



» *The Monty Pythons, were they  $\TeX$  users,  
could have written the chickenize macro.*«

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# CHICKENIZE

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## How to read this document.

This is the documentation of the package `chickenize`. It allows manipulations of any Lua $\TeX$  document<sup>1</sup> exploiting the possibilities offered by the callbacks that influence line breaking (and some other stuff). Most of this package's content is just for fun and educational use, but there are also some functions that can be useful in a normal document.

The table on the next page shortly informs you about some of your possibilities and provides links to the (documented) Lua functions. The  $\TeX$  interface is presented [below](#).

The documentation of this package is far from being well-readable, consistent or even complete. This is caused either by lack of time or priority. If you miss anything that should be documented or if you have suggestions on how to increase the readability of the descriptions, please let me know.

For a better understanding of what's going on in the code of this package, there is a small [tutorial](#) below that explains shortly the most important features used here.

*Attention:* This package is under development and everything presented here might be subject to incompatible changes. If, by any reason, you decide to use this package for an important document, please make a local copy of the source code and use that. This package will not be considered stable until it reaches at least v0.5, which might never happen.

If you have any suggestions or comments, just drop me a mail, I'll be happy to get any response! The latest source code is hosted on github: <https://github.com/alt/chickenize>. Feel free to comment or report bugs there, to fork, pull, etc.

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<sup>1</sup>The code is based on pure Lua $\TeX$  features, so don't even try to use it with any other  $\TeX$  flavour. The package is tested under plain Lua $\TeX$  and Lua $\LaTeX$ . If you tried using it with Con $\TeX$ t, please share your experience, I will gladly try to make it compatible!

## For the Impatient:

A small and incomplete overview of the functionalities offered by this package. I try to keep this list as complete as possible.<sup>2</sup> Of course, the label “complete nonsense” depends on what you are doing ...

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### maybe useful functions

<a href="#">colorstretch</a>	shows grey boxes that visualise the badness and font expansion line-wise
<a href="#">letterspaceadjust</a>	improves the greyness by using a small amount of letterspacing
<a href="#">substitutewords</a>	replaces words by other words (chosen by the user)
<a href="#">variantjustification</a>	Justification by using glyph variants
<a href="#">suppressonecharbreak</a>	suppresses linebreaks after single-letter words

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### less useful functions

<a href="#">boustrophedon</a>	invert every second line in the style of archaic greek texts
<a href="#">countglyphs</a>	counts the number of glyphs in the whole document
<a href="#">countwords</a>	counts the number of words in the whole document
<a href="#">leetspeak</a>	translates the (latin-based) input into 1337 5p34k
<a href="#">medievalumlaut</a>	changes each umlaut to normal glyph plus “e” above it: âôû
<a href="#">randomucl</a>	alternates randomly between uppercase and lowercase
<a href="#">rainbowcolor</a>	changes the color of letters slowly according to a rainbow
<a href="#">randomcolor</a>	prints every letter in a random color
<a href="#">tabularasa</a>	removes every glyph from the output and leaves an empty document
<a href="#">uppercasecolor</a>	makes every uppercase letter colored

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### complete nonsense

<a href="#">chickenize</a>	replaces every word with “chicken” (or user-adjustable words)
<a href="#">gutenbergize</a>	deletes every quote and footnotes
<a href="#">hammertime</a>	U can’t touch this!
<a href="#">kernmanipulate</a>	manipulates the kerning (tbi)
<a href="#">matrixize</a>	replaces every glyph by its ASCII value in binary code
<a href="#">randomerror</a>	just throws random (La)TeX errors at random times
<a href="#">randomfonts</a>	changes the font randomly between every letter
<a href="#">randomchars</a>	randomizes the (letters of the) whole input

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<sup>2</sup>If you notice that something is missing, please help me improving the documentation!

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## Part I

# User Documentation

## 1 How It Works

We make use of Lua $\TeX$ s callbacks, especially the `pre_linebreak_filter` and the `post_linebreak_filter`. Hooking a function into these, we can nearly arbitrarily change the content of the document. If the changes should be on the input-side (e.g. replacing words with `chicken`), one can use the `pre_linebreak_filter`. However, changes like inserting color are best made after the linebreak is finalized, so `post_linebreak_filter` is to be preferred for such things.

