

# Org-mode Latex Export Example

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## 1 Version information

Emacs version: GNU Emacs 24.5.1 (x86\_64-unknown-linux-gnu, GTK+ Version 3.10.8)  
of 2015-05-04 on dflt1w  
org version: 8.3.2



## 2 Major document elements

### 2.1 Equations

- Nice link for mathematical symbols [on wikipedia](#):

This is an example for an equation

$$cores_{extrapol} = cores_{intern2013} \cdot of fl\% \cdot \frac{gf \cdot (volume_{user} + volume_{intern})}{volume_{intern}}$$

This is an example for an equation embedded in the text  $cores_{extrapol} = cores_{intern2013} \cdot of fl\% \cdot \frac{gf \cdot (volume_{user} + volume_{intern})}{volume_{intern}}$  The text continues after the formula.

Here follows a numbered equation that also can be referenced like in the following parentheses (eq 1). Note that we have to rely here on standard latex syntax, since org mode does not offer equations as a native element that we can mark up with #+NAME tags, etc.

$$cores_{extrapol} = cores_{intern2013} \cdot of fl\% \cdot \frac{gf \cdot (volume_{user} + volume_{intern})}{volume_{intern}} \quad (1)$$

from an [article by Stefaan Lippens](#) on on using *textnormal* for including normal text correctly in a math environment.

$$\int_1^9 x dx \quad \text{this is textrm}$$

$$\sum_1^9 y \quad \text{this is textsf}$$

$$\prod_1^9 z \quad \text{this is textnormal}$$

Only textnormal will guarantee that the text appears in the default font of the document.

## 2.2 Figures

I can reference the figure like this: Fig. 1.

Note

- there must be no empty line between the picture's link and the meta definitions for name, caption, etc.
- The figure must have a caption.
- The OPTION `tex:t` must be set for references to work.

Specifier	Permission
h	Place the float here, i.e., approximately at the same point it occurs in the source text (however, not exactly at the spot)
t	Position at the top of the page.
b	Position at the bottom of the page.
p	Put on a special page for floats only.
!	Override internal parameters $\text{\LaTeX}$ uses for determining "good" float positions.
H	Places the float at precisely the location in the $\text{\LaTeX}$ code. Requires the float package, e.g., float. This is somewhat equivalent to h!.

