

# Latex Special Symbols

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Dependencies:

```
\usepackage{mathtools}  
\usepackage{bm}  
\usepackage{accents}
```

## 1 Under and Below Hat, Bar and Tilde

Under and below bar, allowing for bold notation for vector.

### 1.1 Accents Package

Reference:

- [SE: bar-below-symbol](#)
- [SE: Making hats \(and other accents\) bold](#)

#### 1.1.1 Accents Package Regular Font

Define:

```
\newcommand{\uhat}[1]{\underaccent{\hat}{#1}}  
\newcommand{\ubar}[1]{\underaccent{\bar}{#1}}  
\newcommand{\utilde}[1]{\underaccent{\tilde}{#1}}
```

Now write letters with under and over bars etc:

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$\backslash\hat{\text{ABC}}$ ,  $\backslash\bar{\text{ABC}}$ ,  $\backslash\tilde{\text{ABC}}$ ,  
 $\backslash\text{uhat}\{\text{ABC}\}$ ,  $\backslash\text{ubar}\{\text{ABC}\}$ ,  $\backslash\text{utilde}\{\text{ABC}\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \hat{a}, \bar{a}, \tilde{a}, \underset{\sim}{a}, \underset{\sim}{a}, \underset{\sim}{a}, \hat{A}, \bar{A}, \tilde{A}, \underset{\sim}{A}, \underset{\sim}{A}, \underset{\sim}{A}, \\ & \hat{a}\hat{b}\hat{c}, \bar{a}\bar{b}\bar{c}, \tilde{a}\tilde{b}\tilde{c}, \underset{\sim}{a}\underset{\sim}{b}\underset{\sim}{c}, \underset{\sim}{a}\underset{\sim}{b}\underset{\sim}{c}, \underset{\sim}{a}\underset{\sim}{b}\underset{\sim}{c}, \hat{A}\hat{B}\hat{C}, \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}, \tilde{A}\tilde{B}\tilde{C}, \underset{\sim}{A}\underset{\sim}{B}\underset{\sim}{C}, \underset{\sim}{A}\underset{\sim}{B}\underset{\sim}{C}, \underset{\sim}{A}\underset{\sim}{B}\underset{\sim}{C}, \\ & \hat{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}, \tilde{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \hat{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}, \tilde{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \\ & \alpha\hat{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\bar{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\tilde{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\hat{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\bar{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\tilde{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

### 1.1.2 Accents Package Bold

Define these new commands that combine [accent](#) and the [bm](#) packages. Note that the accents are defined outside of the bold letters, so accents are not bold. Can not define bold accents with `bm` directly using the accents package it seems:

```
\newcommand{\hatbm}[1]{\hat{\bm{#1}}}
\newcommand{\barbm}[1]{\bar{\bm{#1}}}
\newcommand{\tildebm}[1]{\tilde{\bm{#1}}}
\newcommand{\uhatbm}[1]{\underaccent{\hat}{\bm{#1}}}
\newcommand{\ubarbm}[1]{\underaccent{\bar}{\bm{#1}}}
\newcommand{\utildebm}[1]{\underaccent{\tilde}{\bm{#1}}}
```

Now write letters with under and over bars etc:

$\backslash\hat{\text{bm}}\{\text{ABC}\}$ ,  $\backslash\bar{\text{bm}}\{\text{ABC}\}$ ,  $\backslash\tilde{\text{bm}}\{\text{ABC}\}$ ,  
 $\backslash\text{uhat}\{\text{bm}\{\text{ABC}\}\}$ ,  $\backslash\text{ubar}\{\text{bm}\{\text{ABC}\}\}$ ,  $\backslash\text{utilde}\{\text{bm}\{\text{ABC}\}\}$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} & \hat{\Gamma}, \underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta \\ & \bar{a}, \underset{\sim}{a} \\ & \tilde{a}, \underset{\sim}{a} \\ & \hat{a}, \bar{a}, \tilde{a}, \underset{\sim}{a}, \underset{\sim}{a}, \underset{\sim}{a}, \hat{A}, \bar{A}, \tilde{A}, \underset{\sim}{A}, \underset{\sim}{A}, \underset{\sim}{A}, \\ & \hat{a}\hat{b}\hat{c}, \bar{a}\bar{b}\bar{c}, \tilde{a}\tilde{b}\tilde{c}, \underset{\sim}{a}\underset{\sim}{b}\underset{\sim}{c}, \underset{\sim}{a}\underset{\sim}{b}\underset{\sim}{c}, \underset{\sim}{a}\underset{\sim}{b}\underset{\sim}{c}, \hat{A}\hat{B}\hat{C}, \bar{A}\bar{B}\bar{C}, \tilde{A}\tilde{B}\tilde{C}, \underset{\sim}{A}\underset{\sim}{B}\underset{\sim}{C}, \underset{\sim}{A}\underset{\sim}{B}\underset{\sim}{C}, \underset{\sim}{A}\underset{\sim}{B}\underset{\sim}{C}, \\ & \hat{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}, \tilde{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \hat{\alpha}, \bar{\alpha}, \tilde{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \underset{\sim}{\alpha}, \\ & \alpha\hat{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\bar{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\tilde{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\hat{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\bar{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\tilde{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta, \alpha\underset{\sim}{\Gamma}\beta \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

### 1.1.3 Mathcal and Accents

`\bar{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`, `\ubar{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`,  
`\barbm{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`, `\ubarbm{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`

$$\begin{array}{c} \bar{A}, \underline{A}, \bar{\mathcal{A}}, \underline{\mathcal{A}} \\ \bar{Q}^C, \underline{Q}^C, \bar{\mathcal{Q}}^C, \underline{\mathcal{Q}}^C \\ \tilde{A}, \underline{\tilde{A}}, \tilde{\mathcal{A}}, \underline{\tilde{\mathcal{A}}} \\ \tilde{Q}^C, \underline{\tilde{Q}}^C, \tilde{\mathcal{Q}}^C, \underline{\tilde{\mathcal{Q}}}^C \end{array} \quad (3)$$

### 1.1.4 bm and Underline and Overline

Rather than using bar and under bar that are fixed width, use underline and overline which change width and can change in boldness.

`\newcommand{\overlinebm}[1]{\bm{\overline{\mathcal{#1}}}}`  
`\newcommand{\underlinebm}[1]{\bm{\underline{\mathcal{#1}}}}`

`\bar{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`, `\ubar{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`,  
`\barbm{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`, `\ubarbm{\mathcal{Q}}^{\mathcal{C}}`

$$\begin{array}{c} \overline{Q^C}, \underline{Q^C}, \overline{ABC^C}, \underline{ABC^C} \\ \overline{\alpha\Gamma\beta}, \underline{\alpha\Gamma\beta} \end{array} \quad (4)$$