

# Documentation for using Atom and Pandoc

## Pandoc

To use Pandoc to convert to pdf, you need the package platformio-ide-terminal. This allows to use the terminal inside of Atom. Once installed, it can be called with the command Ctrl-‘.

These are the commands for using pandoc. Call the commands in the terminal.

**pandoc markdownfilename.md -s -o view.pdf**

Creates a pdf called view.pdf from the file markdownfilename.md.  
Option -s for standalone and option -o for output.

## Markdown

### Beginning a document

Between triple lines (—) write the title and author, as follows:

---

title: Something

author: myself

---

### Lists

Do two enters and - (slash). Looks like this:

- First
- Second

### Small but useful

To do a single linebreak, use two spaces and enter. To change paragraph, use two enters. A single enter doesn't do anything.

To write taken characters, use the escape character backslash \.  
Known taken characters are:

---