

# **L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X**

## My Usage Cheatsheet

### **Abstract**

This document contains common L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X snippets which I frequently use in creating my documents. Furthermore, the structure of this project also forms a boilerplate for new documents.

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# 1. Basics

## 1.1. Paragraphs and newlines

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This is a single line followed by a new line  
This is a single line

## 1.2. Bold, Italics, Emphasize, Underline text

This is a **bold** word.  
This is an *italicized* word.  
This is an *emphasized* word.  
This is an underlined word.

## 1.3. Unordered and ordered lists

Ordered lists exist within an `enumerate` environment:

1. List entries start with the `\item` command.
2. Individual entries are indicated with bullet.

Unordered lists exist within a `itemize` environment:

- List entries start with the `\item` command.
- Individual entries are indicated with bullet.

Description lists exist within a `description` environment:

**Verb** Definition of a verb.

**Indicators** Definition of an indicator.

## 1.4. Text with color

A word can be `coloured` to any desired value.

A word can have a `colored background`.

This is a paragraph of text written in blue color. Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit.

The color is reset to normal text color.

## 1.5. Footnote

LaTeX, software used for typesetting <sup>1</sup> technical documents.

LaTeX is a free software <sup>2</sup> package created in 1985 by the American computer scientist Leslie Lamport as an addition to the TeX typesetting system. LaTeX was created to make it easier to produce general-purpose books and articles within TeX. Because LaTeX is an extension to the TeX typesetting system, it has TeX's ability to typeset technical documents that contain complex mathematical equations.

## 1.6. Margin notes

The Big Bang event is a physical theory that describes how the universe expanded from an initial state of high density and temperature. It was first proposed in 1927 by Roman Catholic priest and physicist Georges Lemaître. Various cosmological models of the Big Bang explain the evolution of the observable universe from the earliest known periods through its subsequent large-scale form. These models offer a comprehensive explanation for a broad range of observed phenomena, including the abundance of light elements, the cosmic microwave background (CMB) radiation, and large-scale structure.

*Cosmology is a phenomenal thing!*

The overall uniformity of the Universe, known as the flatness problem, is explained through cosmic inflation: a sudden and very rapid expansion of space during the earliest moments. However, physics currently lacks a widely accepted theory of quantum gravity that can successfully model the earliest conditions of the Big Bang.

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<sup>1</sup>Typesetting is the way that text is composed using individual types — the symbols, letters and glyphs in digital systems.

<sup>2</sup>the programs and other operating information used by a computer.

## 1.7. Cross referencing and hyperlinks

Section-[1.4](#) demonstrates font and text color.

Figure-?? is that of a mesh graph.

For further references see [Wikipedia](#) or go to the next url: <http://www.google.com>.

[This](#) is a link to a word within a paragraph of text in the document.

## 2. Images

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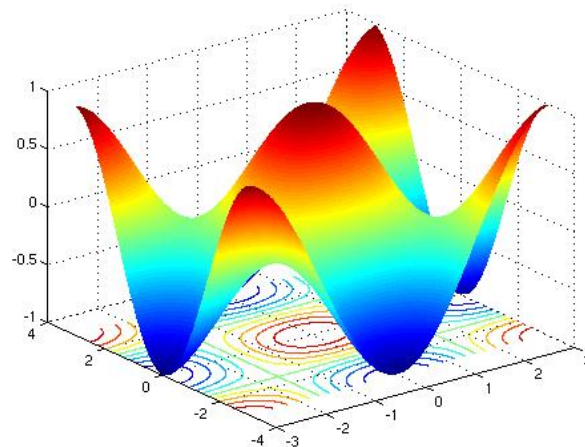


Figure 1: A heat graph

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### 2.1. Left and right aligned images

