## stmplots package description

# Copyright © 2023 DLR SY STM v20231205

## Martin Rädel

## 2023-12-05

These are the plots definitions for stmlatex. It is build upon the pgfplots package.

## **Contents**

1.	Usage - in the preamble	
	1.1. Load the whole stmplots package	
	1.1.1. Description	
	1.1.2. Options	
	1.2. stmplotslibraries	
	1.3. stmplotsstyles	
2.	Test	
Α.	The code	
	The code	
	A.1. stmplots.sty	
	A.1. stmplots.sty	
	A.1. stmplots.sty	

## 1. Usage - in the preamble

## 1.1. Load the whole stmplots package

## 1.1.1. Description

This is an interface package which loads pgfplots and definitions commonly required throughout document creation.

By default the package loads

• stmplotsbase.sty

- stmplotslibraries.sty
- stmplotsstyles.sty

See subsubsection 1.1.2 for options to change the default package behavior.

#### 1.1.2 Options

**Option** compat This option expects a string input. Possible inputs are pgfplots version numbers, e.g.

\usepackage[compat=1.14]{stmplots}

compat=newest is the default. It is used in case libraries=\$VALUE\$ is not set explicitly.

**Option** *libraries* This is a boolean option. Expected values are either true or false. It controls whether to load the standard libraries commonly required.

\usepackage[libraries=true|false]{stmplots}

libraries=true is the default. It is used in case libraries=false is not set explicitly.

**Option** styles This is a boolean option. Expected values are either true or false. It controls whether to load the predefined pgfplots styles.

\usepackage[styles=true|false] {stmplots}

styles=true is the default. It is used in case styles=false is not set explicitly.

**Option** externalization This is a boolean option. Expected values are either true or false. It enables and disables the possibilities for the externalization of tikzpictures.

\usepackage[externalization=true|false]{stmplots}

externalization=true is the default. It is used in case externalization=false is not set explicitly.

See the stmtikz package documentation for details.

**Option** externalizationoutputfolder This option expects a string input. Do not add a slash at the end of the string.

With this option it is possible to define a output folder for all externalized tikzpictures in case Option externalization has the value true. The folder location is set relative to the directory of the main tex-file.

\usepackage[externalizationoutputfolder=\$FOLDERNAME\$]{stmtikz}

The default is externalizationoutputfolder=ZZZ\_TikZ.

**Option** globalexternalization This is a boolean option. Expected values are either true or false.

By default externalization is not enabled for tikzpictures globally, meaning automatically activated for each tikzpicture. It has to be activated explicitly in the document with \tikzexternalenable.

It is possible to control this behavior with

\usepackage[globalexternalization=true|false]{stmplots}

globalexternalization=false is the default. It is used in case globalexternalization=true is not set explicitly.

Global externalization is active until the next \tikzexternaldisable in your document.

#### 1.2. stmplotslibraries

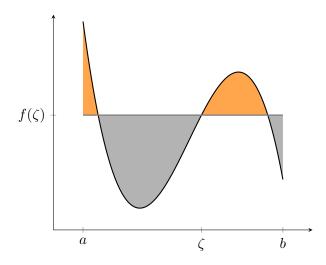
This package contains standard libraries commonly required in the creation of plots.

#### 1.3. stmplotsstyles

This package contains styles commonly required in the creation of plots.

## 2. Test

This is a test. Code thankfully taken from http://pgfplots.net/tikz/examples/fill-between-plots/



