

Review: Ch. 5 – Number and Symbol Keys

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Proofreader's Marks

 Use to mark changes or corrections on rough drafts

Spacing Tips

- Do <u>not</u> space between a figure and
 - -/ or \$ (examples: 1/2 and \$4)
 - -% or (examples: 5% and 3-room)
- Do <u>not</u> space between # and a figure (example: Check #38)
 - Space once before and after & used to
 - join names (example: Adams & Brown)

Spacing Tips (cont'd)

 Do <u>not</u> space between parentheses () and the words they enclose

- Example: (there is no space)

Ergonomics

- Study of how the work environment and tools affect people
- Ergonomic guidelines include:
 - Adjust the angle of the monitor to view it comfortably and reduce glare
 - Use a chair that allows you to sit up straight
 - Place the keyboard at a comfortable height

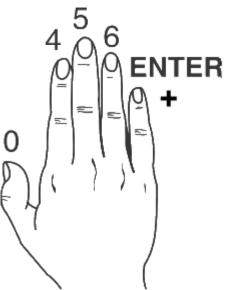
Repetitive Stress Injury

- Caused by repeated movement of a part of the body
- Carpal tunnel syndrome (CTS) is one form related to keyboard use
- To help avoid CTS
 - Place the keyboard and monitor at a position that is comfortable for you
 - Use proper keying position
 - Take frequent breaks from keying

Numeric Keypad

- Home key position
- You may need to tap the NUM LOCK key





Numeric Keypad (cont'd)

- Tap the division key (/) with your middle finger
- Tap the multiplication key (*) with your ring finger
- Tap the ENTER, + and keys with your little finger

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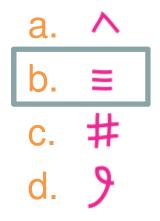
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 - a. ∧ b. ≡ c. # d. 𝔥

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