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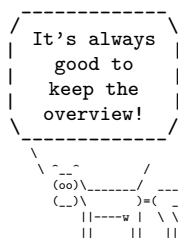
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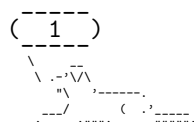
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`\AddAnimal` `\AddAnimal{*}[\langle options \rangle]{\langle animal \rangle}\langle ascii-art \rangle`

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adds `\langle animal \rangle` to the known animals. `\langle ascii-art \rangle` is multi-line verbatim and therefore should be delimited either by matching braces or by anything that works for `\verb`. If the star is given `\langle animal \rangle` is the new default. One space is added to the begin of `\langle animal \rangle` (compensating the opening symbol). The symbols signaling the speech bubble's tail (in the `hedgehog` example below the two `s`) can be set using the `tail-symbol` option and only the first `tail-count` occurrences will be substituted (see [paragraph 1.2.2.1](#) for more info about these options). For example, `hedgehog` is added with:

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\AddAnimal[tail-symbol=s]{hedgehog}
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```

It is not checked whether the animal already exists, you could therefore redefine existing animals with this macro.

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`\AddColoredAnimal` `\AddColoredAnimal{*}[\langle options \rangle]{\langle animal \rangle}\langle ascii-art \rangle`

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It does the same as `\AddAnimal` but allows three different colouring syntaxes. You can use `\textcolor` in the `\langle ascii-art \rangle` with the syntax `\textcolor{\langle color \rangle}{\langle text \rangle}`. Note that you can't use braces in the arguments of `\textcolor`.

You can also use a delimited `\color` of the form `\bgroup\color{\langle color \rangle}\langle text \rangle\egroup`, a space after that `\egroup` will be considered a space in the output, you don't have to leave a space after the `\egroup` (so `\bgroup\color{red}RedText\egroupOtherText` is valid syntax). You can't nest delimited `\colors`.

Also you can use an undelimited `\color`. It affects anything until the end of the current line (or, if used inside of the `\langle text \rangle` of a delimited `\color`, anything until the end of that delimited `\color`'s `\langle text \rangle`). The syntax would be `\color{\langle color \rangle}`.

The package doesn't load anything providing those colouring commands for you and it doesn't provide any coloured animals. The parsing is done using regular expressions provided by `LATEX3`. It is therefore slower than the normal `\AddAnimal`.

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`\AddAnimalOptions` `\AddAnimalOptions{\langle options \rangle}`

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With this macro you can set the `\langle options \rangle` exclusive to `\AddAnimal` and `\AddColoredAnimal` outside of those macros. For the available options take a look at [paragraph 1.2.2.1](#).

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`\AnimalOptions` `\AnimalOptions{*}{\langle animal \rangle}{\langle options \rangle}`

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With this macro you can set `\langle animal \rangle` specific `\langle options \rangle`. If the star is given any currently set options for this `\langle animal \rangle` are dropped and only the ones specified in `\langle options \rangle` will be applied, else `\langle options \rangle` will be added to the set options for this `\langle animal \rangle`. The set `\langle options \rangle` can set the `tail-1` and `tail-2` options and therefore overwrite the effects of `\duckthink`, as `\duckthink` really is just `\ducksay` with the `think` option.

## 1.2.2 Options

The following options are available independent on the used code variant (the value of the `version` key). They might be used as package options – unless otherwise specified – or used in the macros `\DucksayOptions`, `\ducksay` and `\duckthink` – again unless otherwise specified. Some options might be accessible in both code variants but do

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slightly different things. If that's the case they will be explained in [subsection 1.3.3](#) and [subsection 1.4.3](#) for **version 1** and **2**, respectively.

$$\text{version}=\langle number \rangle$$

With this you can choose the code variant to be used. Currently 1 and 2 are available. This can be set only during package load time. For a dedicated description of each version look into [subsection 1.3](#) and [subsection 1.4](#). The package author would choose `version=2`, the other version is mostly for legacy reasons. The default is 2.

```
add-think=bool
```

deprecated; will throw an error

$\langle animal \rangle$

One of the animals listed in [subsection 1.6](#) or any of the ones added with `\AddAnimal`. Not useable as package option. Also don't use it in `\DucksayOptions`, it'll break the default animal selection.

$$\text{animal} = \langle \text{animal} \rangle$$

Locally sets the default animal. Note that `\ducksay` and `\duckthink` do digest their options inside of a group, so it just results in a longer alternative to the use of `\animal` if used in their options.

$$\text{ligatures} = \langle \text{token list} \rangle$$

each token you don't want to form ligatures during `\AddAnimal` should be contained in this list. All of them get enclosed by grouping `{` and `}` so that they can't form ligatures. Giving no argument (or an empty one) might enhance compilation speed by disabling this replacement. The formation of ligatures was only observed in combination with `\usepackage[T1]{fontenc}` by the author of this package. Therefore giving the option `ligatures` without an argument might enhance the compilation speed for you without any drawbacks. Initially this is set to `'<>.-'`.

**Note:** In earlier releases this option's expected argument was a regular expression. This means that this option is not fully downward compatible with older versions. The speed gain however seems worth it (and I hope the affected documents are few).

no-tail

Sets `tail-1` and `tail-2` to be a space.

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Sets `tail-1` and `tail-2` as backslashes.

$$\text{tail-1} = \langle \text{token list} \rangle$$

Sets the first tail symbol in the output to be `\token list`. If set outside of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink` it will be overwritten inside of `\duckthink` to be 0.

$$\text{tail-2} = \langle \text{token list} \rangle$$

Sets every other tail symbol except the first one in the output to be `\token list`. If set outside of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink` it will be overwritten inside of `\duckthink` to be `o`.

think

Sets tail-1=0 and tail-2=0.

**1.2.2.1 Options for \AddAnimal** The options described here are only available in \AddAnimal, \AddColoredAnimal and \AddAnimalOptions.

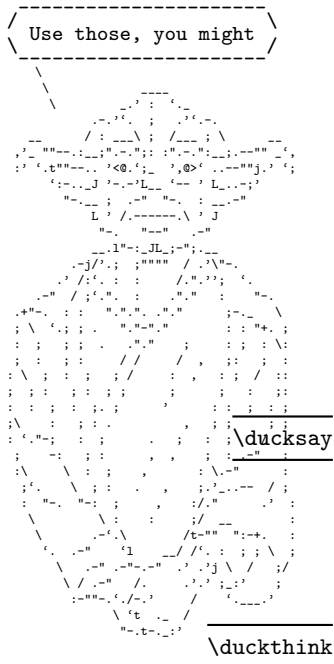
tail-count=*int*

sets the number of tail symbols to be replaced in `\AddAnimal` and `\AddColoredAnimal`. Initial value is 2. If the value is negative every occurrence of `tail-symbol` will be replaced.

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tail-symbol=<str>
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the symbol used in `\AddAnimal` and `\AddColoredAnimal` to mark the bubble's tail. The argument gets `\detokenized`. Initially a single backslash.



## 1.3 Version 1

### 1.3.1 Introduction

This version is included for legacy support (old documents should behave the same without any change to them – except the usage of `version=1` as an option, for a more or less complete list of downward compatibility related problems see [subsection 1.1](#)). For the bleeding edge version of `ducksay` skip this subsection and read [subsection 1.4](#).

### 1.3.2 Macros

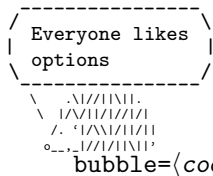
The following is the description of macros which differ in behaviour from those of version 2.

`\ducksay[⟨options⟩]{⟨message⟩}`

options might include any of the options described in [subsection 1.2.2](#) and [subsection 1.3.3](#) if not otherwise specified. Prints an `⟨animal⟩` saying `⟨message⟩`. `⟨message⟩` is not read in verbatim. Multi-line `⟨message⟩`s are possible using `\\`. `\\` should not be contained in a macro definition but at toplevel. Else use the option `ht`.

`\duckthink[⟨options⟩]{⟨message⟩}`

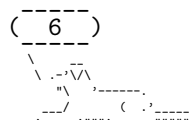
options might include any of the options described in [subsection 1.2.2](#) and [subsection 1.3.3](#) if not otherwise specified. Prints an `⟨animal⟩` thinking `⟨message⟩`. `⟨message⟩` is not read in verbatim. Multi-line `⟨message⟩`s are possible using `\\`. `\\` should not be contained in a macro definition but at toplevel. Else use the option `ht`.



