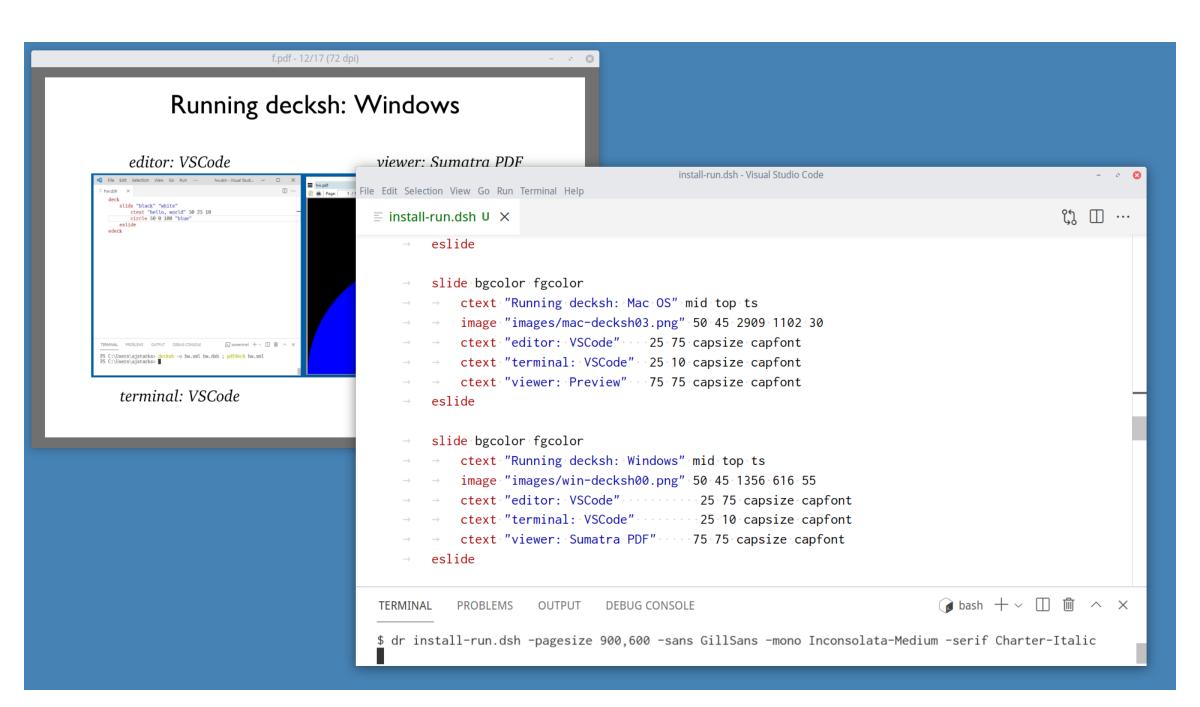
Installing and Running decksh/pdfdeck



Installing



making this guide

Installing using go and git

Install the latest versions of decksh and pdfdeck, download the deckfonts in \$HOME/deckfonts.

Test.

```
$ go install github.com/ajstarks/decksh/cmd/decksh@latest
...
$ go install github.com/ajstarks/deck/cmd/pdfdeck@latest
...
$ cd $HOME
$ git clone https://github.com/ajstarks/deckfonts
...
$ decksh -?; pdfdeck -?
```

Installing decksh and pdfdeck binaries

Mac (MI, Intel), Linux (Intel), Windows (32, 64-bit)

