

Introduction to Scientific Typesetting

Lesson 5: The Structure of a Document

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\LaTeX provides several standard page styles. In the preamble, use `\pagestyle{style}`, where *style* is one of the following:

`plain` blank header, footer contains only the page number

`empty` empty header and footer

`headings` header provided by document class, empty footer

`myheadings` header determined by `\markright` and
`\markboth`, footer is empty

`\markright` takes one argument, `\markboth` takes two arguments—the left-hand page header and the right-hand page header. We'll only need `\markright` usually.

`\thispagestyle{style}` changes only the headers/footer on that page.

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Let's play around with this:

```
\documentclass{article}
\usepackage[margin=1in]{geometry}
\usepackage{amsmath}
\pagestyle{myheadings}
\begin{document}
Hello.
\markright{Math 233}
\newpage
Goodbye.
\markright{Introduction to Scientific Typesetting}
\end{document}
```

Try to substitute plain and empty for myheadings. Also try to use `\thispagestyle` on the second page.

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Each document class has its own division names. For the `article` class, the divisions are:

`\section`, `\subsection`, `\subsubsection`.

The general form of the command is: `\section{title}`.

A variant is `\section[short-title]{title}`. In this case, *short-title* is used in the running header.

A second variant is `\section*{title}`, where no section number is printed and nothing is carried in the running header.

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```
\documentclass{article}
\usepackage[margin=1in]{geometry}
\usepackage{amsmath}
\pagestyle{headings}
\begin{document}
\section[Intro]{Introduction}
Information here.
\subsection{Getting Started}
Right here
\end{document}
```

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For scholarly articles, the title has a special appearance. This should be the first item after `\begin{document}` when writing such an article.

In the `article` class, there are several fields possible, then the `\maketitle` command formats the title. (The title page generally has the `plain` page style.)

```
...  
\begin{document}  
\title{A Really Nice Paper}  
\author{Ryan Higginbottom}  
\date{\today}  
\maketitle  
...
```

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The `abstract` environment typesets the abstract of the paper.
This goes within the `document` environment.

Make sure to put the `abstract` environment after the
`\maketitle` command.

```
\begin{document}
```

```
\title{...}
```

```
\author{...}
```

```
\date{...}
```

```
\maketitle
```

```
\begin{abstract}
```

```
...
```

```
\end{abstract}
```

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Let's practice!

Open up the first example PDF file from Sakai, and reproduce it.

Most papers will require a bibliography or “References” section of some sort. This will be the last thing in the body of your paper, and it falls in a `thebibliography` environment.

```
\begin{thebibliography}{#}  
  \bibitem{key}  
  ...  
\end{thebibliography}
```

`#` should be 9 or 99, depending on the number of entries you have.

You will have to run \LaTeX twice to get the citations correct.

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Reference to the bibliography is done with `\cite{key}`. You'll notice in the sample file that I've also put an optional page reference in.

Two downsides to processing bibliographies this way: you are responsible for the formatting of the entry, and you are responsible for the order in which entries appear.

In TeXnicCenter, open the second example file (`.tex`) I posted on Sakai, build it twice to PDF and view it.

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Longer articles usually have tables of contents. This is generated with the `\tableofcontents` command. Because of the way \LaTeX processes things, it will take at least 2 (and sometimes 3) runs of \LaTeX to get all of the entries and page numbers correct.

Take the previous example `.tex` file and add three lines directly after `\begin{document}`:

```
\tableofcontents
\section{Introduction}
\subsection{Getting Started}
```

Now build three times and look at the `.pdf` file.

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Notice that the “References” wasn’t in the table of contents. We can add it (or anything else) manually.

```
\addcontentsline{toc}{section}{text to be added}
```

From the previous example, put `\newpage` before the `thebibliography` environment and type `\addcontentsline{toc}{section}{References}` after `\newpage`.

Build three times and view.

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We saw earlier that there were a few ways to adjust the page style of your document. The fancyhdr package gives you *a ton* more control.

The commands for this go in the preamble of your document.

```
\fancypagestyle{name}
{
  \lhead{} \chead{} \rhead{}
  \lfoot{} \cfoot{} \rfoot{}
  \renewcommand{\headrulewidth}{0pt}
  \renewcommand{\footrulewidth}{0pt}
}
\pagestyle{name}
```

Within the \fancypagestyle command, typing \thepage will give the page number.

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In TeXnicCenter, open the third example file (`.tex`) posted on Sakai.

Build it to PDF and view it.

You can also define multiple page styles with `fancyhdr`. You'll need to use the command `\thispagestyle`.

In TeXnicCenter, open the fourth example file (`.tex`) posted on Sakai. Build it to PDF and view.

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Let's practice!

Open up the fifth example file (.pdf) from Sakai, and reproduce it.