

# PDBF Documentation

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# 1 Chart options

Macros:

`\chart[options]{query}`

Options:

## **chartType**

Desc.: Sets the type of the chart.

Argument: `line` or `bar` or `signatureplot` (more info here)

Default: `line`

## **width**

Desc.: Sets the width of the chart.

Argument: LaTeX length

Default: no default value. value must always be set!

## **height**

Desc.: Sets the height of the chart.

Argument: LaTeX length

Default: no default value. value must always be set!

## **xunit**

Desc.: Sets the a label for the x axis.

Argument: String

Default: `""` (which means hide)

## **yunit**

Desc.: Sets the a label for the y axis.

Argument: String

Default: `""` (which means hide)

## **options**

Desc.: Sets options that are directly passed to the c3 chart library (→ Documentation).  
You need to wrap the JSON-String with `{}` if you want to use `[` or `]` or `,.`

Argument: JSON-String

Default: `{}` (which means empty object)

## **quality**

Desc.: Sets the quality for the image version of the chart.

Can also be redefined globally (`\pdfQuality`).

Argument: Number  $> 0$

Default: `1.0`

## **scale**

Desc.: Sets the scale for the chart. 1.0 corresponds roughly to 12pt in  $\text{\LaTeX}$ .

Can also be redefined globally (`\pdfScale`).

Argument: Number  $> 0$

Default: `1.0`

## 2 F.A.Q.

- Q.: The overlay is not on the right position  
A.: Most likely you use pages with different sizes in your document. This is currently not supported by PBDF
- Q.: I get Error: paperwidth value missing! Did you forgot to specify the papersize via the geometry package? when compiling my document  
A.: You need to explicitly specify the papersize of your document via the geometry package (e.g. `\usepackage[letterpaper]{geometry}`)