

# Beamer and TikZ Workshop

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# Morning overview: Beamer

- ▶ Benefits of using Beamer
- ▶ Examples
  - ▶ A tiny example
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    - `\begin{frame}, \frametitle, \end{frame}`
  - ▶ Static frame contents
    - ▶ Lists, mathematics, tables, verbatim text, graphics
    - ▶ Colors and tables via `xcolor`
    - ▶ Two columns
  - ▶ Incremental frame contents
    - ▶ Tables and lists with `\pause`
    - ▶ Lists with `\onslide`
    - ▶ Tic-tac-toe with `\onslide` and multiple graphics files
    - ▶ Highlighting items of a list
- ▶ Ornaments: fonts and themes
- ▶ Producing  $N$ -up output with `pdfjam` and `pdfpages`
- ▶ Pitfalls
- ▶ Exercises

# Benefits of using Beamer

- ▶  $\LaTeX$ -based, platform-independent
- ▶ Extensively documented (224 pages)
- ▶ Provides color
- ▶ Rich, dynamic effects
- ▶ Generates PDF output suitable for both presentation and printing
- ▶ Easy to learn and use
- ▶ Flexible

# A tiny example

```
\documentclass{beamer}

\title{A Tiny Example}
\author{Andrew Mertz and William Slough}
\date{July 17, 2007}

\begin{document}

\maketitle

\begin{frame}
  \frametitle{First Slide}
  Contents of the first slide
\end{frame}

\begin{frame}
  \frametitle{Second Slide}
  Contents of the second slide
\end{frame}

\end{document}
```

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# First slide

Contents of the first slide

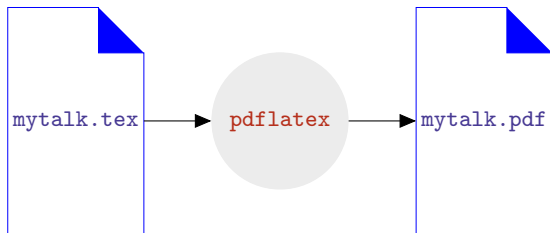


## Second slide

Contents of the second slide



# Processing





```
\documentclass{beamer}

\title{Desired title of talk}
\author{Your name}
\date{July 17, 2007}

\begin{document}

\maketitle

\begin{frame}
  \frametitle{Desired title}
  Desired content
\end{frame}

\begin{frame}
  \frametitle{Desired title}
  Desired content
\end{frame}

\end{document}
```



Try it out!

# Frame ingredients

- ▶ Headline and footline
- ▶ Left and right sidebar
- ▶ Navigation bars
- ▶ Logo
- ▶ Frame title
- ▶ Background
- ▶ Content

# Frame content

- ▶ Lists
- ▶ Mathematics
- ▶ Tables
- ▶ Verbatim text
- ▶ Graphics
- ▶ Other packages
- ▶ ...

## Example: lists

```
\begin{frame}

\frametitle{Frame content}

\begin{itemize}
  \item Lists
  \item Mathematics
  \item Tables
  \item Verbatim text
  \item Graphics
  \item Other packages
  \item $\ldots$
\end{itemize}

\end{frame}
```

To exert fine-control over spacing, use a command like:

```
\setlength{\itemsep}{2ex}
```

within the `itemize` environment.

# L'Hôpital's rule

If

$f$  and  $g$  are differentiable,

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty, \text{ and}$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) = \infty,$$

then

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}.$$

# Example: mathematics

```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{L'H\^{o}pital's Rule}

If
\begin{itemize}
  \item[]  $f$  and  $g$  are differentiable,
  \item[]  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = \infty$ , and
  \item[]  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} g(x) = \infty$ ,
\end{itemize}
then
\begin{itemize}
  \item[]  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(x)}{g(x)} =$ 
 $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f'(x)}{g'(x)}$ .
\end{itemize}

\end{frame}
```

