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AUTOMATIC 3D TILING

Checker is an all-cap ‘three-D’ font which automatically alternates white letters on black tiles with black letters on white tiles. Nick Shinn created the effect by means of custom coding in the *Contextual Alternates* feature of the OpenType font format, which is active by default in InDesign, Illustrator, Photoshop and on the internet.

(In applications which don’t support this OpenType feature, alternate caps and lower case for the effect.)

The angle of skew is 20°, and the glyphs are properly italicized and back-slanted, and adjusted for maximum readability within the constraints of the font’s concept.

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Checker is an exciting new display face of great originality.

Not shy, this unusual font is a guaranteed attention grabber for logos, titles and short headings. With its tiled construction, it's a natural for colorful interpretation.

Within the tiles, the letter style (based on Figgins Sans) is a typical grotesque, so will mix smoothly with any other fonts in a layout.

Checker has extended language support, and nearly all non-alphabetic characters are rendered in its distinctive tile style.

- Turn off *Contextual Alternates* and type capitals and/or lower case for more effects.
- Apply *Titling Alternates* to replace the empty ‘space’ glyph by a blank tile.

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A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

A row of 16 small, black, three-dimensional cubes arranged horizontally. Each cube contains a different mathematical or scientific symbol, including various operators like minus, multiplication, division, less than or equal to, and symbols from the Greek alphabet like alpha, beta, and gamma.

A horizontal sequence of approximately 20 black and white 3D cube icons. Each cube features a different mathematical symbol or operator, such as less than ($<$), greater than ($>$), multiplication (\times), division (\div), plus ($+$), minus ($-$), square root ($\sqrt{}$), percentage ($\%$), less than or equal (\leq), greater than or equal (\geq), not equal (\neq), and other symbols like \approx , \pm , \circ , and \bullet . The cubes are arranged in a staggered pattern.

A horizontal row of approximately 20 small, black and white 3D cube icons. Each cube displays a different mathematical symbol or operator, such as less than ($<$), greater than ($>$), multiplication (\times), division (\div), summation (Σ), and square root ($\sqrt{}$). The cubes are arranged in a staggered pattern, creating a sense of depth.

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