

# Forming Diacritical Accents in French on a PC

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To produce an ä:	Press down the ALT key and type 132
To produce an é	Press down the ALT key and type 130
To produce an ê	Press down the ALT key and type 136
To produce an ë:	Press down the ALT key and type 137
To produce an è:	Press down the ALT key and type 138
To produce an î	Press down the ALT and type 0238
To produce an ï	Press down the ALT key and type 139
To produce an ô	Press down the ALT key and type 0244
To produce an œ	Press down the ALT key and type 0156
To produce a û	Press down the ALT key and type 150
To produce an ù	Press down the ALT key and type 151
To produce an ü	Press down the ALT key and type 129
	Press down the ALT key and type 0128
To produce a «	Press down the ALT key and type 174
To produce a »	Press down the ALT key and type 175

` = accent grave	très, frère, à, où
´ = accent aigu	étudiant, réussir, parlé (sharp 'a')
^ = circonflexe	être, hôpital, forêt (replaces an 's')
ç = cédille	ça va, français, reçu (softens the 'c')
ä, ï, ë, ü = tréma	maïs(corn), Noël (pronounce separately)