### 1.3.3 Options

The following options are available to `\ducksay`, `\duckthink`, and `\DucksayOptions` and if not otherwise specified also as package options:

- `bubble=⟨code⟩` use `⟨code⟩` in a group right before the bubble (for font switches). Might be used as a package option but not all control sequences work out of the box there.
- `body=⟨code⟩` use `⟨code⟩` in a group right before the body (meaning the `⟨animal⟩`). Might be used as a package option but not all control sequences work out of the box there. E.g. to right-align the `⟨animal⟩` to the bubble, use `body=\hfill`.
- `align=⟨valign⟩` use `⟨valign⟩` as the vertical alignment specifier given to the `tabular` which is around the contents of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`.
- `msg-align=⟨halign⟩` use `⟨halign⟩` for alignment of the rows of multi-line `⟨message⟩`s. It should match a `tabular` column specifier. Default is `l`. It only affects the contents of the speech bubble not the bubble.
- `rel-align=⟨column⟩` use `⟨column⟩` for alignment of the bubble and the body. It should match a `tabular` column specifier. Default is `l`.



`wd=⟨count⟩` in order to detect the width the `⟨message⟩` is expanded. This might not work out for some commands (e.g. `\url` from `hyperref`). If you specify the width using `wd` the `⟨message⟩` is not expanded and therefore the command *might* work out. `⟨count⟩` should be the character count.

`ht=<count>` you might explicitly set the height (the row count) of the `<message>`. This only has an effect if you also specify `wd`.

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### 1.3.4 Defects

- no automatic line wrapping

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## 1.4 Version 2

### 1.4.1 Introduction

Version 2 is the current version of `ducksay`. It features automatic line wrapping (if you specify a fixed width) and in general more options (with some nasty argument parsing).

If you're already used to version 1 you should note one important thing: You should only specify the `version` and the `ligatures` during package load time as arguments to `\usepackage`. The other keys might not work or do unintended things and only don't throw errors or warnings because of the legacy support of version 1. After the package is loaded, keys only used for version 1 will throw an error.

### 1.4.2 Macros

The following is the description of macros which differ in behaviour from those of version 1.

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| <code>\ducksay</code> | <code>\ducksay[⟨options⟩]{⟨message⟩}</code> |
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options might include any of the options described in [subsection 1.2.2](#) and [subsection 1.4.3](#) if not otherwise specified. Prints an `⟨animal⟩` saying `⟨message⟩`.

The `⟨message⟩` can be read in in four different ways. For an explanation of the `⟨message⟩` reading see the description of the `arg` key in [subsection 1.4.3](#).

The height and width of the message is determined by measuring its dimensions and the bubble will be set accordingly. The box surrounding the message will be placed both horizontally and vertically centred inside of the bubble. The output utilizes L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3's coffin mechanism described in [interface3.pdf](#) and the documentation of `xcoffins`.

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| <code>\duckthink</code> | <code>\duckthink[⟨options⟩]{⟨message⟩}</code> |
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The only difference to `\ducksay` is that in `\duckthink` the `⟨animal⟩`s think the `⟨message⟩` and don't say it.

### 1.4.3 Options

In version 2 the following options are available. Keep in mind that you shouldn't use them during package load time but in the arguments of `\ducksay`, `\duckthink` or `\DucksayOptions`.

`arg=⟨choice⟩`

specifies how the `⟨message⟩` argument of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink` should be read in. Available options are `box`, `tab` and `tab*`:

**box** the argument is read in either as a `\hbox` or a `\vbox` (the latter if a fixed width is specified with either `wd` or `wd*`). Note that in this mode any arguments relying on category code changes like e.g. `\verb` will work (provided that you don't use `\ducksay` or `\duckthink` inside of an argument of another macro of course).

**tab** the argument is read in as the contents of a `tabular`. Note that in this mode any arguments relying on category code changes like e.g. `\verb` will *not* work. This mode comes closest to the behaviour of version 1 of `ducksay`.

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**tab\***

the argument is read in as the contents of a **tabular**. However it is read in verbatim and uses **\scantokens** to rescan the argument. Note that in this mode any arguments relying on category code changes like e.g. **\verb** will work. You can't use **\ducksay** or **\duckthink** as an argument to another macro in this mode however.

**b** shortcut for **out-v=b**.

**body=<font>** add **<font>** to the font definitions in use to typeset the **<animal>**'s body.

**body\*=<font>**  
clear any definitions previously made (including the package default) and set the font definitions in use to typeset the **<animal>**'s body to **<font>**. The package default is **\verbatim@font**. In addition **\frenchspacing** will always be used prior to the defined **<font>**.

**body-align=<choice>**  
sets the relative alignment of the **<animal>** to the **<message>**. Possible choices are **l**, **c** and **r**. For **l** the **<animal>** is flushed to the left of the **<message>**, for **c** it is centred and for **r** it is flushed right. More fine grained control over the alignment can be obtained with the keys **msg-to-body**, **body-to-msg**, **body-x** and **body-y**. Package default is **l**.

**body-mirrored=<bool>**  
if set true the **<animal>** will be mirrored along its vertical centre axis. Package default is **false**. If you set it **true** you'll most likely need to manually adjust the alignment of the body with one or more of the keys **body-align**, **body-to-msg**, **msg-to-body**, **body-x** and **body-y**.

**body-to-msg=<pole>**  
defines the horizontal coffin **<pole>** to be used for the placement of the **<animal>** beneath the **<message>**. See [interface3.pdf](#) and the documentation of **xcoffins** for information about coffin poles.

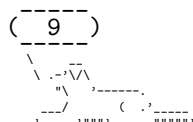
**body-x=<dimen>**  
defines a horizontal offset of **<dimen>** length of the **<animal>** from its placement beneath the **<message>**.

**body-y=<dimen>**  
defines a vertical offset of **<dimen>** length of the **<animal>** from its placement beneath the **<message>**.

**bubble=<font>**  
add **<font>** to the font definitions in use to typeset the bubble. This does not affect the **<message>** only the bubble put around it.

**bubble\*=<font>**  
clear any definitions previously made (including the package default) and set the font definitions in use to typeset the bubble to **<font>**. This does not affect the **<message>** only the bubble put around it. The package default is **\verbatim@font**.

**bubble-bot-kern=<dimen>**  
specifies a vertical offset of the placement of the lower border of the bubble from the bottom of the left and right borders.



- `bubble-delim-left-1=<token list>`  
the left delimiter used if only one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `(`.
- `bubble-delim-left-2=<token list>`  
the upper most left delimiter used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `/`.
- `bubble-delim-left-3=<token list>`  
the left delimiters used to fill the gap if more than two lines of delimiters are needed. Package default is `|`.
- `bubble-delim-left-4=<token list>`  
the lower most left delimiter used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `\`.
- `bubble-delim-right-1=<token list>`  
the right delimiter used if only one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `)`.
- `bubble-delim-right-2=<token list>`  
the upper most right delimiter used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `\`.
- `bubble-delim-right-3=<token list>`  
the right delimiters used to fill the gap if more than two lines of delimiters are needed. Package default is `|`.
- `bubble-delim-right-4=<token list>`  
the lower most right delimiter used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `/`.
- `bubble-delim-top=<token list>`  
the delimiter used to create the top and bottom border of the bubble. The package default is `{-}` (the braces are important to suppress ligatures here).
- `bubble-side-kern=<dimen>`  
specifies the kerning used to move the sideways delimiters added to fill the gap for more than two lines of bubble height. (the left one is moved to the left, the right one to the right)
- `bubble-top-kern=<dimen>`  
specifies a vertical offset of the placement of the upper border of the bubble from the top of the left and right borders.
- `c`  
shortcut for `out-v=vc`.
- `col=<column>`  
specifies the used column specifier used for the `<message>` enclosing `tabular` for `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*`. Has precedence over `msg-align`. You can also use more than one column this way: `\ducksay[arg=tab,col=cc]{ You & can \\ do & it }` would be valid syntax.
- `hpad=<count>`  
Add `<count>` times more `bubble-delim-top` instances than necessary to the upper and lower border of the bubble. Package default is 2.