darwin-amd64-decksh

darwin-arm64-decksh

linux-amd64-decksh

linux-amd64-decksh

hour ago

linux-amd64-decksh

hour ago

windows-386-decksh.exe

linux-amd64-decksh

hour ago

hour ago

https://github.com/ajstarks/decksh/tree/master/cmd/decksh/binaries

☐ darwin-amd64-pdfdeck
1 hour ago

☐ darwin-arm64-pdfdeck
1 hour ago

☐ linux-amd64-pdfdeck
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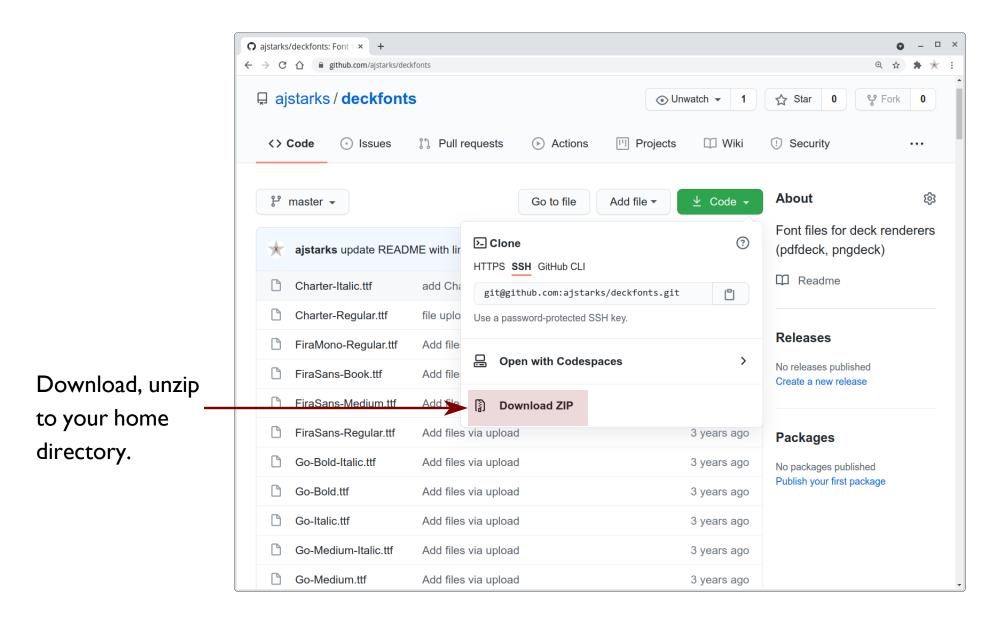
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Pick your type, download, rename to 'pdfdeck', place where your apps live.

https://github.com/ajstarks/deck/tree/master/cmd/pdfdeck/binaries

Downloading the fonts



Default Fonts

Times Roman

times

timesi

timesb

timesbi

Helvetica

helvetica

helveticai

helveticab

helveticabi

Courier

courier

courieri

courierb

courierbi

Hamburgevons

Hamburgevons

Hamburgevons

Alternative serif, sans, mono

Charter

Charter-Regular Charter-Italic

Hamburgevons

Fira Sans

FiraSans-Book FiraSans-Medium FiraSans-Regular

Hamburgevons

Inconsolata

Inconsolata-Regular
Inconsolata-Bold
Inconsolata-Medium
Inconsolata-Condensed
Inconsolata-Black

Hamburgevons

Sans fonts

IBM Plex

IBMPlexSans-Regular
IBMPlexMono-Regular

Hamburgevons

Noto Sans

NotoSans-Regular NotoMono-Regular

Hamburgevons

Public Sans

PublicSans-Italic
PublicSans-Light
PublicSans-Medium
PublicSans-Regular
PublicSans-SemiBold
PublicSans-BoldItalic
PublicSans-Bold

