



The Treasure Chest

The following is a list of selected new packages posted to CTAN (<http://ctan.org>) from March through October 2015, with descriptions based on the announcements and edited for extreme brevity.

Entries are listed alphabetically within CTAN directories. A few entries which the editors subjectively believe to be of especially wide interest or otherwise notable are starred; of course, this is not intended to slight the other contributions.

We hope this column and its companions will help to make CTAN a more accessible resource to the T_EX community. Comments are welcome, as always.

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biblio

bestpapers in `biblio/bibtex/contrib`
Maintain an author's list of "best papers".
bookdb in `biblio/bibtex/contrib`
BIB_TE_X style for cataloging a home library.

fonts

academicons in `fonts`
Makes available 20 icons from the Academicons font.
cjk-gs-integrate in `fonts/utilities`
Tools to integrate CJK fonts into Ghostscript.
comicneue in `fonts`
Comic Neue support.
esrelation in `fonts`
Symbol set for describing relations per Byron Cook.
***imfenglish** in `fonts`
IM Fell English fonts, based on original Fell types.
old-arrows in `fonts`
CM old-style arrows with smaller arrowheads.
sourceserifpro in `fonts`
Source Serif Pro support.
svrsymbols in `fonts`
New font with symbols for use in physics.
***tempora** in `fonts`
Greek and Cyrillic to accompany Times.
typicons in `fonts`
Makes available 336 icons from the Typicons font.

graphics

blochsphere in `graphics/pgf/contrib`
Pseudo-3D diagrams of Bloch spheres via PGF/TikZ.
karnaughmap in `graphics/pgf/contrib`
Karnaugh maps via PGF/TikZ.
mcf2graph in `graphics/mcf2graph`
Chemical structure diagrams with Metafont/MetaPost.

roundrect in `graphics/metapost/contrib/macros`
Configurable rounded rectangles in MetaPost, with optional text.
shapes in `graphics/metapost/contrib/macros`
Polygons, reentrant stars, and fractions in circles with MetaPost.
xebaposter in `graphics/pgf/contrib`
Scientific posters for `xepersian` using PGF/TikZ.

info

greekinfo3 in `info/greek`
"Twenty-five years of Greek T_EXing": Overview of systems, packages, and fonts for Greek T_EX.

language

arabi-add in `language/arabic`
Support for `hyperref` and `bookmark` with Arabic and Farsi.

macros/generic

termmenu in `macros/generic`
Support for terminal-based menus using `expl3`.

macros/latex/contrib

alertmessage in `macros/latex/contrib`
Display alert messages (informational, warning, etc.).
bewerbung in `macros/latex/contrib`
Typeset a job application.
br-lex in `macros/latex/contrib`
Typeset Brazilian legal texts.
bxpdfver in `macros/latex/contrib`
Specify output PDF version and compression level.
cfr-initials in `macros/latex/contrib`
Templates for use of `initials` package.
***checklistings** in `macros/latex/contrib`
Pass verbatim contents through a compiler and reincorporate the resulting output.
cleantesis in `macros/latex/contrib`
Clean, simple thesis style.
cntperchap in `macros/latex/contrib`
Store counter values per chapter.
colorspace in `macros/latex/contrib`
PDF color spaces for spot colors and overprinting.
copyedit in `macros/latex/contrib`
Copyediting support for L^AT_EX documents.
denisbdoc in `macros/latex/contrib`
Denis Bitouzé's documentation support package.
diadia in `macros/latex/contrib`
Diabetes diary.
dynamicnumber in `macros/latex/contrib`
Dynamically typeset numbers and values.
easyreview in `macros/latex/contrib`
Support reviews and editorial tasks.
elements in `macros/latex/contrib`
Properties of chemical elements (article in this issue).

- `ealloc` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Local allocation macros (per `etex.sty`) for L^AT_EX 2015.
- `exercises` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Typeset exercises and solutions, with automatic addition of points.
- `fcavtex` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Thesis class for FCAV/UNESP, Brazil.
- `fitbox` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Fit graphics on a page.
- `fithesis` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Thesis support for Masaryk University, Czech.
- `gradstudentresume` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Template for graduate student resumes. (See article in this issue.)
- `gzt` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Support for *La Gazette des Mathématiciens*.
- `hang` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Environments for hanging paragraphs and list items.
- `lstbayes` in `macros/latex/contrib`
`listings` language driver for Bayesian modeling languages: BUGS, JAGS, Stan.
- `medstarbeamer` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Beamer template for MedStar health presentations.
- `multiaudience` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Generate audience-specific versions of one document.
- `nevelok` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Automatic definite articles for Hungarian.
- `nmbib` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Successor to `multibibliography` for multiple bibliographies with different sort orders.
- `numending` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Morphological end of units for East Slavic languages.
- `pdfpagediff` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Find differences between two PDF documents.
- `proofread` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Commands for inserting annotations.
- `recipebook` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Typeset 5.5" × 8" recipes for browsing or printing.
- `reledmac` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Successor to `eledmac/eledpar` for critical editions.
- `rmathbr` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Repetition of operator at a line break within an inline equation.
- `screenplay-pkg` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Package version of the `screenplay` class.
- `semproc` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Seminar proceedings based on KOMA-Script.
- `shdoc` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Float environment to document a terminal session.
- `tagpair` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Word-by-word glosses, translations, and bibliographic attributions.
- `uassign` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Typeset class assignments.
- `ucharcat` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Lua implementation of the (new in 2015) X_ƒT_EX \Ucharcat primitive, for LuaT_EX.
- `whuthesis` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Thesis template for Wuhan Univ. undergraduates.
- `xellipsis` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Configurable ellipses with predefined formats for common styles.
- `xpiano` in `macros/latex/contrib`
Extension of the `piano` package.
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- macros/latex/contrib/beamer-contrib**
- `fibeamer` in `m/1/c/beamer-contrib`
Beamer theme for thesis defense presentations at Masaryk University, Czech.
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- macros/latex/contrib/biblatex-contrib**
- `archaeologie` in `m/1/c/biblatex-contrib`
Citation style for the German Archaeology Institute.
- `biblatex-opcit-booktitle` in `m/1/c/biblatex-contrib`
Support for ‘op. cit.’ in the booktitle of a subentry.
- `biblatex-subseries` in `m/1/c/biblatex-contrib`
Manage subseries with BIBL_AT_EX.
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- macros/luatex**
- `cloze` in `macros/luatex/latex`
Create cloze reading comprehension texts.
- `ctablestack` in `macros/luatex/generic`
Category code table stacks.
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- macros/plain**
- `gfnotation` in `macros/plain/contrib`
Typeset Frege notation (see article in this issue).
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- macros/xetex**
- `bidihl` in `macros/xetex/latex`
Experimental bidi-aware text highlighting.
- `quran` in `macros/xetex/latex`
Typeset the whole or a part of the Qur’an.
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- support**
- `autosp` in `support`
Preprocessor to generate note-spacing commands for MusiX_TE_X scores.
- `*bibtexperllibs` in `support`
BIB_TE_X (pure) Perl libraries from CPAN.
- `comment_io` in `support`
Python script to (un)comment lines.
- `*make4ht` in `support`
Simplified build system (includes library) for `tex4ht`.
- `pdbf-toolkit` in `support`
Toolkit for creating Janiform data documents.
- `pdfbook2` in `support`
Create booklets from PDF files, in Python.
- `srcredact` in `support`
Support a master source with output for different audiences. (See article in *TUGboat* 36:2.)
- `tex4ebook` in `support`
Convert to ebook formats from L^AT_EX, using `tex4ht`.