

TikZ works with plain $\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$. However, it is mostly used with $\text{L}^{\text{A}}\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$.

Glossary

$\text{L}^{\text{A}}\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$	Document markup language based on $\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$, widely used in academia	1
$\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$	Sophisticated digital typesetting system, famous for high typographic quality of mathematical formulae	1
<i>TikZ</i>	Extremely capable graphics language for drawing with $\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$	1