

## General calculator policy

You will not be allowed to share calculators. You will be dismissed and your exam graded as 0 if you use your calculator to share information during the exam, or to remove exam questions or answers from the test room.

## Use of calculators during the exams

We suggest that you bring and use a calculator, especially one with which you are familiar. We recommend the use of a scientific or graphing calculator.

## Calculator tips

- Bring a calculator with you, even if you're not sure if you will use it. Calculators will not be available in the exam room.
- If you don't use a calculator regularly, practice using it on practice questions before the exam. Use a calculator with which you are familiar.
- Don't try to use a calculator on every question. First, decide how to solve the problem, and then decide whether to use the calculator. The calculator is meant to aid you in problem solving select questions, not to get in the way.
- It may help to do scratch work in the test book. Get your thoughts down before using your calculator.
- Make sure your calculator is in good working order and that batteries are fresh. If your calculator fails during testing and you have no backup, you'll have to complete the test without it.

## Acceptable calculators

If you have a calculator with characters that are one inch or higher, or if your calculator has a raised display that might be visible to other test-takers, you will be seated at the discretion of the test supervisor. You are required to clear the memory on your calculator.

Only battery-operated, handheld equipment can be used for testing. No power cords are allowed. Calculators permitted during testing include:

- Most graphing calculators (see chart)
- All scientific calculators
- All four-function calculators (not recommended)

<b>Casio</b>	<b>Hewlett-Packard</b>	<b>Texas Instruments</b>
FX-6000 series	HP-9G	TI-73
FX-6200 series	HP-28 series	TI-80
FX-6300 series	HP-38G	TI-81
FX-6500 series	HP-39 series	TI-82
FX-7000 series	HP-40 series	TI-83/TI-83 Plus
FX-7300 series	HP-48 series	TI-83 Plus Silver
FX-7400 series	HP-49 series	TI-84 Plus
FX-7500 series	HP-50 series	TI-84 Plus Silver
FX-7700 series	HP Prime	TI-84 Plus C Silver
FX-7800 series		TI-85
FX-8000 series	<b>Radio Shack</b>	TI-86

FX-8500 series	EC-4033	TI-89
FX-8700 series	EC-4034	TI-89 Titanium
FX-8800 series	EC-4037	TI-Nspire/TI-Nspire CX
FX-9700 series		TI-Nspire CAS/TI-Nspire CX CAS
FX-9750 series	<b>Sharp</b>	TI-Nspire CM-C
FX-9860 series	EL-5200	TI-Nspire CAS CX-C
CFX-9800 series	EL-9200 series	
CFX-9850 series	EL-9300 series	<b>Other</b>
CFX-9950 series	EL-9600 series*	Datexx DS-883
CFX-9970 series	EL-9900 series	Micronta
FX 1.0 series		Smart <sup>2</sup>
Algebra FX 2.0 series		
FX-CG-10 (PRIZM)		
FX-CG-20		

\*The use of the stylus is not permitted.

### Unacceptable calculators

You are not allowed to use any of the following items as a calculator:

- Laptops or other computers, tablets, cell phones, or smart phones
- Models that can access the Internet, have wireless, Bluetooth, cellular, audio/video recording and playing, camera, or any other smart phone type feature
- Models that have typewriter-like keypad, pen-input, or stylus
- Models that use electrical outlets, make noise, or have a paper tape
- Calculator function on a mobile phone
- In addition, the use of hardware peripherals such as a stylus with an approved calculator is not permitted. **Some models with touch-screen capability are not permitted (e.g., Casio ClassPad). Check the list of acceptable calculators for models that are permitted.**