

Latex documents

`\documentclass [options] {class}`

(seperated by a comma)

10pt, 11pt, 12pt

a4paper, letterpaper

titlepage, notitlepage

article
report
book

→ thesis

To add extra packages:

`\usepackage {amsmath}`

`\usepackage {amstfonts}`

`\usepackage {graphicx}`

These go in
the preamble

← For including
figures

Also in the preamble we had

`\title { }`

`\author { }`

`\date { \today }`

The 'actual' document starts and ends with

`\begin {document}`

`\maketitle` (generates the title)

`\end {document}`

← after this latex will
ignore everything

We can create a table of contents

\tableofcontents

\	begins a command
\$	switches to math mode
{ }	unless with a command latex ignores these
&	alignment operator
%	begins a comment

Some useful commands to begin with are

\newline equivalent to \\
\section{Name of the section}
\subsection{...}
\chapter{...}

\label{label} and \ref{label}

to use the special characters as 'normal characters'

we can use

\\$

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