

The showkerning package

Showing kerns in a document

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1 Introduction

This package displays all kerning values in the form of colored bars directly at the respective position in the document. Positive values are displayed in green, negative values in red. The width of the bars corresponds exactly to the respective kerning value. The left edge of the bar is always at the position where the kerning node is placed. (This corresponds to the common representation method).

Please note that Lua^ATeX is required to use this package.

2 Basic usage

To load the package, simply add the following line to the preamble of the document:

```
\usepackage{showkerning}
```

3 Package options

`ontop` By default, the bars are placed behind the glyphs. With this option they are in front of them. It can be loaded in the following way:

```
\usepackage[ontop]{showkerning}
```

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