The \texttt{hep-paper} package\

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Abstract

The \texttt{hep-paper} package aims to provide a single style file containing most configurations and macros necessary to write appealing publications in High Energy Physics. Instead of reinventing the wheel by introducing newly created macros \texttt{hep-paper} preferably loads third party packages as long as they are light weight enough.
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1 Introduction

For usual publications it is enough to load additionally to the \texttt{article} class without optional arguments only the \texttt{hep-paper} package.

\begin{verbatim}
\documentclass{article}
\usepackage{hep-paper}
\end{verbatim}

The most notable changes after loading the \texttt{hep-paper} package is the change of some LaTeX defaults. The paper and font sizes are set to A4 and 11pt, respectively. Additionally, the paper geometry is set to the values known from the (depreciated) \texttt{a4wide} package \cite{1} using the \texttt{geometry} package \cite{2}. The font is changed to \texttt{lmodern} \cite{3} with \texttt{microtype} \cite{4} optimizations. Hyperlinks of the \texttt{hyperref} package \cite{5} are activated and hidden. Hyphenation is provided by the \texttt{babel} \cite{6} and \texttt{polyglossia} \cite{7} packages in the case of normal TeX and LuaTeX respectively. Finally, quotation commands are provided by the recommended \texttt{csquotes} package \cite{8}. The last package provides the convenient macro \texttt{\MakeOuterQuote{"}} allowing to simply use " instead of the pair ‘‘ and ’’.

2 Macros and environments

\subsection{Title page}

The macros of this section are supposed to be used within the preamble. In order to facilitate multiple authors with different affiliations the \texttt{authblk} package \cite{9} is loaded. The following lines add \texttt{e.g.} two authors with different affiliations

\begin{verbatim}
\author[1]{Author one \email{Email one}}
\affiliation{Affiliation one}
\author[2]{Author two \email{Email two}}
\affiliation[1,2]{Affiliation two}
\end{verbatim}

The \texttt{\preprint{⟨text⟩}} macro places a preprint number in the upper right corner of the title page. The PDF meta information is set according to the \texttt{\title{⟨text⟩}} and \texttt{\author{⟨text⟩}} information. The \texttt{abstract} environment has been adjusted to not start with indentation.

\subsection{References and footnotes}

\texttt{\eg} The \texttt{foreign} package \cite{10} defines macros such as \texttt{\eg}, \texttt{\ie}, and \texttt{\cf} which are typeset as \texttt{e.g.}, \texttt{i.e.}, and \texttt{cf}.

\texttt{\ref} References and citations are adjusted to not start on a new line in order to avoid the repeated use of \texttt{\ref{⟨text⟩}} and \texttt{\cite{⟨text⟩}}.

\texttt{\cite} References are extended with the \texttt{cleveref} package \cite{11}, which allows to \texttt{e.g.} write just \texttt{\cref{⟨figure⟩}} in order to get 'Figure 1'. The \texttt{cleveref} package furthermore allows to reference multiple objects within one \texttt{\cref{⟨text⟩}} (similar to the \texttt{\cite{⟨text⟩}} macro).

\texttt{\eqref} The \texttt{\eqref{⟨text⟩}} macro is also adjusted to not start on a new line and be able to reference multiple equations at once.

\footnote{Starting from this page the text of this document is additionally shifted to the right in order to facilitate a large left margin required by the \texttt{ltxdoc} package. This combination leads to a less than optimal page layout.}

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Footnotes are adjusted to swallow white space before the footnote mark and at the beginning of the footnote text.