All functions traverse the node list of a paragraph and manipulate the nodes' properties (like `.font` or `.char`) or insert nodes (like `color push/pop` nodes) and return this changed node list.

## 2 Commands – How You Can Use It

There are several ways to make use of the `chickenize` package – you can either stay on the  $\TeX$  side or use the Lua functions directly. In fact, the  $\TeX$  macros are simple wrappers around the functions.

### 2.1 $\TeX$ Commands – Document Wide

You have a number of commands at your hand, each of which does some manipulation of the input or output. In fact, the code is simple and straightforward, but be careful, especially when combining things. Apply features step by step so your brain won't be damaged ...

The effect of the commands can be influenced, not with arguments, but only via the `\chickenize` setup described [below](#).

**`\allownumberincommands`** Normally, you cannot use numbers as part of a control sequence (or, command) name. This makes perfect sense and is good as it is. However, just to raise awareness to this, we provide a command here that changes the category codes of numbers 0–9 to 11, i. e. normal character. So they *can* be used in command names. However, this will break many packages, so do *not* expect anything to work! At least use it *after* all packages are loaded.

**`\boustrophedon`** Reverts every second line. This immitates archaic greek writings where one line was right-to-left, the next one left-to-right etc.<sup>3</sup> Interestingly, also every glyph was adaptet to the writing direction, so all glyphs are inverted in the right-to-left lines. Actually, there are two versions of this command that differ in their implementation: `\boustrophedon` rotates the whole line, while `\boustrophedonglyphs` changes the writing direction and reverses glyph-wise. The second one takes much more compilation time, but may be more reliable. A Rongorongo<sup>4</sup> similar style boustrophedon is available with `\boustrophedoninverse` or `\rongorongonize`, where subsequent lines are rotated by 180° instead of mirrored.

**`\countglyphs` `\countwords`** Counts every printed character (or word, respectively) that appears in anything that is a paragraph. Which is quite everything, in fact, *except* math mode! The total number

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<sup>3</sup>[en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Boustrophedon](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Boustrophedon)

<sup>4</sup>[en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rongorongo](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Rongorongo)

of glyphs/words will be printed at the end of the log file/console output. For glyphs, also the number of use for every letter is printed separately.

`\chickenize` Replaces every word of the input with the word “chicken”. Maybe sometime the replacement will be made configurable, but up to now, it’s only chicken. To be a bit less static, about every 10<sup>th</sup> chicken is uppercase. However, the beginning of a sentence is not recognized automatically.<sup>5</sup>

`\colorstretch` Inspired by Paul Isambert’s code, this command prints boxes instead of lines. The greyness of the first (left-hand) box corresponds to the badness of the line, i. e. it is a measure for how much the space between words has been extended to get proper paragraph justification. The second box on the right-hand side shows the amount of stretching/shrinking when font expansion is used. Together, the greyness of both boxes indicate how well the greyness is distributed over the typeset page.

`\dubstepize` wub wub wub wub wub BROOOOAR WOBBBWOBWOB BZZZRRRRRRROOOOOOAAAAA  
... (inspired by <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZFQ5Ep07iHk> and <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nGxpSsbodnw>)

`\dubstepenize` synonym for `\dubstepize` as I am not sure what is the better name. Both macros are just a special case of `chickenize` with a very special “zoo” ... there is no `\undubstepize` – once you go dubstep, you cannot go back ...

`\explainbackslashes` A small list that gives hints on how many `\` characters you actually need for a backslash. I’s supposed to be funny. At least my head thinks it’s funny. Inspired (and mostly copied from, actually) xkcd.

`\gameoflife` Try it.

`\hammertime` STOP! — Hammertime!

`\leetspeak` Translates the input into 1337 speak. If you don’t understand that, lern it, n00b.

`\matrixize` Replaces every glyph by a binary representation of its ASCII value.

`\medievalumlaut` Changes every lowercase umlaut into the corresponding vocale glyph with a small “e” glyph above it to show the origins of the german umlauts coming from ae, oe, ue. Text-variant may follow.

`\nyanize` A synonym for `rainbowcolor`.

`\randomerror` Just throws a random  $\TeX$  or  $\LaTeX$  error at a random time during the compilation. I have quite no idea what this could be used for.

`\randomuclc` Changes every character of the input into its uppercase or lowercase variant. Well, guess what the “random” means ...

