

`\enskip`  
`\quad`  
`\qquad`

Each of these commands produces a glob of horizontal glue that can neither stretch nor shrink. TeX can break a line at such glue. The width of these glues (which are relative to the current font) are as follows for `cmr10`, the default plain TeX font:

<i>Command</i>	<i>Space</i>	<i>Illustration</i>
<code>\enskip</code>	$\frac{1}{2}$ em	$\rightarrow   \leftarrow$
<code>\quad</code>	1 em	$\rightarrow   \leftarrow$
<code>\qquad</code>	2 em	$\rightarrow   \leftarrow$

*Example:*

`en\enskip skip; quad\quad skip; qquad\qquad skip`

*produces:*

`en skip; quad skip; qquad skip`