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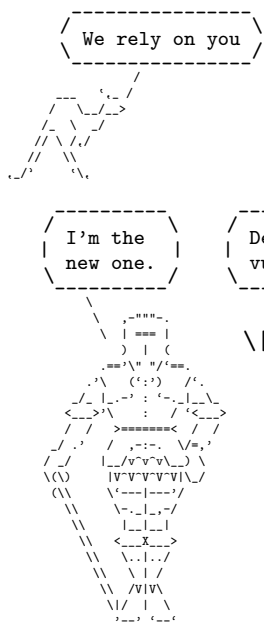


- `msg-to-body=<pole>`  
 defines the horizontal coffin `<pole>` to be used as the reference point for the placement of the `<animal>` beneath the `<message>`. See [interface3.pdf](#) and the documentation of [xcoffins](#) for information about coffin poles.
- `no-bubble=<bool>`  
 If `true` the `<message>` will not be surrounded by a bubble. Package default is of course `false`.
- `none=<bool>` One could say this is a special animal. If `true` no animal body will be used (resulting in just the speech bubble). Package default is of course `false`.
- `out-h=<pole>`  
 defines the horizontal coffin `<pole>` to be used as the anchor point for the print out of the complete result of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`. See [interface3.pdf](#) and the documentation of [xcoffins](#) for information about coffin poles.
- `out-v=<pole>`  
 defines the vertical coffin `<pole>` to be used as the anchor point for the print out of the complete result of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`. See [interface3.pdf](#) and the documentation of [xcoffins](#) for information about coffin poles.
- `out-x=<dimen>`  
 specifies an additional horizontal offset of the print out of the complete result of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`.
- `out-y=<dimen>`  
 specifies an additional vertical offset of the print out of the complete result of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`.
- `strip-spaces=<bool>`  
 if set `true` leading and trailing spaces are stripped from the `<message>` if `arg=box` is used. Initially this is set to `false`.
- `t`  
 shortcut for `out-v=t`.
- `vpad=<count>`  
 add `<count>` to the lines used for the bubble, resulting in `<count>` more lines than necessary to enclose the `<message>` inside of the bubble.
- `wd=<count>` specifies the width of the `<message>` to be fixed to `<count>` times the width of an upper case M in the `<message>`'s font declaration. A value smaller than 0 is considered deactivated, else the width is considered as fixed. For a fixed width the argument of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink` is read in as a `\vbox` for `arg=box` and the column definition uses a `p`-type column for `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*`. If both `wd` is not smaller than 0 and `wd*` is not smaller than 0pt, `wd*` will take precedence.
- `wd*=<dimen>` specifies the width of the `<message>` to be fixed to `<dimen>`. A value smaller than 0pt is considered deactivated, else the width is considered as fixed. For a fixed width the argument of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink` is read in as a `\vbox` for `arg=box` and the column definition uses a `p`-type column for `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*`. If both `wd` is not smaller than 0 and `wd*` is not smaller than 0pt, `wd*` will take precedence.

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```

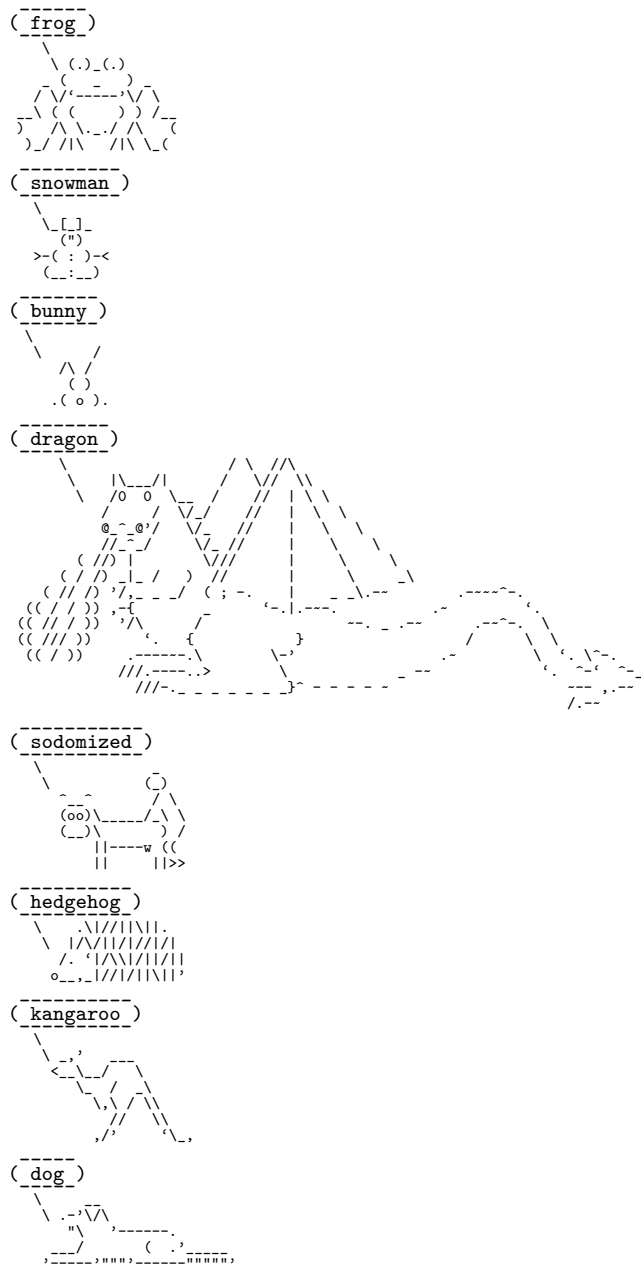
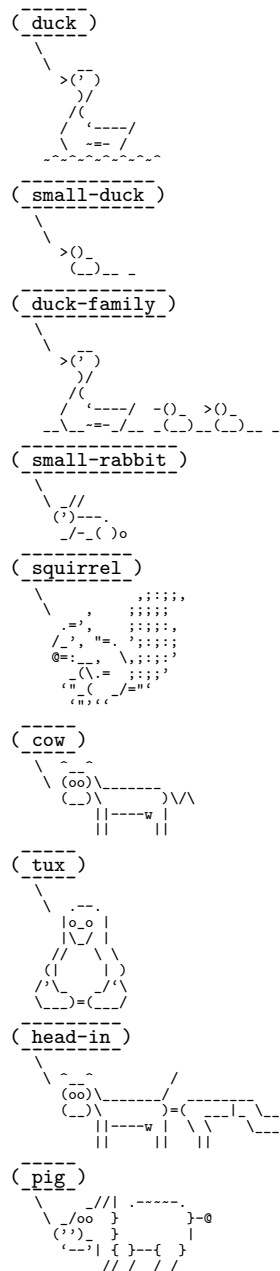


## 1.5 Dependencies

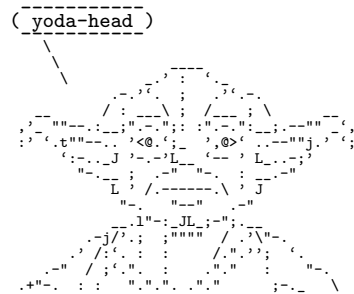
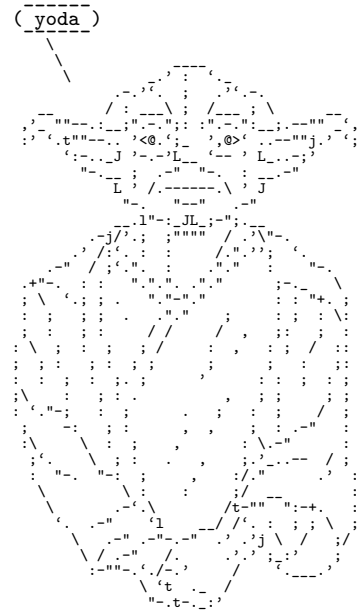
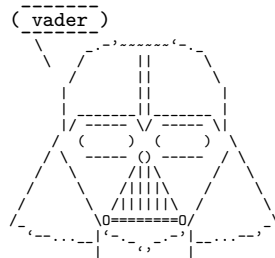
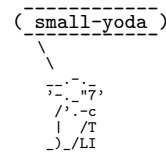
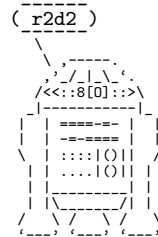
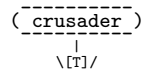
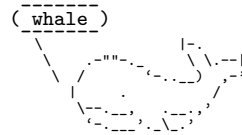
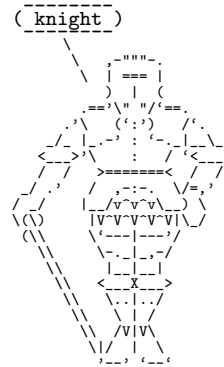
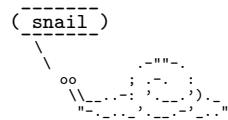
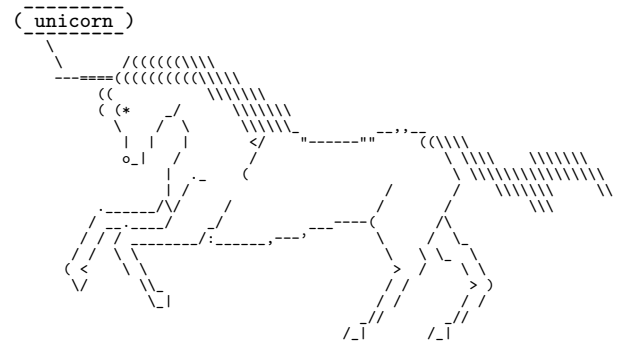
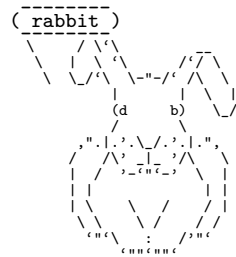
The package depends on the two packages `xparse` and `l3keys2e` and all of their dependencies. Version 2 additionally depends on `array` and `grabbbox`.

