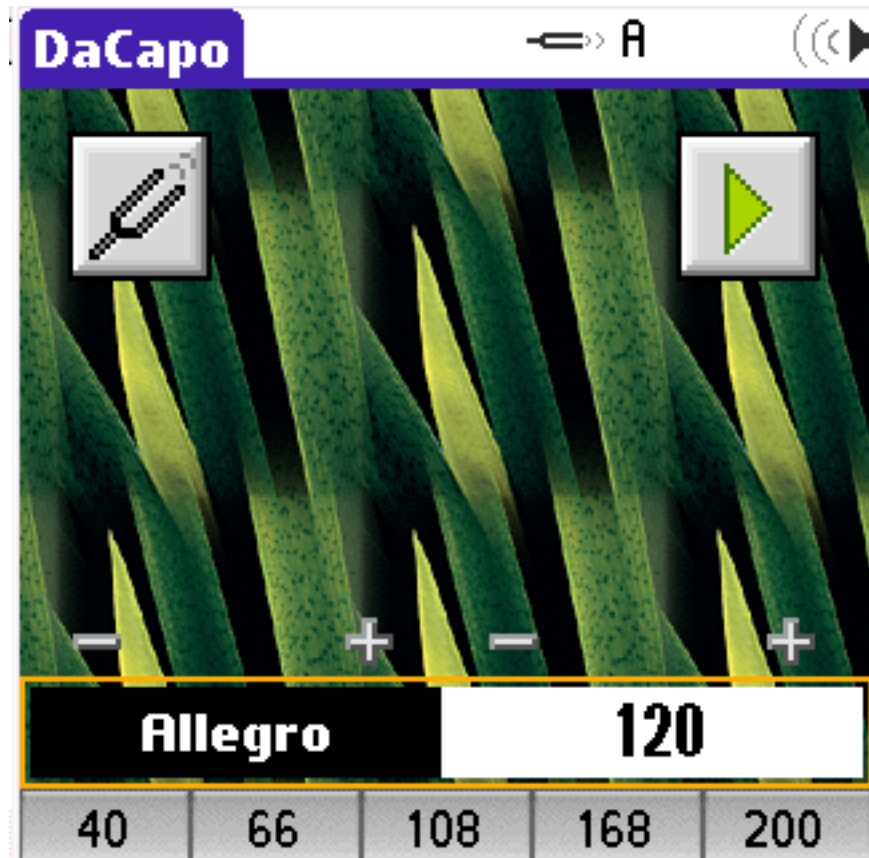




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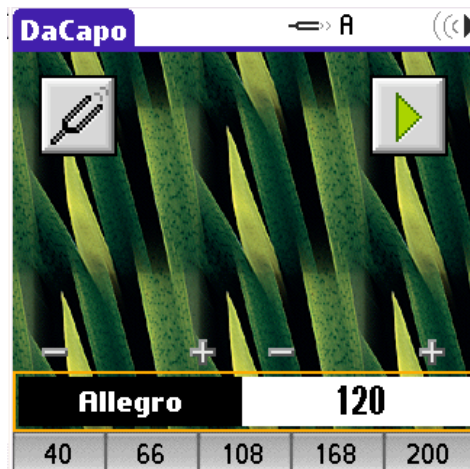
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DaCapo is a metronome on your Palm with many options not available on a regular store-bought devices. The following serves to make you familiar with the operation of your software.

The Main Screen

There are 4 main buttons on the screen. Top left is the Tuning button and to the right of it the Play button, which starts the metronome. The 2 speed buttons at the bottom can be tapped on either side - left to slow down and right side to speed up. The 5 buttons further down are speed presets. BTW: Tapping the tuning fork or speaker icon in the menubar will open the Preferences dialog.