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Figure 2: A 3D cad image

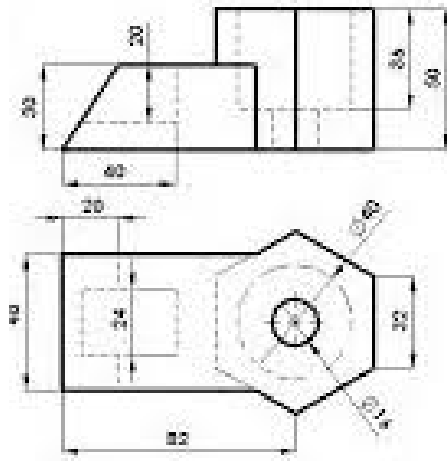


Figure 3: A 2D cad image

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### 3. Tables

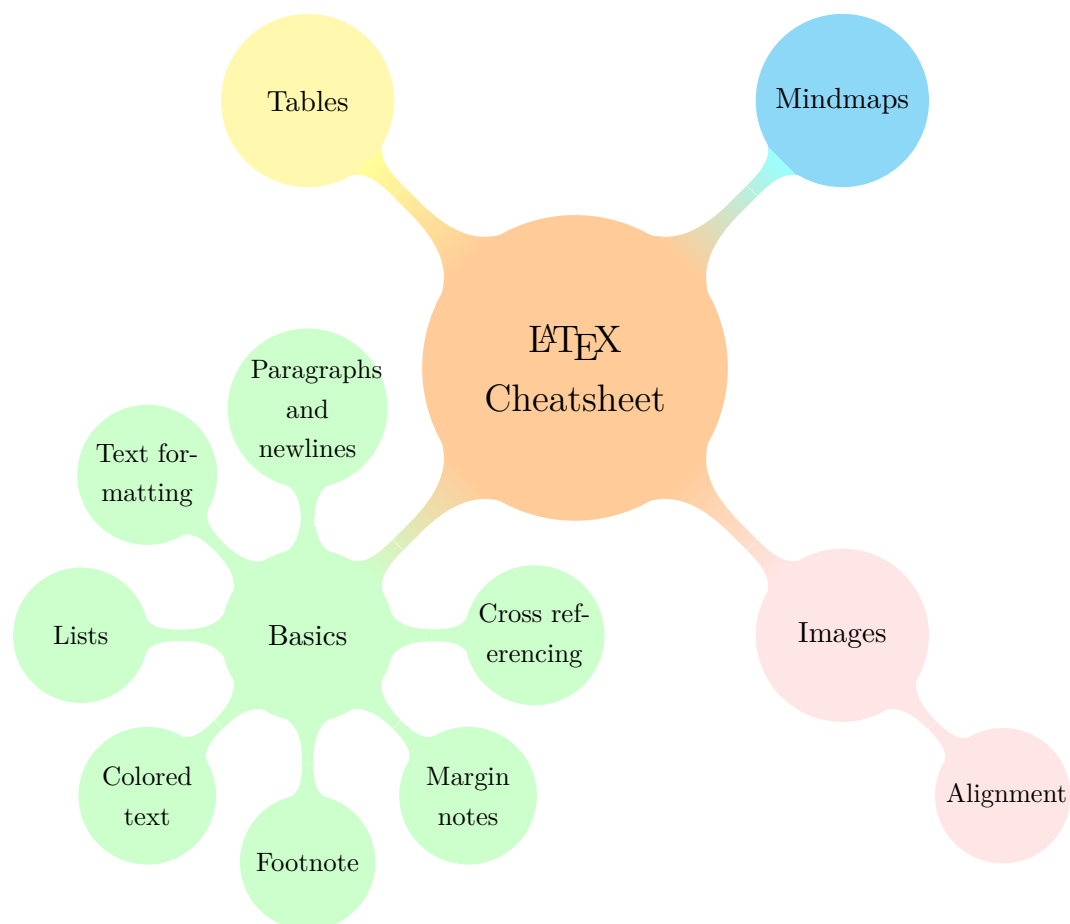
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Table 1: Table caption

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## 4. Mindmaps



## 5. Listings

Writing snippet of code within the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X files.

```
1 package com.sandy ;  
  
3 import com.sandy.sample.* ;  
  
5 public class Test {  
    public static void main( String [] args ) {  
        System.out.println( "Hello World!" ) ;  
    }  
9 }
```

Listing 1: Inline code

Importing code from an external source file.

```
1 #  
# Palindrome tester  
3 #  
# This code tests if a string qualifies as a palindrome.  
5 def isPalindrome(s):  
    return s == s[::-1]  
  
7  
s = "racecar"  
9 ans = isPalindrome(s)  
  
11 if ans:  
    print("Yes")  
13 else:  
    print("No")#
```

Listing 2: External code

Or we can quote a range of line numbers from the file.

```
def isPalindrome(s):  
2     return s == s[::-1]
```

