Necessary actions with recommended calculators

TI Nspire / TI Nspire CX "Press to Test" configurations

Note: Candidates must upgrade their Nspire to the latest operating system to use the "Press to Test" properly. Nspires which have not been updated and put into the correct "Press to Test" mode are not allowed in the examinations. Nspires must be put into "Press to Test" mode immediately before the examination. If done earlier, a candidate must not have access to the calculator between the time it is put into "Press to Test" mode and the examination. Further details about "Press to Test" can be found on the TI website. Older versions may need two upgrades to enable the correct "Press to Test" mode.
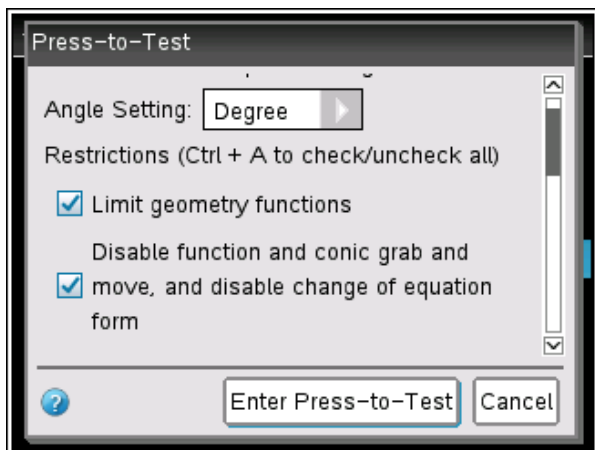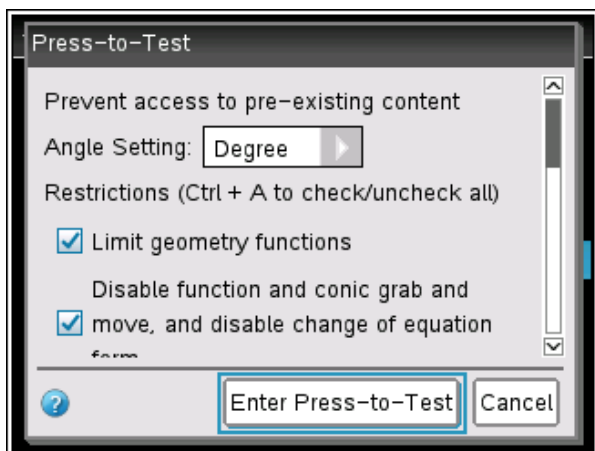
The following options in "Press to Test" mode must be **ticked** and therefore **blocked**.
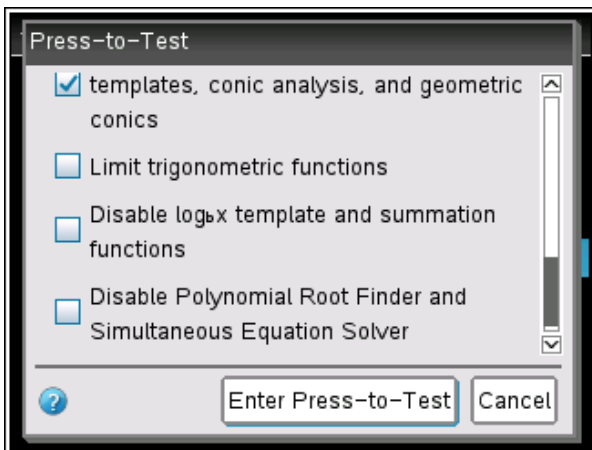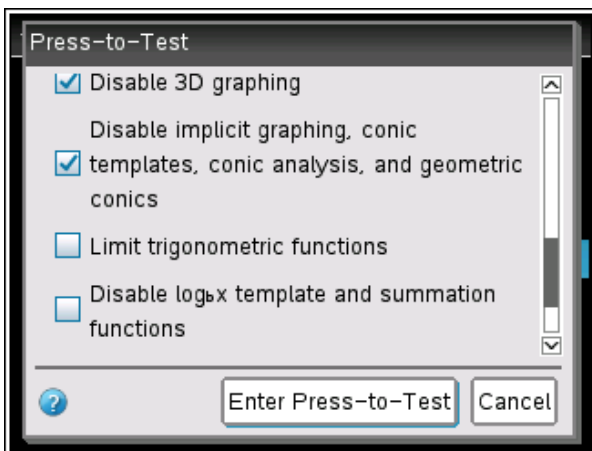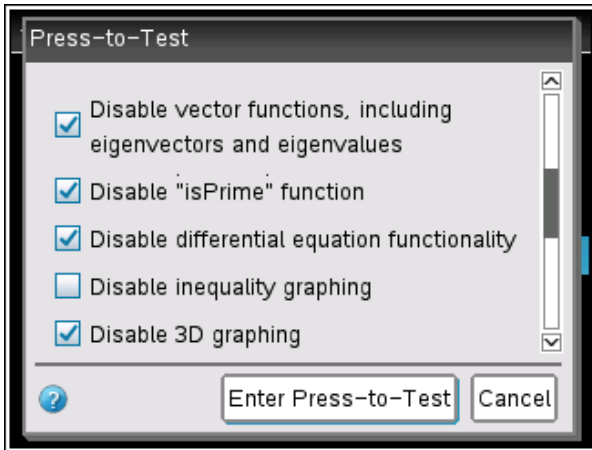- Limit geometry functions
- Disable function and conic grab and move, and disable change of equation form
- Disable vector functions, including eigenvectors and eigenvalues
- Disable "isPrime" function
- Disable differential equation functionality
- Disable 3D graphing
- Disable implicit graphing, conic templates, conic analysis, and geometric conics

The following options in "Press to Test" mode must be **unticked** and therefore **allowed**.
- Disable inequality graphing
- Limit trigonometric functions
- Disable $log_b x$ template and summation functions
- Disable Polynomial Root Finder and Simultaneous Equation Solver

The following screen shots show how to put the Nspire into the correct "Press to Test" mode.

Note: When put in "Press to Test", the angle setting can be set to "Degree" or "Radian" depending on candidate preference.

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