

# CalcsLive Plug for Inventor

Engineering-Driven Modeling (EDM) — Powered by [CalcsLive Plug Server](#)

Brings Unit-aware Physical Quantities (PQs) and Live, Versatile Calculations to Inventor  
Streamlining the Entire **Engineering-to-Modeling** Workflow.

| # | User Parameter | Equation       | Comment+     | PQ Mapping (CalcsLive)        |
|---|----------------|----------------|--------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 | BaseDia        | 16.00000000 in | Mapped to dt | $dt = 16.000 \text{ in}$      |
| 2 | TankHeight     | 24.00000000 in | Mapped to ht | $ht = r * dt = 18 \text{ in}$ |
| 3 | InletId        | 0.84000000 in  | Mapped to do | $do = 0.840 \text{ in}$       |
| 4 | InletThicknes  | 0.10900000 in  | Mapped to ti | $ti = 0.109 \text{ in}$       |
| 5 | LiquidDepth    | 16.00000000 in | Mapped to hw | $hw = 16.000 \text{ in}$      |
| 6 | TankThickness  | 0.25 in        | Mapped to t  | $t = 0.250 \text{ in}$        |
| 7 | InletProjecti  | 2 in           | Add note...  |                               |

① Inventor Model

File Name: cylinder-container.ipt

Type: User Parameters

Parameters: 7

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Title: Water Tank Sizing

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Water Tank Sizing

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| #  | Description              | PQ Symbol  | Value / Expression            | Unit    |
|----|--------------------------|------------|-------------------------------|---------|
| 1  | q                        | $q$        | 3                             | gpm(US) |
| 2  | T                        | $T$        | 4                             | minute  |
| 3  | Q                        | $Q$        | $q * T = 1.604$               | ft³     |
| 4  | Tank Base Diameter (ID)  | $dt$       | 16                            | in      |
| 5  | Tank Body Thickness      | $t$        | 0.25                          | in      |
| 6  | Tank height to dia ratio | $r$        | 1.5                           |         |
| 7  | Tank Inner Height        | $ht$       | $r * dt = 18.000$             | in      |
| 8  | Liquid in tank - Depth   | $hw$       | 16                            | in      |
| 9  | Liquid volume available  | $Qs$       | $\pi * dt^2 / 4 * hw = 1.047$ | ft³     |
| 10 | Inlet Pipe OD            | $do$       | 0.84                          | in      |
| 11 | Inlet Thickness          | $ti$       | 0.109                         | in      |
| 12 | Inlet Pipe ID            | $di$       | $do - 2 * ti = 0.622$         | in      |
| 13 | $\rho$                   | $\rho$     | 1000                          | kg/m³   |
| 14 | $\Delta p$               | $\Delta p$ | 2                             | bar     |
| 15 | Cd                       | $Cd$       | 0.65                          |         |

① Drag any PQ and drop onto "PQ Mapping" column to map it with 3D model parameters. The same PQ can be mapped to multiple model parameters.