# Practical T<sub>E</sub>X 2005 events

8-9 am	Registration	
9 am	Karl Berry	Opening
9:15 am	Nelson Beebe	Keynote address
10:15 am	Break	
10:30 am	Peter Flom	A True Beginner Looks at L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X
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11:45 am	Steve Peter	Introduction to memoir
12:30 pm	Lunch	

# Example: tables

```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Practical \TeX\ 2005 Events}

\begin{center}
\begin{tabular}{|r|l|l|}\hline
8-9 am & Registration & \\
9 am & Karl Berry & Opening \\
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\end{tabular}
\end{center}

\end{frame}
```



# Verbatim text

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\begin{center}
\begin{tabular}{|r|l|l|}\hline
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  12:30 pm & Lunch        & \\
\hline
\end{tabular}
\end{center}
\end{frame}
```

## Example: verbatim

```
\begin{frame}[fragile]
\frametitle{Verbatim Text}
{\scriptsize
\begin{verbatim}
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Practical \TeX\ 2005 events}
\begin{center}
\begin{tabular}{|r|l|l|}\hline
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\end{tabular}
\end{center}
\end{frame}
\end{verbatim}
}
```

# Practical T<sub>E</sub>X 2005 logo



# Example: graphics

```
\begin{frame}  
\frametitle{Practical \TeX\ 2005 logo}  
  
\begin{center}  
  \includegraphics[height=3.25in]{p2005}  
\end{center}  
  
\end{frame}
```

# Colors via xcolor

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# Example: xcolor

```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Colors via {\tt xcolor}}

\begin{center}
{\color{BlueViolet!10} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!10} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!20} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!20} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!30} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!30} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!40} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!40} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!50} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!50} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!60} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!60} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!70} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!70} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!80} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!80} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!90} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!90} Practicing \TeX} \\
{\color{BlueViolet!100} TUG 2007:} {\color{BrickRed!100} Practicing \TeX}
\end{center}

\end{frame}
```

# Colors

GreenYellow Yellow Goldenrod Dandelion Apricot Peach Melon  
YellowOrange Orange BurntOrange Bittersweet RedOrange  
Mahogany Maroon BrickRed Red OrangeRed RubineRed  
WildStrawberry Salmon CarnationPink Magenta VioletRed  
Rhodamine Mulberry RedViolet Fuchsia Lavender Thistle Orchid  
DarkOrchid Purple Plum Violet RoyalPurple BlueViolet Periwinkle  
CadetBlue CornflowerBlue MidnightBlue NavyBlue RoyalBlue Blue  
Cerulean Cyan ProcessBlue SkyBlue Turquoise TealBlue  
Aquamarine BlueGreen Emerald JungleGreen SeaGreen Green  
ForestGreen PineGreen LimeGreen YellowGreen SpringGreen  
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## Example: table with color

```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Practical \TeX\ 2005 events}

\begin{center}
\rowcolors{1}{RoyalBlue!20}{RoyalBlue!5}
\begin{tabular}{|r|l|l|}\hline
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\end{tabular}
\end{center}

\end{frame}
```

## Revising documentclass for xcolor

```
\documentclass[xcolor=pdftex,dvipsnames,table]{beamer}
```

- ▶ Beamer loads some packages automatically
- ▶ `\usepackage{...}` cannot be used for such packages
- ▶ Package options are specified within `documentclass`
- ▶ `xcolor=...` specifies options for `xcolor`
- ▶ `pdftex` specifies the correct driver for `pdflatex`
- ▶ `dvipsnames` loads the Crayola/dvips colors
- ▶ `table` loads the `colortbl` package

# Font sizes

<code>\tiny</code>	tiny	<code>\large</code>	large
<code>\scriptsize</code>	scriptsize	<code>\Large</code>	Large
<code>\footnotesize</code>	footnotesize	<code>\LARGE</code>	LARGE
<code>\small</code>	small	<code>\huge</code>	huge
<code>\normalsize</code>	normalsize	<code>\Huge</code>	Huge

## A race condition

Two people share a checking account. They each visit an ATM machine in different parts of town at approximately noon. One deposits \$100; the other withdraws \$100.

What happens?

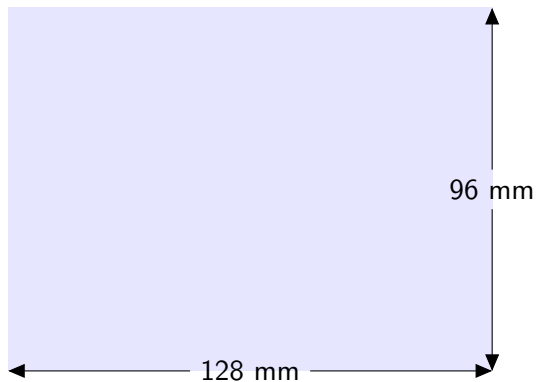
Process A

