Family	Series	Shapes	Typeface Examples		
Computer Modern Roman (Encodings: T1, TS1, OT1)					
cmr	m	n, it, sl, sc, ui	Computer Modern Roman, italic, slanted, and SMALL CAPS		
	bx	n, it, sl, sc	bold extended, italic, slanted, and SMALL CAPS		
	b	n	bold medium width (no other shapes)		
Computer Modern Sans (Encodings: T1, TS1, OT1)					
cmss	m, bx	n, (it), sl	Computer Modern Sans bold extended, italic, and slanted		
	sbc	n	Computer Modern Sans semibold condensed (no shape variants)		
Computer Modern Typewriter (Encodings: T1, TS1, OT1)					
cmtt	m	n, it, sl, sc	Comp. Mod. Typewriter, italic, slanted and SMALL CAPS		
cmvtt	m	n, it	Comp. Mod. Typewriter proportional upright and italics		
Computer Modern Fibonacci (Encodings: T1, 0T1)					
cmfib	m	n	Computer Modern Fibonacci		
Computer Modern Dunhill (Encodings: T1, 0T1)					
cmdh	h m n Computer Modern Dunhill		Computer Modern Dunhill		

Values in blue are not or only partly offered in OT1 encoding!

Table 9.5: Classification of the Computer Modern font families

It is followed by a discussion of MEX's standard support packages for input and font encodings including a discussion of how to use an extended set of text symbols. The section concludes by describing a package for tracing MEX's font processing and another package for displaying glyph charts (a package the author used extensively while preparing the later parts of this chapter).

## 9.5.1 Computer Modern, Latin Modern — The LATEX standard fonts

Original T<sub>E</sub>X font encoding

Along with TEX, Donald Knuth developed a family of fonts called Computer Modern; see Table 9.5. Until the early 1990s, essentially only these fonts were usable with TEX and, consequently, with LATEX. Each of them contains 128 glyphs (TEX was working with 7 bits originally), which does not leave room for including accented characters as individual glyphs. Thus, using these fonts means that accented characters have to be produced with the \accent primitive of TEX, which in turn means that automatic hyphenation of words with accented characters is impossible. While this restriction is acceptable for English documents that contain few foreign words, it is a major obstacle for other languages.

Not surprisingly, these deficiencies were of great concern to the TEX users in Europe and eventually led to a reimplementation of TEX in 1989 to support 8-bit

Family	Series	Shapes	Typeface Examples		
Latin Modern Roman		Latin Modern Ro	oman ( <i>Encodings</i> : T1, TS1, OT1, T5, LY1, and TU)		
		Latin Modern Ro			
lmr	m	n, it, sl, sc, scsl, ui	Latin Modern Roman upright, italic, slanted, SMALL CAPS and SMALL CAPS SLANTED		
	bx	n, it, sl	Latin Modern bold extend, italic, and slanted		
	b	n, (it), sl	Latin Modern bold and slanted		
Latin Modern Sans		Latin Modern Sa	uns (Encodings: T1, TS1, OT1, T5, LY1, and TU)		
lmss	m	n, (it), sl	Latin Modern Sans upright and slanted		
	(b), bx, sbc	n, (it), sl	Latin Modern Sans bold extended and slanted, and semibold condensed and slanted		
Latin l	Modern Typewri	ter Latin Modern M	ono (Encodings: T1, TS1, OT1, T5, LY1, and TU)		
lmtt	m	n, it, sl, sc, scsl	Latin Modern Typewriter upright, italic, slanted, SMALL CAPS and SMALL CAPS SLANTED		
	l, lc, b, (bx)	n, (it), sl	Latin Modern Typewriter light, slanted, and light condensed, slanted, bold and bold slanted		
Proportional Latin Modern Typewriter Latin Modern Mono Prop (Encodings: T1, TS1, OT1, T5, LY1, a					
lmvtt	m	n, (it), sl	Latin Modern Typewriter proportional and slanted		
	l, b, (bx)	n, (it), sl	Latin Modern Typewriter light, light slanted, bold and bold slanted		
Latin l	Modern Dunhill	Latin Modern Ro	Latin Modern Roman Dunhill (Encodings: T1, TS1, OT1, T5, LY1, and TU)		
cmdh	m	n, (it), sl	Latin Modern Dunhill upright and slanted		

Shapes or series value colored in blue are additions in the Latin Modern family not available in the Computer Modern. Values given in parentheses indicate substitutions; e.g., (it) produces sl, and (b) becomes bx, or vice versa. Note that the CM proportional typewriter has an it shape while the LM proportional typewriter has an sl shape instead. The font names with gray background are for use with the fontspec package in Unicode engines.

Table 9.6: Classification of the Latin Modern font families

additional shapes and weights were added [171]. In particular, there are now bold and light versions of the typewriter fonts that can be useful in certain situations.

However, without accompanying math fonts, they were not yet a full-fledged alternative to Computer Modern or European Modern fonts. This changed in 2011 with the release of the Latin Modern Math fonts. Additionally, all fonts in the Latin Modern families were made available in OpenType font format, which made them available to be used in Unicode TFX engines (or even Word, if so desired).

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In fact, they are now LATEX's default fonts if you typeset using XaTEX or LuaTeX.