Tips and Tricks in \LaTeX

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Important points:

1. New para:

\\, \par, blank line (recommended)

2. Little extra space:

$$I = \int e^x dx$$

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$$\times$$

- 3. Align (recommended) vs equarray
- 4. Functions name:

 $log, ln, sin, cos, tan, cosec^*, exp$ log, ln, sin, cos, tan, cosec, exp*declared math operator

5. Dots:

As mentioned... ✓
As mentioned... ×

6. Page ranges:



7. Avoid to use:

\newpage, \bigskip, \medskip, smallskip, \pagebreak, \linebreak

8. Cross referencing command:

The \cref{}, \Cref{}, ... commands all come from the *cleveref* package (clever references). The *cleveref* package should be loaded last as it alters the behaviour of a lot of packages. There are some exceptions to this though see *cleveref.pdf* user documentation page 23.

9. Displaymath:

\$--\$, \[\] (recommended)

10. Angled bracket

You may be surprised that the keyboard angle brackets (greater than, less than) symbols don't render correctly. This is likely traceable to

an encoding issue. TeX and LaTeX are English language orientated by original design and thus don't render non ascii characters correctly without the use of additional packages.

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\usepackage { ucs }
\usepackage [ utf8x ] { inputenc }
\usepackage [ T1 ] {fontenc }
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import numpy as np
def incmatrix (genl1, genl2):
  m = len(genl1)
  n = len(genl2)
  \mathrm{M} = \mathrm{None} \ \#to \ become \ the \ incidence \ matrix
  VT = np.zeros((n*m,1), int) #dummy variable
  \#compute the bitwise xor matrix
  M1 = bitxormatrix (genl1)
  M2 = np.triu(bitxormatrix(genl2),1)
  for i in range (m-1):
    for j in range (i+1, m):
       [r, c] = np. where (M2 == M1[i, j])
       for k in range(len(r)):
        VT[(i)*n + r[k]] = 1;
        VT[(i)*n + c[k]] = 1;
        VT[(j)*n + r[k]] = 1;
        VT[(j)*n + c[k]] = 1;
  if M is None:
    M = np.copy(VT)
  else:
    M = np.concatenate((M, VT), 1)
  VT = np.zeros((n*m,1), int)
  return M
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11. Delimiters size

$$\label{left...right} $$ \left(\dots \right), \left(\right), \left(\dots \right), \left(\right), \left(\dots \right),$$

- 12. Uppercase in references: {Letter}
- 13. Inverted commas:

load \usepackage{csquote} package in the preamble and use \enquote{---} or from the keyboard



- 14. Order of packages
- 15. Add extra line: \enlargethispage{number\baslineskip}
- 16. Clean auxiliary files

Common errors:

- 1. ! Extra } or forgotten \$
 ⇒ check {each} and \$each\$
- 2. ! Emergency stop missing \end{document} or wrong spelling
- 3. ! I can't write on file ' '
 Close opened pdf (specially in Acrobat)
- 4. ! Paragraph ended before ... was complete wrong command name e.q. \small1, missing }
- 5. ! Too many }'s missing {

- 6. ! Undefined control sequence command name is not spelled correctly
- 7. ! Missing \$ inserted \$---\$, or \begin{math}---\end{math} or \ensuremath{---}
- 8. ! LaTeX Error: File 'name.sty' not found misspelled package name, download required package first and put it in the same folder
- 9. ! LaTeX Error: Option clash for package change the order of package, remove the option
- 10. ! LaTeX Error: Missing \begin{document} Avoid to type any printable text in the preamble
- 11. ! File ended while scanning use of \end May be you have not closed something properly, e.g. forgot to use }

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Contrary to popular belief, Lorem Ipsum is not simply random text. It has roots in a piece of classical Latin literature from 45 BC, making it over 2000 years old. Richard McClintock, a Latin professor at Hampden-Sydney College in Virginia, looked up one of the more obscure Latin ordsContrary to popular belief, Lorem Ipsum is not simply random text.