```
...  
balance += 100;  
...
```

Process B

```
...  
balance -= 100;  
...
```

# Beamer frame dimensions



## Example: two columns

Two people share a checking account. They each visit an ATM machine in different parts of town at approximately noon.

One deposits  $\$100$ ; the other withdraws  $\$100$ .

$\vspace{2ex}$  What happens?  $\vspace{2ex}$

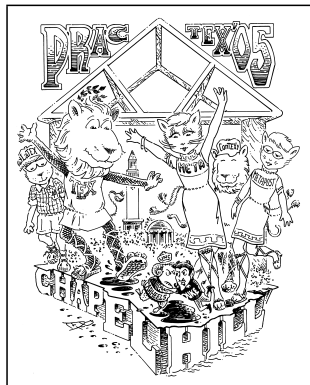
```
\begin{columns}[t]
\column{3cm}
{\color{BrickRed} \centerline{Process A}
\begin{verbatim}
...
balance += 100;
...
\end{verbatim}
}
\column{3cm}
{\color{BlueViolet} \centerline{Process B}
\begin{verbatim}
...
balance -= 100;
...
\end{verbatim}
}
\end{columns}
```

# Text and graphics

Practical T<sub>E</sub>X 2005

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## Example: text and graphics

```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Text and graphics}

\begin{columns}[c]
\column{1.5in}
Practical \TeX\ 2005\\
Practical \TeX\ 2005\\
Practical \TeX\ 2005

\column{1.5in}
\framebox{\includegraphics [width=1.5in] {p2005}}
\end{columns}

\end{frame}
```



# Incremental frame contents

- ▶ Tables with `\pause`
- ▶ Lists with `\pause`
- ▶ Lists with `\onslide`
- ▶ Tic-tac-toe via `tabular` and `\onslide`
- ▶ Tic-tac-toe via multiple graphics files
- ▶ Highlighting items

## Software complexity

Date	Developer	OS	Lines of C
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## Example: table with pause

```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Software complexity}

\setbeamercovered{dynamic}
\renewcommand{\arraystretch}{1.2}
\begin{tabular}{c|c|c|c}
Date & Developer & OS & Lines of C\ \hline \hline
1976 & Thompson/Ritchie & AT\&T UNIX & 9,000 & \ \hline \pause
1997 & Tanenbaum & Minix & 62,000 & \ \hline \pause
1999 & Torvalds & Linux & 1,000,000 & \ \hline \pause
2000 & Cutler {\em et al.} & Windows NT & 28,000,000 & \ \hline \hline
\end{tabular}

\end{frame}
```

# Frames and overlays

- ▶ A frame consists of one or more `overlays`
- ▶ Dynamic effects can be achieved by using overlays
- ▶ Inserting `\pause` is one way to create a new overlay

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News group – [comp.text.tex](mailto:comp.text.tex)  
Google search

## Example: list with pause

```
\begin{frame}[fragile]
\frametitle{Possible Objections To Using \TeX}

\setbeamercovered{invisible}
\begin{itemize}
  \setlength{\itemsep}{2ex}
  \item I've heard \TeX\ and \LaTeX\ are not WYSIWYG\ \pause
  {\color{BrickRed} \TeX\ is a mark-up language} \pause

  \item \LaTeX\ is not installed on my computer\ \pause
  {\color{BrickRed} ProText, \TeX Live, \TeX Shop} \pause

