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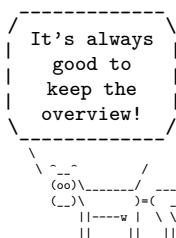
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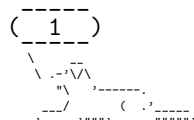
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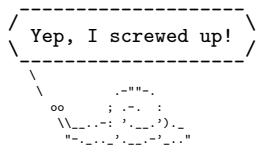
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# 1 Documentation

## 1.1 Downward Compatibility Issues

- Versions prior to v2.0 did use a regular expression for the option `ligatures`, see [subsection 1.2.2](#) for more on this issue. With v2.0 I do refer to the package's version, not the code variant which can be selected with the `version` option.
- In a document created with package versions prior to v2.0 you'll have to specify the option `version=1` in newer versions to make those old documents behave like they used to.

## 1.2 Shared between versions

### 1.2.1 Macros

A careful reader might notice that in the below list of macros there is no `\ducksay` and no `\duckthink` contained. This is due to differences between the two usable code variants (see the `version` key in [subsection 1.2.2](#) for the code variants, [subsection 1.3.2](#) and [subsection 1.4.2](#) for descriptions of the two macros).

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**`\DefaultAnimal`**`\DefaultAnimal{<animal>}`

use the `<animal>` if none is given in the optional argument to `\ducksay` or `\duckthink`. Package default is `duck`.

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**`\DucksayOptions`**`\DucksayOptions{<options>}`

set the defaults to the keys described in [subsection 1.2.2](#), [subsection 1.3.3](#) and [subsection 1.4.3](#). Don't use an `<animal>` here, it has no effect.

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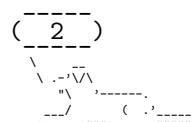
**`\AddAnimal`**`\AddAnimal{<*>}{<animal>}{<ascii-art>}`

adds `<animal>` to the known animals. `<ascii-art>` 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 `<animal>` is the new default. One space is added to the begin of `<animal>` (compensating the opening symbol). For example, `snowman` is added with:

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

The symbols signaling the speech (in the `snowman` example above the two backslashes) should at most be used in the first three lines, as they get replaced by `0` and `o` for `\duckthink`. They also shouldn't be preceded by anything other than a space in that line.



## \AddColoredAnimal

`\AddColoredAnimal{*}{animal}{ascii-art}`

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

You can also use a delimited `\color` of the form `\bgroup\color{<color>}(text)\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 `\text` of an delimited `\color`, anything until the end of that delimited `\color`'s `\text`). The syntax would be `\color{color}`.

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 L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X3. It is therefore slower than the normal `\AddAnimal`.

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

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

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.

 $\langle animal \rangle$ 

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).

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`add-think=<bool>`

by default the animals for `\duckthink` are not created during package load time, but only when they are really used – but then they are created globally so it just has to be done once. This is done because they rely on a rather slow regular expression. If you set this key to `true` each `\AddAnimal` will also create the corresponding `\duckthink` variant immediately.

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## 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 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. It is implemented using regular expressions replacing a `\` which is only preceded by `\s*` in the first three lines with `0` and `o`. It is therefore slower than `\ducksay`. 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`.

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`\ducksay`

`\duckthink`

`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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Here's all the good stuff!

## 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`, the `ligatures` and `add-think` 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.

### 1.4.2 Macros

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

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`\ducksay`    `\ducksay[⟨options⟩]{⟨message⟩}`

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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`\duckthink`    `\duckthink[⟨options⟩]{⟨message⟩}`

The only difference to `\ducksay` is that in `\duckthink` the `⟨animal⟩`s think the `⟨message⟩` and don't say it.

It is implemented using regular expressions replacing a `\` which is only preceded by `\s*` (any number of space tokens) in the first three lines with `0` and `o`. It's first use per `⟨animal⟩` might therefore be slower than `\ducksay` depending on the `add-think` key (see its description in [subsection 1.2.2](#)).

### 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.

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`bubble-delim-left-1`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the left delimiter used if only one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `(`.

`bubble-delim-left-2`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the upper most left delimiter used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `/`.

`bubble-delim-left-3`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the left delimiters used to fill the gap if more than two lines of delimiters are needed. Package default is `|`.

`bubble-delim-left-4`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the lower most left delimiters used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `\`.

`bubble-delim-right-1`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the right delimiter used if only one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `)`.

`bubble-delim-right-2`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the upper most right delimiter used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `\`.

`bubble-delim-right-3`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the right delimiters used to fill the gap if more than two lines of delimiters are needed. Package default is `|`.

`bubble-delim-right-4`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
the lower most right delimiters used if more than one line of delimiters is needed. Package default is `/`.

`bubble-delim-top`= $\langle token list \rangle$   
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`= $\langle dimen \rangle$   
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`= $\langle dimen \rangle$   
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`= $\langle column \rangle$   
specifies the used column specifier used for the  $\langle message \rangle$  enclosing `tabular` for `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*`. Has precedence over `msg-align`.

`ht`= $\langle count \rangle$  specifies a minimum height (in lines) of the  $\langle message \rangle$ . The lines' count is that of the needed lines of the horizontal bubble delimiters. If the count of the actually needed lines is smaller than the specified  $\langle count \rangle$ ,  $\langle count \rangle$  lines will be used. Else the required lines will be used.

`msg`= $\langle font \rangle$  add  $\langle font \rangle$  to the font definitions in use to typeset the  $\langle message \rangle$ .

