

`\prevdepth` [*<dimen>* parameter]

When T<sub>E</sub>X adds a box to a vertical list, it sets `\prevdepth` to the depth of that box. T<sub>E</sub>X sets `\prevdepth` to  $-1000$  pt at the start of a vertical list, indicating that the usual interline glue should be suppressed.