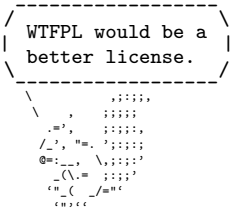
## 1.6 Available Animals

The following animals are provided by this package. I did not create them (but altered some), they belong to their original creators.



\*Latin; "I'm new, too."



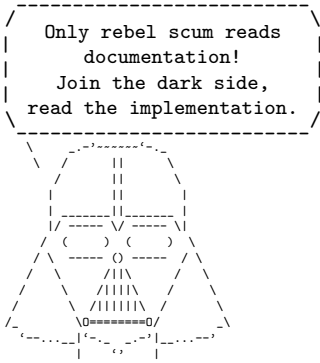


1.7 Miscellaneous

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The package is hosted on [https://github.com/Skillmon/ltx\\_ducksay](https://github.com/Skillmon/ltx_ducksay), you might report bugs there.





## 2 Implementation

1 `<*pkg>`

### 2.1 Shared between versions

#### 2.1.1 Variables

##### 2.1.1.1 Integers

2 `\int_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_width_int`  
 3 `\int_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int`  
 4 `\int_new:N \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_count_int`

##### 2.1.1.2 Sequences

5 `\seq_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq`

##### 2.1.1.3 Token lists

6 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_align_tl`  
 7 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl`  
 8 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_animal_tl`  
 9 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_body_tl`  
 10 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_tl`  
 11 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl`  
 12 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_one_tl`  
 13 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_two_tl`  
 14 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_in_tl`

##### 2.1.1.4 Boolean

15 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_version_one_bool`  
 16 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_version_two_bool`

##### 2.1.1.5 Boxes

17 `\box_new:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_box`

### 2.1.2 Regular Expressions

Regular expressions for `\AddColoredAnimal`

18 `\regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_textcolor_regex`  
 19 `{ \c0(?:\\textcolor\{(.*)\}\{(.*)\}) }`  
 20 `\regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_color_delim_regex`  
 21 `{ \c0(?:\\bgroup\\color\{(.*)\}(.*))\\egroup }`  
 22 `\regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_color_regex`  
 23 `{ \c0(?:\\color\{(.*)\}) }`

### 2.1.3 Messages

```

24 \msg_new:nnn { ducksay } { load-time-only }
25 { The~'#1'~key~is~to~be~used~only~during~package~load~time. }
26 \msg_new:nnn { ducksay } { deprecated-key }
27 { The~'\l_keys_key_tl'~key~is~deprecated.~Sorry~for~the~inconvenience. }

```

### 2.1.4 Key-value setup

```

28 \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
29 {
30   ,bubble .tl_set:N      = \l_ducksay_bubble_tl
31   ,body   .tl_set:N      = \l_ducksay_body_tl
32   ,align  .tl_set:N      = \l_ducksay_align_tl
33   ,align  .value_required:n = true
34   ,wd     .int_set:N      = \l_ducksay_msg_width_int
35   ,wd     .initial:n      = -\c_max_int
36   ,wd     .value_required:n = true
37   ,ht     .int_set:N      = \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
38   ,ht     .initial:n      = -\c_max_int
39   ,ht     .value_required:n = true
40   ,animal .code:n        =
41   { \keys_define:nn { ducksay } { default_animal .meta:n = { #1 } } }
42   ,animal .initial:n      = duck
43   ,msg-align .tl_set:N    = \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
44   ,msg-align .initial:n   = 1
45   ,msg-align .value_required:n = true
46   ,rel-align .tl_set:N    = \l_ducksay_rel_align_tl
47   ,rel-align .initial:n   = 1
48   ,rel-align .value_required:n = true
49   ,ligatures .tl_set:N    = \l_ducksay_ligatures_tl
50   ,ligatures .initial:n   = { '<','>' }
51   ,tail-1    .tl_set:N    = \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_one_tl
52   ,tail-1    .initial:x   = \c_backslash_str
53   ,tail-2    .tl_set:N    = \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_two_tl
54   ,tail-2    .initial:x   = \c_backslash_str
55   ,no-tail   .meta:n      = { tail-1 = { ~ }, tail-2 = { ~ } }
56   ,think     .meta:n      = { tail-1 = { 0 }, tail-2 = { o } }
57   ,say       .code:n      =
58   {
59     \exp_args:Nx \DucksayOptions
60     { tail-1 = { \c_backslash_str }, tail-2 = { \c_backslash_str } }
61   }
62   ,version .choice:
63   ,version / 1 .code:n =
64   {
65     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_version_two_bool
66     \bool_set_true:N  \l_ducksay_version_one_bool
67   }
68   ,version / 2 .code:n =
69   {
70     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_version_one_bool
71     \bool_set_true:N  \l_ducksay_version_two_bool
72   }
73   ,version .initial:n = 2

```

```

74     ,add-think .code:n      = \msg_error:nn { ducksay } { deprecated-key }
75   }
76 \ProcessKeysOptions { ducksay }
77   Undefine the load-time-only keys
78 \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
79   {
80     version .code:n = \msg_error:nnn { ducksay } { load-time-only } { version }
81   }

```

**2.1.4.1 Keys for \AddAnimal** Define keys meant for \AddAnimal and \AddColoredAnimal only in their own regime:

```

81 \keys_define:nn { ducksay / add-animal }
82   {
83     ,tail-symbol .code:n      =
84     \tl_set:Nx \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_in_tl { \tl_to_str:n { #1 } }
85     ,tail-symbol .initial:o = \c_backslash_str
86     ,tail-count .int_set:N = \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_count_int
87     ,tail-count .initial:n = 2
88   }

```

## 2.1.5 Functions

### 2.1.5.1 Generating Variants of External Functions

```

89 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \tl_if_eq:nnT { VnT }
90 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \tl_replace_once:Nnn { NVn }

```

### 2.1.5.2 Internal

\ducksay\_replace\_verb\_newline:Nn

```

91 \cs_new_protected:Npx \ducksay_replace_verb_newline:Nn #1 #2
92   {
93     \tl_replace_all:Nnn #1 { \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 12 } } { #2 }
94   }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_replace\_verb\_newline:Nn. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_replace\_verb\_newline\_newline:Nn

```

95 \cs_new_protected:Npx \ducksay_replace_verb_newline_newline:Nn #1 #2
96   {
97     \tl_replace_all:Nnn #1
98     { \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 12 } \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 12 } } { #2 }
99   }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_replace\_verb\_newline\_newline:Nn. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_process\_verb\_newline:nnn

```

100 \cs_new_protected:Npn \ducksay_process_verb_newline:nnn #1 #2 #3
101   {
102     \tl_set:Nn \ProcessedArgument { #3 }
103     \ducksay_replace_verb_newline_newline:Nn \ProcessedArgument { #2 }
104     \ducksay_replace_verb_newline:Nn \ProcessedArgument { #1 }
105   }

```

```

(-----)
( 18 )
\ .-' \
" \
----- ( .') -----
)-----)

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_process\_verb\_newline:nnn. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_add\_animal\_inner:nnnn

```

106 \cs_new_protected:Npn \ducksay_add_animal_inner:nnnn #1 #2 #3 #4
107 {
108   \group_begin:
109     \AddAnimalOptions { #1 }
110     \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { \ #3 }
111     \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_count_int } < { \c_zero_int }
112     {
113       \tl_replace_once:NVn
114         \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
115         \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_in_tl
116         \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_one_tl
117       \tl_replace_all:NVn
118         \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
119         \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_in_tl
120         \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_two_tl
121     }
122     {
123       \int_compare:nNnT { \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_count_int } >
124       { \c_zero_int }
125       {
126         \tl_replace_once:NVn
127           \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
128           \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_in_tl
129           \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_one_tl
130         \int_step_inline:nnn { 2 } { \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_count_int }
131         {
132           \tl_replace_once:NVn
133             \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
134             \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_in_tl
135             \l_ducksay_tail_symbol_out_two_tl
136         }
137       }
138     }
139     \exp_args:NNNV
140     \group_end:
141     \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
142     \tl_map_inline:Nn \l_ducksay_ligatures_tl
143       { \tl_replace_all:Nnn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { ##1 } { { ##1 } } }
144     \ducksay_replace_verb_newline:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { \tabularnewline\null }
145     \tl_gset_eq:cN { g_ducksay_animal_#2_tl } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
146     \exp_args:Nnx \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
147     {
148       #2 .code:n =
149       {
150         \exp_not:n { \tl_set_eq:NN \l_ducksay_animal_tl }
151         \exp_after:wN \exp_not:N \cs:w g_ducksay_animal_#2_tl \cs_end:
152         \exp_not:n { \exp_args:NV \DucksayOptions }
153         \exp_after:wN
154         \exp_not:N \cs:w l_ducksay_animal_#2_options_tl \cs_end:
155       }
156     }

```

```

157 \tl_if_exist:cF { l_ducksay_animal_#2_options_tl }
158 { \tl_new:c { l_ducksay_animal_#2_options_tl } }
159 \IfBooleanT { #4 }
160 { \keys_define:nn { ducksay } { default_animal .meta:n = { #2 } } }
161 }
162 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \ducksay_add_animal_inner:nnnn { nnVn }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_add\_animal\_inner:nnnn. This function is documented on page ??.)