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`msg*=<font>` clear any definitions previously made (including the package default) and set the font definitions in use to typeset the `<message>` to `<font>`. The package default is `\verbatim@font`.

`MSG=<font>` same as `msg=<font>`, `bubble=<font>`.

`MSG*=<font>` same as `msg*=<font>`, `bubble*=<font>`.

`msg-align=<choice>`  
specifies the alignment of the `<message>`. Possible values are `l` for flushed left, `c` for centred, `r` for flushed right and `j` for justified. If `arg=tab` or `arg=tab*` the `j` choice is only available for fixed width contents. Package default is `l`.

`msg-align-c=<token list>`  
set the `<token list>` which is responsible to typeset the message centred if the option `msg-align=c` is used. It is used independent of the `arg` key. For `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*` the macro `\arraybackslash` provided by `array` is used afterwards. The package default is `\centering`. It might be useful if you want to use `ragged2e`'s `\Centering` for example.

`msg-align-j=<token list>`  
set the `<token list>` which is responsible to typeset the message justified if the option `msg-align=j` is used. It is used independent of the `arg` key. For `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*` the macro `\arraybackslash` provided by `array` is used afterwards. The package default is empty as justification is the default behaviour of contents of a `p` column and of a `\vbox`. It might be useful if you want to use `ragged2e`'s `\justifying` for example.

`msg-align-l=<token list>`  
set the `<token list>` which is responsible to typeset the message flushed left if the option `msg-align=l` is used. It is used independent of the `arg` key. For `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*` the macro `\arraybackslash` provided by `array` is used afterwards. The package default is `\raggedright`. It might be useful if you want to use `ragged2e`'s `\RaggedRight` for example.

`msg-align-r=<token list>`  
set the `<token list>` which is responsible to typeset the message flushed right if the option `msg-align=r` is used. It is used independent of the `arg` key. For `arg=tab` and `arg=tab*` the macro `\arraybackslash` provided by `array` is used afterwards. The package default is `\raggedleft`. It might be useful if you want to use `ragged2e`'s `\RaggedLeft` for example.

`msg-to-bubble=<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..

`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-x=<dimen>`  
specifies an additional horizontal offset of the print out of the complete result of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`.

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- `out-y=<dimen>` specifies an additional vertical offset of the print out of the complete result of `\ducksay` and `\duckthink`
- `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..
- `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.

```

( 11 )
 \ .-' \
  " \   '-----
   /   ( . '-----
  ,-----) HHH?-----HHHHH

```



## 1.5 Dependencies

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

## 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.

```
( duck )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( small-duck )
  >(\-
    )/

( duck-family )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( small-rabbit )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( squirrel )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( cow )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( tux )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( head-in )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( pig )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/
```

```
( frog )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( snowman )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( bunny )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( dragon )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( sodomized )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( hedgehog )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( kangaroo )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/

( dog )
  >(\-
    )/
  /(\-
    )/
```



## 2 Implementation

```

1 <*pkg>
2 <@@=ducksay>

```

### 2.1 Shared between versions

#### 2.1.1 Variables

`\l_ducksay_msg_width_int`

```

3 \int_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_width_int

```

(End definition for `\l_ducksay_msg_width_int`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\l_ducksay_msg_height_int`

```

4 \int_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int

```

(End definition for `\l_ducksay_msg_height_int`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq`

```

5 \seq_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq

```

(End definition for `\l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl`

```

6 \tl_new:N \l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl

```

(End definition for `\l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\l_ducksay_align_tl`

```

7 \tl_new:N \l_ducksay_align_tl

```

(End definition for `\l_ducksay_align_tl`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\l_ducksay_msg_align_tl`

```

8 \tl_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl

```

(End definition for `\l_ducksay_msg_align_tl`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\l_ducksay_animal_tl`

```

9 \tl_new:N \l_ducksay_animal_tl

```

(End definition for `\l_ducksay_animal_tl`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\ducksay_bubble:`

```

10 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_bubble: {}

```

(End definition for `\ducksay_bubble:`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\ducksay_body:`

```

11 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_body: {}

```

(End definition for `\ducksay_body:`. This variable is documented on page ??.)

`\l_ducksay_also_add_think_bool`

```

12 \bool_new:N \l_ducksay_also_add_think_bool

```

```

( 14 )
\ .-'\
" \ ,-----
 / ( ,-----
,-----)

```

(End definition for \l\_ducksay\_also\_add\_think\_bool. This variable is documented on page ??.)

\l\_ducksay\_version\_one\_bool

13 \bool\_new:N \l\_ducksay\_version\_one\_bool

(End definition for \l\_ducksay\_version\_one\_bool. This variable is documented on page ??.)

\l\_ducksay\_version\_two\_bool

14 \bool\_new:N \l\_ducksay\_version\_two\_bool

(End definition for \l\_ducksay\_version\_two\_bool. This variable is documented on page ??.)

\l\_ducksay\_tmpa\_box

15 \box\_new:N \l\_ducksay\_tmpa\_box

(End definition for \l\_ducksay\_tmpa\_box. This variable is documented on page ??.)

\l\_ducksay\_tmpa\_tl

16 \tl\_new:N \l\_ducksay\_tmpa\_tl

(End definition for \l\_ducksay\_tmpa\_tl. This variable is documented on page ??.)