`\randomfonts` Changes the font randomly for every character. If no parameters are given, all fonts that have been loaded are used, especially including math fonts.

`\randomcolor` Does what its name says.

`\rainbowcolor` Instead of random colors, this command causes the text color to change gradually according to the colors of a rainbow. Do not mix this with `randomcolor`, as that doesn’t make any sense.

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<sup>5</sup>If you have a nice implementation idea, I’d love to include this!

- \pancakelize** This is a dummy command that does nothing. However, every time you use it, you owe a pancake to the package author. You can either send it via mail or bring it to some (local) T<sub>E</sub>X user’s group meeting.
- \substitutewords** You have to specify pairs of words by using `\addtosubstitutions{word1}{word2}`. Then call `\substitutewords` (or the other way round, doesn’t matter) and each occurrence of `word1` will be replaced by `word2`. You can add replacement pairs by repeated calls to `\addtosubstitutions`. Take care! This function works with the input stream directly, therefore it does *not* work on text that is inserted by macros, but it *will* work on macro names itself! This way, you may use it to change macros (or environments) at will. Bug or feature? I’m not sure right now ...
- \suppressonecharbreak** T<sub>E</sub>X normally does not suppress a linebreak after words with only one character (“I”, “a” etc.) This command suppresses line breaks. It is very similar to the code provided by the `impnattypo` package and based on the same ideas. However, the code in `chickenize` has been written before the author knew `impnattypo`, and the code differs a bit, might even be a bit faster. Well, test it!
- \tabularasa** Takes every glyph out of the document and replaces it by empty space of the same width. That could be useful if you want to hide some part of a text or similar. The `\text`-version is most likely more useful.
- \uppercasecolor** Makes every uppercase character in the input colored. At the moment, the color is randomized over the full rgb scale, but that will be adjustable once options are well implemented.
- \variantjustification** For special document types, it might be mandatory to have a fixed interword space. If you still want to have a justified type area, there must be another kind of stretchable material – one version realized by this command is using wide variants of glyphs to fill the remaining space. As the glyph substitution takes place randomly, this does *not* provide the optimum justification, as this would take up much computation power.

## 2.2 How to Deactivate It

Every command has a `\un`-version that deactivates it’s functionality. So once you used `\chickenize`, it will chickenize the whole document up to `\unchickenize`. However, the paragraph in which `\unchickenize` appears, will *not* be chickenized. The same is true for all other manipulations. Take care that you don’t `\un`-anything befor activating it, as this will result in an error.<sup>6</sup>

If you want to manipulate only a part of a paragraph, you will have to use the corresponding `\text`-version of the function, see below. However, feel free to set and unset every function at will at any place in your document.

## 2.3 \text-Versions

The functions provided by this package might be much more useful if applied only to a short sequence of words or single words instead of the whole document or paragraph. Therefore, most of the above-mentioned commands have<sup>7</sup> a `\text`-version that takes an argument. `\textrandomcolor{foo}` results in a colored

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<sup>6</sup>Which is so far not catchable due to missing functionality in `luatexbase`.

<sup>7</sup>If they don’t have, I did miss that, sorry. Please inform me about such cases.

foo while the rest of the document remains unaffected. However, to achieve this effect, still the whole node list has to be traversed. Thus, it may slow down the compilation of your document, even if you use `\textrandomcolor` only once. Fortunately, the effect is very small and mostly negligible.<sup>8</sup>

Please don't fool around by mixing a `\text`-version with the non-`\text`-version. If you feel like it and are not pleased with the result, it is up to *you* to provide a stable and working solution.

## 2.4 Lua functions

As all features are implemented on the Lua side, you can use these functions independently. If you do so, please consult the corresponding subsections in the [implementation](#) part, because there are some variables that can be adapted to your need.

You can use the following code inside a `\directlua` statement or in a `luacode` environment (or the corresponding thing in your format):

```
luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",chickenize,"chickenize")
```

Replace `pre` by `post` to register into the post linebreak filter. The second argument (here: `chickenize`) specifies the function name; the available functions are listed below. You can supply a label as you like in the third argument. The fourth and last argument, which is omitted in the example, determines the order in which the functions in the callback are used. If you have no fancy stuff going on, you can safely use 1.