Listing 3: Snippet

## 6. Algorithms

Writing pseudocode in Latex using the `algorithm2e` package.

```

Data:  $n \geq 0$ 
Result:  $y = x^n$ 

 $y \leftarrow 1$ 
 $X \leftarrow x$ 
 $N \leftarrow n$ 

while  $N \neq 0$  do
    if  $N$  is even then
         $X \leftarrow X \times X$ 
         $N \leftarrow \frac{N}{2}$                                 /* This is a comment */
    else
        if  $N$  is odd then
             $y \leftarrow y \times X$ 
             $N \leftarrow N - 1$ 
        end
    end
end

```

**Algorithm 1:** An algorithm with caption

## 7. Sequence diagrams

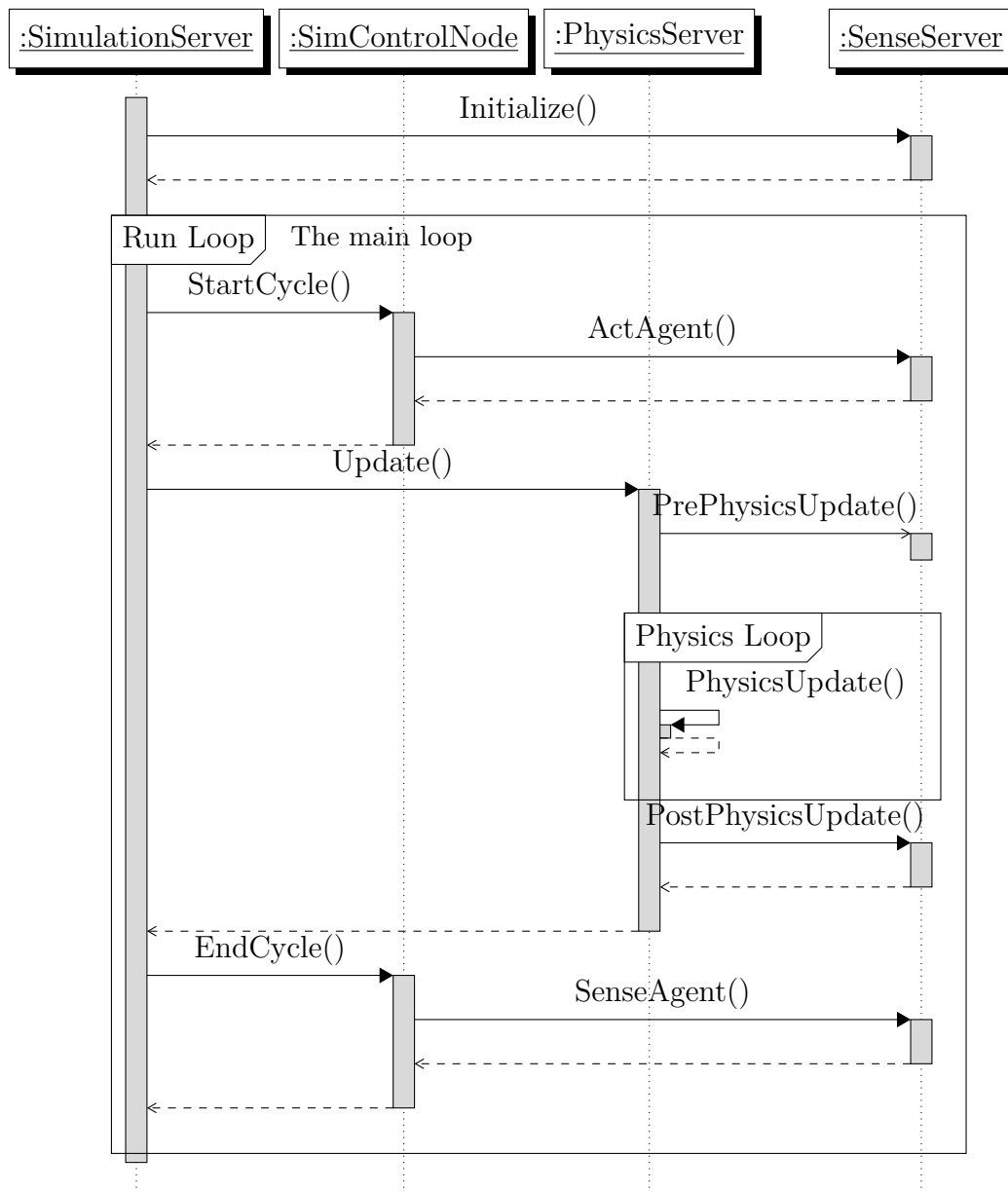


Figure 4: Physics update sequence diagram