

# The **circle** package

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As the name says, `\Circle` gives a circle in math mode. Its size lies between that of the binary operator `\circ` and that of the unary operator `\bigcirc`. It can be used as the nextstep operator of temporal logic in conjunction with `\Box` and `\Diamond` (`\textrm{latexsym}`) or `\square` and `\lozenge` (`\amssymb`). `\Circle[f]` gives a filled circle.  
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As you probably know, L. Lamport discouraged the use of the nextstep operator for program verification. This could be the reason that he did not provide a symbol for it in `LATEX`.

The circles are taken from the `lcircle10` font. We try to choose the appropriate size. If you need a high quality output, this solution will not suit you.

Bugs: circles have size  $n$  at fontsize  $2n - 1$  and  $2n$ ; they do not scale linearly depending on the fontsize