## 3 Options – How to Adjust It

There are several ways to change the behaviour of `chickenize` and its macros. Most of the options are Lua variables and can be set using `\chickenizesetup`. But be *careful!* The argument of `\chickenizesetup` is passed directly to Lua, therefore you are *not* using a comma-separated key-value list, but uncorrelated Lua commands. The argument must have the syntax `{randomfontslower = 1 randomfontsupper = 0}` instead of `{randomfontslower = 1, randomfontsupper = 0}`. Alright?

However, `\chickenizesetup` is a macro on the  $\TeX$  side meaning that you can use *only* % as comment string. If you use `--`, all of the argument will be ignored as  $\TeX$  does not pass an eol to `\directlua`. If you don't understand that, just ignore it and go on as usual.

The following list tries to kind of keep track of the options and variables. There is no guarantee for completeness, and if you find something that is missing or doesn't work as described here, please inform me!

`randomfontslower, randomfontsupper = <int>` These two integer variables determine the span of fonts used for the font randomization. Just play around with them a bit to find out what they are doing.

`chickenstring = <table>` The string that is printed when using `\chickenize`. In fact, `chickenstring` is a table which allows for some more random action. To specify the default string, say `chickenstring[1] = 'chicken'`. For more than one animal, just step the index: `chickenstring[2] = 'rabbit'`. All existing table entries will be used randomly. Remember that we are dealing with Lua strings here, so use `' '` to mark them. (`" "` can cause problems with `babel`.)

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<sup>8</sup>On a 500 pages text-only  $\LaTeX$  document the dilation is on the order of 10% with `textrandomcolor`, but other manipulations can take much more time. However, you are not supposed to make such long documents with `chickenize`!

**chickenizefraction** = **<float>** 1 Gives the fraction of words that get replaced by the `chickenstring`. The default means that every word is substituted. However, with a value of, say, 0.0001, only one word in ten thousand will be `chickenstring`. `chickenizefraction` must be specified *after* `\begin{document}`. No idea, why ...

**chickencount** = **<true>** Activates the counting of substituted words and prints the number at the end of the terminal output.

**colorstretchnumbers** = **<true>** 0 If true, the amount of stretching or shrinking of each line is printed into the margin as a green, red or black number.

**chickenkernamount** = **<int>** The amount the kerning is set to when using `\kernmanipulate`.

**chickenkerninvert** = **<bool>** If set to true, the kerning is inverted (to be used with `\kernmanipulate`).

**leetable** = **<table>** From this table, the substitution for 1337 is taken. If you want to add or change an entry, you have to provide the unicode numbers of the characters, e.g. `leetable[101] = 50` replaces every e (101) with the number 3 (50).

**uclcratio** = **<float>** 0.5 Gives the fraction of uppercases to lowercases in the `\randomuclc` mode. A higher number (up to 1) gives more uppercase letters. Guess what a lower number does.

**randomcolor\_grey** = **<bool>** **false** For a printer-friendly version, this offers a grey scale instead of an `rgb` value for `\randomcolor`.

**rainbow\_step** = **<float>** 0.005 This indicates the relative change of color using the rainbow functionality. A value of 1 changes the color in one step from red to yellow, while a value of 0.005 takes 200 letters for the transition to be completed. Useful values are below 0.05, but it depends on the amount of text. The longer the text and the lower the `step`, the nicer your rainbow will be.

**Rgb\_lower, rGb\_upper** = **<int>** To specify the color space that is used for `\randomcolor`, you can specify six values, the upper and lower value for each color. The uppercase letter in the variable denotes the color, so `rGb_upper` gives the upper value for green etc. Possible values are between 1 and 254. If you enter anything outside this range, your PDF will become invalid and break. For grey scale, use `grey_lower` and `grey_upper`, with values between 0 (black) and 1000 (white), included. Default is 0 to 900 to prevent white letters.

**keeptext** = **<bool>** **false** This is for the `\colorstretch` command. If set to true, the text of your document will be kept. This way, it is easier to identify bad lines and the reason for the badness.

**colorexpanansion** = **<bool>** **true** If true, two bars are shown of which the second one denotes the font expansion. Only useful if font expansion is used. (You *do* use font expansion, don't you?)

