

The Treasure Chest

These are the new packages posted to CTAN (ctan. org) from September–October 2021. Descriptions are based on the announcements and edited for extreme brevity.

Entries are listed alphabetically within CTAN directories. More information about any package can be found at ctan.org/pkg/pkgname.

A few entries which the editors subjectively believe to be especially notable are starred (*); of course, this is not intended to slight the other contributions.

We hope this column helps people access the vast amount of material available through CTAN and the distributions. See also ctan.org/topic. Comments are welcome, as always.

fonts

bboldx in fonts

More weights for blackboard board.

nahuatl in fonts

Render Nahuatl (native Mexican writing system) glyphs.

*notocondensed in fonts

Support for the condensed variants of the Noto fonts. This package is available through https://contrib.texlive.info.

graphics

luapstricks in graphics/pstricks/contrib Use PSTricks in LuaIATEX with no need for special environments or external commands.

tikz-bagua in graphics/pgf/contrib Draw Yijing (I Ching) or Zhouyi symbols in TikZ.

zx-calculus in graphics/pgf/contrib TikZ library to typeset ZX Calculus diagrams.

info

tex-vpat in info

T_EX accessibility conformance report.

macros/latex/contrib

cdcmd in macros/latex/contrib

Expandable conditional commands for LATEX.

clicks in macros/latex/contrib
Simulate animation in slide deck.

debate in macros/latex/contrib

Insert notes in the form of dialogues.

linenoamsmath in macros/latex/contrib
Use lineno package together with amsmath.

phfcc in macros/latex/contrib

Inline commenting for collaborative documents.

phfextendedabstract in macros/latex/contrib Typeset extended abstracts, e.g., for conferences.

*unicodefonttable in macros/latex/contrib Font tables for Unicode fonts. See articles in this issue.

uwa-colours in macros/latex/contrib Colour palette of the Univ. of Western Australia.

macros/luatex/generic

lua-widow-control in macros/luatex/generic Automatically remove widows and orphans from any document.

lutabulartools in macros/luatex/generic Support commands for tabular material.

penlight in macros/luatex/generic

The Penlight pure-Lua library for LuaLATEX.

macros/luatex/latex

truthtable in macros/luatex/latex

Automatically generate truth tables for given variables and statements.

yamlvars in macros/luatex/latex

YAML parser (Lua package tinyyaml) and support functions to make IATEX definitions using YAML.

macros/unicodetex/latex

njuthesis in macros/unicodetex/latex LaTeX thesis template for Nanjing University.

uwa-letterhead in macros/unicodetex/latex Letterhead of the Univ. of Western Australia.

uwa-pcf in macros/unicodetex/latex
Participant Consent Form for human research
protocols at the Univ. of Western Australia.

uwa-pif in macros/unicodetex/latex Participant Information Form for same.

macros/xetex/latex

hanzibox in macros/xetex/latex
Simplify input of Chinese characters.

zitie in macros/xetex/latex

CJK character calligraphy practice sheets.