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Generate all sorts of codes in Typst.

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**CODETASTIC** draws different kinds of codes in your Typst documents. Supported codes include EAN-13 barcodes and QR-Codes.

The codes are created in Typst and drawn with CeTZ.

Code generation can be quite slow. Large Qr-Codes can take up to a few seconds to compile. Hopefully this can be optimized in future versions.



## Part I.

### Codes

<code>#ean13()</code>	<code>#ean5()</code>	<code>#qrcode()</code>
<code>#ean13-encode()</code>	<code>#ean8()</code>	<code>#upc-a()</code>

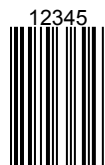
**#ean13-encode(i, number, odd: none)**

Encode a digit into seven bits according to the EAN-13 standard. Each digit is encoded into seven bits via one of three encoding tables, determined by *i* and *odd*.

**#ean5(code, scale: 1, colors: "(white, black)")**

Create an EAN-5 barcode.

```
1 #codetastic.ean5(12345)
```



The *code* can be given as a five digit number in integer or string format, or as an array with five integer digits.

The size of the barcode can be scaled down to 80% and up to 200%. The height of the bars can be trimmed down to 50%.

```
1 #codetastic.ean5(  
2   scale:(1.8, .5), "90000")
```



EAN-5 codes are usually added to ean-13 codes as add-ons:

```
1 #grid(columns:2, row-gutter: 2pt,  
2   align(center, text(6pt, font:"Arial", "ISBN: 978-1-123-12345-6")), [],  
3   codetastic.ean13("9781123123456"), codetastic.ean5(scale:.9, "90000")  
4 )
```



See <https://www.softmatic.com/barcode-ean-13.html#ean-add-on> for more information about EAN-5 codes.

Argument

`code`

integer | string | array

A five digit number as integer or string, or an array with five integers.

Argument

scale: 1

float

Scale of the code between 0.8 and 2.

Argument

colors: "(white, black)"

array

An array with exactly two colors: background and foreground.

`#ean8(code, scale: 1, colors: "(white, black)", lmi: "false")`

Create an EAN-8 barcode.

```
1 #codetastic.ean8(2903370)
```



The `code` can be given as a seven or eight digit number in integer or string format, or as an array with seven or eight integer digits. Codes with seven digits will have the checksum value appended to the code, while for eight digit codes the given checksum is validated.

The size of the barcode can be scaled down to 80% and up to 200%. The height of the bars can be trimmed down to 50%.

```
1 #codetastic.ean8(  
2   scale:(1.8, .5), "29033706")
```



See <https://www.softmatic.com/barcode-ean-8.html> for more information about EAN-8 codes.

Argument

code

integer | string | array

Either a seven or eight digit number as integer or string, or an array with seven or eight integers.

Argument

scale: 1

float

Scale of the code between 0.8 and 2.

Argument

colors: "(white, black)"

array

An array with exactly two colors: background and foreground.

Argument

`lmi: "false"`

boolean

If `true`, *light margin indicators* will be shown.

```
1 #codetastic.ean8(lmi:true,  
  29033706)
```



`#ean13(code, scale: 1, colors: "(white, black)", lmi: "false")`

Create an EAN-13 barcode.

```
1 #codetastic.ean13(240701400194)
```



The code can be given as a 12 or 13 digit number in integer or string format, or as an array with 12 or 13 integer digits. Codes with 12 digits will have the checksum value appended to the code, while for 13 digit codes the given checksum is validated.

The size of the barcode can be scaled down to 80% and up to 200%. The height of the bars can be trimmed down to 50%.

```
1 #codetastic.ean13(  
2   scale:(1.8, .5), "2407014001944")
```



See <https://www.softmatic.com/barcode-ean-13.html> for more information about EAN-13 codes.

Argument

`code`

integer | string | array

Either a 12 or 13 digit number as integer or string, or an array with 12 or 13 integers.

Argument

`scale: 1`

float

Scale of the code between 0.8 and 2.

Argument

`colors: "(white, black)"`

array

An array with exactly two colors: background and foreground.

