webgraphic.sty: Graphics from the Web for XML Conversion from LATEX*

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Abstract

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This package supplies an infrastructure for including web graphics in LaTeX documents written for transformation to web formats. 1

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 $^{1}\mathrm{EdNote}$: extend

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1 Introduction

The LATEXML system [Mil] can be used to generate various web formats from LATEX, most prominently XHTML+MathML that can directly be used for web pages. AS LATEXML covers a wide range of LATEX classes and packages, almost all LATEX documents can be converted. But not all XHTML+MathML can be produced; the main problem is that XHTML allows the inclusion of images located by URLs and LATEX only allows the inclusion of images from the local file system. The webgraphic package provides a simple markup structure to change this.

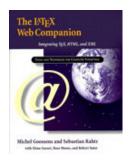
2 User Interface

\webgraphic

The webgraphic package provides a single macro: \webgraphic. It works exactly like the \incldegraphics macro from the graphicx package [CR99], except that the image file may be a URL [DS05] and that \webgraphic has an additioncal key local that can be used to specify a local copy of the image file (IATEX) cannot fetch files from the web. If the local attribute is not given IATEX tries to interpret the second argument as a file path to an image file and to include it. The normal usage is

\webgraphic[width=3cm,local=LWebComp]
{http://www.tug.org/books/LWebComp.jpg}

which results in the following picture given that a file LWebComp.* in a format that graphicx can handle (here LWebComp.png) is present.



LATEXML converts this into a suitable web representation, e.g.

3 Implementation

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We first set up header information for the LATEXML binding file.
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1 \*ItxmI\\
2 package LaTeXML::Package::Pool;
3 use strict;
4 use LaTeXML::Package;
5 \//ItxmI\\\
    Then we need to include the graphicx package we build upon
6 \( \text{package} \\ RequirePackage{graphicx} \)
7 \( \text{ItxmI} \\ RequirePackage('graphicx'); \)
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\webgraphic

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We build the \webgraphic macro on \includegraphics: for the LATEX implementation we first extend its keys by local, we fish out its value from \webgraphic and then supply it is the file to \includegraphics.²

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9 \define@key{Gin}{local}{\def\Gin@local{#1}}
10 \newcommand{\webgraphic}[2][]{\setkeys{Gin}{#1}\includegraphics[#1]{\Gin@local}}
11 \langle /\package \rangle
12 \langle *\langle \text{txml} \rangle
13 \DefConstructor('\webgraphic[]{}','');
14 \langle /\langle \text{txml} \rangle
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Finally, we need to terminate the file with a success mark for perl.

 $_{15}$ $\langle ltxml \rangle 1;$

 $^{^2\}mathrm{EdNote}\colon$ @Deyan, please add the binding and describe what you did.

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