## Part II

# Tutorial

I thought it might be helpful to add a small tutorial to this package as it is mainly written with instructional purposes in mind. However, the following is *not* intended as a comprehensive guide to Lua $\TeX$  it's just to get an idea how things work here. For a deeper understanding of Lua $\TeX$  you should consult both the Lua $\TeX$  manual and some introduction into Lua proper like "Programming in Lua". (See the section [Literature](#) at the end of the manual.)

## 4 Lua code

The crucial novelty in Lua $\TeX$  is the first part of its name: The programming language Lua. One can use nearly any Lua code inside the commands `\directlua{}` or `\lualatex{}`. This alleviates simple tasks like calculating a number and printing it, just as if it was entered by hand:

```
\directlua{
  a = 5*2
  tex.print(a)
}
```

A number of additions to the Lua language renders it particularly suitable for  $\TeX$ ing, especially the `tex.` library that offers access to  $\TeX$  internals. In the simple example above, the function `tex.print()` inserts its argument into the  $\TeX$  input stream, so the result of the calculation (10) is printed in the document.

Larger parts of Lua code should not be embedded in your  $\TeX$  code, but rather in a separate file. It can then be loaded using

```
\directlua{dofile("filename")}
```

If you use Lua $\TeX$ , you can also use the `luacode` environment from the eponymous package.

## 5 callbacks

While Lua code can be inserted using `\directlua` at any point in the input, a very powerful concept allows to change the way  $\TeX$  behaves: The *callbacks*. A callback is a point where you can hook into  $\TeX$ 's working and do anything to it that may make sense – or not. (Thus maybe breaking your document completely ...)

Callbacks are employed at several stages of  $\TeX$ 's work – e. g. for font loading, paragraph breaking, shipping out etc. In this package, we make heavy use of mostly two callbacks: The `pre_linebreak_filter` and the `post_linebreak` filter. These callbacks are called just before (or after, resp.)  $\TeX$  breaks a paragraph into lines. Normally, these callbacks are empty, so they are a great playground. In between these callbacks, the `linebreak_filter` takes care of  $\TeX$ 's line breaking mechanism. We won't touch this as I have no idea of what's going on there ;)

## 5.1 How to use a callback

The normal way to use a callback is to “register” a function in it. This way, the function is called each time the callback is executed. Typically, the function takes a node list (see below) as an argument, does something with it, and returns it. So a basic use of the `post_linebreak_filter` would look like:

```
function my_new_filter(head)
  return head
end
```

```
callback.register("post_linebreak_filter",my_new_filter)
```

The function `callback.register` takes the name of the callback and your new function. However, there are some reasons why we avoid this syntax here. Instead, we rely on the function `luatexbase.add_to_callback`. This is provided by the  $\text{\LaTeX}$  kernel table `luatexbase` which was initially a package by Manuel Pégourié-Gonnard and Élie Roux.<sup>9</sup> This function has a more extended syntax:

```
luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",my_new_filter,"a fancy new filter")
```

The third argument is a name you can (have to) give to your function in the callback. That is necessary because the package also allows for removing functions from callbacks, and then you need a unique identifier for the function:

```
luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","a fancy new filter")
```

You have to consult the Lua $\text{\TeX}$  manual to see what functionality a callback has when executed, what arguments it expects and what return values have to be given.

Everything I have written here is not the complete truth – please consult the Lua $\text{\TeX}$  manual and the `luatexbase` section in the  $\text{\LaTeX}$  kernel documentation for details!

## 6 Nodes

Essentially everything that Lua $\text{\TeX}$  deals with are nodes – letters, spaces, colors, rules etc. In this package, we make heavy use of different types of nodes, so an understanding of the concept is crucial for the functionality.

A node is an object that has different properties, depending on its type which is stored in its `.id` field. For example, a node of type `glyph` has `id` 27 (up to Lua $\text{\TeX}$  0.80., it was 37) has a number `.char` that represents its unicode codepoint, a `.font` entry that determines the font used for this glyph, a `.height`, `.depth` and `.width` etc.

Also, a node typically has a non-empty field `.next` and `.prev`. In a list, these point to the – guess it – next or previous node. Using this, one can walk over a list of nodes step by step and manipulate the list.