Hamburgevons

Symbol fonts

Zapf Dingbats

zapfdingbats



Gophers

Gophers



State Face

stateface



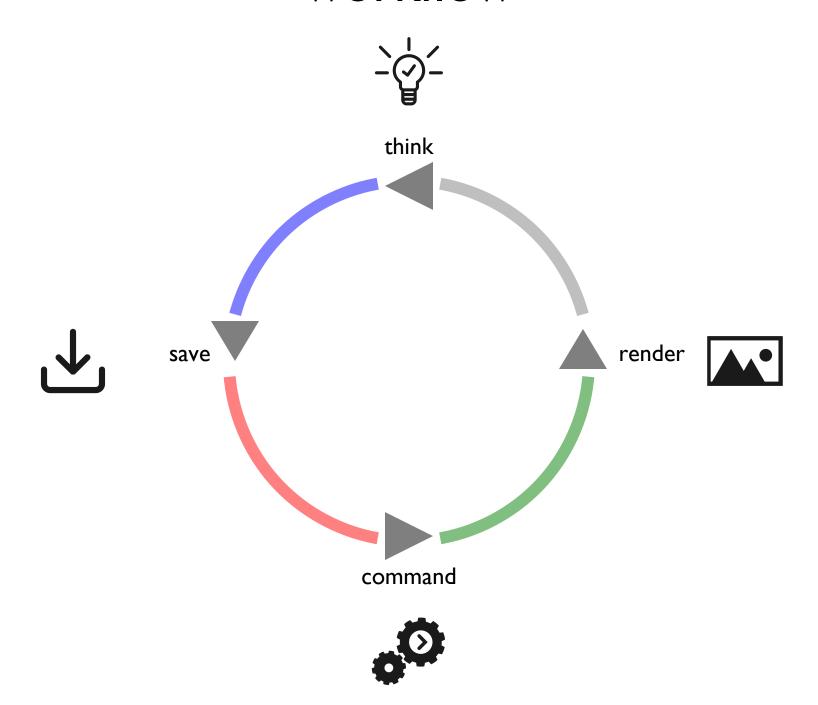
Wee People

weepeople



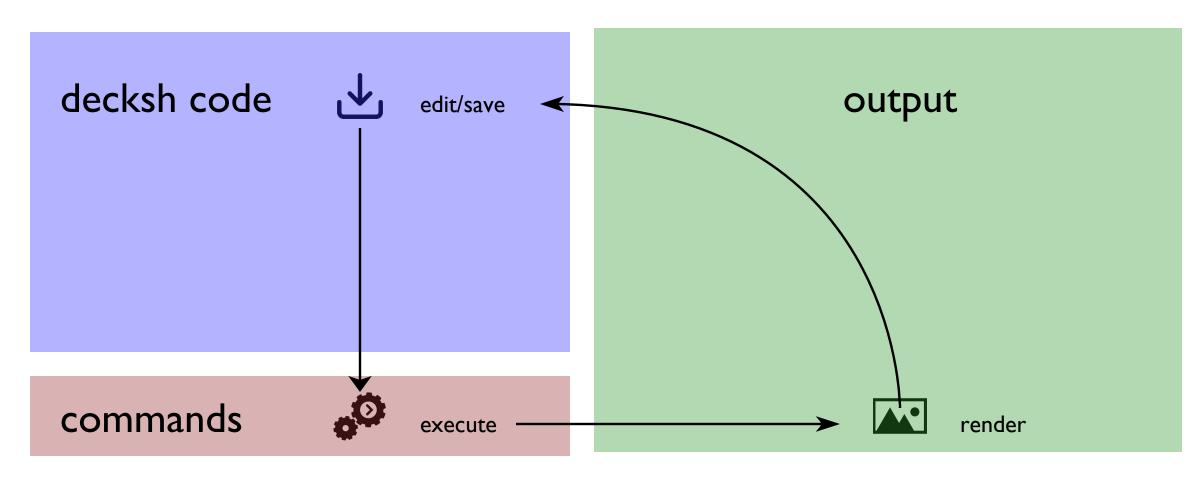
Running

workflow



Working setup

editor viewer

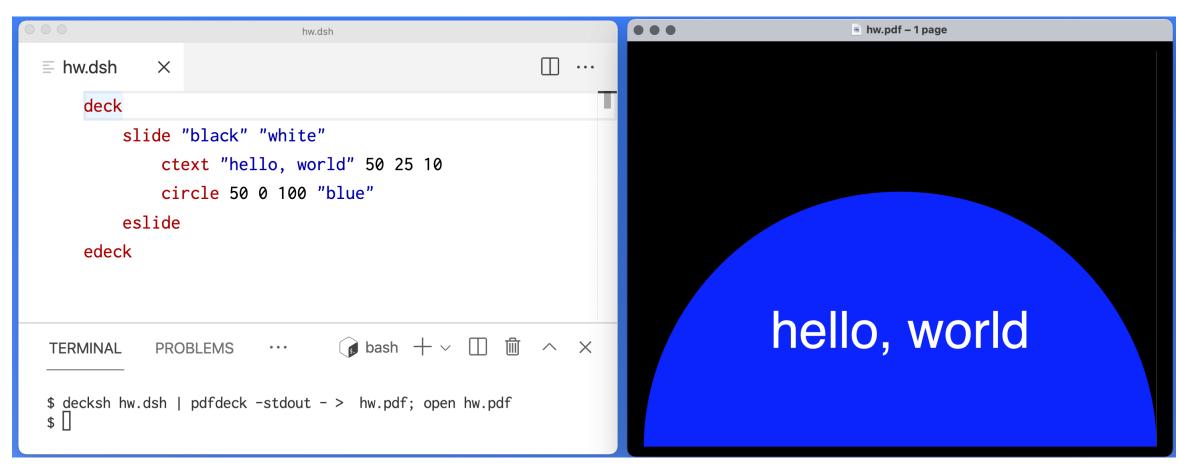


terminal

Mac OS

viewer: Preview

editor: VSCode

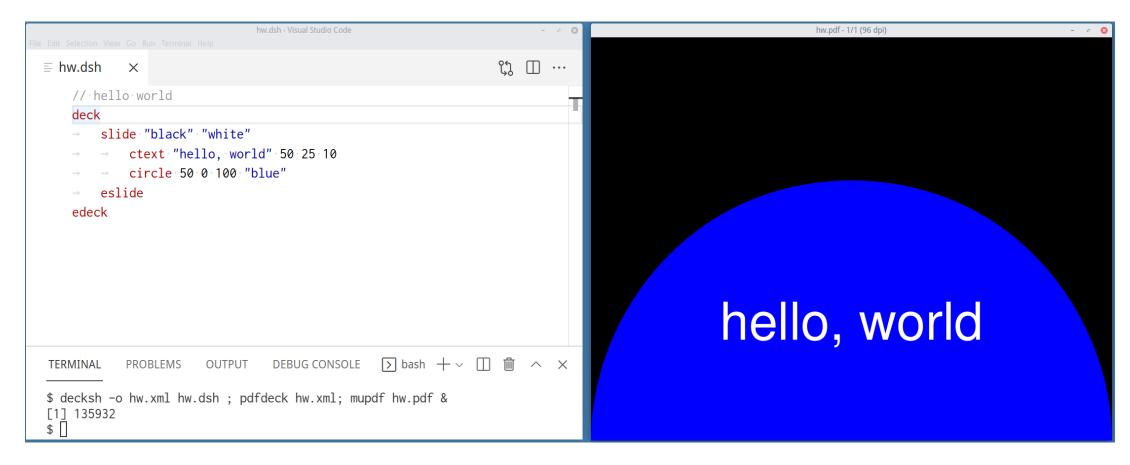


terminal: VSCode

Linux

editor: VSCode

viewer: mupdf

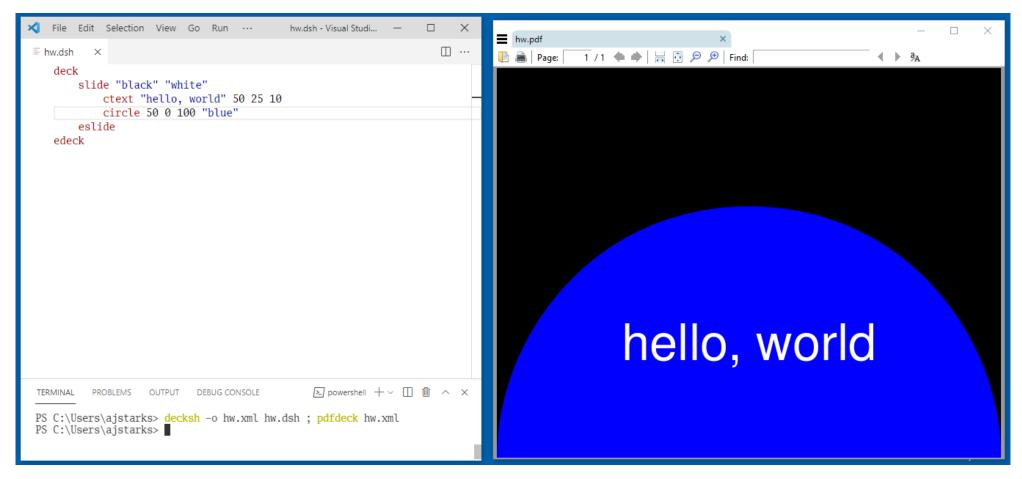


terminal: VSCode

Windows

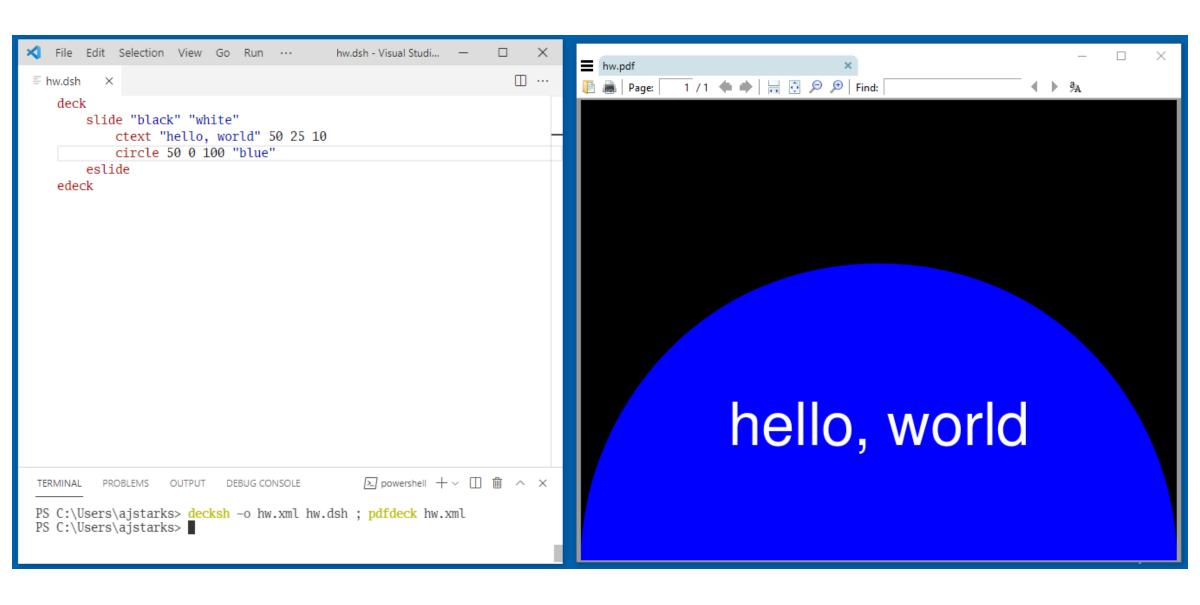
