

LaTeX Projects: Resources and Tips

LaTeX Distribution & Information

latex-project.org

Package Documentation

ctan.org

UMD LaTeX Template

clarknet.eng.umd.edu/content/latex-thesis-template

STARTER TIPS:

Labeling: References & Figures

- Pick logical and organizable names for files (without special characters) such as:
0101_solarflare.jpg - chapter 1, section 1, picture of solar flare
crosby2015 - reference 1st author last name Crosby, pub date 2015

Commenting:

- Describe new packages, commands, and more
- Make notes or outline your document by section

Careful of copying and pasting from MS Office or other word processors:

- Special characters are coded, generally not read directly by LaTeX (i.e. Σ)
- Apostrophe's, quotes, and marks over/under letters may need to be altered since they are stylized by font types

Options for review/track changes:

- Overleaf collaboration: overleaf.com
- Git: github.com
- latexdiff package (requires Pearl)

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