## 2.1.2 Regular Expressions

Regular expressions for \duckthink

```

17 \regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_first_regex { \A(.s*)\ }
18 \regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_second_regex { \A(.~\c{null}]*\c{null}s*)\ }
19 \regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_third_regex {
20   \A(.~\c{null}]*\c{null}[~\c{null}]*\c{null}s*)\ }
21 \regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_textcolor_regex
22   { \c0(?:\\textcolor\{(.*)\}\{(.*)\}) }
23 \regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_color_delim_regex
24   { \c0(?:\\bgroup\\color\{(.*)\}(.)\\egroup) }
25 \regex_const:Nn \c_ducksay_color_regex
26   { \c0(?:\\color\{(.*)\}) }

```

## 2.1.3 Messages

```

27 \msg_new:nnn { ducksay } { load-time-only }
28   { The~‘#1’~key-is-to-be-used-only-during-package-load-time. }

```

## 2.1.4 Key-value setup

```

29 \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
30   {
31     ,bubble .code:n      = \cs_set:Npn \ducksay_bubble: {#1}
32     ,body   .code:n      = \cs_set:Npn \ducksay_body: {#1}
33     ,align  .tl_set:N    = \l_ducksay_align_tl
34     ,align  .value_required:n = true
35     ,wd     .int_set:N   = \l_ducksay_msg_width_int
36     ,wd     .initial:n   = -\c_max_int
37     ,wd     .value_required:n = true
38     ,ht     .int_set:N   = \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
39     ,ht     .initial:n   = -\c_max_int
40     ,ht     .value_required:n = true
41     ,animal .code:n      =

```

```

( 15 )
\ .-'\
" \ ,-----
----/ ( ,-----
)-----)####)-----)

```



```

42     { \keys_define:nn { ducksay } { default_animal .meta:n = { #1 } } }
43 ,animal .initial:n      = duck
44 ,msg-align .tl_set:N    = \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
45 ,msg-align .initial:n   = 1
46 ,msg-align .value_required:n = true
47 ,rel-align .tl_set:N   = \l_ducksay_rel_align_tl
48 ,rel-align .initial:n  = 1
49 ,rel-align .value_required:n = true
50 ,ligatures .tl_set:N   = \l_ducksay_ligatures_tl
51 ,ligatures .initial:n  = { '<>','-' }
52 ,add-think .bool_set:N = \l_ducksay_also_add_think_bool
53 ,version .choice:
54 ,version / 1 .code:n   =
55     {
56         \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_version_two_bool
57         \bool_set_true:N  \l_ducksay_version_one_bool
58     }
59 ,version / 2 .code:n   =
60     {
61         \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_version_one_bool
62         \bool_set_true:N  \l_ducksay_version_two_bool
63     }
64 ,version .initial:n    = 2
65 }
66 \ProcessKeysOptions { ducksay }
67
68     Undefine the load-time-only keys
69 \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
70 {
71     version .code:n = \msg_error:nnn { ducksay } { load-time-only } { version }
72 }

```

## 2.1.5 Functions

### 2.1.5.1 Generating Variants of External Functions

```

71 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \tl_if_eq:nnT { VnT }

```

### 2.1.5.2 Internal

\ducksay\_create\_think\_animal:n

```

72 \cs_new_protected:Npn \ducksay_create_think_animal:n #1
73 {
74     \group_begin:
75     \tl_set_eq:Nc \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { g_ducksay_animal_say_#1_tl }
76     \regex_replace_once:NnN \c_ducksay_first_regex  { \10 } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
77     \regex_replace_once:NnN \c_ducksay_second_regex  { \1o } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
78     \regex_replace_once:NnN \c_ducksay_third_regex   { \1o } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
79     \tl_gset_eq:cN { g_ducksay_animal_think_#1_tl } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
80     \group_end:
81 }

```

(End definition for \ducksay\_create\_think\_animal:n. This function is documented on page ??.)

\ducksay\_replace\_verb\_newline:Nn

```
82 \cs_new_protected:Npx \ducksay_replace_verb_newline:Nn #1 #2
83 {
84   \tl_replace_all:Nnn #1 { \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 12 } } { #2 }
85 }
```

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

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

```
86 \cs_new_protected:Npx \ducksay_replace_verb_newline_newline:Nn #1 #2
87 {
88   \tl_replace_all:Nnn #1
89   { \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 12 } \char_generate:nn { 13 } { 12 } } { #2 }
90 }
```

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

\ducksay\_process\_verb\_newline:nnn

```
91 \cs_new_protected:Npn \ducksay_process_verb_newline:nnn #1 #2 #3
92 {
93   \tl_set:Nn \ProcessedArgument { #3 }
94   \ducksay_replace_verb_newline_newline:Nn \ProcessedArgument { #2 }
95   \ducksay_replace_verb_newline:Nn \ProcessedArgument { #1 }
96 }
```

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

\ducksay\_add\_animal\_inner:nn

```
97 \cs_new_protected:Npn \ducksay_add_animal_inner:nn #1 #2
98 {
99   \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { \ #2 }
100   \tl_map_inline:Nn \l_ducksay_ligatures_tl
101   { \tl_replace_all:Nnn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { ##1 } { { ##1 } } }
102   \ducksay_replace_verb_newline:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { \tabularnewline\null }
103   \tl_gset_eq:cN { g_ducksay_animal_say_#1_tl } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
104   \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
105   {
106     #1 .code:n =
107     {
108       \tl_if_exist:cF
109       { g_ducksay_animal_ \l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl _#1_tl }
110       { \ducksay_create_think_animal:n { #1 } }
111       \tl_set_eq:Nc \l_ducksay_animal_tl
112       { g_ducksay_animal_ \l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl _#1_tl }
113     }
114   }
115 }
```

