This example shows how to use the xcolor package to change the colour of LaTeX page elements.

- First item
- Second item

The background colour of text can also be easily set. For instance, you can change use an orange background and then continue typing. I'm writing to demonstrate use of automatically-generated footnote markers<sup>1</sup> and footnotes which use a marker value provided to the command<sup>42</sup>.

Now, I will use another automatically-generated footnote marker<sup>2</sup>.

 $<sup>^{1}\</sup>mathrm{Automatically}$  generated footnote markers work fine!  $^{42}$ 

is that the answer to everything?

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Now, footnote markers are 1, 42, but then back to 2? That will be confusing if the automatically-generated number also reaches 42!