

The **eso-pic** package*

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Abstract

This package makes it easy to add some picture commands to every page.

1 Introduction

This package is an extension to Martin Schröder's `everyshi` package. Using `everyshi`'s `\EveryShipout` command `eso-pic` adds one or more userdefined `picture` commands to \LaTeX 's shipout routine.

2 Usage

2.1 Basic commands for adding \LaTeX stuff to the page background

<code>\AddToShipoutPicture</code>	All the picture commands which are parameters of an <code>\AddToShipoutPicture</code> command will be added to the internal macro <code>\ESO@HookI</code> . This macro is part of a zero-length <code>picture</code> environment with basepoint at the lower left corner of the page (default) or at the upper left corner (package option "texcoord"). The <code>picture</code> environment will be shipped out at every new page.
<code>\ClearShipoutPicture</code>	A call of <code>\ClearShipoutPicture</code> clears the contents of <code>\ESO@HookI</code> .
<code>\AddToShipoutPicture*</code>	<code>\AddToShipoutPicture*</code> works like <code>\AddToShipoutPicture</code> but only for the current page. It used the internal macro <code>\ESO@HookII</code> which contents will be removed automatically.
<code>\LenToUnit</code>	Allows a length as parameter to a picture command.
<code>\gridSetup</code>	<code>\gridSetup[\langle gridunitname \rangle]{\langle gridunit \rangle}{\langle labelfactor \rangle}{\langle griddelta \rangle}{\langle gridDelta \rangle}{\langle gap \rangle}</code> . For details see the implementation section.
<code>\AtPageUpperLeft</code>	Helper macros for easier positioning on the page.
<code>\AtPageLowerLeft</code>	
<code>\AtPageCenter</code>	
<code>\AtTextUpperLeft</code>	
<code>\AtTextLowerLeft</code>	
<code>\AtTextCenter</code>	

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2.2 Package options

Option	Value	Comments
<code>pscoord</code>	empty or <i>true, false</i>	The zero point of the coordinate system is the lower left corner of the page (the default).
<code>texcoord</code>	empty or <i>true, false</i>	The zero point of the coordinate system is the upper left corner of the page.
<code>grid</code>	empty or <i>true, false</i>	A grid is drawing; default: false.
<code>gridunit</code>	<i>mm, in, bp, pt</i>	Distance between gridlines are multiples of <code>gridunit</code> . default: mm.
<code>gridcolor</code>	a valid color name	Color of the main gridlines; default: black
<code>subgridcolor</code>	a valid color name	Color of the subgridlines; default: black.
<code>subgridstyle</code>	<i>solid</i> or <i>dotted</i>	‘dotted’ is very slow! default: solid.
<code>colorgrid</code>	empty or <i>true, false</i>	Shortcut for ‘grid=true’, ‘gridcolor=red’ and ‘subgridcolor=green’; default: false.
<code>dvips</code>	empty or <i>true, false</i>	Is also true if the package option <code>dvips</code> is used by <code>color</code> or <code>graphics</code> . If true package <code>eepic</code> is loaded for better performance of dotted lines.

3 Implementation

3.1 The main functionality

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1 \RequirePackage{everyshi}

\LenToUnit

2 \newcommand\LenToUnit[1]{#1\@gobble}

\AtPageUpperLeft

3 \newcommand\AtPageUpperLeft[1]{%
4   \begingroup
5     \@tempdima=0pt\relax\@tempdimb=\ESO@yoffsetI\relax
6     \put(\LenToUnit{\@tempdima},\LenToUnit{\@tempdimb}){#1}%
7   \endgroup
8 }

\AtPageLowerLeft

9 \newcommand\AtPageLowerLeft[1]{\AtPageUpperLeft{%
10   \put(0,\LenToUnit{-\paperheight}){#1}}}

\AtPageCenter

11 \newcommand\AtPageCenter[1]{\AtPageUpperLeft{%
12   \put(\LenToUnit{.5\paperwidth},\LenToUnit{-.5\paperheight}){#1}}%
13 }

\AtTextUpperLeft

14 \newcommand\AtTextUpperLeft[1]{%
15   \begingroup

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16 \setlength\@tempdima{1in}%
17 \ifodd\c@page%
18 \advance\@tempdima\oddsidemargin%
19 \else%
20 \advance\@tempdima\evensidemargin%
21 \fi%
22 \@tempdimb=\ESO@yoffsetI\relax\advance\@tempdimb-1in\relax%
23 \advance\@tempdimb-\topmargin%
24 \advance\@tempdimb-\headheight\advance\@tempdimb-\headsep%
25 \put(\LenToUnit{\@tempdima},\LenToUnit{\@tempdimb}){#1}%
26 \endgroup
27 }