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

### 2.1.5.3 Document level

#### `\DefaultAnimal`

```

116 \NewDocumentCommand \DefaultAnimal { m }
117 {
118   \keys_define:nn { ducksay } { default_animal .meta:n = { #1 } }
119 }

```

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

#### `\DucksayOptions`

```

120 \NewDocumentCommand \DucksayOptions { m }
121 {
122   \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { #1 }
123 }

```

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

#### `\AddAnimal`

```

124 \NewDocumentCommand \AddAnimal { s m +v }
125 {
126   \ducksay_add_animal_inner:nn { #2 } { #3 }
127   \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_also_add_think_bool
128     { \ducksay_create_think_animal:n { #2 } }
129   \IfBooleanT{#1}
130     { \keys_define:nn { ducksay } { default_animal .meta:n = { #2 } } }
131 }

```

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

#### `\AddColoredAnimal`

```

132 \NewDocumentCommand \AddColoredAnimal { s m +v }
133 {
134   \ducksay_add_animal_inner:nn { #2 } { #3 }
135   \regex_replace_all:Nnc \c_ducksay_color_delim_regex
136     { \c{bgroup}\c{color}\cB{\1\cE}\2\c{egroup} }
137     { g_ducksay_animal_say_#2_tl }
138   \regex_replace_all:Nnc \c_ducksay_color_regex
139     { \c{color}\cB{\1\cE}\ }
140     { g_ducksay_animal_say_#2_tl }
141   \regex_replace_all:Nnc \c_ducksay_textcolor_regex
142     { \c{textcolor}\cB{\1\cE}\cB{\2\cE}\ }
143     { g_ducksay_animal_say_#2_tl }
144   \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_also_add_think_bool
145     { \ducksay_create_think_animal:n { #2 } }
146   \IfBooleanT{#1}
147     { \keys_define:nn { ducksay } { default_animal .meta:n = { #2 } } }
148 }

```

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

### 2.1.6 Load the Correct Version and the Animals

```

149 \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_version_one_bool
150   { \file_input:n { ducksay.code.v1.tex } }
151 \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_version_two_bool
152   { \file_input:n { ducksay.code.v2.tex } }

153 \ExplSyntaxOff
154 \input{ducksay.animals.tex}

155 </pkg>

```

## 2.2 Version 1

156 `<*code.v1>`

### 2.2.1 Functions

#### 2.2.1.1 Internal

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

```

157 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_longest_line:n #1
158 {
159   \int_incr:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
160   \exp_args:NNx \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl { #1 }
161   \regex_replace_all:nnN { \s } { \c { space } } \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl
162   \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_int
163   {
164     \int_max:nn
165     { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } { \tl_count:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_tl }
166   }
167 }
```

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

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

```

168 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_open_bubble:
169 {
170   \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
171     \null\
172     \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { 1 } { ( }
173     {
174       /
175       \int_step_inline:nnn
176       { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \\ \kern-0.2em | }
177       \\ \detokenize\
178     }
179     \\[-1ex]\null
180   \end{tabular}
181   \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
182     _\
183     \int_step_inline:nnn { 2 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \\ } \\[-1ex]
184     \mbox { - }
185   \end{tabular}
186 }
```

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

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

```

187 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_close_bubble:
188 {
189   \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
190     _\
191     \int_step_inline:nnn { 2 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \\ } \\[-1ex]
192     { - }
193   \end{tabular}
194   \begin{tabular}{@{}r@{}}
195     \null\
```

```

( 20 )
\ .-'\
" \ ,-----
_/_/ ( ,-----
,-----) -----)

```

```

196 \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { 1 }
197 { ) }
198 {
199   \detokenize {\ }
200   \int_step_inline:nnn
201     { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } { \\|kern-0.2em }
202   \\/
203 }
204 \\[-1ex]\null
205 \end{tabular}
206 }

```

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

\ducksay\_print\_msg:nn Print out the message

```

207 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_print_msg:nn #1 #2
208 {
209   \begin{tabular}{@{} #2 @{}}
210     \int_step_inline:nn { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } { _ } \\
211     #1\\[-1ex]
212     \int_step_inline:nn { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } { { - } }
213   \end{tabular}
214 }
215 \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

```

216 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_print:nn #1 #2
217 {
218   \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } < { 0 }
219   {
220     \int_zero:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
221     \seq_set_split:Nnn \l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq { \\ } { #1 }
222     \seq_map_function:NN \l_ducksay_msg_lines_seq \ducksay_longest_line:n
223   }
224   {
225     \int_compare:nNnT { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } < { 0 }
226     {
227       \regex_count:nnN { \c { \\ } } { #1 } \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
228       \int_incr:N \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
229     }
230   }
231   \group_begin:
232     \frenchspacing
233     \verbatim@font
234     \@noligs
235     \begin{tabular}[\l_ducksay_align_tl]{@{}#2@{}}
236       \ducksay_bubble:
237       \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
238         \ducksay_open_bubble:
239         \ducksay_print_msg:nV { #1 } \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
240         \ducksay_close_bubble:
241       \end{tabular}\\
242       \ducksay_body:

```

```

( 21 )
\ .-'\
" \ ,-----
'-----'
,-----)

```

```

243         \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
244             \l_ducksay_animal_tl
245         \end{tabular}
246     \end{tabular}
247     \group_end:
248 }
249 \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

```

250 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n #1
251 {
252     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_int { -\c_max_int }
253     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_height_int { -\c_max_int }
254     \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { #1 }
255     \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_animal_tl
256         { \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { default_animal } }
257 }

```

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

### 2.2.1.2 Document level

`\ducksay`

```

258 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay { 0{} m }
259 {
260     \group_begin:
261         \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl { say }
262         \ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n { #1 }
263         \ducksay_print:nV { #2 } \l_ducksay_rel_align_tl
264     \group_end:
265 }

```

(End definition for `\ducksay`. This function is documented on page 7.)

