# TableTools

TableTools is a plug-in for the DataTables HTML table enhancer, which adds a highly customisable button toolbar to a DataTable. Key features include:

\* Copy to clipboard

\* Save table data as CSV, XLS or PDF files

\* Print view for clean printing

\* Row selection options

\* Easy use predefined buttons

\* Simple customisation of buttons

\* Well defined API for advanced control

# Installation

To use TableTools, first download DataTables ( http://datatables.net/download ) and place the unzipped TableTools package into a `extensions` directory in the DataTables package (in DataTables 1.9- use the `extras` directory). This will allow the pages in the examples to operate correctly. To see the examples running, open the `examples` directory in your web-browser.

# Basic usage

TableTools is initialised using the `T` option that it adds to DataTables' `dom` option. For example:

```js

$(document).ready( function () {

$('#example').DataTable( {

dom: 'T<"clear">lfrtip'

} );

} );

```

# Documentation / support

\* Documentation: http://datatables.net/extensions/TableTools/

\* DataTables support forums: http://datatables.net/forums

# GitHub

If you fancy getting involved with the development of TableTools and help make it better, please refer to its GitHub repo: https://github.com/DataTables/TableTools