AN OVERVIEW OF OPENTYPE LAYOUT FEATURES

OpenType layout features provide the user with integrated access to certain typographic refinements — like small caps, alternate figure styles, or stylistic variants — without changing fonts or disrupting the underlying text encoding. Note, however, that some features may not be accessible or supported in all applications. Please consult your software's user guide for details.

The CANTO OpenType fonts include the following features:

SMALL CAPS − Replaces lowercase with small caps.

H−n (H/p) "H&J" ¿Qué?
H−N (H/P) "H&J" ¿QUÉ?

ALL SMALL CAPS − Replaces uppercase and lowercase with small caps; also replaces parentheses, brackets, braces, dashes, slashes, centered period, and & ¡ ! ¿ ? with SC variants.

H−n (H/p) "H&J" ¿Qué?
H−N (H/P) "H&J" ¿QUÉ?

CASE PUNCTUATION − When ALL-CAPS styling is applied, parentheses, brackets, braces, dashes, guillemets, and centered period are replaced with shifted forms.

H-n (Hp) «tu» [O·O]
H-N (HP) «TU» [O·O]

STANDARD LIGATURES − Deploys the following ligatures: fi, fl, ff, ffi, ffl, fj, ft.

fine inflict office fjord soft
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DISCRETIONARY LIGATURES − Deploys the quaint ct & st and tt ligatures.

attractive letter construct
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OLDSTYLE FIGURES − Replaces default lining figures with oldstyle figures; also replaces currency symbols and math symbols.

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FRACTIONS − Replaces 1/2, 1/4, and 3/4 with proper fractions.

16 1/2 + 9 1/4 = 25 3/4
16 ½ + 9 ¼ = 25 ¾

ORDINAL − Provides contextual substitution of masculine and feminine ordinals following a numeral.

Prima 1a 1a Segundo 2o 2o
Prima 1ª 1ª Segundo 2º 2º

SWASH − Deploys a default set of alternate swash capitals. Note: multiple variants are available in some cases; check character set showing for complete range.

Red Dog Ate Nine Stones
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CONTEXTUAL ALTERNATES − Automatically replaces default swash K and R with alternates when the leg would collide with a following descender.

Kyoto Kigali Ryder Rogue
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STYLISTIC SET 1 (CONVENTIONAL Y) − Replaces the default Greek-style Y with a more conventional form.

ROYALTY YEVGENY YSAŸE
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STYLISTIC SET 2 (Th LIGATURES) − Deploys the Th and swash Th ligatures.

Thirteen Thrifty Thoughts
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