editor: VSCode

viewer: Sumatra PDF



terminal: VSCode

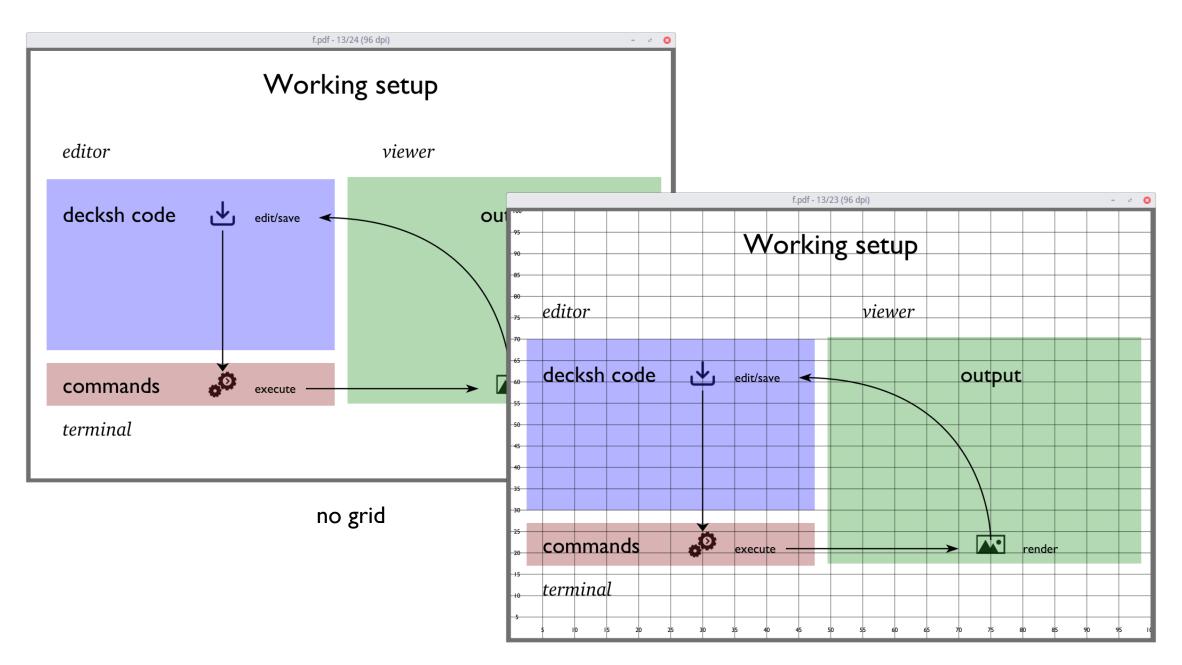
Render



Update



Using the -grid option



-grid 5

The command line

decksh command usage

decksh

decksh in.dsh

decksh -o out.xml

decksh -o out.xml in.dsh

read from stdin, write to stdout

read from file, write to stdout

read from stdin, write to file

read from file, write to file

decksh example.dsh | pdfdeck ...

pdfdeck [options] inputfile

Option Default Description

-sans helvetica Sans Serif font

-serif times Serif font

