BEAMER appearance cheat sheet (from version 3.26)

Parent-child relations of Beamer's elements (colors, fonts, templates) are indicated by successive indentations. More information can be found in the official documentation: http://www.ctan.org/tex-archive/macros/latex/contrib/beamer/doc/beameruserguide.pdf.

Reamer's Colors

Use \setbeamercolor{template name}{ (key=value) list} to change a Beamer's color. Keys are: fg, bg, parent, use. Use the color syntax of the xcolor package.

Structure of the presentation

Color palettes

palette primary palette secondary palette tertiary palette quaternary palette sidebar primary palette sidebar secondary palette sidebar tertiary palette sidebar quaternary

Global definitions

normal text titlelike separation line fine separation line

Title page

title page titlelike title subtitle author institute date

Part, section, subsection pages

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background canvas background

Headlines and footlines

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Sidebars

sidebar sidebar left sidebar right section in sidebar section in sidebar shaded subsection in sidebar subsubsection in sidebar

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title in sidebar author in sidebar

Navigation bars

mini frame section in head/foot subsection in head/foot subsubsection in head/foot

Navigation symbols

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Frame title

frametitle frametitle right framesubtitle frametitle continuation titlelike

Abstract

abstract abstract title

Hyperlinks and buttons

button button border

Lists

itemize item itemize subitem itemize subsubitem enumerate item enumerate subitem enumerate subsubitem enumerate mini template description item item

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Highlighting

structure local structure alerted text

Blocks environments

block title block body block title alerted block body alerted example text block title example block body example

Theorem environments

ged symbol

Figures and tables

caption caption name

Verse, quotations and quotes

verse quotation quote

Footnotes

footnote footnote mark

Mathematics

math text math text inlined math text displayed normal text in math text

Beamer's Fonts

Use \setbeamerfont{template name}{ (key=value) list} to change a Beamer's font. Keys are: family, series, shape, size, parent.

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Lists

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Blocks environments

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Theorem environments

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Figures and tables

caption caption name

Verse, quotations and quotes

verse quotation quote

Footnotes

footnote footnote mark

Beamer's Sizes

Use \setbeamersize{size name=\dim\} to change a Beamer's size. The geometry of the page is given by the geometry package.

text margin left text margin right sidebar width left sidebar width right

description width description width of mini frame size miniframe offset

Beamer's Templates

Use \setbeamertemplate {template name}{your definition} to change a Beamer's template. The definition is some LATEX code which can use any of the \insert... commands given below.

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sidebar left

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Navigation bars

mini frames mini frame mini frame in current subsection mini frame in other subsection section in head/foot section in head/foot shaded subsection in head/foot subsection in head/foot shaded subsubsection in head/foot subsubsection in head/foot shaded

Navigation symbols

navigation symbols

Logo

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Elements of a frame

Frame title

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Abstract

abstract title abstract begin abstract end

Hyperlinks and buttons

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Lists items

itemize items itemize item itemize subitem itemize subsubitem enumerate items enumerate item enumerate subitem enumerate subsubitem enumerate mini template itemize/enumerate body begin itemize/enumerate body end description item

Highlighting

structure begin structure end alerted text begin alerted text end

Blocks environments

blocks block begin block end block alerted begin block alerted end block example begin block example end

Theorem environments

qed symbol theorems theorem begin theorem end

Figures and tables

caption caption label separator

Verse, quotations and quotes

verse begin verse end quotation begin quotation end quote begin quote end

Footnotes

footnote TCF

Article mode

Frame structure

frame begin frame end

Insert-like Commands

These commands can be used to compose templates.

Possible mandatory and optional arguments are omitted, see the official documentation.

Structure of the presentation

Page and frame numbering

\insertpagenumber

\insertdocumentstartpage

\insertdocumentendpage

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\insertpresentationendpage

\insertpartstartpage

\insertpartendpage

\insertsectionstartpage

\insertsectionendpage

\insertsubsectionstartpage

\insertsubsectionendpage

\insertappendixstartpage

\insertappendixendpage

\insertframenumber

\inserttotalframenumber

\insertframestartpage

\insertframeendpage

Presentation data

\insertauthor

\insertshortauthor

\insertinstitute

\insertshortinstitute

\inserttitle

\insertshorttitle

\insertsubtitle

\insertshortsubtitle

\insertdate

\insertshortdate

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Part, section, subsection data

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\insertshortpart

\insertpartnumber

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\insertsection

\insertsubsection

\insertsubsubsection

Table of contents

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Bibliography

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Note pages

\insertnote

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Structure of a frame

Headlines and footlines

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\insertpartheadnumber

\insertsubsectionhead

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Navigation bars

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\insertsectionnavigation

\insertsectionnavigationhorizontal

\insertsubsectionnavigation

\insertsubsectionnavigationhorizontal

\insertverticalnavigation

Navigation symbols

\insertslidenavigationsymbol

\insertframenavigationsymbol

\insertsubsectionnavigationsymbol

\insertsectionnavigationsymbol

\insertdocnavigationsymbol

\insertbackfindforwardnavigationsymbol

Logo

\insertlogo

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Frame title

\insertframetitle

\insertframesubtitle

\insertcontinuationcount

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Hyperlinks and buttons

\insertbuttontext

\insertgotosymbol

\insertskipsymbol

\insertreturnsymbol

Lists

\insertenumlabel

\insertsubenumlabel

\insertsubsubenumlabel

\insertenumlabel

\insertdescriptionitem

Blocks environments

\insertblocktitle

Theorem environments

\inserttheoremblockenv

\inserttheoremheadfont

\inserttheoremname

\inserttheoremnumber

\inserttheoremaddition

\inserttheorempunctuation

Figures and tables

\insertcaption

\insertcaptionname

\insertcaptionnumber

Footnotes

\insertfootnotetext

\insertfootnotemark

Named Themes

See the official documentation for options associated to some of these themes. Snapshots of the themes can be found at http://www.hartwork.org/beamer-theme-matrix/.

Global Themes

\usetheme{theme name}

Without Navigation Bar

default
Bergen
Boadilla
Madrid
AnnArbor
CambridgeUS
Pittsburgh
Rochester

Tree-Like Navigation Bar

Antibes JuanLesPins Montpellier

Table of Contents Sidebar

Berkeley PaloAlto Goettingen Marburg Hannover

Mini Frame Navigation

Berlin Ilmenau Dresden Darmstadt Frankfurt Singapore Szeged

Section and Subsection Tables

Copenhagen Luebeck Malmoe Warsaw

Inner Themes

\useinnertheme{theme name}

default circles rectangles rounded inmargin

Outer Themes

\useoutertheme{theme name}
 default
 infolines
 miniframes
 smoothbars
 sidebar
 split
 shadow
 tree
 smoothtree

Color Themes

\usecolortheme{theme name}
default
structure
sidebartab

Complete Color Themes

albatross beetle crane dove fly seagull wolverine beaver

Inner Color Themes

lily orchid rose

Outer Color Themes

whale seahorse dolphin

Font Themes

\usefonttheme{theme name}
default
professionalfonts
serif
structurebold
structureitalicserif
structuresmallcapsserif
structureitalicserif