A more convenient way to address each node of a list is the function `node.traverse(head)` which takes as first argument the first node of the list. However, often one wants to address only a certain type of nodes in a list – e. g. all glyphs in a vertical list that also contains glue, rules etc. This is achieved by calling

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<sup>9</sup>Since the late 2015 release of  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , the package has not to be loaded anymore since the functionality is absorbed by the kernel. Plain $\text{\TeX}$  users can load the `l1luatex` file which provides the needed functionality.

the function `node.traverse_id(GLYPH,head)`, with the first argument giving the respective id of the nodes.<sup>10</sup>

The following example removes all characters “e” from the input just before paragraph breaking. This might not make any sense, but it is a good example anyways:

```
function remove_e(head)
  for n in node.traverse_id(GLYPH,head) do
    if n.char == 101 then
      node.remove(head,n)
    end
  end
  return head
end
```

```
luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",remove_e,"remove all letters e")
```

Now, don’t read on, but try out this code by yourself! Change the number of the character to be removed, try to play around a bit. Also, try to remove the spaces between words. Those are glue nodes – look up their id in the LuaTeX manual! Then, you have to remove the `if n.char` condition on the third line of the listing, because glue nodes lack a `.char` field. If everything works, you should have an input consisting of only one long word. Congratulations!

The `pre_linebreak_filter` is especially easy because its argument (here called `head`) is just one horizontal list. For the `post_linebreak_filter`, one has to traverse a whole vertical stack of horizontal lists, vertical glue and other material. See some of the functions below to understand what is necessary in this more complicated case.

## 7 Other things

Lua is a very intuitive and simple language, but nonetheless powerful. Just two tips: use local variables if possible – your code will be much faster. For this reason we prefer synonyms like `nodetraverseid = node.traverse_id` instead of the original names.

Also, Lua is kind of built around tables. Everything is best done with tables!

The namespace of the `chickenize` package is *not* consistent. Please don’t take anything here as an example for good Lua coding, for good TeXing or even for good LuaTeXing. It’s not. For high quality code check out the code written by Hans Hagen or other professionals. Once you understand the package at hand, you should be ready to go on and improve your knowledge. After that, you might come back and help me improve this package – I’m always happy for any help ☺

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<sup>10</sup>GLYPH here stands for the id that the glyph node type has. This number can be achieved by calling `GLYPH = nodeid("glyph")` which will result in the correct number independent of the LuaTeX version. We will use this substitute throughout this document.

## Part III

# Implementation

## 8 $\TeX$ file

This file is more-or-less a dummy file to offer a nice interface for the functions. Basically, every macro registers a function of the same name in the corresponding callback. The un-macros later remove these functions. Where it makes sense, there are text-variants that activate the function only in a certain area of the text, by means of Lua $\TeX$ 's attributes.

For (un)registering, we use the `luatexbase`  $\TeX$  kernel functionality. Then, the `.lua` file is loaded which does the actual work. Finally, the  $\TeX$  macros are defined as simple `\directlua` calls.

