

LATEX symbol for Cauchy principal value

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The usual symbol (dashed integral) used to denote Cauchy's principal value of an integral can be created in $\cancel{E}T_EX$ through macros.¹ These one are given by the following instructions, which must be included on the *preamble*.

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\def\Xint#1{\mathchoice
    {\XXint\displaystyle\textstyle{#1}}%
    {\XXint\textstyle\scriptstyle{#1}}%
    {\XXint\scriptstyle\scriptscriptstyle{#1}}%
    {\XXint\scriptscriptstyle\scriptscriptstyle{#1}}%
    \!\int}
\def\XXint#1#2#3{{\setbox0=\hbox{$#1{#2#3}{\int}$}
    \vcenter{\hbox{$#2#3$}}\kern-.5\wd0}}
\def\ddashint{\Xint=}
\def\dashint{\Xint-}
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The commands to execute those macros are " \dashint " and " \dashint " for single dash and double dash, respectively. Let us expose a few examples.

$$\oint_{\Omega} F(\zeta, \eta) d\zeta d\eta$$

 $\int_{z_0}^{z} f(\zeta) d\zeta$

 $Ei(z) = -\int_{-z}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-\zeta}}{\zeta} d\zeta = \int_{-\infty}^{z} \frac{e^{\zeta}}{\zeta} d\zeta, \quad \Re z > 0, \quad \text{(exponential integral)}$

 $li(z) = \int_0^z \frac{d\zeta}{\log \zeta} \equiv Ei(\log z), \Re z > 1,$ (logarithmic integral)

 $\Gamma(z)\Gamma(1-z) = -z\Gamma(-z)\Gamma(z) = \int_0^\infty \frac{\zeta^{z-1}}{\zeta+1} d\zeta = \pi \csc \pi z, \quad 0 < \Re z < 1, \quad \text{(Gamma function relation)}$

 $^{^{1}}UK$ List of $T_{E}X$ is a reference.