  \item I don't know who to ask for help\ \pause
  {\color{BrickRed} \TeX\ Users Group -- {\tt www.tug.org}\ \
    News group -- {\tt comp.text.tex}\ \
    Google search}
\end{itemize}

\end{frame}
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## Example: list with onslide

```
\begin{frame}[fragile]
\frametitle{Possible objections to using \TeX}
\begin{itemize}
  \setlength{\itemsep}{2ex}
  \item I've heard \TeX\ and \LaTeX\ are not WYSIWYG\
  \onslide<2-> {{\color{BrickRed} \TeX\ is a mark-up language}}

  \item \LaTeX\ is not installed on my computer\
  \onslide<3-> {{\color{BrickRed} ProText, \TeX Live, \TeX Shop}}

  \item I don't know who to ask for help\
  \onslide<4-> {{\color{BrickRed} \TeX\ Users Group -- {\tt www.tug.org}\
                News group -- {\tt comp.text.tex}\
                Google search}}
\end{itemize}
\end{frame}
```

# Versions of `onslide`

`onslide` Hidden behavior depends on  
`\setbeamercovered{...}`

`onslide+` Hidden text is always invisible

`onslide*` Slide is typeset as if hidden text was not present

## Example: list with onslide+

- ▶ I've heard  $\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$  and  $\text{L}_{\text{A}}\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$  are not WYSIWYG
- ▶  $\text{L}_{\text{A}}\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$  is not installed on my computer
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## Example: list with onslide\*

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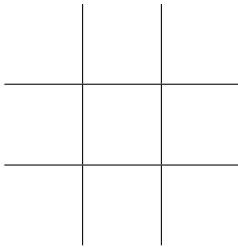
## Example: list with onslide\*

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- ▶  $\text{\LaTeX}$  is not installed on my computer  
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News group – [comp.text.tex](mailto:comp.text.tex)  
Google search

# Overlay specifications

- ▶ Overlays are numbered  $1, 2, 3, \dots, N$
- ▶ An **overlay specification** defines a sequence of numbers
- ▶ Examples:
  - ▶ `<2>`
  - ▶ `<2-4>`
  - ▶ `<2->`
  - ▶ `<1,3,5,7,9>`
  - ▶ `<-3,8->`
- ▶ Some  $\text{\LaTeX}$  commands can accept an overlay specification
  - ▶ `\textbf<2->\{bold text\}`
  - ▶ `\emph<3,5>\{emphasized text\}`
  - ▶ `\{ \color<4>\{RoyalBlue\} blue\}`