The Lua file is not found by using a simple `dofile("chickenize.lua")` call, but we have to use `kpse's find_file`.

```
1 \directlua{dofile(kpse.find_file("chickenize.lua"))}
2
3 \def\ALT{%
4   \bgroup%
5   \fontspec{Latin Modern Sans}%
6   A%
7   \kern-.4em \raisebox{.65ex}{\scalebox{0.3}{L}}%
8   \kern-.0em \raisebox{-0.98ex}{T}%
9   \egroup%
10 }
11
12 \def\allownumberincommands{
13   \catcode`\0=11
14   \catcode`\1=11
15   \catcode`\2=11
16   \catcode`\3=11
17   \catcode`\4=11
18   \catcode`\5=11
19   \catcode`\6=11
20   \catcode`\7=11
21   \catcode`\8=11
22   \catcode`\9=11
23 }
24
25 \def\BEClerialize{
26   \chickenize
27   \directlua{
28     chickenstring[1] = "noise noise"
29     chickenstring[2] = "atom noise"
30     chickenstring[3] = "shot noise"
31     chickenstring[4] = "photon noise"
```

```

32   chickenstring[5] = "camera noise"
33   chickenstring[6] = "noising noise"
34   chickenstring[7] = "thermal noise"
35   chickenstring[8] = "electronic noise"
36   chickenstring[9] = "spin noise"
37   chickenstring[10] = "electron noise"
38   chickenstring[11] = "Bogoliubov noise"
39   chickenstring[12] = "white noise"
40   chickenstring[13] = "brown noise"
41   chickenstring[14] = "pink noise"
42   chickenstring[15] = "bloch sphere"
43   chickenstring[16] = "atom shot noise"
44   chickenstring[17] = "nature physics"
45 }
46 }
47
48 \def\boustrophedon{
49   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",boustrophedon,"boustrophedon")}}
50 \def\unboustrophedon{
51   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","boustrophedon")}}
52
53 \def\boustrophedonglyphs{
54   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",boustrophedon_glyphs,"boustrophedonglyphs")}}
55 \def\unboustrophedonglyphs{
56   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","boustrophedon_glyphs")}}
57
58 \def\boustrophedoninverse{
59   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",boustrophedon_inverse,"boustrophedoninverse")}}
60 \def\unboustrophedoninverse{
61   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","boustrophedon_inverse")}}
62
63 \def\bubblesort{
64   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",bubblesort,"bubblesort")}}
65 \def\unbubblesort{
66   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("bubblesort","bubblesort")}}
67
68 \def\chickenize{
69   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",chickenize,"chickenize")}
70   luatexbase.add_to_callback("start_page_number",
71     function() texio.write("[".status.total_pages) end ,"cstartpage")
72   luatexbase.add_to_callback("stop_page_number",
73     function() texio.write(" chickens]") end,"cstoppage")
74   luatexbase.add_to_callback("stop_run",nicetext,"a nice text")
75 }
76 }
77 \def\unchickenize{

```

```

78 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","chickenize")}
79   luatexbase.remove_from_callback("start_page_number","cstartpage")
80   luatexbase.remove_from_callback("stop_page_number","cstoppage")}}
81
82 \def\coffeestainize{ %% to be implemented.
83   \directlua{}}
84 \def\uncoffeestainize{
85   \directlua{}}
86
87 \def\colorstretch{
88   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",colorstretch,"stretch_expansion")}
89 \def\uncolorstretch{
90   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","stretch_expansion")}}
91
92 \def\countglyphs{
93   \directlua{
94     counted_glyphs_by_code = {}
95     for i = 1,10000 do
96       counted_glyphs_by_code[i] = 0
97     end
98     glyphnumber = 0 spacenumber = 0
99     luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",countglyphs,"countglyphs")
100    luatexbase.add_to_callback("stop_run",printglyphnumber,"printglyphnumber")
101   }
102 }
103
104 \def\countwords{
105   \directlua{wordnumber = 0
106     luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",countwords,"countwords")
107     luatexbase.add_to_callback("stop_run",printwordnumber,"printwordnumber")
108   }
109 }
110
111 \def\detectdoublewords{
112   \directlua{
113     luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",detectdoublewords,"detectdoublewords")
114     luatexbase.add_to_callback("stop_run",printdoublewords,"printdoublewords")
115   }
116 }
117
118 \def\dosomethingfunny{
119   %% should execute one of the "funny" commands, but randomly. So every compilation is complete
120   functions. Maybe also on a per-paragraph-basis?
121 }
122 \def\dubstepenize{

```

```

123 \chickenize
124 \directlua{
125     chickenstring[1] = "WOB"
126     chickenstring[2] = "WOB"
127     chickenstring[3] = "WOB"
128     chickenstring[4] = "BROOOAR"
129     chickenstring[5] = "WHEE"
130     chickenstring[6] = "WOB WOB WOB"
131     chickenstring[7] = "WAAAAAAAAAH"
132     chickenstring[8] = "duhduh duhduh duh"
133     chickenstring[9] = "BEEEEEEEEEW"
134     chickenstring[10] = "DEEEEEEEEEW"
135     chickenstring[11] = "EEEEEW"
136     chickenstring[12] = "boop"
137     chickenstring[13] = "buhdee"
138     chickenstring[14] = "bee bee"
139     chickenstring[15] = "BZZRRRRRRRROOOOOOAAAAA"
140
141     chickenizefraction = 1
142 }
143 }
144 \let\dubstepize\dubstepenize
145
146 \def\explainbackslashes{ %% inspired by xkcd #1638
147   {\tt\noindent
148     \textbackslash escape character\\
149     \textbackslash\textbackslash line end or escaped escape character in tex.print("")\\
150     \textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash real, real backslash\\
151     \textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash line end in tex.print("")\\
152     \textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash elder backslash \\
153     \textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash backslash wh
154     \textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash
155     \textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash
156     \textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash\textbackslash
       eater}
157 }
158
159 \def\gameoflife{
160   Your Life Is Tetris. Stop Playing It Like Chess.
161 }
162
163 \def\guttenbergenize{ %% makes only sense when using LaTeX
164   \AtBeginDocument{
165     \let\grqq\relax\let\glqq\relax
166     \let\frqq\relax\let\flqq\relax
167     \let\grq\relax\let\glq\relax