### 2.1.5.3 Document level

#### \DefaultAnimal

```

163 \NewDocumentCommand \DefaultAnimal { m }
164 {
165   \keys_define:nn { ducksay } { default_animal .meta:n = { #1 } }
166 }

```

(End definition for \DefaultAnimal. This function is documented on page 2.)

#### \DucksayOptions

```

167 \NewDocumentCommand \DucksayOptions { m }
168 {
169   \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { #1 }
170 }

```

(End definition for \DucksayOptions. This function is documented on page 2.)

#### \AddAnimalOptions

```

171 \NewDocumentCommand \AddAnimalOptions { m }
172 {
173   \keys_set:nn { ducksay / add-animal } { #1 }
174 }

```

(End definition for \AddAnimalOptions. This function is documented on page 3.)

#### \AddAnimal

```

175 \NewDocumentCommand \AddAnimal { s O{} m +v }
176 {
177   \ducksay_add_animal_inner:nnnn { #2 } { #3 } { #4 } { #1 }
178 }

```

(End definition for \AddAnimal. This function is documented on page 3.)

#### \AddColoredAnimal

```

179 \NewDocumentCommand \AddColoredAnimal { s O{} m +v }
180 {
181   \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { #4 }
182   \regex_replace_all:NnN \c_ducksay_color_delim_regex
183     { \c{bgroup}\c{color}\cB{\1\cE}\2\c{egroup} }
184   \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
185   \regex_replace_all:NnN \c_ducksay_color_regex
186     { \c{color}\cB{\1\cE}\ }
187   \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
188   \regex_replace_all:NnN \c_ducksay_textcolor_regex
189     { \c{textcolor}\cB{\1\cE}\cB{\2\cE}\ }

```

```

190     \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
191     \ducksay_add_animal_inner:nnVn { #2 } { #3 } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { #1 }
192 }

```

(End definition for `\AddColoredAnimal`. This function is documented on page 3.)

## `\AnimalOptions`

```

203 \NewDocumentCommand \AnimalOptions { s m m }
204 {
205     \tl_if_exist:cTF { l_ducksay_animal_#2_options_tl }
206     {
207         \IfBooleanTF { #1 }
208         { \tl_set:cn }
209         { \tl_put_right:cn }
210     }
211     { \tl_set:cn }
212     { l_ducksay_animal_#2_options_tl } { #3, }
213 }

```

(End definition for `\AnimalOptions`. This function is documented on page 3.)

## 2.1.6 Load the Correct Version and the Animals

```

204 \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_version_one_bool
205 { \file_input:n { ducksay.code.v1.tex } }
206 \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_version_two_bool
207 { \file_input:n { ducksay.code.v2.tex } }
208 \ExplSyntaxOff
209 \input{ducksay.animals.tex}
210 </pkg>

```

## 2.2 Version 1

211 `*code.v1`

### 2.2.1 Functions

#### 2.2.1.1 Internal

```
\ducksay_longest_line:n Calculate the length of the longest line
```

```

212 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_longest_line:n #1
213 {
214   \int_incr:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
215   \exp_args:NNx \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { #1 }
216   \regex_replace_all:nnN { \s } { \c { space } } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
217   \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_int
218   {
219     \int_max:nn
220     { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } { \tl_count:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl }
221   }
222 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_longest\_line:n. This function is documented on page ??.)

`\ducksay_open_bubble:` Draw the opening bracket of the bubble

```

223 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_open_bubble:
224 {
225   \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
226     \null\
227     \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { 1 } { ( }
228     {
229       /
230       \int_step_inline:nnn
231         { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \\ \kern-0.2em| }
232       \\ \detokenize{ \ }
233     }
234     \\ [-1ex] \null
235   \end{tabular}
236   \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
237     _\
238     \int_step_inline:nnn { 2 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \\ } \\ [-1ex]
239     \mbox { - }
240   \end{tabular}
241 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_open\_bubble:. This function is documented on page ??.)

`\ducksay_close_bubble:` Draw the closing bracket of the bubble

```

242 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_close_bubble:
243 {
244   \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
245     _\\
246     \int_step_inline:nnn { 2 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \ } { \ } [-1ex]
247     { - }
248   \end{tabular}
249   \begin{tabular}{@{}r@{}}
250     \null\\

```

```

251 \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { 1 }
252 { ) }
253 {
254   \detokenize {\ }
255   \int_step_inline:nnn
256     { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \|\kern-0.2em }
257   \\/
258 }
259 \\\[-1ex]\null
260 \end{tabular}
261 }

```

(End definition for `\ducksay_close_bubble`:. This function is documented on page ??.)

`\ducksay_print_msg:nn` Print out the message

```

262 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_print_msg:nn #1 #2
263 {
264   \begin{tabular}{@{} #2 @{}}
265     \int_step_inline:nn { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } { _ } \\\
266     #1\|[-1ex]
267     \int_step_inline:nn { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } { { - } }
268   \end{tabular}
269 }
270 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \ducksay_print_msg:nn { nV }

```

(End definition for `\ducksay_print_msg:nn`. This function is documented on page ??.)

`\ducksay_print:nn` Print out the whole thing

```

271 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_print:nn #1 #2
272 {
273   \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } < { 0 }
274   {
275     \int_zero:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
276     \seq_set_split:Nnn \l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq { \\\ } { #1 }
277     \seq_map_function:NN \l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq \ducksay_longest_line:n
278   }
279   {
280     \int_compare:nNnT { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } < { 0 }
281     {
282       \regex_count:nnN { \c { \\\ } } { #1 } \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
283       \int_incr:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
284     }
285   }
286   \group_begin:
287     \frenchspacing
288     \verbatim@font
289     \@noligs
290     \begin{tabular}[\l_ducksay_align_tl]{@{}#2@{}}
291       \l_ducksay_bubble_tl
292       \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
293         \ducksay_open_bubble:
294         \ducksay_print_msg:nV { #1 } \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
295         \ducksay_close_bubble:
296       \end{tabular}\|
297       \l_ducksay_body_tl

```



```

298         \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
299             \l_ducksay_animal_tl
300         \end{tabular}
301     \end{tabular}
302 \group_end:
303 }
304 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \ducksay_print:nn { nV }

```

(End definition for `\ducksay_print:nn`. This function is documented on page ??.)

`\ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n` Reset some variables

```

305 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n #1
306 {
307     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_int { -\c_max_int }
308     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_height_int { -\c_max_int }
309     \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { #1 }
310     \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_animal_tl
311         { \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { default_animal } }
312 }

```

(End definition for `\ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n`. This function is documented on page ??.)

### 2.2.1.2 Document level

`\ducksay`

```

313 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay { 0{} m }
314 {
315     \group_begin:
316         \ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n { #1 }
317         \ducksay_print:nV { #2 } \l_ducksay_rel_align_tl
318     \group_end:
319 }

```

(End definition for `\ducksay`. This function is documented on page 8.)

`\duckthink`

```

320 \NewDocumentCommand \duckthink { 0{} m }
321 {
322     \group_begin:
323         \ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n { think, #1 }
324         \ducksay_print:nV { #2 } \l_ducksay_rel_align_tl
325     \group_end:
326 }

```

(End definition for `\duckthink`. This function is documented on page 8.)

```

327 \</code.v1>

```

## 2.3 Version 2

328 `<*code.v2>`

Load the additional dependencies of version 2.

