

The TikZ graphics package

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“TikZ ist *kein* Zeichenprogramm”

- “Writing” graphics as you write text and formulas in LaTeX

TikZ : graphics = LaTeX : text

- Draw shapes, paths, diagrams...
- Countless extension packages

- Wikibooks, short introduction:
<https://en.wikibooks.org/wiki/LaTeX/PGF/TikZ>
- Official manual:
<http://ctan.cs.uu.nl/graphics/pgf/base/doc/pgfmanual.pdf>
(Too long, but nice examples in part I)
- Extension packages and their documentation:
<https://www.ctan.org/topic/pgf-tikz>

- In preamble:

```
\usepackage{tikz}  
\usetikzlibrary{something} % if needed
```

- In document body:

```
\begin{tikzpicture} (...) \end{tikzpicture}
```

- Use `[scale= n , rotate= $angle$]` to scale or rotate the whole picture.

- 3 ways to express coordinates:
 - Cartesian, no unit = cm
Example: (2cm,11pt)
 - Polar
Example: (180:7cm)
 - Intersection of vertical line through p_1 and horizontal line through p_2 ,
points expressed as above (no parenthesis)
Example: (0,1 |- 30:2)
- More intersections: `\usetikzlibrary{intersections}`
- Give names to points: `\coordinate (X) at (1,-4);`

Drawing straight lines

```
\draw (P1) -- (P2) -- ... -- (Pn);
```

- Points expressed in coordinates as before.
- Add `-- cycle` to close the path.

Curved lines and other shapes



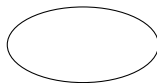
```
\draw (0,0) arc [start angle=30,  
end angle=120, radius=2cm];
```



```
\draw (0,0) rectangle (2,1);
```



```
\draw (0,0) circle [radius=0.5];
```



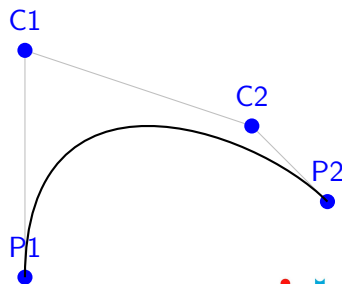
```
...[x radius=1,y radius=0.5];
```

Bezier curves

```
\draw (P1) ..controls (C1) and (C2).. (P2);
```

A curve from P1 to P2, starting in direction of C1 and arriving from the direction of C2 (usually not touching the control points).

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bézier_curve



- Color names already defined: red, green, blue, yellow, black, white, gray, darkgray, lightgray, brown, pink...
- Specify intensity: `color!n` with $0 \leq n \leq 100$.
- Mix colors: `color1!n1!color2!n2!...`
- Example:

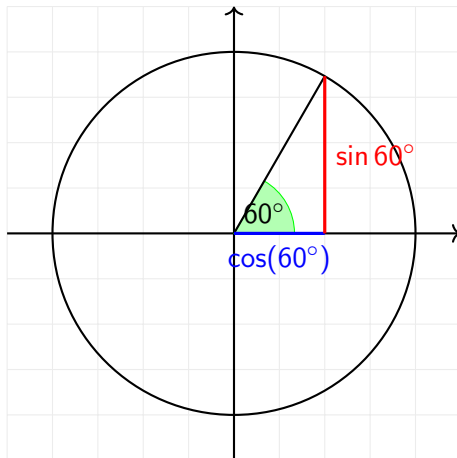
`blue!50!red!50!green`

is 50% blue, 25% red and 25% green.

Filldraw, change color and line style

- `\draw[colorname]` to specify color.
- `\filldraw[fill=fillcolor, draw=bordercolor]` to fill path or `\fill` for no border.
- Line width: `\draw[thickness]`, where *thickness* can be very thin, thin, thick, very thick... or `\draw[line width=length]` where *length* can be 3pt, 0.1mm...
- Line style: `[dashed]` for dashed, `[->]` or `[<-]` for arrow.

