



Calculators for Spring 2008 MME

If a student wishes to use a calculator on the ACT Mathematics Test, or the Michigan Mathematics test, or the WorkKeys Applied Mathematics Test, they are responsible for bringing it to the test and making sure it works. The school is not required to provide calculators or batteries. **The student** is responsible for knowing if their calculator is a permitted model. Please refer to ACT's Web site for calculator requirements at <http://www.actstudent.org/fag/answers/calculator.html>. If a student uses a prohibited calculator their answer document will not be scored.

The student may use any four-function, scientific, or graphing calculator, unless it has features described below.

Prohibited Calculators

- **Texas Instruments:** all model numbers that begin with **TI-89** and **TI 92**, and the **TI-Nspire CAS**—The **TI-Nspire (non-CAS)** is permitted.
- **Hewlett-Packard:** **hp 48GII** and all model numbers that begin with **hp 40G ... hp 49G ... hp 50G**
- **Casio:** **Algebra fx 2.0 ... ClassPad 300**, and all model numbers that begin with **CFX-9970G**
- **Pocket organizers**
- **Handheld or laptop computers**
- **Electronic writing pads or pen-input devices**—The Sharp EL 9600 is permitted.
- **Calculators built into cell phones or other electronic communication devices**
- **Calculators with a typewriter keypad (keys in QWERTY format)**—Calculators with letter keys not in QWERTY format are permitted.
- **Calculators with built-in computer algebra systems**

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 can communicate wirelessly with other calculators**—**Completely cover the infrared data port with heavy opaque material, such as duct tape or electrician's tape.**
Including Hewlett-Packard hp 38G series and hp 48G
- **Calculators that have power cords**—Remove all power/electrical cords.