

CTC Calculator Notice

Calculators Defined

Four Function – Defining features include: multiply, divide, add, and subtract.

Scientific – Defining features include: scientific notation, floating point arithmetic, logarithmic functions, trigonometric functions, exponents, pi, and complex numbers.

Graphing – Defining features include: capable of plotting graphs, solving simultaneous equations, and performing many tasks with variables.

Financial – Defining features include: performs financial functions commonly needed in business and commerce.

The following calculators are prohibited for use in the CTC

- Handheld, tablet, or laptop computers, including PDAs
- Electronic writing pads or pen-input devices
- Calculators built into cell phones or other electronic communication devices
- Calculators with a separate keypad (letter keys in QWERTY or Alphabetical format)
Note: Calculators with separate keypads often times have too many enabling features that make it difficult to proctor a secure exam.

Calculators Permitted with Modification

These types of calculators are permitted, but only after they are modified as noted:

- Calculators with paper tape—Remove the tape.
- Calculators that make noise—Turn off the sound.
- Calculators that have power cords—Remove all power/electrical cords.

For your convenience, we have made the following available to be checked out during an exam:

- **Four Function:** Casio HS-8V and Casio SL30VE
- **Scientific:** TI-30Xa
- **Financial:** HP 10bII+ and TI BA II *PLUS*
- **Graphing:** TI-83 Plus and TI-84 Plus