2.3 Math

The \texttt{mathtools} \cite{12} and \texttt{amssymb} \cite{13} packages are loaded. They in turn load the \texttt{amsmath} \cite{14} and \texttt{amsfonts} \cite{13} packages. Bold math, including \texttt{mathbf} is provided by the \texttt{bm} package \cite{15}. Macros switching to \texttt{bfseries} such as \texttt{title}{(text)} and \texttt{section}{(text)} are ensured to also typeset math in bold. This may cause trouble if bold symbols carry an additional non-implicit meaning. Add an additional math italic sf font \texttt{ABC}

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\texttt{The text\{⟨text⟩\} macro makes it possible to write text within math mode. The often used mathrm\{⟨text⟩\} and rm\{⟨text⟩\} macros are not the right tool for this purpose.}

\texttt{The frac\{⟨number⟩\}{⟨number⟩} macro is accompanied by nicefrac\{⟨number⟩\}\{⟨number⟩\} and flatfrac\{⟨number⟩\}\{⟨number⟩\}. Providing the choices}

\begin{equation}
\frac{1}{2}, \quad \frac{1}{2}, \quad 1/2 \ . \tag{1}
\end{equation}

\texttt{For longer paper it can be useful to re-number the equation in accordance with the section numberwithin\{equation\}\{section\}. In order to further reduce the size of the equation counter it can be useful to wrap align environments with multiple rows in a subequations environment.}

2.3.1 Physics

Greek letters are adjusted to be italic and upright in math and text mode, respectively, using the fixmath \cite{16} and alphabeta \cite{17} packages. This allows differentiations like

\[ \sigma = 5 \text{ fb} \ , \quad \text{at } 5 \sigma \text{ C.L.} \ , \quad \mu = 5 \text{ cm} \ , \quad l = 5 \mu \text{ m} \ , \quad \tag{2} \]

and \texttt{e.g.} to distinguish gauge \( \nu \) and mass \( \nu \) eigenstates in models with massive light neutrinos. Additionally, greek letters can now also typed directly using unicode.

\texttt{The slashed\{⟨symbol⟩\} macro from the slashed \cite{18} package allows to use the Dirac slash notation.}

\texttt{The physics package \cite{19} provides additional macros such as}

\texttt{The overleftright macro defines \( \rightarrow \). The correct spacing for units, \texttt{cf.} Equation (2), is provided by the macro unit\{⟨value⟩\}\{⟨unit⟩\} from the units package \cite{20} which can also be used in text mode. The macro inv\{(power)\}\{⟨text⟩\} allows to avoid math mode also for inverse units such as 5 fb\(^{-1}\) typeset via unit[5]{\inv{fb}}.}

2.4 Floats

Manual float placement is deactivated and automatic float placement is adjusted to place one float at the top of pages and to reduce the number of float pages. The most useful float placement is usually archived by placing the float \texttt{in front of} the paragraph it is referenced first.
The \texttt{booktabs} package \cite{22} and \texttt{multirow} package \cite{23} are loaded enabling publication quality tabulars such as in Table 1b. The \texttt{graphicx} package \cite{24} is loaded and the \texttt{graphic} macro is defined, which is a wrapper for the \texttt{includegraphics} macro and takes the figure width as fraction of the \texttt{linewidth} as optional argument (default 1). If the graphics are located in a subfolder its path can be indicated by \texttt{graphicspath}{\texttt{/}⟨path⟩\texttt{/}}. The float environments have been adjusted to center their content. The usual behaviour is reactivated with \texttt{raggedright}.

### 2.5 Bibliography

For bibliography management the \texttt{biblatex} package \cite{25} is loaded and extended to be able to cope with the \texttt{collaboration} and \texttt{report} fields provided by \texttt{inspire}. The user has to add the line \texttt{\bibliography{mybib}} to the preamble of the document and \texttt{\printbibliography} at the end of the document. The bibliography is generated by \texttt{biber} \cite{26}.

### 3 Conclusion

The majority of macros defined and packages loaded by this package are fairly lightweight and provide the author with the necessary tools to focus on the content instead of the layout.

### A Implementation

#### A.1 Options

Redefine article options and choose sane values.
A.1.1 Paper size
Redefine the article paper sizes options without any changes.