#### A. The code

#### A.1. stmplots.sty

```
2 % Header
4 %
5 % This is a interface to all stm pgfplots definitions
6 % Based upon the pgfplots package:
7 % https://ctan.org/pkg/pgfplots
8 %
9 % Usage
10 % - Preamble:
11 %
     - \usepackage{stmplots}
12 %
13 % Revisions: 2019-10-27 Martin Raedel <martin.raedel@dlr.de>
14 %
                     Initial draft
15 %
16 % Contact: Martin Raedel, martin.raedel@dlr.de
17 %
            DLR Lightweight Systems
18 %
19 %
                             __/|__
20 %
                            /_/_/_/
21 %
                             |/ DLR
            www.dlr.de/sy/en
22 %
23 % Copyright (C) 2019-... DLR Lightweight Systems
24 %
26 % Content
28
29 % Declare that this style file requires at least LaTeX version 2e.
30 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
31
32 % Provide the name of your page, the date it was last updated, and a
     comment about what it's used for
33 \ProvidesPackage{stmplots}[2023/02/12 STMs custom LaTeX plot definitions]
34
35 % -----
36 % Options
37 % -----
38
39 % For options
```

```
40 \quad \texttt{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}{\cons}
41
42 % Option group
43 \SetupKeyvalOptions{%
44
            family=stmplots,%
45
                prefix=stmplots@,%
46
                setkeys=\kvsetkeys,%
47 }
48
49 % Output folder
50 \DeclareStringOption[newest]{compat}
51
52 % Libraries
53 \DeclareBoolOption[true]{libraries}
54
55 % Styles
56 \ \ensuremath{\texttt{NeclareBoolOption[true]}}{styles}
57
58 % Externalization
59 \DeclareBoolOption[true] {externalization}
60
61 % Global externalization
62 \DeclareBoolOption[false] {globalexternalization}
63
64 % Output folder
65 \ \ \ DeclareStringOption[ZZZ_TikZ] \{externalizationoutputfolder\}
66
67 % Process options
68 \ProcessKeyvalOptions{stmplots}
69
70 % -----
71 % Modules
72 % -----
73
74 % Load the base package
75 \@ifpackageloaded{stmplotsbase}{}{%
76 \RequirePackage{stmplotsbase}\%
77 }%
78
79 % -----
80 % Pgf version
81 % -----
82
83 \pgfplotsset{compat=\stmplots@compat}
```

```
84
85 % -----
86 % Modules 2
87 % -----
88
89 % Libraries
90 \ \text{ifstmplots@libraries}
91
     \RequirePackage{stmplotslibraries}
92 \fi
93
94 % Styles
95 \ \texttt{\ \ } 
96
     \RequirePackage{stmplotsstyles}
97 \fi
98
99 % Externalization
100 \ifstmplots@externalization
101
     \@ifpackageloaded{stmtikzexternalization}{}{
102
       \RequirePackage[%
103
         outputfolder=\stmplots@externalizationoutputfolder,%
104
         global={\ifstmplots@globalexternalization true\else false\fi}%
105
       ]{stmtikzexternalization}
106
107 \fi
108
110 % That's it
112
113 % Finally, we'll use \endinput to indicate that LaTeX can stop reading
       this file. LaTeX will ignore anything after this line.
114 \endinput
```

## A.2. stmplotsbase.sty

```
10 % - Preamble:
11 % - \usepackage{stmplots}
12 %
13 % Revisions: 2019-10-27 Martin Raedel <martin.raedel@dlr.de>
14 %
                      Initial draft
15 %
16 % Contact: Martin Raedel, martin.raedel@dlr.de
17 %
            DLR Lightweight Systems
18 %
19 %
                              __/|__
20 %
                              /_/_/_/
21 %
                             |/ DLR
             www.dlr.de/sy/en
22 %
23 % Copyright (C) 2019-... DLR Lightweight Systems
24 %
26 % Content
29 % Declare that this style file requires at least LaTeX version 2e.
30 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
31
32 % Provide the name of your page, the date it was last updated, and a
      comment about what it's used for
33 \ProvidesPackage{stmplotsbase}[2023/02/12 STMs custom LaTeX plot
      definitions]
34
35 % -----
36 % Package
37 % -----
38
39 \@ifpackageloaded{pgfplots}{}{\RequirePackage{pgfplots}}%
40 \@ifpackageloaded{pgfplotstable}{}{\RequirePackage{pgfplotstable}}%
41
43 % That's it
45
46 % Finally, we'll use \endinput to indicate that LaTeX can stop reading
     this file. LaTeX will ignore anything after this line.
47 \endinput
```

#### A.3. stmplotslibraries.sty

```
2 % Header
5 % This file includes unit definitions.
6 % Based upon the pgfplots package:
7 % https://ctan.org/pkg/pgfplots
8
  %
9 % Usage
10 % - Preamble:
11 % - \usepackage{stmplotslibraries}
12 %
13 % Revisions: 2019-10-27 Martin Raedel <martin.raedel@dlr.de>
14 %
                     Initial draft
15 %
16 % Contact: Martin Raedel, martin.raedel@dlr.de
17 %
            DLR Lightweight Systems
18 %
19 %
                             __/|__
20 %
                            /_/_/_/
21 %
                            / DLR
            www.dlr.de/sy/en
22 %
23 % Copyright (C) 2019-... DLR Lightweight Systems
24 %
26 % Content
28
29 % Declare that this style file requires at least LaTeX version 2e.
30 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
31
32 % Provide the name of your page, the date it was last updated, and a
     comment about what it's used for
33 \ProvidesPackage{stmplotslibraries}[2023/02/12 STMs custom LaTeX pgfplots
      library definitions]
34
35 % -----
36 % Package
37 % -----
38
39 \@ifpackageloaded{pgfplots}{}{\RequirePackage{pgfplots}}%
40
41 % -----
42 % Libraries
```