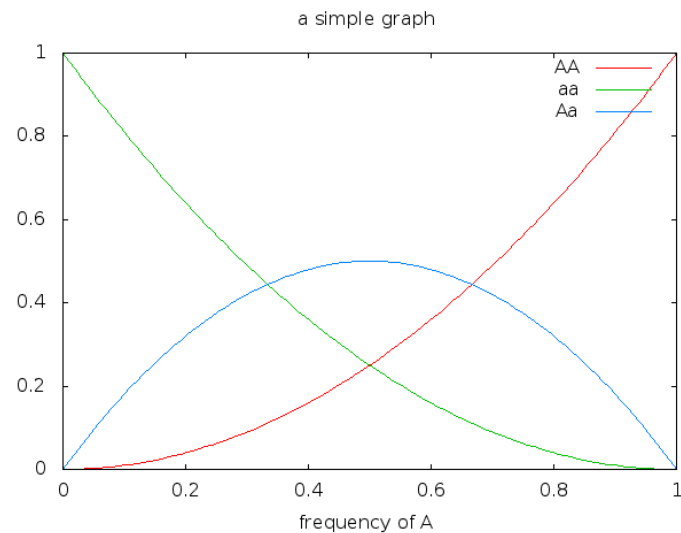


Figure 1: A simple graph

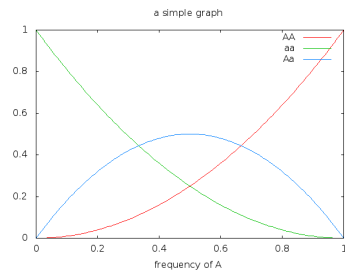


Figure 2: A simple graph at half the width

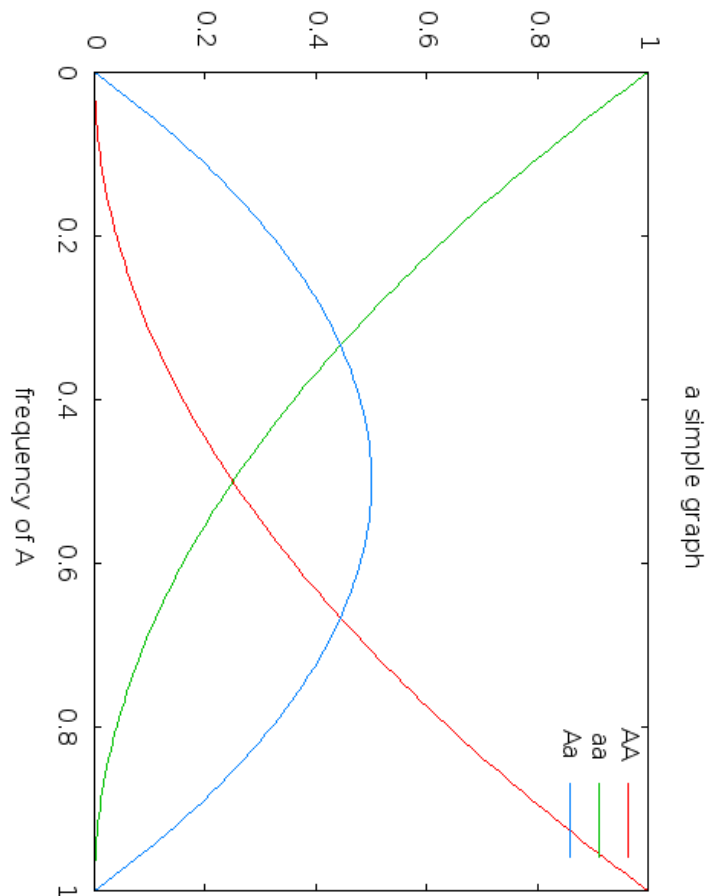


Figure 3: A simple graph rotated 270°

A pdf can be included the same way, e.g. by specifying

```
#+ATTR_LATEX: :options page=10 :width 10cm
[[file:myfig.pdf]]
```

### 2.2.1 inclusion of SVG graphics

q.v. my plantuml related documentation.

## 2.3 Tables

### 2.3.1 nicer table formatting using booktab style

Some [interesting tips](#) for booktab style tables by M. Püschel.

Whether table captions appear above or below the table can be configured using this variable:

```
(setq org-latex-table-caption-above nil)
```

Table 1: default table			
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
1	10	100	1000
2	11	101	1001
3	12	102	1002
4	13	103	1003
5	14	104	1004
15	60	510	5010

Table 2: table using booktabs style			
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4
1	10	100	1000
2	11	101	1001
3	12	102	1002
4	13	103	1003
5	14	104	1004
15	60	510	5010

### 2.3.2 Math in tables

Use *math* or *inline math* together with *array* environment.

Here we use the simple math mode

<i>Column1</i>	<i>Column2</i>
$\sin(x)$	$\tan(x)$

This uses the `inline-math` mode

<i>Column1</i>	<i>Column2</i>
$\sin(x)$	$\tan(x)$

### 2.3.3 Table font size

The font size is determined by the `:font` switch in the `#+ATTR_LATEX` line.

Column 1	Column 2
Some text	Some other text
10	20

Sidenote:

- When a caption is used, the latex export uses a `table` environment.
- The previous captionless table generates a `tabular` environment.

Table 3: Table small size

Column 1	Column 2
Some text	Some other text
10	20

Table 4: Table footnotesize

Column 1	Column 2
Some text	Some other text
10	20

Table 5: Table tiny size

Column 1	Column 2
Some text	Some other text
10	20

### 2.3.4 Sidewaystable

Using the `sidewaystable` together with a `:placement [H]` specifier requires that one uses the `rotfloat` environment.

Table 6: A sidewaysstable					
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6
1	10	100	1000	example	result
2	11	101	1001	example	result
3	12	102	1002	example	result
4	13	103	1003	example	result
5	14	104	1004	example	result
6	15	105	1005	example	result
7	16	106	1006	example	result

### 2.3.5 Table references

These are references to table 1 and table 2.

## 3 Text features

### 3.1 Text font size

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### 3.2 Footnotes and margin notes

This is a text with a footnote <sup>1</sup>. The footnote will be displayed on the bottom of the current page. One can also place all footnotes in a separate chapter called *footnotes* at the end of the org file<sup>2</sup>.

Margin notes one can set by directly inlining the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X command as demonstrated here. By default the margin notes are justified. This often looks awkward. Using this [stackexchange answer](#), I define a macro which yields:

I like the margin notes to be left aligned instead of being justified.

*a default  
margin note*

*a left aligned  
margin note  
that looks  
nicer*

### 3.3 References

Here, we show the usage of links to the text sections:

The References to figures are found in chapter 2.2, references to tables are found in chapter 2.3, and references to equations in chapter 2.1.

## 4 Some miscellaneous information and L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X links

- Hyperlink formatting
  - This is described in the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X [hyperref](#) manual.
  - This is an example how to get links that are not framed by red rectangles, but just have a blue font color

```
#+LaTeX_HEADER: \hypersetup{colorlinks=true, linkcolor=blue}
```
- Building a L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X Document Class
  - <http://tutex.tug.org/pracjourn/2005-4/hefferon/hefferon.pdf>

## 5 Index creation

Must be solved by including L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X source commands:

- Requires in the preamble

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<sup>1</sup>This is the footnote text

<sup>2</sup>this is a footnote from the end of the org document



- `\usepackage{makeidx}`
  - `\makeindex`
- Mark up words by `\index{word}`
  - At the location where the index should appear, use `\printindex`
  - to render the document, a call to the `makeindex` binary needs to be added in the build command. I use the following definition in my `init.el`.
- ```
(setq org-latex-pdf-process
  (let
    ((cmd (concat "pdflatex -shell-escape -interaction nonstopmode"
                  " -output-directory %o %f")))
    (list cmd
          "cd %o; if test -r %b.idx; then makeindex %b.idx; fi"
          cmd
          cmd)))
```

## List of Tables

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