\AtTextLowerLeft
28 \newcommand\AtTextLowerLeft[1]{\AtTextUpperLeft{%
29 \put(0,\LenToUnit{-\textheight}){#1}}}

\AtTextCenter
30 \newcommand\AtTextCenter[1]{\AtTextUpperLeft{%
31 \put(\LenToUnit{.5\textwidth},\LenToUnit{-.5\textheight}){#1}}}

\ESO@HookI
\ESO@HookII 32 \newcommand{\ESO@HookI}{} \newcommand{\ESO@HookII}{}
\ESO@HookIII 33 \newcommand{\ESO@HookIII}{}

\AddToShipoutPicture
34 \newcommand{\AddToShipoutPicture}{%
35 \@ifstar{\g@addto@macro\ESO@HookII}{\g@addto@macro\ESO@HookI}}

\ClearShipoutPicture
36 \newcommand{\ClearShipoutPicture}{\global\let\ESO@HookI\@empty}

\ESO@isMEMOIR Support for the memoir class.
37 \newcommand\ESO@isMEMOIR[1]{}
38 \@ifclassloaded{memoir}{\renewcommand\ESO@isMEMOIR[1]{#1}}{}

\@ShipoutPicture
39 \newcommand{\@ShipoutPicture}{%
40 \bgroup
41 \@tempswafalse%
42 \ifx\ESO@HookI\@empty\else\@tempswatrue\fi%
43 \ifx\ESO@HookII\@empty\else\@tempswatrue\fi%
44 \ifx\ESO@HookIII\@empty\else\@tempswatrue\fi%
45 \if@tempswa%
46 \@tempdima=1in\@tempdimb=-\@tempdima%
47 \advance\@tempdimb\ESO@yoffsetI%
48 \ESO@isMEMOIR{%
49 \advance\@tempdima\trimedge%
50 \advance\@tempdima\paperwidth%
51 \advance\@tempdima-\stockwidth%
52 \if@twoside\ifodd\c@page\else%
53 \advance\@tempdima-2\trimedge%
54 \advance\@tempdima-\paperwidth%

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55         \advance\@tempdima\stockwidth%
56         \fi\fi%
57         \advance\@tempdimb\trintop}%
58     \unitlength=1pt%
59     \global\setbox\@ccclv\vbox{%
60         \vbox{\let\protect\relax
61             \pictur@(0,0)(\strip@pt\@tempdima,\strip@pt\@tempdimb)%
62             \ESO@HookIII\ESO@HookI\ESO@HookII%
63             \global\let\ESO@HookII\empty%
64             \endpicture}%
65         \nointerlineskip%
66         \box\@ccclv}%
67     \fi
68     \egroup
69 }

70 \EveryShipout{\@ShipoutPicture}

```

3.2 The background grid

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71 \RequirePackage{keyval}

Initialising some macros
72 \newif\ifESO@dvips\ESO@dvipsfalse \newif\ifESO@grid\ESO@gridfalse
73 \newif\ifESO@texcoord\ESO@texcoordfalse
74 \newcommand*\ESO@gridunitname{}
75 \newcommand*\ESO@gridunit{}
76 \newcommand*\ESO@labelfactor{}
77 \newcommand*\ESO@griddelta{}\newcommand*\ESO@griddeltaY{}
78 \newcommand*\ESO@gridDelta{}\newcommand*\ESO@gridDeltaY{}
79 \newcommand*\ESO@gridcolor{}
80 \newcommand*\ESO@subgridcolor{}
81 \newcommand*\ESO@subgridstyle{dotted}% ???
82 \newcommand*\ESO@gap{}
83 \newcommand*\ESO@yoffsetI{}\newcommand*\ESO@yoffsetII{}
84 \newcommand*\ESO@gridlines{\thinlines}
85 \newcommand*\ESO@subgridlines{\thinlines}
86 \newcommand*\ESO@hline[1]{\ESO@subgridlines\line(1,0){#1}}
87 \newcommand*\ESO@vline[1]{\ESO@subgridlines\line(0,1){#1}}
88 \newcommand*\ESO@Hline[1]{\ESO@gridlines\line(1,0){#1}}
89 \newcommand*\ESO@Vline[1]{\ESO@gridlines\line(0,1){#1}}
90 \newcommand\ESO@fcolorbox[4][\fbox{#4}]{}
91 \newcommand\ESO@color[1]{}
92 \newcommand\ESO@colorbox[3][\fbox{#3}]{}
93     \begin{group}
94         \fboxrule=0pt\fbox{#3}%
95     \end{group}
96 }

\gridSetup

97 \newcommand\gridSetup[6][\fbox{#1}]{
98     \edef\ESO@gridunitname{#1}\edef\ESO@gridunit{#2}
99     \edef\ESO@labelfactor{#3}\edef\ESO@griddelta{#4}
100    \edef\ESO@gridDelta{#5}\edef\ESO@gap{#6}}