Argument

`lmi: "false"`

boolean

If `true`, a *light margin indicator* will be shown.

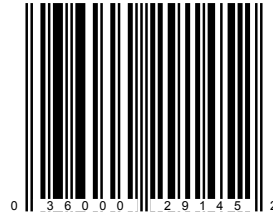
```
1 #codetastic.ean13(lmi:true,
  9781234567897)
```



`#upc-a(code, scale: 1, colors: "(white, black)", lmi: "false")`

Create an UPC-A barcode.

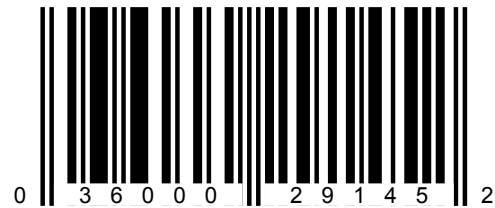
```
1 #codetastic.upc-a("03600029145")
```



The code can be given as a 11 or 12 digit number in integer or string format, or as an array with 11 or 12 integer digits. Codes with 11 digits will have the checksum value appended to the code, while for 12 digit codes the given checksum is validated.

The size of the barcode can be scaled down to 80% and up to 200%. The height of the bars can be trimmed down to 50%.

```
1 #codetastic.upc-a(
2   scale:(1.8, .5), "03600029145")
```



See <https://www.softmatic.com/barcode-upc-a.html> for more information about UPC-A codes.

Argument

code

integer | string | array

Either a 11 or eight 12 number as integer or string, or an array with 11 or 12 integers.

Argument

scale: 1

float

Scale of the code between 0.8 and 2.

Argument

colors: "(white, black)"

array

An array with exactly two colors: background and foreground.

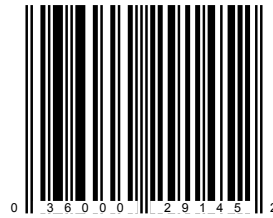
Argument

lmi: "false"

boolean

If `true`, a *light margin indicator* will be shown.

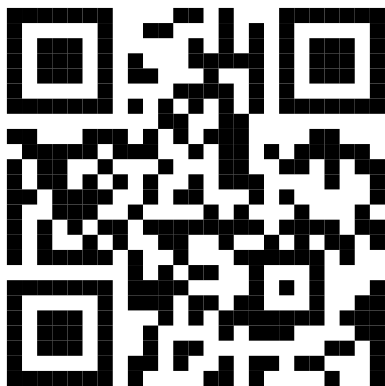
```
1 #codetastic.upc-a(lmi:true,  
  "03600029145")
```



```
#qrcode(  
  data,  
  quiet-zone: 4,  
  min-version: 1,  
  ecl: "l",  
  mask: auto,  
  size: auto,  
  width: auto,  
  colors: "(white, black)"  
)
```

Draws a QR-Code encoding the data.

```
1 #codetastic.qrcode("https://qrcode.com/en")
```



#### Some caveats:

- Calculating error correction bits is quite slow and unoptimized. The generation of larger codes can take quite some time.
- Even for smaller codes, the generation is not very fast. Avoid documents with lots of qr-codes.
- Kanji and ECI encodings are not yet supported. MAYbe they will be in the future.
- UTF-8 is not supported.



Argument

data

string

The data to encode.

Argument

quiet-zone: 4

integer

Whitespace around the code in number of modules. The qr-code standard suggests a quiet zone of at least four modules.

Argument

min-version: 1

integer

Minimum version for the code. A number between 1 and 40. If data is too large for the minimum code version, the next larger version that fits the data is selected.

Argument

ec: "l"

string

Error correction level. One of "l", "m", "q" or "h".

Argument

mask: auto

auto | integer

Forces a mask to apply to the code. Number between (0 and 7). For auto the best mask is selected according to the qr-code standard.

Argument

size: auto

auto | length

Size of a module square.

Argument

width: auto

auto | length

If set to a length, the module size will be adjusted to create a qr-code with the given width. Will overwrite any setting for size.

Argument

colors: "(white, black)"

array

An array with exactly two colors: background and foreground.