

News - 2015 new macros and bugfixes for the basic package pstricks

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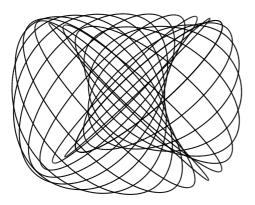
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Part I. pstricks - package

1. pstricks.tex (2.62-2015/07/24)

1.1. PostScript code

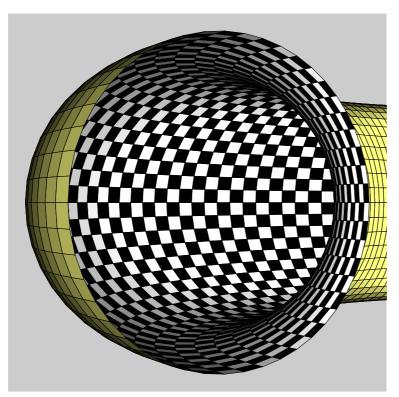
Additionally to the macro \pstVerb there are now the keywords precode and postscode which can be used by other packages to paste PostScript code before and after the macros.



```
\psset{viewpoint=40 35 10 rtp2xyz,Decran=40,lightsrc=viewpoint,unit=0.5}
\begin{pspicture}(-6,-6)(6,6)
\defFunction{cercle1}(t)
    {4 t cos mul 2 sub rZ cos mul 4 t sin mul rZ sin mul add} %
    {4 t cos mul 2 sub rZ sin mul neg 4 t sin mul rZ cos mul add}%
    {4 t sin mul}%
\psforeach{\iA}{0,20,...,360}{%
    \psSolid[object=courbe,
        precode=/rZ \iA\space def,
        r=0,range=0 360,resolution=360,function=cercle1]}
\end{pspicture}
```

1.2. Background color

There is now the optional argument bgcolor (backgound color), which is only valid for the background of the environment pspicture with its defined coordinates. Internally it uses the macro \psframe*:



```
\begin{pspicture*}[bgcolor=black!20](-12,-5)(-2,5)
\psset{viewpoint=6 -50 0 rtp2xyz,Decran=4,lightsrc=viewpoint}
\defFunction[algebraic]{torus}(u,v)
    {2*(1+ 0.5*cos(u))*cos(v)}% x=f(u,v)
    {2*(1+ 0.5*cos(u))*sin(v)}% y=f(u,v)
    \{2*0.5*sin(u)\}\%
                         z=f(u)
\psSolid[object=surfaceparametree,
 precode=/n1 48 def /n2 90 def /n1n2 n1 n2 mul 2 mul 1 sub def /iS 0 def,
 base=0 2 pi mul 0 pi 1.5 mul ,
 fcol=0 2 n1 2 sub {/i exch def
  i n2 mul 2 i n2 mul n2 add 1 sub {(Black)} for} for
  1 2 n1 1 sub {/i exch def i n2 mul 1 add 2 i n2 mul n2 add 1 sub {(Black)} for
      } for,
 fillcolor=white,incolor=yellow!50,
 function=torus,
 linewidth=0.5\pslinewidth,unit=5,ngrid=n1 n2]
\end{pspicture*}
```

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