```

All the key-value options

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101 \define@key{ESO}{texcoord}[true]{\csname ESO@texcoord#1\endcsname}
102 \define@key{ESO}{pscoord}[true]{\csname @tempwa#1\endcsname
103   \if@tempwa\ESO@texcoordfalse\else\ESO@texcoordtrue\fi}
104 \define@key{ESO}{dvips}[true]{\csname ESO@dvips#1\endcsname}
105 \define@key{ESO}{grid}[true]{\csname ESO@grid#1\endcsname
106   \setkeys{ESO}{gridcolor=black,subgridcolor=black}}
107 \define@key{ESO}{colorgrid}[true]{\csname ESO@grid#1\endcsname
108   \setkeys{ESO}{gridcolor=red,subgridcolor=green}}
109 \define@key{ESO}{gridcolor}{\def\ESO@gridcolor{#1}}
110 \define@key{ESO}{subgridcolor}{\def\ESO@subgridcolor{#1}}
111 \define@key{ESO}{subgridstyle}{\def\ESO@subgridstyle{#1}}%
112 \define@key{ESO}{gridunit}{%
113   \def\@tempa{#1}
114   \def\@tempb{bp}
115   \ifx\@tempa\@tempb
116     \gridSetup[\@tempa]{1bp}{1}{10}{50}{2}
117   \else
118     \def\@tempb{pt}
119     \ifx\@tempa\@tempb
120       \gridSetup[\@tempa]{1pt}{1}{10}{50}{2}
121     \else
122       \def\@tempb{in}
123       \ifx\@tempa\@tempb
124         \gridSetup[\@tempa]{.1in}{.1}{2}{10}{.5}
125       \else
126         \gridSetup[mm]{1mm}{1}{5}{20}{1}
127       \fi
128     \fi
129   \fi
130 }
131 \setkeys{ESO}{subgridstyle=solid,pscoord=true,gridunit=mm}

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`\ProcessOptionsWithKV` This macro can process package options using ‘key=value’ syntax.

```

132 \def\ProcessOptionsWithKV#1{%
133   \let\@tempc\@empty
134   \@for\CurrentOption:=\@classoptionslist\do{%
135     \ifundefined{KV@#1\CurrentOption}%
136     {\edef\@tempc{\@tempc,\CurrentOption,}}%
137   \edef\@tempc{%
138     \noexpand\setkeys{#1}{\@tempc\@optionlist{\@currname.\@currentt}}}%
139   \@tempc
140   \AtEndOfPackage{\let\@unprocessedoptions\relax}}%
141 \ProcessOptionsWithKV{ESO}%

```

`\ESO@div` Divides length #1 by #2 \times `\ESO@gridunit` and adds one. Result is in `\@tempcnta`.

```

142 \newcommand\ESO@div[2]{%
143   \@tempdima=#1\relax\@tempdimb=\ESO@gridunit\relax
144   \@tempdimb=#2\@tempdimb\divide\@tempdima by \@tempdimb%
145   \@tempcnta\@tempdima\advance\@tempcnta\@ne}

146 \AtBeginDocument{%
147   \IfFileExists{color.sty}

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148 {%
149   \RequirePackage{color}
150   \let\ESO@color=\color\let\ESO@colorbox=\colorbox
151   \let\ESO@fcolorbox=\fcolorbox
152 }{}
153 \ifundefined{Gin@driver}{}%
154 {%
155   \ifx\Gin@driver\@empty\else%
156     \filename@parse{\Gin@driver}\def\reserved@a{dvips}%
157     \ifx\filename@base\reserved@a\ESO@dvipstrue\fi%
158   \fi
159 }%
160 \ifx\pdfoutput\undefined\else
161   \ifx\pdfoutput\relax\else
162     \ifcase\pdfoutput\else
163       \ESO@dvipfalse%
164     \fi
165   \fi
166 \fi
167 \ifESO@dvip\def\@tempb{eepic}\else\def\@tempb{epic}\fi
168 \def\@tempa{dotted}%\def\ESO@gap{\LenToUnit{6\@wholewidth}}%
169 \ifx\@tempa\ESO@subgridstyle
170   \IfFileExists{\@tempb.sty}%
171   {%
172     \RequirePackage{\@tempb}
173     \renewcommand*\ESO@hline[1]{\ESO@subgridlines\dottedline{\ESO@gap}%
174       (0,0)(\#1,0)}
175     \renewcommand*\ESO@vline[1]{\ESO@subgridlines\dottedline{\ESO@gap}%
176       (0,0)(0,\#1)}
177   }{}
178 \else
179   \ifx\ESO@gridcolor\ESO@subgridcolor%
180     \renewcommand*\ESO@gridlines{\thicklines}
181   \fi
182 \fi
183 }
184 \ifESO@texcoord
185   \def\ESO@yoffsetI{0pt}\def\ESO@yoffsetII{-\paperheight}
186   \edef\ESO@griddeltaY{-\ESO@griddelta}\edef\ESO@gridDeltaY{-\ESO@gridDelta}
187 \else
188   \def\ESO@yoffsetI{\paperheight}\def\ESO@yoffsetII{0pt}
189   \edef\ESO@griddeltaY{\ESO@griddelta}\edef\ESO@gridDeltaY{\ESO@gridDelta}
190 \fi