`\duckthink`

```

266 \NewDocumentCommand \duckthink { 0{} m }
267 {
268     \group_begin:
269         \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl { think }
270         \ducksay_prepare_say_and_think:n { #1 }
271         \ducksay_print:nV { #2 } \l_ducksay_rel_align_tl
272     \group_end:
273 }

```

(End definition for `\duckthink`. This function is documented on page 7.)

274 `</code.v1>`

## 2.3 Version 2

275 `{*code.v2}`

Load the additional dependencies of version 2.

276 `\RequirePackage{array}`

### 2.3.1 Messages

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

278 `{`

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

281 `}`

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

283 `{`

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

286 `}`

### 2.3.2 Variables

#### 2.3.2.1 Token Lists

287 `\tl_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_vbox_tl`

#### 2.3.2.2 Boxes

288 `\box_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_box`

#### 2.3.2.3 Booleans

289 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool`

290 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool`

291 `\bool_new:N \l_ducksay_mirrored_body_bool`

#### 2.3.2.4 Coffins

292 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_body_coffin`

293 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_close_coffin`

294 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_open_coffin`

295 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin`

296 `\coffin_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_coffin`

#### 2.3.2.5 Dimensions

297 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_hpad_dim`

298 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_dim`

299 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_dim`

300 `\dim_new:N \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim`



### 2.3.3 Options

```

301 \keys_define:nn { ducksay }
302 {
303   ,arg .choice:
304   ,arg / box .code:n = \bool_set_true:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
305   ,arg / tab .code:n =
306   {
307     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
308     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool
309   }
310   ,arg / tab* .code:n =
311   {
312     \bool_set_false:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
313     \bool_set_true:N \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool
314   }
315   ,arg .initial:n = tab
316   ,wd* .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim
317   ,wd* .initial:n = -\c_max_dim
318   ,body-mirrored .bool_set:N = \l_ducksay_mirrored_body_bool
319   ,body-x .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_x_offset_dim
320   ,body-y .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_y_offset_dim
321   ,body-to-msg .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl
322   ,msg-to-body .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_msg_tl
323   ,body-align .choice:
324   ,body-align / l .meta:n = { body-to-msg = l , msg-to-body = l }
325   ,body-align / c .meta:n = { body-to-msg = hc , msg-to-body = hc }
326   ,body-align / r .meta:n = { body-to-msg = r , msg-to-body = r }
327   ,body-align .initial:n = l
328   ,msg-align .choice:
329   ,msg-align / l .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { l } }
330   ,msg-align / c .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { c } }
331   ,msg-align / r .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { r } }
332   ,msg-align / j .code:n = { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl { j } }
333   ,msg-align-l .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_l_tl
334   ,msg-align-l .initial:n = \raggedright
335   ,msg-align-c .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_c_tl
336   ,msg-align-c .initial:n = \centering
337   ,msg-align-r .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_r_tl
338   ,msg-align-r .initial:n = \raggedleft
339   ,msg-align-j .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_align_j_tl
340   ,msg-align-j .initial:n = {}
341   ,out-h .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_h_pole_tl
342   ,out-h .initial:n = l
343   ,out-v .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_v_pole_tl
344   ,out-v .initial:n = vc
345   ,out-x .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_x_offset_dim
346   ,out-y .dim_set:N = \l_ducksay_output_y_offset_dim
347   ,t .meta:n = { out-v = t }
348   ,c .meta:n = { out-v = vc }
349   ,b .meta:n = { out-v = b }
350   ,body* .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_body_fount_tl
351   ,msg* .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl
352   ,bubble* .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl

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353 ,body* .initial:n = \verbatim@font
354 ,msg* .initial:n = \verbatim@font
355 ,bubble* .initial:n = \verbatim@font
356 ,body .code:n = \tl_put_right:Nn \l_ducksay_body_fount_tl { #1 }
357 ,msg .code:n = \tl_put_right:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl { #1 }
358 ,bubble .code:n = \tl_put_right:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl { #1 }
359 ,MSG .meta:n = { msg = #1 , bubble = #1 }
360 ,vpad .int_set:N = \l_ducksay_vpad_int
361 ,col .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
362 ,bubble-top-kern .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_tl
363 ,bubble-top-kern .initial:n = { -.5ex }
364 ,bubble-bot-kern .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_tl
365 ,bubble-bot-kern .initial:n = { .2ex }
366 ,bubble-side-kern .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_side_kern_tl
367 ,bubble-side-kern .initial:n = { 0.2em }
368 ,bubble-delim-top .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_top_tl
369 ,bubble-delim-left-1 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_a_tl
370 ,bubble-delim-left-2 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_b_tl
371 ,bubble-delim-left-3 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_c_tl
372 ,bubble-delim-left-4 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_d_tl
373 ,bubble-delim-right-1 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_a_tl
374 ,bubble-delim-right-2 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_b_tl
375 ,bubble-delim-right-3 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_c_tl
376 ,bubble-delim-right-4 .tl_set:N = \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_d_tl
377 ,bubble-delim-top .initial:n = { { - } }
378 ,bubble-delim-left-1 .initial:n = (
379 ,bubble-delim-left-2 .initial:n = /
380 ,bubble-delim-left-3 .initial:n = |
381 ,bubble-delim-left-4 .initial:n = \c_backslash_str
382 ,bubble-delim-right-1 .initial:n = )
383 ,bubble-delim-right-2 .initial:n = \c_backslash_str
384 ,bubble-delim-right-3 .initial:n = |
385 ,bubble-delim-right-4 .initial:n = /
386 }