329 `\RequirePackage{array,grabbox}`

### 2.3.1 Messages

330 `\msg_new:nnn { ducksay } { justify-unavailable }`

331 `{`

332 `Justified-content-is-not-available-for-tabular-argument-mode-without-fixed-`  
333 `width.~'l'~column-is-used-instead.`

334 `}`

335 `\msg_new:nnn { ducksay } { unknown-message-alignment }`

336 `{`

337 `The-specified-message-alignment~'\exp_not:n { #1 }'~is-unknown.~`  
338 `'l'~is-used-as-fallback.`

339 `}`

340 `\msg_new:nnn { ducksay } { v1-key-only }`

341 `{ The~'\l_keys_key_tl'~key-is-only-available-for~'version=1'. }`

### 2.3.2 Variables

#### 2.3.2.1 Token Lists

342 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_vbox_tl`

#### 2.3.2.2 Boxes

343 `\box_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_box`

#### 2.3.2.3 Bools

344 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool`

345 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool`

346 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_mirrored_body_bool`

#### 2.3.2.4 Coffins

347 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_body_coffin`

348 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_close_coffin`

349 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_open_coffin`

350 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin`

351 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_coffin`

#### 2.3.2.5 Dimensions

352 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_hpad_dim`

353 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_dim`

354 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_dim`

355 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim`

### 2.3.3 Options

```

356 \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
357 {
358   ,arg .choice:
359   ,arg / box .code:n = \bool_set_true:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
360   ,arg / tab .code:n =
361   {
362     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
363     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool
364   }
365   ,arg / tab* .code:n =
366   {
367     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
368     \bool_set_true:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool
369   }
370   ,arg .initial:n = tab
371   ,wd* .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim
372   ,wd* .initial:n = -\c_max_dim
373   ,wd* .value_required:n = true
374   ,none .bool_set:N = \l_ducksay_no_body_bool
375   ,no-bubble .bool_set:N = \l_ducksay_no_bubble_bool
376   ,body-mirrored .bool_set:N = \l_ducksay_mirrored_body_bool
377   ,ignore-body .bool_set:N = \l_ducksay_ignored_body_bool
378   ,body-x .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_x_offset_dim
379   ,body-x .value_required:n = true
380   ,body-y .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_y_offset_dim
381   ,body-y .value_required:n = true
382   ,body-to-msg .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl
383   ,msg-to-body .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_msg_tl
384   ,body-align .choice:
385   ,body-align / l .meta:n = { body-to-msg = l , msg-to-body = l }
386   ,body-align / c .meta:n = { body-to-msg = hc , msg-to-body = hc }
387   ,body-align / r .meta:n = { body-to-msg = r , msg-to-body = r }
388   ,body-align .initial:n = l
389   ,msg-align .choice:
390   ,msg-align / l .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { l } }
391   ,msg-align / c .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { c } }
392   ,msg-align / r .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { r } }
393   ,msg-align / j .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { j } }
394   ,msg-align-l .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_l_tl
395   ,msg-align-l .initial:n = \raggedright
396   ,msg-align-c .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_c_tl
397   ,msg-align-c .initial:n = \centering
398   ,msg-align-r .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_r_tl
399   ,msg-align-r .initial:n = \raggedleft
400   ,msg-align-j .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_j_tl
401   ,msg-align-j .initial:n = {}
402   ,out-h .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_h_pole_tl
403   ,out-h .initial:n = l
404   ,out-v .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_v_pole_tl
405   ,out-v .initial:n = vc
406   ,out-x .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_x_offset_dim
407   ,out-x .value_required:n = true

```

```

408 ,out-y .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_y_offset_dim
409 ,out-y .value_required:n = true
410 ,t .meta:n = { out-v = t }
411 ,c .meta:n = { out-v = vc }
412 ,b .meta:n = { out-v = b }
413 ,body* .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_fount_tl
414 ,msg* .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl
415 ,bubble* .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
416 ,body* .initial:n = \verbatim@font
417 ,msg* .initial:n = \verbatim@font
418 ,bubble* .initial:n = \verbatim@font
419 ,body .code:n = \tl_put_right:Nn \l_ducksay_body_fount_tl { #1 }
420 ,msg .code:n = \tl_put_right:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl { #1 }
421 ,bubble .code:n = \tl_put_right:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl { #1 }
422 ,MSG .meta:n = { msg = #1 , bubble = #1 }
423 ,MSG* .meta:n = { msg* = #1 , bubble* = #1 }
424 ,hpad .int_set:N = \l_ducksay_hpad_int
425 ,hpad .initial:n = 2
426 ,hpad .value_required:n = true
427 ,vpad .int_set:N = \l_ducksay_vpad_int
428 ,vpad .value_required:n = true
429 ,col .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
430 ,bubble-top-kern .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_tl
431 ,bubble-top-kern .initial:n = { -.5ex }
432 ,bubble-top-kern .value_required:n = true
433 ,bubble-bot-kern .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_tl
434 ,bubble-bot-kern .initial:n = { .2ex }
435 ,bubble-bot-kern .value_required:n = true
436 ,bubble-side-kern .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_side_kern_tl
437 ,bubble-side-kern .initial:n = { .2em }
438 ,bubble-side-kern .value_required:n = true
439 ,bubble-delim-top .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_top_tl
440 ,bubble-delim-left-1 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_a_tl
441 ,bubble-delim-left-2 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_b_tl
442 ,bubble-delim-left-3 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_c_tl
443 ,bubble-delim-left-4 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_d_tl
444 ,bubble-delim-right-1 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_a_tl
445 ,bubble-delim-right-2 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_b_tl
446 ,bubble-delim-right-3 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_c_tl
447 ,bubble-delim-right-4 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_d_tl
448 ,bubble-delim-top .initial:n = { { - } }
449 ,bubble-delim-left-1 .initial:n = (
450 ,bubble-delim-left-2 .initial:n = /
451 ,bubble-delim-left-3 .initial:n = |
452 ,bubble-delim-left-4 .initial:n = \c_backslash_str
453 ,bubble-delim-right-1 .initial:n = )
454 ,bubble-delim-right-2 .initial:n = \c_backslash_str
455 ,bubble-delim-right-3 .initial:n = |
456 ,bubble-delim-right-4 .initial:n = /
457 ,strip-spaces .bool_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_strip_spaces_bool
458 }

```

Redefine keys only intended for version 1 to throw an error:

```

459 \clist_map_inline:nn
460 { align, rel-align }

```

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461 {
462   \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
463     { ##1 .code:n = \msg_error:nn { ducksay } { v1-key-only } }
464 }

```

## 2.3.4 Functions

### 2.3.4.1 Internal

evaluate\_message\_alignment\_fixed\_width\_common:

```

465 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_common:
466 {
467   \str_case:Vn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
468   {
469     { l } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_l_tl }
470     { c } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_c_tl }
471     { r } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_r_tl }
472     { j } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_j_tl }
473   }
474 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_evaluate\_message\_alignment\_fixed\_width\_common:. This function is documented on page ??.)

evaluate\_message\_alignment\_fixed\_width\_tabular:

```

475 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_tabular:
476 {
477   \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
478   {
479     \tl_set:Nx \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
480     {
481       >
482       {
483         \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_common:
484         \exp_not:N \arraybackslash
485       }
486       p { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim }
487     }
488   }
489 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_evaluate\_message\_alignment\_fixed\_width\_tabular:. This function is documented on page ??.)

evaluate\_message\_alignment\_fixed\_width\_vbox:

```

490 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_vbox:
491 {
492   \tl_set:Nx \l_ducksay_msg_align_vbox_tl
493   { \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_common: }
494 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_evaluate\_message\_alignment\_fixed\_width\_vbox:. This function is documented on page ??.)

```
\ducksay_calculate_msg_width_from_int:
```

```

495 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_calculate_msg_width_from_int:
496 {
497   \hbox_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_box { \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl M }
498   \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim
499     { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int \box_wd:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_box }
500 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_calculate\_msg\_width\_from\_int:. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_msg\_tabular\_begin:

```

501 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin:
502 {
503   \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin_inner:V \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
504 }
505 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin_inner:n #1
506 {
507   \begin { tabular } { @{} #1 @{} }
508 }
509 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin_inner:n { V }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_msg\_tabular\_begin:. This function is documented on page ??.)

```
\ducksay_msg_tabular_end:
```

```

510 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_msg_tabular_end:
511 {
512     \end { tabular }
513 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_msg\_tabular\_end:. This function is documented on page ??.)

