



## What is the answer to Life, the Universe and Everything?

**Deep Thought**

*Pan-Dimension.*

Forty-two.

### **FUTURE WORK**

This is quite definitely the answer to the ultimate question. The problem, though, is that no one ever actually knew what the ultimate question was. As such, the next step for this research is to design an even more powerful computer, which can calculate the question to the ultimate answer.

### **REFERENCES**

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This is a little homage from the editors of the *Journal of Geek Studies* to Douglas Adams, one of the most influential authors in geekdom. This is the forty-second article in the history of the Journal, so this seemed rather appropriate. Don't panic, and always know where your towel is.

### **ABOUT THE AUTHOR**

**Deep Thought** is the second greatest computer in the Universe of Time and Space. After calculating the answer to the ultimate question for seven and a half million years, and designing the computer to find the ultimate question, it now spends its time watching television.