Document Structure

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\RequirePackage[12tabu]{nag}
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% % % % % % % % % % % % chandrahashbti@gmail.com % % % % % % % % %
\documentclass[12pt,a4paper,twoside,openright]{report}
% % % % Fonts type and spacing % % % % % % % % %
\usepackage[T1]{fontenc}
\usepackage[english]{babel}
\usepackage[sc]{mathpazo}
\linespread{1.05} % Palatino needs more leading (space between lines)
%\usepackage{times}
%\usepackage{mathptmx}
%\usepackage[varg]{txfonts}
\usepackage[onehalfspacing]{setspace}
\usepackage{amsmath}
\usepackage{amssymb}
\usepackage{amsfonts}
\usepackage{geometry}
\geometry{ %
 a4paper,
 total={210mm,297mm},
 inner=3.5cm,
 outer=2.5cm,
 top=2.5cm,
bottom=2.5cm,
 }
%\usepackage{anysize}
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\usepackage[stretch=10,shrink=10]{microtype}
\usepackage{fancyhdr}
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\pagestyle{fancy}
\usepackage{emptypage}
%emptypage: to Remove haeader from the blank page in twosided layout
\usepackage{afterpage}
\usepackage{ragged2e} %\justifying
\usepackage{quotchap}
  \qsetcnfont{pnc}
%\usepackage[Sonny]{fncychap}
%\usepackage{background}
% \backgroundsetup{contents=Draft,scale=4,position={2,-3.5},opacity=1}
\usepackage{fancybox}
 \raggedbottom
% \raggedbottom : No extra vertical space is added.
% % % % % % % % Graphics % % % % % % % % % % % % %
\usepackage[demo]{graphicx}
%\graphicspath{{image1/}{image2/}}
\usepackage{float}
\usepackage{grffile} %grffile is used to allow spaces in images in pdfTeX
\usepackage{caption}
 %\captionsetup{font={small, singlespacing}, justification=justified}
\usepackage{subcaption}
% % % % % % % Lists % % % % % % % % % % % % % % % % % %
\usepackage[intoc] {nomencl}
  \makenomenclature
\usepackage[round] {natbib}
\usepackage[toc,page]{appendix}
%\usepackage{chapterbib}
\usepackage{tocbibind}
%\usepackage[undotted]{minitoc}
\usepackage{titletoc}
\usepackage[toctitles]{titlesec}
%\usepackage{tocloft}
%\usepackage{titlepage}
\usepackage{bm}
\usepackage{enumerate}
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\usepackage[version=3]{mhchem}
\usepackage{booktabs}
\usepackage{array}
\usepackage{longtable}
\usepackage{multirow}
\usepackage{calc}
\usepackage{cancel}
\usepackage{vector}
\usepackage{soul}
\usepackage{colonequals}
\usepackage[normalem] {ulem}
\usepackage{ifthen}
\usepackage{etoolbox}
\usepackage{empheq}
\usepackage{color}
\usepackage[table] {xcolor}
\usepackage{multirow}
\usepackage[bottom]{footmisc}
\usepackage{numprint}
\usepackage[allowlitunits]{siunitx}
\usepackage{nicefrac}
\usepackage{xfrac}
\usepackage{theorem}
\usepackage{listings}
\usepackage{lscape}
\usepackage{xspace}
\usepackage{commath}
\usepackage{vector}
\usepackage{tensor}
\usepackage{eucal}
\usepackage[euler] {textgreek}
\usepackage[Euler] {upgreek}
\usepackage{filecontents}
\usepackage[nomargin,footnote,index]{fixme}
\usepackage{hyphenat}
\usepackage{csquotes}
\usepackage{lipsum}
\usepackage{verbatim}
\usepackage{filecontents}
\usepackage{hyperref}
 \hypersetup{
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bookmarks=true,
                          % show bookmarks
                           % non-latin characters in Acrobat's bookmarks
    unicode=false,
                         % title
    pdftitle={Ch},
    pdfauthor={Chandra Has},% author
    pdfnewwindow=true,
                          % links in new window
    colorlinks=true,
                          % false: boxed links; true: colored links
    citecolor=blue,
                         % color of links to bibliography
                       % color of external links
    urlcolor=green
 }
 % % %Packages must be loaded after hyperref % % % % %
\usepackage[capitalise]{cleveref}
\usepackage{algorithm}
\usepackage{bookmark}
\usepackage[toc]{glossaries}
  \makeglossaries
\usepackage{imakeidx}
  \makeindex[title=Index 1]
% \makeindex[name=p,title=Index 2]
\definecolor{chaptergrey}{rgb}{.5 .5 .5}
\newcommand{\printpageintoc}{\addtocontents{toc}{~\hfill\textbf{Page}\par}}
% \printpageintoc works with "afterpage" package
\renewcommand{\bibname}{References}
\begin{document}
\thispagestyle{empty}
\include{Title}
\cleardoublepage
\phantomsection
\pagestyle{plain}
\pagenumbering{roman}
\addcontentsline{toc}{chapter}{Abstract}
\include{Abstract}
\cleardoublepage
\phantomsection
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\include{Dedication}
\cleardoublepage
\phantomsection
\include{Declaration}
\cleardoublepage
\phantomsection
\include{Acknowledgements}
\cleardoublepage
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\cleardoublepage
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\phantomsection
\listoftables
\cleardoublepage
\phantomsection
\pagestyle{fancy}
\pagenumbering{arabic}
\setcounter{page}{1}
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\include{chap02}
\cleardoublepage
\phantomsection
\addcontentsline{toc}{chapter}{References}
\bibliographystyle{apalike}
\bibliography{mybib}
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\cleardoublepage		
\phantomsection		
\appendix		
\include{app01}		
\end{document}		
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