```
\ducksay_digest_options:n
```

```

514 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_digest_options:n #1
515 {
516   \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { #1 }
517   \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_animal_tl
518     { \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { default_animal } }
519   \bool_if:NTF \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
520     {
521     \dim_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim } < { \c_zero_dim }
522       {
523         \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } < { \c_zero_int }
524           {
525             \cs_set_eq:NN
526               \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_hbox:w
527           }
528           {
529             \cs_set_eq:NN
530               \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox:w
531             \ducksay_calculate_msg_width_from_int:
532           }
533         }
534       {
535         \cs_set_eq:NN \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox:w

```

```

536     }
537   }
538   {
539     \dim_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim } < { \c_zero_dim }
540     {
541       \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } < { \c_zero_int }
542       {
543         \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
544         {
545           \str_case:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
546           {
547             { l }
548             { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { l } }
549             { c }
550             { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { c } }
551             { r }
552             { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { r } }
553             { j } {
554               \msg_error:nn { ducksay } { justify-unavailable }
555               \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { l }
556             }
557           }
558         }
559       }
560     }
561     \ducksay_calculate_msg_width_from_int:
562     \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_tabular:
563   }
564   {
565     \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_tabular:
566   }
567   \cs_set_eq:NN \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular:w
568 }
569 }
570 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_digest\_options:n. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_set\_bubble\_top\_kern:

```

571 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_set_bubble_top_kern:
572 {
573   \group_begin:
574   \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
575   \exp_args:NNNx
576   \group_end:
577   \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_dim
578   { \dim_eval:n { \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_tl } }
579 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_set\_bubble\_top\_kern:. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_set\_bubble\_bottom\_kern:

```

580 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_set_bubble_bottom_kern:
581 {
582   \group_begin:

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583 \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
584 \exp_args:NNNx
585 \group_end:
586 \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_dim
587 { \dim_eval:n { \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_tl } }
588 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_set\_bubble\_bottom\_kern:. This function is documented on page ??.)

```
\ducksay_shipout:
```

```

589 \cs_new_protected:Npn \ducksay_shipout :
590 {
591   \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_coffin { \box_use:N \l_ducksay_msg_box }
592   \bool_if:NF \l_ducksay_no_bubble_bool
593   {
594     \hbox_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_box
595     { \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_top_tl }
596     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_int
597     {
598       \fp_eval:n
599       {
600         ceil
601         (
602           \box_wd:N \l_ducksay_msg_box / \box_wd:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_box
603         )
604       }
605     }
606     \group_begin:
607     \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
608     \exp_args:NNNx
609     \group_end:
610     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
611     {
612       \int_max:nn
613       {
614         \fp_eval:n
615         {
616           ceil
617           (
618             (
619               \box_ht:N \l_ducksay_msg_box
620               + \box_dp:N \l_ducksay_msg_box
621             )
622             / ( \arraystretch * \baselineskip )
623           )
624         }
625         + \l_ducksay_vpad_int
626       }
627       { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int }
628     }
629     \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_open_coffin
630     {
631       \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
632       \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}

```



```

633 \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { \c_one_int }
634 {
635   \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_a_tl
636 }
637 {
638   \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_b_tl\\
639   \int_step_inline:nnn
640     { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int }
641     {
642       \kern-\l_ducksay_bubble_side_kern_tl
643       \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_c_tl
644       \\
645     }
646   \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_d_tl
647 }
648 \end{tabular}
649 }
650 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_close_coffin
651 {
652   \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
653   \begin{tabular}{@{}r@{}}
654     \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { \c_one_int }
655     {
656       \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_a_tl
657     }
658     {
659       \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_b_tl \\
660       \int_step_inline:nnn
661         { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int }
662         {
663           \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_c_tl
664           \kern-\l_ducksay_bubble_side_kern_tl
665           \\
666         }
667       \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_d_tl
668     }
669   \end{tabular}
670 }
671 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin
672 {
673   \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
674   \int_step_inline:nn
675     { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int + \l_ducksay_hpad_int }
676     { \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_top_tl }
677 }
678 \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_hpad_dim
679 {
680   (
681     \coffin_wd:N \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin
682     - \coffin_wd:N \l_ducksay_msg_coffin
683   ) / 2
684 }
685 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
686   \l_ducksay_msg_coffin          { 1 } { vc }

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687 \l_ducksay_bubble_open_coffin { r } { vc }
688 { - \l_ducksay_hpad_dim } { \c_zero_dim }
689 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
690 \l_ducksay_msg_coffin { r } { vc }
691 \l_ducksay_bubble_close_coffin { l } { vc }
692 { \l_ducksay_hpad_dim } { \c_zero_dim }
693 \ducksay_set_bubble_top_kern:
694 \ducksay_set_bubble_bottom_kern:
695 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
696 \l_ducksay_msg_coffin { hc } { t }
697 \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin { hc } { b }
698 { \c_zero_dim } { \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_dim }
699 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
700 \l_ducksay_msg_coffin { hc } { b }
701 \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin { hc } { t }
702 { \c_zero_dim } { \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_dim }
703 }
704 \bool_if:NF \l_ducksay_no_body_bool
705 {
706 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_body_coffin
707 {
708 \frenchspacing
709 \l_ducksay_body_fount_tl
710 \begin{tabular} { @{} l @{} }
711 \l_ducksay_animal_tl
712 \end{tabular}
713 }
714 \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_mirrored_body_bool
715 {
716 \coffin_scale:Nnn \l_ducksay_body_coffin
717 { -\c_one_int } { \c_one_int }
718 \str_case:Vn \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl
719 {
720 { l } { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl { r } }
721 { r } { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl { l } }
722 }
723 }
724 \bool_if:NTF \l_ducksay_ignored_body_bool
725 { \coffin_attach:NVnNVnnn }
726 { \coffin_join:NVnNVnnn }
727 \l_ducksay_msg_coffin \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_msg_tl { b }
728 \l_ducksay_body_coffin \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl { t }
729 { \l_ducksay_body_x_offset_dim } { \l_ducksay_body_y_offset_dim }
730 }
731 \coffin_typeset:NVVnn \l_ducksay_msg_coffin
732 \l_ducksay_output_h_pole_tl \l_ducksay_output_v_pole_tl
733 { \l_ducksay_output_x_offset_dim } { \l_ducksay_output_y_offset_dim }
734 \group_end:
735 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_shipout:. This function is documented on page ??.)

**2.3.4.1.1 Message Reading Functions** Version 2 has different ways of reading the message argument of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`. They all should allow almost

arbitrary content and the height and width are set based on the dimensions.

```
\ducksay eat argument tabular:w
```

```

736 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular:w
737 {
738   \bool_if:NTF \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool
739   { \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_verb:w }
740   { \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_normal:w }
741 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_eat\_argument\_tabular:w. This function is documented on page ??.)

```
\ducksay eat argument tabular inner:w
```

```

742 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_inner:w #1
743 {
744   \hbox_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_box
745   {
746     \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl
747     \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin:
748     #1
749     \ducksay_msg_tabular_end:
750   }
751   \ducksay_shipout:
752 }

```

*(End definition for \ducksay\_eat\_argument\_tabular\_inner:w. This function is documented on page ??.)*

```
\ducksay eat argument tabular verb:w
```

```

753 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_verb:w
754 { >{ \ducksay_process_verb_newline:nnn { ~ } { ~ \par } } +v }
755 {
756   \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_inner:w
757   {
758     \group_begin:
759     \tex_everyeof:D { \exp_not:N }
760     \exp_after:wN
761     \group_end:
762     \tex_scantokens:D { #1 }
763   }
764 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_eat\_argument\_tabular\_verb:w. This function is documented on page ??.)

```
\ducksay eat argument tabular normal:w
```

```

765 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_normal:w { +m }
766 { \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_inner:w { #1 } }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_eat\_argument\_tabular\_normal:w. This function is documented on page ??.)

```
\ducksay_eat_argument_hbox:w
```

```

767 \cs_new_protected_nopar:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_hbox:w
768 {
769     \bool_if:NTF \l_ducksay_msg_strip_spaces_bool
770     { \grabbox }

```

```

771     { \grabbox* }
772     \l_ducksay_msg_box [ \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl ] \hbox \ducksay_shipout:
773 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_eat\_argument\_hbox:w. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_eat\_argument\_vbox:w

```

774 \cs_new_protected_nopar:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox:w
775 {
776   \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_vbox:
777   \bool_if:NTF \l_ducksay_msg_strip_spaces_bool
778   { \grabbox }
779   { \grabbox* }
780   [
781     \hsize \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim
782     \linewidth \hsize
783     \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl
784     \l_ducksay_msg_align_vbox_tl
785     \@afterindentfalse
786     \@afterheading
787   ]
788   \l_ducksay_msg_box
789   \vbox \ducksay_shipout:
790 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_eat\_argument\_vbox:w. This function is documented on page ??.)