A4 paper
1 \DeclareOption{a4paper}{%
2 \setlength\paperheight{297mm}%
3 \setlength\paperwidth{210mm}%
4 }

A5 paper
5 \DeclareOption{a5paper}{%
6 \setlength\paperheight{210mm}%
7 \setlength\paperwidth{148mm}%
8 }

B5 paper
9 \DeclareOption{b5paper}{%
10 \setlength\paperheight{250mm}%
11 \setlength\paperwidth{176mm}%
12 }

Letter paper
13 \DeclareOption{letterpaper}{%
14 \setlength\paperheight{11in}%
15 \setlength\paperwidth{8.5in}%
16 }

Legal paper
17 \DeclareOption{legalpaper}{%
18 \setlength\paperheight{14in}%
19 \setlength\paperwidth{8.5in}%
20 }

Executive paper
21 \DeclareOption{executivepaper}{%
22 \setlength\paperheight{10.5in}%
23 \setlength\paperwidth{7.25in}%
24 }

Define the landscape option
25 \DeclareOption{landscape}{%
26 \setlength\@tempdima{\paperheight}%
27 \setlength\paperheight{\paperwidth}%
28 \setlength\paperwidth{\@tempdima}%
29 }
A.1.2 Font size

Redefine the article font sizes options.

\begin{verbatim}
30 \DeclareOption{10pt}{\renewcommand\@ptsize{0}}
31 \DeclareOption{11pt}{\renewcommand\@ptsize{1}}
32 \DeclareOption{12pt}{\renewcommand\@ptsize{2}}
\end{verbatim}

Define the package option placement.

A.1.3 Placement

\begin{verbatim}
33 \DeclareOption{placement}{\def\@placement}
\end{verbatim}

A.1.4 Execute options

Change the paper size to a4 and the font size to 11 pt.

\begin{verbatim}
34 \ExecuteOptions{a4paper,11pt}
35 \ProcessOptions\relax
\end{verbatim}

A.2 Font size

Undefine previously defined font sizes and load the LaTeX font size file corresponding to the font size option loaded before.

\begin{verbatim}
36 \let\small\relax
37 \let\footnotesize\relax
38 \let\scriptsize\relax
39 \let\tiny\relax
40 \let\large\relax
41 \let\Large\relax
42 \let\LARGE\relax
43 \let\huge\relax
44 \let\Huge\relax
45 \input{size1@ptsize.clo}
\end{verbatim}

A.3 Geometry

Load the \texttt{geometry} package \cite{2} and adjust the text width and height to the values of the \texttt{a4wide} package \cite{1}.

\begin{verbatim}
46 \RequirePackage[hscale=.76, vscale=.8, vmarginratio=3:4, includeheadfoot]{geometry}
\end{verbatim}

A.4 Text

Load the \texttt{ifluatex} package \cite{28} and check if \texttt{lualatex} is being used. In this case load the \texttt{fontspec} package \cite{29} and the default font features together with the \texttt{polyglossia} package \cite{7}. In the case of traditional LaTeX load the \texttt{inputenc} \cite{30}, \texttt{fontenc} \cite{31}, and \texttt{textcomp} \cite{32} packages, in order to set the input and output properties of the font encoding and extend the known characters. Additionally, load the the \texttt{babel} package \cite{6} for hyphenation. In both cases load also the recommended \texttt{csquotes} package \cite{8}.
\RequirePackage{ifluatex}
\ifluatex
\RequirePackage{fontspec}
\defaultfontfeatures{Ligatures=TeX}
\RequirePackage{polyglossia}
\setmainlanguage{british}
\else
\RequirePackage[utf8]{inputenc}
\RequirePackage[T1]{fontenc}
\RequirePackage{textcomp}
\RequirePackage[british]{babel}
\fi
\fi
\RequirePackage{csquotes}

Load the lmodern font, and the microtype font optimization.

\RequirePackage{lmodern}
\RequirePackage{microtype}

A.4.1 Text macros
\vs
Load the foreign package \cite{foreign} in order to highlight abbreviations and vocabularies from foreign languages. Add the missing \vs command.