```

## 2.3.4 Functions

### 2.3.4.1 Internal

luate\_message\_alignment\_fixed\_width\_tabular:

```

387 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_tabular:
388 {
389   \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
390   {
391     \tl_set:Nx \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
392     {
393       >
394       {
395         \str_case:Vn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
396         {
397           { l } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_l_tl }
398           { c } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_c_tl }
399           { r } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_r_tl }
400           { j } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_j_tl }
401         }

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402         \exp_not:N \arraybackslash
403     }
404     p { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim }
405 }
406 }
407 }

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

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

```

408 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_vbox:
409 {
410     \tl_set:Nx \l_ducksay_msg_align_vbox_tl
411     {
412         \str_case:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
413         {
414             { l } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_l_tl }
415             { c } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_c_tl }
416             { r } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_r_tl }
417             { j } { \exp_not:N \l_ducksay_msg_align_j_tl }
418         }
419     }
420 }

```

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

\ducksay\_calculate\_msg\_width\_from\_int:

```

421 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_calculate_msg_width_from_int:
422 {
423     \hbox_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_box { \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl M }
424     \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim
425     { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int \box_wd:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_box }
426 }

```

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

\ducksay\_msg\_tabular\_begin:

```

427 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin:
428 {
429     \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin_inner:V \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
430 }
431 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin_inner:n #1
432 {
433     \begin { tabular } { @{} #1 @{} }
434 }
435 \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:

```

436 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_msg_tabular_end:
437 {
438     \end { tabular }
439 }

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```

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

\ducksay\_digest\_options:n

```

440 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_digest_options:n #1
441 {
442   \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { #1 }
443   \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_animal_tl
444     { \keys_set:nn { ducksay } { default_animal } }
445   \bool_if:NTF \l_ducksay_eat_arg_box_bool
446     {
447     \dim_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim } < { \c_zero_dim }
448       {
449         \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } < { \c_zero_int }
450           {
451             \cs_set_eq:NN
452               \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_hbox:w
453           }
454           {
455             \cs_set_eq:NN
456               \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox:w
457             \ducksay_calculate_msg_width_from_int:
458           }
459         }
460       {
461         \cs_set_eq:NN \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox:w
462       }
463     }
464     {
465       \dim_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim } < { \c_zero_dim }
466         {
467           \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int } < { \c_zero_int }
468             {
469               \tl_if_empty:NT \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl
470                 {
471                   \str_case:Vn \l_ducksay_msg_align_tl
472                     {
473                       { l }
474                         { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { l } }
475                       { c }
476                         { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { c } }
477                       { r }
478                         { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { r } }
479                       { j } {
480                         \msg_error:nn { ducksay } { justify~unavailable }
481                         \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_tabular_column_tl { l }
482                       }
483                     }
484                   }
485                 }
486               {
487                 \ducksay_calculate_msg_width_from_int:
488                 \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_tabular:
489               }
490             }

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491     {
492         \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_tabular:
493     }
494     \cs_set_eq:NN \ducksay_eat_argument:w \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular:w
495 }
496 }

```

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

\ducksay\_set\_bubble\_top\_kern:

```

497 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_set_bubble_top_kern:
498 {
499     \group_begin:
500     \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
501     \exp_args:NNNx
502     \group_end:
503     \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_dim
504     { \dim_eval:n { \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_tl } }
505 }

```

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

\ducksay\_set\_bubble\_bottom\_kern:

```

506 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_set_bubble_bottom_kern:
507 {
508     \group_begin:
509     \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
510     \exp_args:NNNx
511     \group_end:
512     \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_dim
513     { \dim_eval:n { \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_tl } }
514 }

```

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

\ducksay\_shipout:

```

515 \cs_new_protected:Npn \ducksay_shipout:
516 {
517     \hbox_set:Nn \l_ducksay_tmpa_box { \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl - }
518     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_width_int
519     {
520         \fp_eval:n
521         {
522             ceil
523             ( \box_wd:N \l_ducksay_msg_box / \box_wd:N \l_ducksay_tmpa_box )
524         }
525     }
526     \group_begin:
527     \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
528     \exp_args:NNNx
529     \group_end:
530     \int_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_height_int
531     {
532         \int_max:nn
533         {

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534         \fp_eval:n
535         {
536             ceil
537             (
538                 (
539                     \box_ht:N \l_ducksay_msg_box
540                     + \box_dp:N \l_ducksay_msg_box
541                 )
542                 / ( \arraystretch * \baselineskip )
543             )
544         }
545         + \l_ducksay_vpad_int
546     }
547     { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int }
548 }
549 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_open_coffin
550 {
551     \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
552     \begin{tabular}{@{}l@{}}
553         \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { \c_one_int }
554         {
555             \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_a_tl
556         }
557         {
558             \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_b_tl \\
559             \int_step_inline:nnn
560             { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int }
561             {
562                 \kern-\l_ducksay_bubble_side_kern_tl
563                 \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_c_tl
564                 \\
565             }
566             \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_left_d_tl
567         }
568     \end{tabular}
569 }
570 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_close_coffin
571 {
572     \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
573     \begin{tabular}{@{}r@{}}
574         \int_compare:nNnTF { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int } = { \c_one_int }
575         {
576             \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_a_tl
577         }
578         {
579             \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_b_tl \\
580             \int_step_inline:nnn
581             { 3 } { \l_ducksay_msg_height_int }
582             {
583                 \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_c_tl
584                 \kern-\l_ducksay_bubble_side_kern_tl
585                 \\
586             }
587             \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_right_d_tl