#### 2.3.4.1.2 Generating Variants of External Functions

```

791 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn { NVnNVnnnn }
792 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \coffin_attach:NnnNnnnn { NVnNVnnnn }
793 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \coffin_typeset:Nnnnn { NVVnn }
794 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \tl_if_eq:nnT { VnT }
795 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \str_case:nn { Vn }
796 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \regex_replace_all:NnN { Nnc }

```

#### 2.3.4.2 Document level

\ducksay

```

797 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay { 0{ } }
798 {
799   \group_begin:
800   \ducksay_digest_options:n { #1 }
801   \ducksay_eat_argument:w
802 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay. This function is documented on page 8.)

\duckthink

```

803 \NewDocumentCommand \duckthink { 0{ } }
804 {
805   \group_begin:
806   \ducksay_digest_options:n { think, #1 }
807   \ducksay_eat_argument:w
808 }

```

```

( 35 )
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) -----) -----) -----) -----)

```

*(End definition for \duckthink. This function is documented on page 8.)*

809 `</code.v2>`

## 2.4 Definition of the Animals

```

810 <*animals>
811 %^A some of the below are from http://ascii.co.uk/art/kangaroo
812 \AddAnimal{duck}%>>>
813 { \
814   \
815     >(' ')
816     )/
817     /(
818     / '----/
819     \ ~=- /
820     ~~~~~~}%<<<
821 \AddAnimal{small-duck}%>>>
822 { \
823   \
824     >()_
825     (__)__ _}%<<<
826 \AddAnimal{duck-family}%>>>
827 { \
828   \
829     >(' ')
830     )/
831     /(
832     / '----/ -()_ >()_
833     __\__~=-/_ __ _(__)__(__)_ _}%<<<
834 \AddAnimal{cow}%>>>
835 { \ ^__^
836   \ (oo)\_______
837     (__)\       )\/\
838       ||----w |
839       ||     ||}%<<<
840 \AddAnimal{head-in}%>>>
841 { \
842   \ ^__^
843     (oo)\_______/
844     (__)\       )=(  ___|_ \____
845       ||----w | \ \ \ \____|
846       ||     ||     ||     ||}%<<<
847 \AddAnimal{sodomized}%>>>
848 { \
849   \      ^__^
850     (oo)\_______/ \ \
851     (__)\       ) /
852       ||----w ((
853       ||     ||>>}%<<<
854 \AddAnimal{tux}%>>>
855 { \
856   \ .--.
857     |o_o |
858     |/_/ |
859     // \ \
860     (|   | )

```

```

862      /\_ _/\'
863      \__)=(___/}%<<<
864 \AddAnimal{pig}%>>>
865 + \_ _//| .-----.
866 \_ /oo } }-@
867 (')_ } |
868 '---| { }--{ }
869 // _/ /_ /+%<<<
870 \AddAnimal{frog}%>>>
871 { \
872 \ (.)_(.)
873 - ( - ) -
874 / \/'-----'\ \
875 --\ ( ( ) ) /--
876 ) \ \_./ \ (
877 )_ / | \ / | \ \_}%<<<
878 \AddAnimal{snowman}%>>>
879 { \
880 \_ [_]_
881 (")
882 >-( : )-<
883 ( _ : _ )}%<<<
884 \AddAnimal[tail-symbol=s]{hedgehog}%>>>
885 { s .\|//| | | |.
886 s |/\| | | | | | |
887 /. ' |/\| | | | | |
888 o _ , _ \|//| | | | | }'%<<<
889 \AddAnimal{kangaroo}%>>>
890 { \
891 \_ , '
892 <--\--/ \
893 \_ / \_ \
894 \, / \ \
895 // \ \
896 ,/' ' \_ ,}%<<<
897 %^A http://chris.com/ascii/index.php?art=animals/rabbits
898 \AddAnimal[tail-symbol=s,tail-count=3]{rabbit}%>>>
899 { s / \\'
900 s | \ \' /\' \
901 s \_/' \_ "-/' \ \
902 | | \ \ |
903 (d b) \_ /
904 / \
905 ,".|.'.\_/.'.|. ",
906 / \\' _|_ ' \ \
907 | / ' " " ' \ |
908 | | | |
909 | \ \ / / |
910 \ \ \ / / /
911 " " \ : / " "
912 " " " " " }'%<<<
913 \AddAnimal{bunny}%>>>
914 { \
915 \ /

```

```

916      /\ /
917      ( )
918      .( o ).}%<<<
919 \AddAnimal{small-rabbit}%>>>
920 { \
921   \ _//
922   (')---.
923   _/_ ( )o}%<<<
924 \AddAnimal[tail-symbol=s,tail-count=3]{dragon}%>>>
925 { s      / \ //\
926   s      | \__ /| / \ // \ \
927   s      /0 0 \__ / // | \ \
928           / \ / \_// // | \ \
929           @_~_@'/ \_// // | \ \
930           //~_// \_// // | \ \
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937           (( / )) .-----\ \-' ~ ~ ~ ~ ~
938           ///.-----..> \ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~
939           ///- .- - - - - } ^ - - - - - ~ ~ ~ ~ ~
940                                     / .-~}%<<<
941 %^A http://www.ascii-art.de/ascii/def/dogs.txt
942 \AddAnimal{dog}%>>>
943 { \
944   \ .-' \ \
945   " \ '-----.
946   ___/ ( . '-----
947   ,-----, , , , ,-----, , , , ,}%<<<
948 %^A http://ascii.co.uk/art/squirrel
949 \AddAnimal{squirrel}%>>>
950 { \ , ; ; ; ,
951   \ , ; ; ; ,
952   .=' , ; ; ; ,
953   /_ ' " = . ' ; ; ; ,
954   @ = : _ , \ , ; ; ; '
955   _ ( \ . = ; ; ; '
956   ' " _ ( _ / = " '
957   ' " , ' ' } %<<<
958 \AddAnimal{snail}%>>>
959 { \
960   \ .-""-.
961   oo ; .- . :
962   \ \ _ _ .- : ' . _ . ' ) . _
963   " - . _ . _ ' . _ . - ' _ . " } %<<<
964 %^A http://www.ascii-art.de/ascii/uvw/unicorn.txt
965 \AddAnimal{unicorn}%>>>
966 { \
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1028 :-"- . ' /-.' / ' _--.'
1029 \ 't . _ /
1030 "-.t-._:'}%<<<
1031 \AddAnimal[tail-count=3]{yoda-head}%>>>
1032 { \
1033 \
1034 \      .-.' : ' .-
1035 .-.' ; .-' .-
1036 / : _--\ ; / _-- ; \
1037 ,'_ "----.: _;"-.": : "-.": _--; _--" _',
1038 :' 't"----.' <@.' ; @>' .-""j.' ' ;
1039 ':-..J '-.-'L_ ' L_..;'
1040 "-. _ ; .- " "-. : _--"
1041 L ' / _---. \ ' J
1042 "-. " _ " _-
1043 _..l"-:_JL_:-"; _--
1044 .-j/' ; ; "" " / .' \ "-.
1045 .' /:' : : /." ' ; '
1046 .- " / ; '. : ". " : "-.
1047 .+"-. : : ". " . " " ; _ _ \}%<<<
1048 %^A from https://www.ascii-code.com/ascii-art/movies/star-wars.php
1049 \AddAnimal{small-yoda}%>>>
1050 { \
1051 \
1052 --.-.-
1053 '-."7'
1054 /' .-c
1055 | /T
1056 _)_/LI}%<<<
1057 \AddAnimal{r2d2}%>>>
1058 { \
1059 \ ,-----
1060 ,'_/_/_\_'
1061 /<<:8[0]:>\
1062 _|-----|_
1063 | | ==--== | |
1064 | | --==-- | |
1065 \ | ::::|()| /
1066 | | ...|()| |
1067 | | _-----| |
1068 | | \-----/ | |
1069 / \ / \ / \
1070 '---' '---' '---'}%<<<
1071 \AddAnimal{vader}%>>>
1072 { \      .-.'~-----'-.
1073 \ /      | | \
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1084 '---...--|'-.-.-.-'|___...--'
1085      |      '      |}%<<<
1086 \AddAnimal[tail-symbol=|,tail-count=1]{crusader}%>>>
1087 { |
1088 \[T]/}
1089 \AnimalOptions{crusader}{tail-1=|,body-align=c}%<<<
1090 %^A http://ascii.co.uk/art/knights
1091 \AddAnimal[tail-count=3]{knight}%>>>
1092 {
1093     \      ,-" "-.
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1112     ,--' ,--' '---'}%<<<
1113 </animals>

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Who's gonna use it anyway?

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Hosted at  
[https://github.com/Skillmon/ltx\\_ducksay](https://github.com/Skillmon/ltx_ducksay)  
it is.

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