# Tic-tac-toe via tabular



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		X
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	X	X
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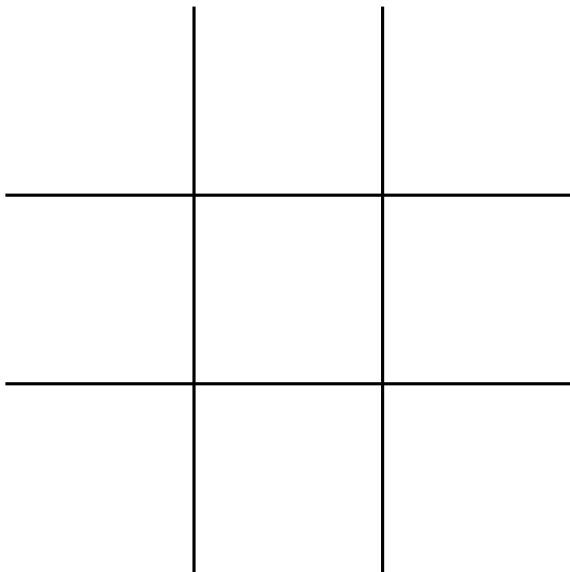
```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Tic-tac-toe via {\tt tabular}}

\setbeamercovered{invisible}
{\Huge
\begin{center}
\begin{tabular}{c|c|c}
\onslide<9->{0} & \onslide<8->{X} & \onslide<2->{X} \\ \hline
\onslide<6->{X} & \onslide<3->{0} & \onslide<5->{0} \\ \hline
\onslide<10->{X} & \onslide<7->{0} & \onslide<4->{X}
\end{tabular}
\end{center}
}

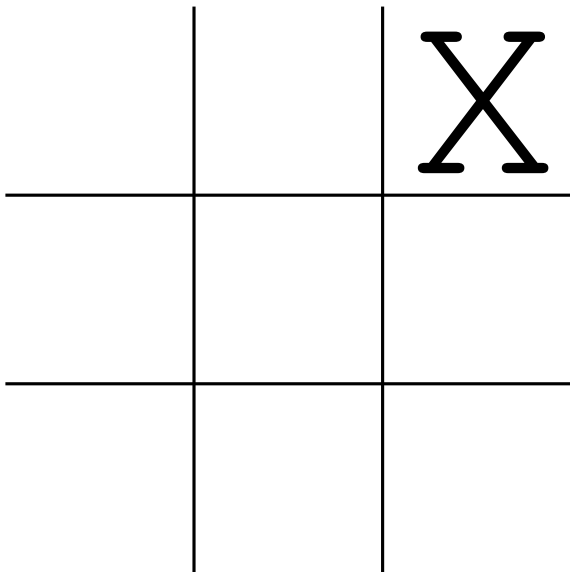
\end{frame}
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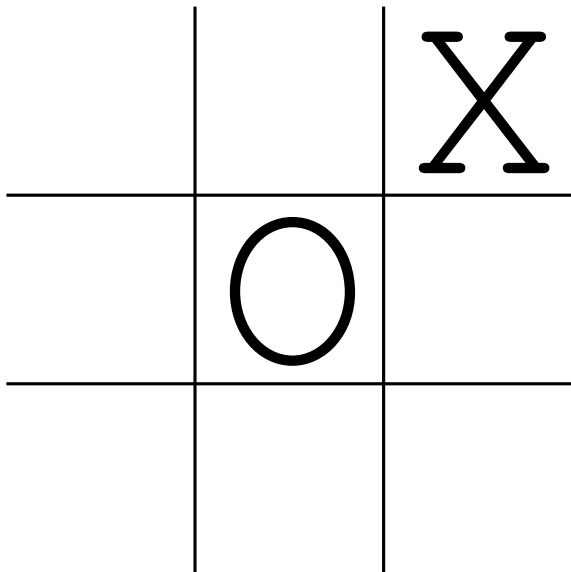
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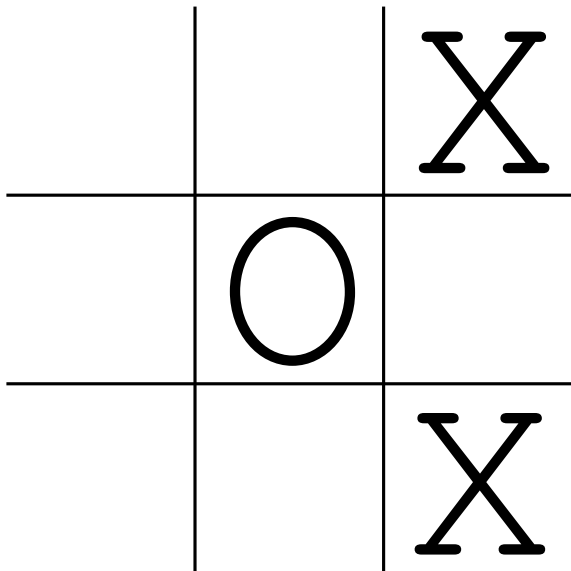
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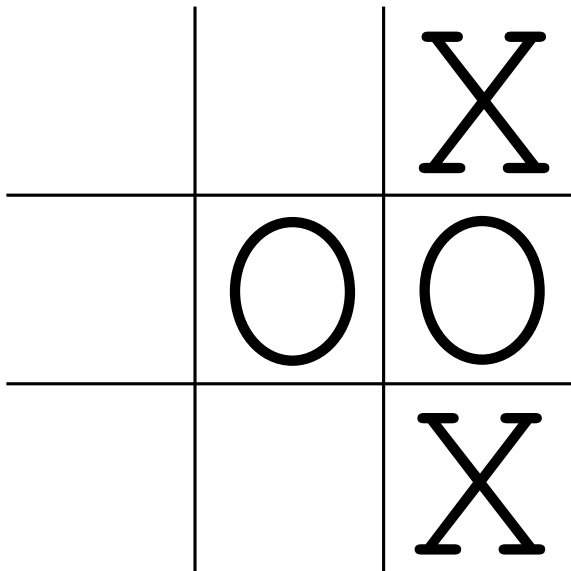