\textbackslash RequirePackage{all,british}{foreign}
\DeclareRobustCommand\vs{\xperiodafter{{\foreignabbrfont{vs}}}}

\no Define the macro \no{⟨number⟩} for the use of № with appropriate spacing.
\newcommand{\no}[1]{\textnumero~#1}

\software Define a macro for software with optional version information \software[⟨version⟩]{⟨text⟩}.
\newcommand{\software}{[2][\hspace{\fontdimen2\font}{\texttt{#2}}]}{\texttt{#1}}

\sloppy Redefine sloppy to be less invasive \cf. \textbackslash printbibliography
\def\sloppy{\relax\emergencystretch 3em \hfuzz .5\p@ \vfuzz\hfuzz%}
\emergencystretch 3em \hfuzz .5\p@ \vfuzz\hfuzz%
\}
\no@break@before Provide macro able to prevent line breaks.
\newcommand{\no@break@before}{\relax\ifvmode\else%\ifhmode%\ifdim\lastskip > 0pt%\relax\unskip\nobreakspace%\fi%\fi%\fi%\}

\no@break@before
A.4.2 Lists

\texttt{inlinelist} Load the \texttt{enumitem} package \cite{enumitem} and define an inline list.

\begin{verbatim}
78 \RequirePackage[inline]{enumitem}
79 \newlist{inlinelist}{enumerate*}{1}
80 \setlist*[inlinelist,1]{itemjoin=\,\&\, \& \text{, itemjoin*=\,\&\, \& \text{, and} \,\&\, \& }, after=.}
\end{verbatim}

A.4.3 Footnotes

\texttt{footnote} Ensure that no spaces appear before the footmark or at the beginning of the footnote.

\begin{verbatim}
81 \let\@foot@note\footnote
82 \renewcommand\footnotemark[1]{\unskip\@foot@note{\ignorespaces#1}}
\end{verbatim}

A.5 Math

Load the \texttt{mathtools} package \cite{mathtools} which loads the \texttt{amsmath} package \cite{amsmath}. Additionally, load the \texttt{amssymb} package \cite{amssymb} which provides further math symbols and also loads the \texttt{amsfont} package \cite{amsfont}. Allow pagebreaks within equations if necessary.

\begin{verbatim}
83 \RequirePackage{mathtools}
84 \RequirePackage{amssymb}
85 \allowdisplaybreaks[1]
\end{verbatim}

\texttt{\textbackslash diag} Provide a diag operator

\begin{verbatim}
86 \DeclareMathOperator{\textbackslash diag}{diag}
\end{verbatim}

\texttt{\textbackslash i} Provide an upright imaginary unit. This will cause trouble in languages where the letter \texttt{i} is used.

\begin{verbatim}
87 \AtEndOfClass{\let\textbackslash i\undefined\DeclareMathOperator{\textbackslash i}{i}}
\end{verbatim}

A.5.1 Greek letters

Load the \texttt{fixmath} package \cite{fixmath} which makes upper Greek letters in math mode italic and load the \texttt{alphabeta} package \cite{alphabeta} which allows upright italic letters in text mode.

\begin{verbatim}
88 \RequirePackage{fixmath}
89 \RequirePackage{alphabeta}
\end{verbatim}

A.5.2 Physics notation

\texttt{\textbackslash slashed} \texttt{\textbackslash units} Load the \texttt{physics} package \cite{physics} which provides macros useful for publications in physics. Additionally, load the \texttt{slashed} package \cite{slashed} which provides the slashed macro for Dirac notation. Finally, load the \texttt{units} package \cite{units} which provides the \texttt{\textbackslash units} and \texttt{\nicefrac} macros.

\begin{verbatim}
90 \RequirePackage{physics}
91 \RequirePackage{slashed}
92 \RequirePackage{units}
\end{verbatim}
\inv  Provide a macro for the inverse, useful in combination with the unit macro in text mode.