```

\ESO@gridpicture

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191 \newcommand\ESO@gridpicture{%
192   \begingroup
193   \setlength\unitlength{\ESO@gridunit}%
194   \ESO@color{\ESO@subgridcolor}%
195   — horizontal subgrid lines —
196   \ESO@div{\paperheight}{\ESO@griddelta}%
197   \multiput(0,0)(0,\ESO@griddeltaY){\@tempcnta}%
198   {\ESO@hline{\LenToUnit{\paperwidth}}}%

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— vertical subgrid lines —
198   \ESO@div{\paperwidth}{\ESO@griddelta}%
199   \multiput(0,\LenToUnit{\ESO@yoffsetII})(\ESO@griddelta,0){\@tempcnta}%
200   {\ESO@vline{\LenToUnit{\paperheight}}}%
201   \ESO@color{\ESO@gridcolor}%

— horizontal grid lines —
202   \ESO@div{\paperheight}{\ESO@gridDelta}%
203   \multiput(0,0)(0,\ESO@gridDeltaY){\@tempcnta}%
204   {\ESO@Hline{\LenToUnit{\paperwidth}}}%

— vertical grid lines —
205   \ESO@div{\paperwidth}{\ESO@gridDelta}%
206   \multiput(0,\LenToUnit{\ESO@yoffsetII})(\ESO@gridDelta,0){\@tempcnta}%
207   {\ESO@Vline{\LenToUnit{\paperheight}}}%

— horizontal numbers —
208   \fontsize{10}{12}\normalfont%
209   \ESO@div{\paperwidth}{\ESO@gridDelta}%
210   \multiput(0,\ESO@gridDeltaY)(\ESO@gridDelta,0){\@tempcnta}{%
211     \@tempcntb=\@tempcnta\advance\@tempcntb-\@multicnt%
212     \ifnum\@tempcntb>1\relax
213       \multiply\@tempcntb by \ESO@gridDelta\relax%
214       \@tempdima=\@tempcntb sp\@tempdima=\ESO@labelfactor\@tempdima%
215       \@tempcntb=\@tempdima%
216       \makebox(0,0)[c]{\ESO@colorbox{white}{\the\@tempcntb}}}%
217   \fi}%

— vertical numbers —
218   \ifx\ESO@gridunitname\@empty\def\@tempa{0}\else\def\@tempa{1}\fi%
219   \ESO@div{\paperheight}{\ESO@gridDelta}%
220   \multiput(\ESO@gridDelta,0)(0,\ESO@gridDeltaY){\@tempcnta}{%
221     \@tempcntb=\@tempcnta\advance\@tempcntb-\@multicnt%
222     \ifnum\@tempcntb>\@tempa\relax
223       \multiply\@tempcntb by \ESO@gridDelta\relax%
224       \@tempdima=\@tempcntb sp\@tempdima=\ESO@labelfactor\@tempdima%
225       \@tempcntb=\@tempdima%
226       \makebox(0,0)[c]{\ESO@colorbox{white}{\the\@tempcntb}}}%
227   \fi
228   }%

— the unit label —
229   \ifx\ESO@gridunitname\@empty\else%
230     \thicklines\fbxrule=\@wholewidth%
231     \put(\ESO@gridDelta,\ESO@gridDeltaY){\makebox(0,0)[c]{%
232       \ESO@fcolorbox{\ESO@gridcolor}{white}{%
233         \textbf{\ESO@gridunitname}}}%
234     \fi
235     \normalcolor%
236   \endgroup
237 }

```

Add the grid to the shipout picture (\ESO@HookIII is independent from the user commands \AddToShipoutPicture and \AddToShipoutPicture*).

```
238 \ifESO@grid\g@addto@macro\ESO@HookIII{\ESO@gridpicture}\fi
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