



## build it

```
> npm install
```

```
> ./node_modules/malta/src/bin.js build.json
```

open index.html

Create a new object simply calling the Leonardo function:

```
var L = Leonardo (300, 200, {id : "trial"});
```

parameters:

**width** : the width in pixels (required)

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**attrs** : an hash of required attributes for the <svg> tag

for *svg namespaces* is enough just to pass a ns element containing an array containing one or more from the following set :

```
['cc', 'dc', 'ev', 'rdf', 'svg', 'xlink']
```

if all are needed is enough to pass '\*'.

Now we can create new Elements through L.

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## tags

Every function listed below creates a Element instance, and thus benefits the following instance methods: `attrs`, `styles`, `add`, `on`, `off`, `clone`, `trans`, `rotate`, `scale`, `mirrorO`, `mirrorV` and `move`. I will describe all them soon.

```
L.desc('This is the description of my svg')
```

Returns a <desc> tag containing the text passed to it

```
L.image(x, y, w, h, src)
```

Returns a <image> tag positioned at P{x,y}; about *w* and *h* are meant to be the clearly the sizes but real image size will win on it, in the end the ratio cannot be modified.

```
L.line(x1,y1, x2,y2)
```

Returns a <line> tag representing a segment starting from P1(x1,y1) and ending in P2(x2,y2).  
Here could be useful to use the attrs function to, for example, style the line:

```
L.line(...).attrs({"stroke-width" : 1.5,"stroke" : 'green'});
```

```
L.polyline(x1,y1, x2,y2 [,x3,y3[...]])
```

creates a polyline which can even be opened (does not close it automatically).

... to be continued