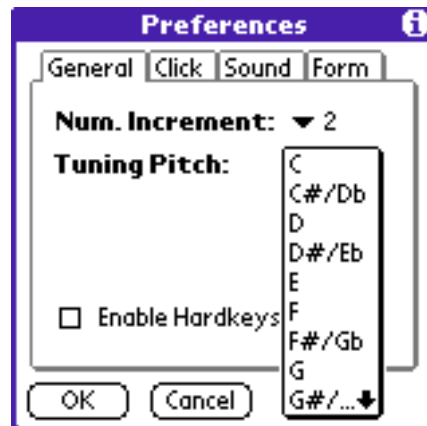


The Preferences Dialog

Tapping the Options/Preferences menu will get you to this dialog. It has four tabs (General, Click, Sound and Form) each of which will be described in the following. Sampled sounds are only available on devices with Palm OS 5 installed and interface elements regarding these will be hidden on other devices.

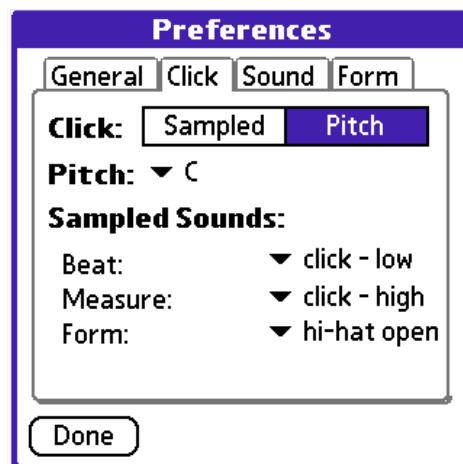
General (Preferences)

Num. Increment determines by how much the speed is adjusted via the bottom right speed button and Tuning Pitch sets the note for the Tuning button. Enable Hardkeys maps the DateBook key to the Tuning button and the MemoPad key to Play button.



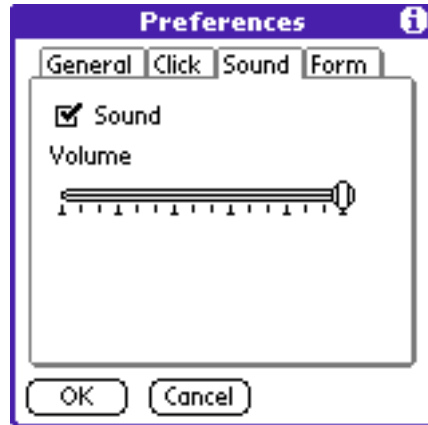
Click (Preferences)

Sampled or Pitch decides what kind of sound will be played for beats. If Pitch is selected the note showing in the Pitch popup will be played. Otherwise the selections in the popups under Sampled Sounds will be heard. With pitched sounds accented and group clicks will be octave shifts of the selected pitch.



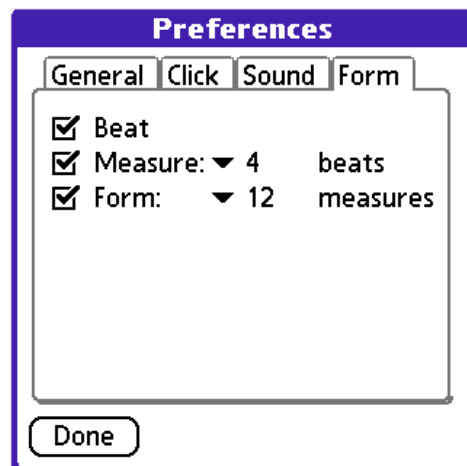
Sound (Preferences)

This panel is very straight forward. If Sound is selected sounds will be played, otherwise the DaCapo will operate silently. With the slider you can set the volume. An indicator on the menubar of the main form displays the volume settings.



Form (Preferences)

DaCapo allows 3 kinds of beats: A regular beat, a measure marker and a form marker. You can enable markers by checking their box and select their lengths with the popups to the right of each. To create a 12 bar Blues form you would check all boxes, select 4 from the measures popup and 12 from the form popup. You can adjust the playback for these beats under the Click tab.



Important Note:

If you have a Tungsten T it is essential that you download and install the “Palm Tungsten T Update” from Palm’s website (see link below). The original Tungsten T has several sound related problems that could lead to a crash if the update is not installed.

http://www.palm.com/us/support/downloads/tungstent_update.html

Concluding

We hope you enjoy this program and find it useful. If you have suggestions or find anything wrong you can always email us.

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