93 \newcommand{\inv}[2][1]{\ensuremath{^-{#1}}}\]

\oset  Define a new overset macro \oset[(offset)]{(over)}{(base)} and use it to define a over left right arrow \overleftright{(base)}.

94 \newcommand{\oset}{3}[-1pt]{%  
95 \raisebox{1pt}{%  
96 \mathop{#3}\limits^{{\vbox to#1\hbox{$\scriptscriptstyle#2$}\vss}}}%  
97 }%  
98 }%  
101 \newcommand{\overleftright}{1}{\oset{\leftarrowrightarrow}{#1}}

A.5.3 Math fonts

\mathsbf  Load the \texttt{bm} package \cite{15} for superior boldmath. Make math symbols bold whenever they appear in bold macros such as title or subsection.

102 \RequirePackage{bm}
103 \let\mathbf\bm
104 \g@addto@macro\bfseries{\boldmath}

\mathsfit  Define a italic sf math font.

105 \DeclareMathAlphabet{\mathsfit}{T1}{\sfdefault}{\mddefault}{\sldefault}
106 \SetMathAlphabet{\mathsfit}{bold}{T1}{\sfdefault}{\bfdefault}{\sldefault}

A.6 Floats

Adjust the LaTeX float placement defaults

107 \renewcommand{\textfraction}{0.01}
108 \setcounter{topnumber}{1}
109 \renewcommand{\topfraction}{.9}
110 \setcounter{bottomnumber}{0}
111 \renewcommand{\floatpagefraction}{.8}

\texttt{figure}  Ignore the manual placement if the placement option is set.

112 \ifdefined\@placement%  
113 \let\@figure@figure%  
114 \let\@end@figure@endfigure%  
115 \renewenvironment{figure}[1][tbp]{%  
116 \@figure@[#1]\centering%  
117 }{%  
118 \@end@figure@%  
119 }%  
120 \let\@table@table%  
121 \let\@end@table@endtable%  
122 \renewenvironment{table}[1][tbp]{%
A.6.1 Subfloats

panels Load the \texttt{subcaption} package \cite{subcaption} and define the \texttt{panels} environment as well as the \texttt{panel} macro.

\begin{verbatim}
\RequirePackage[subrefformat = parens]{subcaption}
\captionsetup{font = small}
\captionsetup[sub]{font = small}
\newcommand{\begin@subcaption@minipage}[2][b]{\caption@withoptargs{\subcaption@minipage[#1]{#2}\centering\vskip 0pt}
\newenvironment{panels}[2][b]{
\ifdim#2pt>1pt\newcommand{\panel}[1][b]{\endminipage\hfill\begin@subcaption@minipage[#1]{\linewidth/#2}}\else\newcommand{\panel}[2][b]{\endminipage\hfill\begin@subcaption@minipage[#1]{##2\linewidth}}\fi\begin@subcaption@minipage[#1]{#2\linewidth} }{\endminipage}
\end{verbatim}

A.6.2 Tables

\begin{verbatim}
\texttt{tabular} Enhance tables using the \texttt{booktabs} and \texttt{multirow} packages \cite{booktabs,multirow}.

\begin{verbatim}
\RequirePackage{booktabs}
\end{verbatim}

\end{verbatim}
A.6.3 Figures
\providecommand{\graphic}{Provide the graphic macro for the inclusion of figures with the graphicx package [24].
\newcommand{\graphic}[2]{\tikzsetnextfilename{#2}\centering\includegraphics[width=#1\linewidth]{#2}}

A.7 Titlepage
\date{Allow empty date field.}
\author{Allow empty author field.}
\email{Provide macro for the email of authors used as \author{⟨name⟩ \email{⟨email⟩}}.}
\affiliation{Enable the handling of multiple authors with different affiliations using the authblk package [9].}