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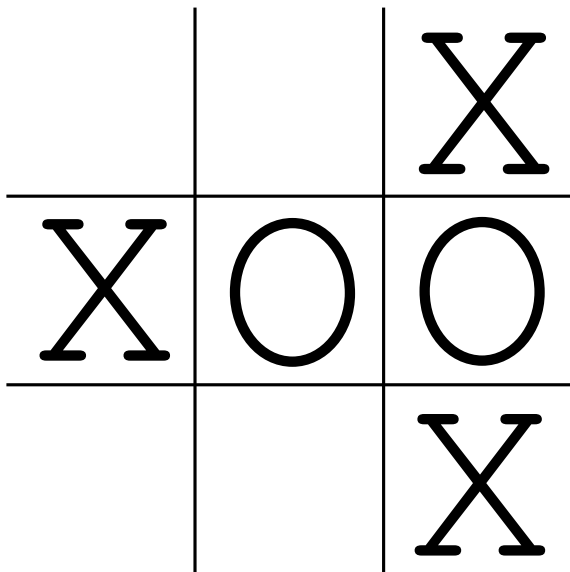
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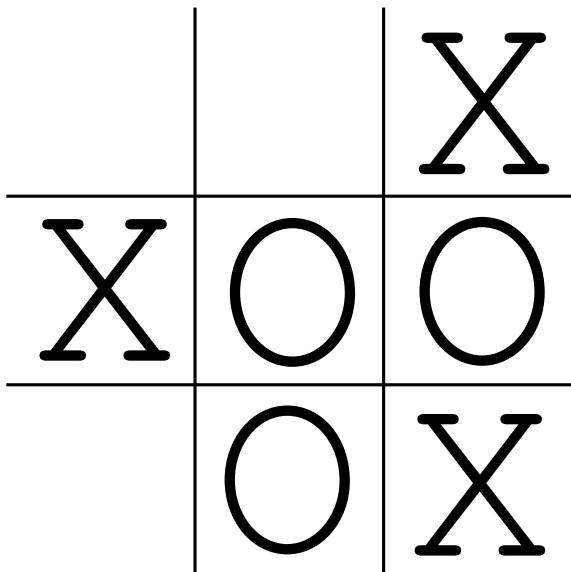
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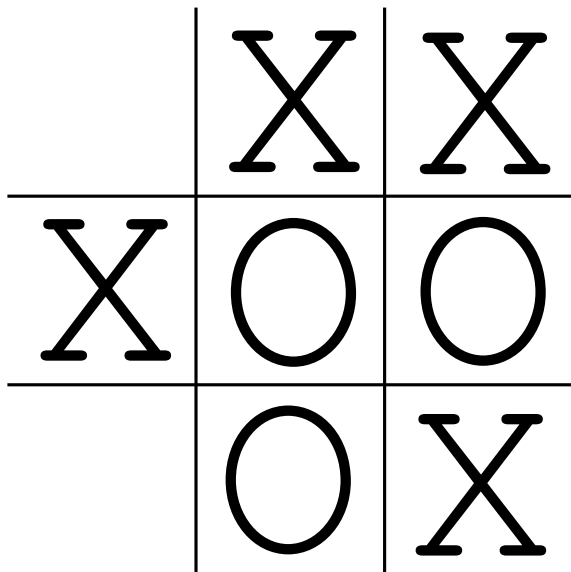
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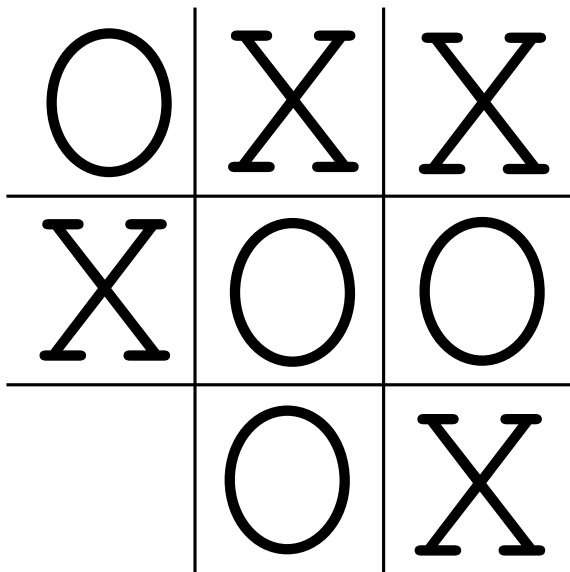


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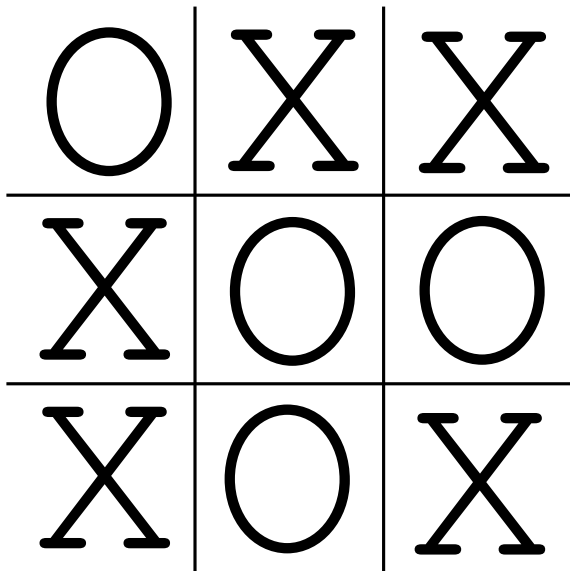




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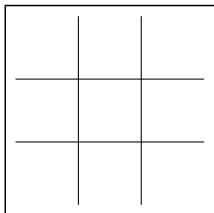


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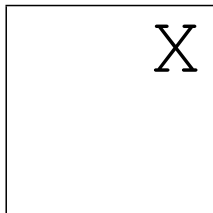


## Example: multiple graphics files

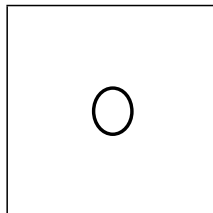
```
\usepackage{xmpmulti}  
...  
\begin{frame}  
\frametitle{Tic-tac-toe via multiple graphics files}  
  
\setbeamercovered{invisible}  
\begin{center}  
  \multiinclude[format=pdf,graphics={width=3in}]{game}  
\end{center}  
\end{frame}
```



game-0.pdf



game-1.pdf



game-2.pdf

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## Example: multiple overlay specifications

```
\begin{frame}
\frametitle{Highlighting items of a list}

\setbeamercovered{dynamic}
\begin{itemize}
  \setlength{\itemsep}{2ex}
  \item<1-> {\color<1>{BrickRed} Practical}
  \item<2-> {\color<2>{BrickRed} \TeX}
  \item<3-> {\color<3>{BrickRed} 2005}
\end{itemize}

\end{frame}
```

## Other themes

- ▶ The Beamer package supplies many themes
- ▶ For example, place the following in the preamble:

```
\usepackage{beamerthemesplit}  
\usetheme{Berkeley}  
\usecolortheme{dolphin}
```



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```

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- ▶ Beamer's `verbatim` environment
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- ▶ Switching themes after content is established
- ▶ Frame numbering
- ▶ Temptation to exert fine control

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