## A.4. stmplotsstyles.sty

```
2 % Header
4 %
5\, % This is a interface to all stm pgfplots definitions
6 % Based upon the pgfplots package:
7 % https://ctan.org/pkg/pgfplots
8 %
9 % Usage
10 % - Preamble:
11 %
     - \usepackage{stmtikz}
12 %
13 % Revisions: 2019-10-27 Martin Raedel <martin.raedel@dlr.de>
14 %
                    Initial draft
15 %
16 % Contact: Martin Raedel, martin.raedel@dlr.de
17 %
           DLR Lightweight Systems
18 %
19 %
                           __/|__
20 %
                           /_/_/_/
                           / DLR
21 %
            www.dlr.de/sy/en
22 %
23 % Copyright (C) 2019-... DLR Lightweight Systems
24 %
26 % Content
28
```

```
29 % Declare that this style file requires at least LaTeX version 2e.
30 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
31
32 % Provide the name of your page, the date it was last updated, and a
      comment about what it's used for
33 \ProvidesPackage{stmplotsstyles}[2023/02/12 STMs custom LaTeX plot styles
       definitions]
34
35 % -----
36 % Package
37 % -----
38
39 \@ifpackageloaded{pgfplots}{}{%
    \usepackage{pgfplots}%
40
41 }
42
43 % -----
44 % colormaps
45 % -----
46
47 \pgfplotsset{
48
     colormap={abaqusblueredcolormap}{
49
      rgb255(0cm)=(0,0,255);
      rgb255( 1cm)=( 0, 93,255);
50
      rgb255( 2cm)=( 0,185,255);
51
52
      rgb255(3cm)=(0,255,232);
53
      rgb255(4cm)=(0,255,139);
54
      rgb255(5cm)=(0,255,139);
      rgb255( 6cm)=( 0,255, 46);
55
56
      rgb255(7cm)=(46,255, 0);
57
      rgb255(8cm)=(139,255, 0);
58
      rgb255( 9cm)=(232,255, 0);
59
      rgb255(10cm)=(255,185, 0);
60
      rgb255(11cm)=(255, 93, 0);
61
      rgb255(12cm)=(255, 0, 0);
62
     }
63 }
64
65
   \pgfplotsset{
66
     colormap={paraviewblueredcolormap}{
67
      rgb255(0cm)=(0,0,255);
68
      rgb255( 1cm)=( 0, 93,255);
69
      rgb255( 2cm)=( 0,185,255);
70
      rgb255(3cm)=(0,255,232);
```

```
71
        rgb255(4cm)=(0,255,139);
72
        rgb255( 5cm)=( 0,255,139);
73
        rgb255( 6cm)=( 0,255, 46);
74
        rgb255(7cm)=(46,255, 0);
75
        rgb255(8cm)=(139,255, 0);
76
        rgb255(9cm)=(232,255,0);
77
        rgb255(10cm)=(255,185, 0);
78
        rgb255(11cm)=(255, 93, 0);
79
        rgb255(12cm)=(255, 0, 0);
80
81 }
82
83 \pgfplotsset{
84 colormap={whiteblack}{color(0cm)=(white);color(1cm)=(black)}
85 }
86
87 % -----
88 % pgfplotsset
89 % -----
90
91 %~~~~ Number format ~~~~~~
92
93 % call with e.g.: y tick label style={numberformatfixed={3}}
94 \pgfplotsset{
95
        numberformatfixed/.style 2 args={
96
          /pgf/number format/fixed,
97
          /pgf/number format/fixed zerofill, % Allow trailing zeros
98
          /pgf/number format/precision=#1, % Nr of decimal digits
99
        },
100
        numberformatfixed/.default={2}
101 }
102
103 %~~~~ Colorbar axis ~~~~~~
104
105 \pgfplotsset{
      basecolorbaraxis style/.style={
106
107
       hide axis,
108
        scale only axis,
109
        colormap/bluered,
                                               % Colormap preset
110
        colorbar sampled,
                                               % Steps in colorbar
111
112 }
113
114 %~~~~ Colorbar ~~~~~~~~
```

```
115
116
    \pgfplotsset{
117
      abaqusdiscrete12colorbar style/.style={
118
        separate axis lines,
119
        samples=13,
                                               % Number of steps+1
120
      }
121
    }
122
123
    \pgfplotsset{
124
      abaqusdiscrete256colorbar style/.style={
125
        separate axis lines,
126
                                               % Number of steps+1
        samples=256,
127
      }
128 }
129
130
    \pgfplotsset{
131
      ansysdiscrete9colorbar style/.style={
132
        separate axis lines,
133
                                               % Number of steps+1
        samples=10,
134
      }
135
   }
136
137
   \pgfplotsset{
138
      paraviewdiscrete256colorbar style/.style={
139
        separate axis lines,
140
        samples=256,
                                               % Number of steps+1
141
      }
142 }
143
145 % That's it
147
148 % Finally, we'll use \endinput to indicate that LaTeX can stop reading
       this file. LaTeX will ignore anything after this line.
149
   \endinput
```