A.7.2 Preprint
\preprint{Places a preprint number in the top right corner of the title page. This code uses the varwidth [34], atbegshi [35], and picture [36] packages.}
\let\@preprint\relax
\newcommand{\preprint[1]}{\long\gdef\@preprint{#1}}
\RequirePackage{varwidth}
\newcommand{\@preprint@box}{\begin{varwidth}{\textwidth}\textsc{\small\@preprint}\end{varwidth}}
\RequirePackage{atbegshi}
\RequirePackage{picture}
\AtBeginShipoutFirst{\put(\textwidth+\oddsidemargin-\widthof{\@preprint@box},-2pt-\topmargin-\heightof{\@preprint@box})}
A.7.3 Abstract

abstract Adjust the \texttt{abstract} environment to not start with indentation.

\let\old@abstract\abstract
\renewcommand\abstract{\old@abstract
\noindent\ignorespaces}

A.8 Bibliography

\bibliography Load the \texttt{biblatex} package \cite{biblatex} with a JHEP like bibliography style. Add the collaboration and preprint information if present.

\RequirePackage[sorting=none,style=numeric-comp,giveninits=true]{biblatex}
\DeclareSourcemap{\maps[datatype=bibtex,overwrite=true]{
  \map{\step[fieldset=original,fieldsource=Collaboration,final=true]}
  \step[fieldset=original,fieldsource=Collaboration,final=true]}
  \map{\step[fieldset=original,fieldsource=Collaboration,final=true]}
  \step[fieldset=original,fieldsource=Collaboration,final=true]}
\renewbibmacro*{author}{\iffieldundef{usera}{\printnames{author}}{\textbf{\printfield{usera}}}}
\renewbibmacro*{in:}{\iffieldundef{journal}{}{\printtext{\bibstring{in}\intitlepunct}}}
\renewbibmacro*{finentry}{\iffieldundef{userb}{}{\textls[0]{\small{\textsc{
ewunitpunct\textnumero\intitlepunct\printfield{userb}}}}}}
\printbibliography

\let\old@printbibliography\printbibliography
\renewcommand{\printbibliography}{\sloppy\old@printbibliography}

A.9 Hyperlinks

Load the \texttt{hyperref} package \cite{hyperref} enable unicode encoding and hide links.

\RequirePackage{hyperref}
\hypersetup{

Set the PDF meta data according to the paper information and ensure that unnecessary information are suppressed.

\pdfstringdefDisableCommands{\def\varepsilon{\textepsilon}}
\AtBeginDocument{
  \pdfstringdefDisableCommands{\let\ensuremath\@gobble}
  \pdfstringdefDisableCommands{\let\mathsurround\@gobble}
  \pdfstringdefDisableCommands{\let\unskip\@gobble}
  \pdfstringdefDisableCommands{\let\thanks\@gobble}
  \pdfstringdefDisableCommands{\let\footnote\@gobble}
  \pdfstringdefDisableCommands{\let\\@gobble}
  \hypersetup{
    pdfauthor={\AB@authlist},
    pdftitle={\@title}
  }
}

A.10 References

\cref Improve reference using the \texttt{cleveref} package \cite{11} and prevent preceding line breaks various reference macros.

\RequirePackage[noabbrev, capitalize, nameinlink]{cleveref}
\crefname{enumi}{point}{points}
\eqref Adjust $\texttt{\textbackslash eqref}(\textbackslash ref)$ in order to prevent preceding line breaks and to enable the possibility to cite multiple equations at once.
\subref Adjust $\texttt{\textbackslash subref}(\textbackslash ref)$ in order to prevent preceeding line breaks.
\cite Adjust $\texttt{\textbackslash cite}(\textbackslash ref)$ in order to prevent preceeding line breaks.
\labelcrefrange Define the missing $\texttt{\textbackslash labelcrefrange}(\textbackslash ref1)-\texttt{\textbackslash labelcrefrange}(\textbackslash ref2)$ macro.

\DeclareRobustCommand{$\textbackslash labelcrefrange}(\textbackslash ref1)-\texttt{\textbackslash labelcrefrange}(\textbackslash ref2)$

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