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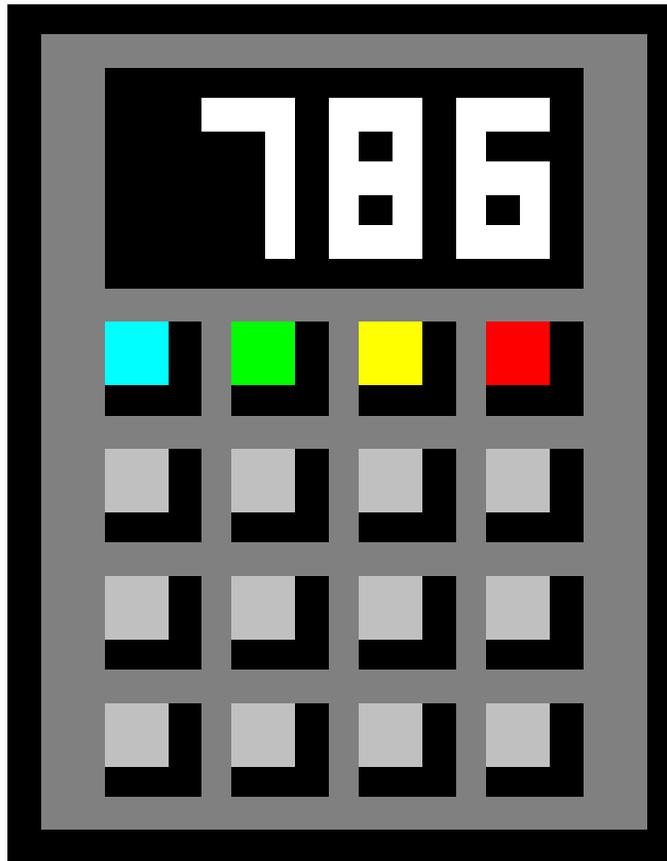
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Program Installation

For optimal performance of Foresters' Metric Conversions, we recommend the following:

- * IBM or IBM-compatible PC with Windows 3.1 or Windows 95
- * 486 or higher processor
- * Hard disk drive with at least 5 megabytes of free space
- * 3.5-inch, high-density disk drive
- * VGA monitor

To install, place the program diskette in your computer's 3.5-inch drive. If you are running Windows 3.1, select Run from the File menu. Enter A:\SETUP.EXE and click on the OK button. If you are running Windows 95, click on Start from the task bar and select Run. Enter A:\SETUP.EXE and click on the OK button. Then follow the directions on the screen.

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The conversion of scientific measurements has become commonplace in the fields of engineering, research, and forestry. Foresters' Metric Conversions is a Windows-based computer program that quickly converts user-defined measurements from English to metric and from metric to English. Foresters' Metric Conversions was derived from the publication "Metric Conversions for Foresters," by Edwin S. Miyata, Helmuth M. Steinhilb, and Lynne A. Coyer, USDA Forest Service, North Central Forest Experiment Station, St. Paul, Minnesota (originally published in 1981).

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