Example



Adding text: nodes

```
\draw (P1) -- node[position] {text} (P2) ...
```

```
\draw (P1) node[position] {text} -- (P2) ...
```

- A node can refer to a line or to a point
- *position* can be above, below, left or right
- *text* can also be $\text{\$math\$}$

```
\pgfmathsetmacro{\x}{value}
```

Examples:

```
\pgfmathsetmacro{\r}{4}  
\pgfmathsetmacro{\a}{30}
```

Example - TikZ code

```
\begin{tikzpicture}
  \colorlet{coscolor}{blue}
  \colorlet{sincolor}{red}
  \tikzset{anglefill/.style={draw=green,fill=green!30}}
  \pgfmathsetmacro{\r}{4}
  \pgfmathsetmacro{\a}{60}

  \draw[lightgray!30] (-5,-5) grid[step=1] (5,5);
  \draw[thick,->] (0,-5) -- (0,5);
  \draw[thick,->] (-5,0) -- (5,0);

  \filldraw[anglefill] (0,0) -- node[above]{$\a^\circ$}
    (\r/3,0) arc [start angle=0,end angle=\a,radius=\r/3] -- cycle;
  \draw[thick] (0,0) circle[radius=\r] -- (\a:\r);
  \draw[very thick,coscolor] (0,0) --
    node[below]{$\cos(\a^\circ)$} (\r*cos{\a},0);
  \draw[very thick,sincolor] (\r*cos{\a},0) --
    node[right]{$\sin \a^\circ$} (\a:\r);
\end{tikzpicture}
```

The `\foreach` command

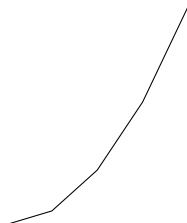
```
\foreach \i in {list} { commands };
```

- *list* can be fully explicit (like $\{1, 7.2, -42\}$) or partially implicit (like $\{1.5, 1.6, \dots, 5.0\}$)
- *commands* will be repeated with `\i` varying in *list*
- One can use `foreach` inside a `\draw`

\foreach examples



```
\foreach \i in {1,2,3,4}
{\draw (\i,0) circle [radius=0.4];}
```

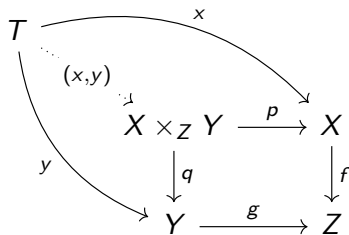


```
\draw (0,0) \foreach \i in
{0.0,0.3,...,1.5} {-- (\i,\i^2)};
```


Many external packages, include with `\usepackage`:
<https://www.ctan.org/topic/pgf-tikz>

- Graphs and similar: `tikz-cd`, `adigraph`, `binarytree`...
- Diagrams: `pgf-pie`, `bchart`, `venndiagram`...
- Other sciences: `chemfig`, `CircuiTikZ`...
- Fun: `battleship`, `TikZducks`, `tikz-among-us`...

Commutative diagrams



Reference:

<http://ctan.cs.uu.nl/graphics/pgf/contrib/tikz-cd/tikz-cd-doc.pdf>

```
\usepackage{tikz-cd}
```

```
\begin{tikzcd}...\end{tikzcd}
```

- Works as a tabular or matrix (with & and \\)
- Everything is in math mode by default

`\arrow[direction, "label", other options]`

- *direction* can be any combination of the letters r (right), l (left), d (down) and u (up)
- The target must exist:

```
X \arrow[r] & Y      % Ok
X \arrow[r]      % Error
X \arrow[r] & {}    % Ok
```

- Other options describe the shape and style of the arrow

Examples

$$X \overset{f}{\dashrightarrow} Y$$

```
X \arrow[r,dashed,"f"] & Y
```

$$A \xrightarrow{\pi^2} B \curvearrowright C$$

```
A \arrow[r,bend right,"\pi^2"] &
B \arrow[r,bend left,tail] & C
```

$$\begin{array}{ccc} A & & B \\ 1 \downarrow & \searrow 2 & \curvearrowright \\ C & \longleftarrow & D \end{array}$$

```
A \arrow[d,"1"] \arrow[dr,"2"] & B \\
C & D \arrow[l] \arrow[u,out=45,in=0]
```