

Implementation of the Documentation Tools

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Abstract

The Gaudí project will produce a large number of articles and presentations about System Architecture. The first 3 months of the project were used for exploration of reader requirements, potential contents, distribution media and support tools.

This presentation shows the implementation of the tools to fulfil the quest of making the art of system architecting more accessible and understandable.

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Distribution

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Naming Conventions

All names are descriptive, without spaces, words are concatenated and start with a capital, for instance:

NamingConventions.tex

File extensions follow the standards.



Naming Conventions Root Files

Article or report <Subjectname>Paper.tex

HTML <Subjectname>HTML.tex

Presentation <Subjectname>Slides.tex



Naming Conventions Label prefix

fig: figures

tab: tables

sec: sections

req: requirements



Naming Conventions Bibliography prefix

www: internet publications

book: books



New Figure Commands

/LatexMyCommands/FigureCommand.tex

command	parameters
<code>\FigureTextwidth</code>	FileNameWithoutExtension, Caption
<code>\FigureImposeWidth</code>	FileNameWithoutExtension, Caption, Width
<code>\SharedFigureTextwidth</code>	Pathname, FileNameWithoutExtension, Caption
<code>\SharedFigureImposeWidth</code>	Pathname, FileNameWithoutExtension, Caption, Width



New Slide Commands

/LatexMyCommand/SlideCommand.tex

command	parameters
<code>\mySlideFrontPage</code>	Abstract
<code>\NoteOnDistribution</code>	fine print shown on frontpage f.i. Confidential or Gaudí note
<code>\mySlideFitHeight</code>	SlideHeader, FileName
<code>\mySlideFitWidth</code>	SlideHeader, FileName
<code>\mySlideInput</code>	SlideHeader, FileName
<code>\mySlide</code>	SlideHeader, Text



New Article Commands

/LatexMyCommands/ArticleCommand.tex

command	default	comment
<code>\ArticleTitle</code>		
<code>\authorname</code>		
<code>\coauthor</code>		
<code>\address</code>	address of building WL	
<code>\email</code>		
<code>\homepage</code>	URL Gaudi homepage	
<code>\version</code>		
<code>\MyTitle</code>		generates entire title



Footer Definition Commands

command	default	comment
\authorname		
\BedrijfsUnit	Research	
\department		for instance: IST-SWA-AME
\version	-1	
\presentation		title of the presentation
\slidecount		text adjacent to the current slide number,
\Logo	Philips Logo	filename of the logo to be used
\LeftFooterWidth	140mm	
\RightFooterWidth	25mm	



New Requirement Commands

`\begin{requirements}`

`\req {label}{text}`

`\end{requirements}`



New History Commands

/LatexMyCommands/HistoryCommand.tex

command	parameters	comment
<code>\History</code>		Generates the header
<code>\CurrentVersion</code>	version, date, author	Defines the current version; to be printed in normalsize characters
<code>\OldVersion</code>	version, date, author	Defines an old version; to be printed in tiny characters

`\begin{changelog} ... \item ... \end{changelog}` A list environment with minimized vertical spacing, to minimize paper use



New Gaudí specific Commands

/LatexMyCommands/GaudiCommand.tex

command	comment
<code>\Gaudi</code>	Prints Gaudí
<code>\GaudiNoteOnDistribution</code>	Text of Gaudí distribution note



Additional buttons in the TexShell

- BibTeX
- dvips
- GenPdf
- GenPdfL
- tex4ht
- GenHTML (not yet realized)