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588     }
589     \end{tabular}
590 }
591 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin
592 {
593   \l_ducksay_bubble_fount_tl
594   \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_top_tl \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_top_tl
595   \int_step_inline:nn { \l_ducksay_msg_width_int }
596     { \l_ducksay_bubble_delim_top_tl }
597 }
598 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_coffin { \box_use:N \l_ducksay_msg_box }
599 \hcoffin_set:Nn \l_ducksay_body_coffin
600 {
601   \frenchspacing
602   \l_ducksay_body_fount_tl
603   \begin{tabular} { @{} l @{} }
604     \l_ducksay_animal_tl
605   \end{tabular}
606 }
607 \bool_if:NT \l_ducksay_mirrored_body_bool
608 {
609   \coffin_scale:Nnn \l_ducksay_body_coffin { -\c_one_int } { \c_one_int }
610   \str_case:Vn \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl
611     {
612       { l } { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl { r } }
613       { r } { \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl { l } }
614     }
615 }
616 \dim_set:Nn \l_ducksay_hpad_dim
617 {
618   (
619     \coffin_wd:N \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin
620     - \coffin_wd:N \l_ducksay_msg_coffin
621   ) / 2
622 }
623 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
624   \l_ducksay_msg_coffin          { l } { vc }
625   \l_ducksay_bubble_open_coffin { r } { vc }
626   { - \l_ducksay_hpad_dim } { \c_zero_dim }
627 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
628   \l_ducksay_msg_coffin          { r } { vc }
629   \l_ducksay_bubble_close_coffin { l } { vc }
630   { \l_ducksay_hpad_dim } { \c_zero_dim }
631 \ducksay_set_bubble_top_kern:
632 \ducksay_set_bubble_bottom_kern:
633 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
634   \l_ducksay_msg_coffin          { hc } { t }
635   \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin { hc } { b }
636   { \c_zero_dim } { \l_ducksay_bubble_top_kern_dim }
637 \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn
638   \l_ducksay_msg_coffin          { hc } { b }
639   \l_ducksay_bubble_top_coffin { hc } { t }
640   { \c_zero_dim } { \l_ducksay_bubble_bottom_kern_dim }
641 \coffin_join:NVnNVnnn

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642 \l_ducksay_msg_coffin \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_msg_tl { b }
643 \l_ducksay_body_coffin \l_ducksay_body_to_msg_align_body_tl { t }
644 { \l_ducksay_body_x_offset_dim } { \l_ducksay_body_y_offset_dim }
645 \coffin_typeset:NWVnn \l_ducksay_msg_coffin
646 \l_ducksay_output_h_pole_tl \l_ducksay_output_v_pole_tl
647 { \l_ducksay_output_x_offset_dim } { \l_ducksay_output_y_offset_dim }
648 \group_end:
649 }

```

(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`

```

650 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular:w
651 {
652   \bool_if:NTF \l_ducksay_eat_arg_tab_verb_bool
653   { \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_verb:w }
654   { \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_normal:w }
655 }

```

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

`\ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_inner:w`

```

656 \cs_new:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_inner:w #1
657 {
658   \hbox_set:Nn \l_ducksay_msg_box
659   {
660     \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl
661     \ducksay_msg_tabular_begin:
662     #1
663     \ducksay_msg_tabular_end:
664   }
665   \ducksay_shipout:
666 }

```

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

`\ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_verb:w`

```

667 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_verb:w
668 { >{ \ducksay_process_verb_newline:nnn { ~ } { ~ \par } } +v }
669 { \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_inner:w { \scantokens { #1 } } }

```

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

`\ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_normal:w`

```

670 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay_eat_argument_tabular_normal:w { +m }
671 { \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`

```
672 \cs_new_protected_nopar:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_hbox:w
673 {
674   \afterassignment \ducksay_eat_argument_hbox_inner:w
675   \let \l_ducksay_nothing =
676 }
```

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

`\ducksay_eat_argument_hbox_inner:w`

```
677 \cs_new_protected_nopar:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_hbox_inner:w
678 {
679   \setbox \l_ducksay_msg_box \hbox \c_group_begin_token
680   \group_insert_after:N \ducksay_shipout:
681   \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl
682 }
```

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

`\ducksay_eat_argument_vbox:w`

```
683 \cs_new_protected_nopar:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox:w
684 {
685   \ducksay_evaluate_message_alignment_fixed_width_vbox:
686   \afterassignment \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox_inner:w
687   \let \l_ducksay_nothing =
688 }
```

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

`\ducksay_eat_argument_vbox_inner:w`

```
689 \cs_new_protected_nopar:Npn \ducksay_eat_argument_vbox_inner:w
690 {
691   \setbox \l_ducksay_msg_box \vbox \c_group_begin_token
692   \hsize \l_ducksay_msg_width_dim
693   \group_insert_after:N \ducksay_shipout:
694   \l_ducksay_msg_fount_tl
695   \l_ducksay_msg_align_vbox_tl
696   \@afterindentfalse
697   \@afterheading
698 }
```

