Thank you!

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EasyCal Registeration

User Name :

Company Name :

Serial Number :

Done   Cancel

Enter the name you supply to us as register user name in registration   form. You will find it in our registration code card. Please type it exactly the same as in registration code card.

Enter you Company Name here.

After you send us the registration form, you will receive a card with our registration serial number. Type the number here exactly show on the card.

Click here to perform register action, if every information you type is correct, EasyCal™ will register you as the register user.

Click here to cancel the action.

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