-mono courier Monospace font

-symbol zapfdingbats Symbol font

-pages I-1000000 Pages to output (first-last)

-pagesize Letter Page size (w,h or Legal, Tabloid, A[3-5], ArchA, 4R, Index)

-grid false Draw a percent grid

-fontdir \$HOME/deckfonts Font directory

-outdir Current directory Output directory

-stdout false Output to standard output

-author "" Document author

-title "" Document title

command examples

decksh -o file.xml file.dsh; pdfdeck file.xml process file.dsh to file.xml to file.pdf

decksh file.dsh | pdfdeck -stdout - > output.pdf
Pipe the output from decksh, making output.pdf

pdfdeck -pagesize 1920,1080 -pages 10-20 -grid 5 file.xml render pages 10-20 to file.pdf, page size of 1920 (width) x 1080 (height) pixels, on a 5% grid

pdfdeck -sans FiraSans-Regular -serif Charter-Regular -mono Inconsolata-Bold file.xml use FiraSans-Regular.ttf, Charter-Regular.ttf, and Inconsolata-Bold.ttf from the deckfonts directory

echo file.dsh|entr -s 'decksh file.dsh|pdfdeck -stdout - > f.pdf; pkill -HUP mupdf' When file.dsh changes, make f.pdf, and refresh the viewer