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

### 2.3.4.1.2 Generating Variants

```
699 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \coffin_join:NnnNnnnn { NVnNVnnn }
700 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \coffin_typeset:Nnnnn { NVVnn }
701 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \tl_if_eq:nnT { VnT }
702 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \str_case:nn { Vn }
703 \cs_generate_variant:Nn \regex_replace_all:NnN { Nnc }
```

### 2.3.4.2 Document level

**\ducksay**

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704 \NewDocumentCommand \ducksay { 0{} }
705 {
706   \group_begin:
707     \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl { say }
708     \ducksay_digest_options:n { #1 }
709     \ducksay_eat_argument:w
710 }

```

*(End definition for \ducksay. This function is documented on page 7.)*

**\duckthink**

```

711 \NewDocumentCommand \duckthink { 0{} }
712 {
713   \group_begin:
714     \tl_set:Nn \l_ducksay_say_or_think_tl { think }
715     \ducksay_digest_options:n { #1 }
716     \ducksay_eat_argument:w
717 }

```

*(End definition for \duckthink. This function is documented on page 7.)*

718 `</code.v2>`

## 2.4 Definition of the Animals

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719 { *animals }
720 %^A some of the below are from http://ascii.co.uk/art/kangaroo
721 \AddAnimal{duck}%>>>
722 { \
723     \
724     >(' )
725     )/
726     /(
727     / '----/
728     \ ~=- /
729     ~~~~~}%<<<
730 \AddAnimal{small-duck}%>>>
731 { \
732     \
733     >()_
734     (__)__}%<<<
735 \AddAnimal{duck-family}%>>>
736 { \
737     \
738     >(' )
739     )/
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741     / '----/ -()_ >()_
742     __\__~=-/_ __ (__)__ (__)__ __}%<<<
743 \AddAnimal{cow}%>>>
744 { \
745     \ ^--^
746     \ (oo)\_____
747     \ (__) \_____ )\ \
748     | |----w |
749     | |      | |}%<<<
750 \AddAnimal{head-in}%>>>
751 { \
752     \ ^--^ /
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754     \ (__) \_____ )=( ____|_ \_____
755     | |----w | \ \ \ \_____ |
756     | |      | |      | |}%<<<
757 \AddAnimal{sodomized}%>>>
758 { \
759     \ ^--^ / \
760     \ (oo)\_____ / \ \
761     \ (__) \_____ ) /
762     | |----w ((
763     | |      | |>>}%<<<
764 \AddAnimal{tux}%>>>
765 { \
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767     | o_o |
768     | \_ / |
769     // \ \
770     ( |      | )

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826      ( )
827      .( o ).}%<<<
828 \AddAnimal{small-rabbit}%>>>
829 { \
830   \ _//
831   (')---.
832   _/_( o)%<<<
833 \AddAnimal{dragon}%>>>
834 { \
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837   /   / \ \_ /   // | \ \
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847   /// \_ _ _ _ _ \ \_ // | \ \
848   /// \_ _ _ _ _ \ \_ // | \ \
849   \_ _ _ _ _ \ \_ // | \ \
850 %^~A http://www.ascii-art.de/ascii/def/dogs.txt
851 \AddAnimal{dog}%>>>
852 { \
853   \ .-' \ \
854   " \ '-----.
855   _ _ / ( . '-----
856   ,-----, " " ,-----, " " " " }%<<<
857 %^~A http://ascii.co.uk/art/squirrel
858 \AddAnimal{squirrel}%>>>
859 { \
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861   .=' , ;;;;
862   /_ ' " = . ' ;;;;
863   @ = : _ , \ , ;;;;
864   _ ( \ . = ;;;;
865   ' " ( _ / = " '
866   ' " , ' }%<<<
867 \AddAnimal{snail}%>>>
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869   \ .-"-.
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871   \ \_ _ .- : ' . _ . ' ) _
872   " - . _ . ' . _ . - ' . _ . " }%<<<
873 %^~A http://www.ascii-art.de/ascii/uvw/unicorn.txt
874 \AddAnimal{unicorn}%>>>
875 { \
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894 %^A https://asciart.website//index.php?art=animals/other%20(water)
895 \AddAnimal{whale}%>>>

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898 \ /      ('...')      ,-'
899 |      .
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901 '-.---'      .-\.'      }%<<<

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902 %^A from http://www.ascii-art.de/ascii/s/starwars.txt :
903 \AddAnimal{yoda}%>>>

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937 :-"-" . /-.' / ' . _.'
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939 "-.t-._.'}%<<<
940 \AddAnimal{yoda-head}%>>>
941 { \
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945 -- / : --- \ ; / --- ; \
946 , _ " " : _ ; " . " ; : " . " : _ ; . -- " " _ '
947 : ' . t " " . . ' <@. ' ; _ , @ > ' . . -- " " j . ' ' ;
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954 . ' / : ' . : : / . " . ' ; ' .
955 . - " / ; ' . : : " . " : " .
956 . + " . : : " . " . " . " ; - . _ \ } % < < <
957 % ^ ^ A from https://www.ascii-code.com/ascii-art/movies/star-wars.php
958 \AddAnimal{small-yoda}%>>>
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965 _ ) _ / L I } % < < <
966 \AddAnimal{r2d2}%>>>
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980 \AddAnimal{vader}%>>>
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