```

```

168 \let\frq\relax\let\flq\relax
169 %
170 \gdef\footnote##1{}
171 \gdef\cite##1{}\gdef\parencite##1{}
172 \gdef\Cite##1{}\gdef\Parencite##1{}
173 \gdef\cites##1{}\gdef\parencites##1{}
174 \gdef\Cites##1{}\gdef\Parencites##1{}
175 \gdef\footcite##1{}\gdef\footcitetext##1{}
176 \gdef\footcites##1{}\gdef\footcitetexts##1{}
177 \gdef\textcite##1{}\gdef\Textcite##1{}
178 \gdef\textcites##1{}\gdef\Textcites##1{}
179 \gdef\smartcites##1{}\gdef\Smartcites##1{}
180 \gdef\supercite##1{}\gdef\Supercites##1{}
181 \gdef\autocite##1{}\gdef\Autocite##1{}
182 \gdef\autocites##1{}\gdef\Autocites##1{}
183 %% many, many missing ... maybe we need to tackle the underlying mechanism?
184 }
185 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",guttenbergenize_rq,"guttenbergenize
186 }
187
188 \def\hammertime{
189 \global\let\n\relax
190 \directlua{hammerfirst = true
191 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",hammertime,"hammertime")}}
192 \def\unhammertime{
193 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","hammertime")}}
194
195 \let\hendlnize\chickenize % homage to Hendl/Chicken
196 \let\unhendlnize\unchickenize % may the soldering strength always be with him
197
198 % \def\itsame{
199 % \directlua{drawmario}} %%% does not exist
200
201 \def\kernmanipulate{
202 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",kernmanipulate,"kernmanipulate")}}
203 \def\unkernmanipulate{
204 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",kernmanipulate)}}
205
206 \def\leetspeak{
207 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",leet,"1337")}}
208 \def\unleetspeak{
209 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","1337")}}
210
211 \def\leftsideright#1{
212 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",leftsideright,"leftsideright")}}
213 \directlua{

```

```

214     leftsiderightindex = {#1}
215     leftsiderightarray = {}
216     for _,i in pairs(leftsiderightindex) do
217         leftsiderightarray[i] = true
218     end
219 }
220 }
221 \def\unleftsideright{
222   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","leftsideright")}}
223
224 \def\letterspaceadjust{
225   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",letterspaceadjust,"letterspaceadjust")}
226 \def\unletterspaceadjust{
227   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","letterspaceadjust")}}
228
229 \def\listallcommands{
230   \directlua{
231     for name in pairs(tex.hashtokens()) do
232       print(name)
233     end}
234 }
235
236 \let\stealsheep\letterspaceadjust      %% synonym in honor of Paul
237 \let\unstealsheep\unletterspaceadjust
238 \let\returnsheep\unletterspaceadjust
239
240 \def\matrixize{
241   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",matrixize,"matrixize")}}
242 \def\unmatrixize{
243   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","matrixize")}}
244
245 \def\milkcow{      %% FIXME %% to be implemented
246   \directlua{}}
247 \def\unmilkcow{
248   \directlua{}}
249
250 \def\medievalumlaut{
251   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",medievalumlaut,"medievalumlaut")}}
252 \def\unmedievalumlaut{
253   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","medievalumlaut")}}
254
255 \def\pancakenize{
256   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("stop_run",pancaketext,"pancaketext")}}
257
258 \def\rainbowcolor{
259   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",randomcolor,"rainbowcolor")}

```

```

260         rainbowcolor = true}}
261 \def\unrainbowcolor{
262   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","rainbowcolor")}
263         rainbowcolor = false}}
264 \let\nyanize\rainbowcolor
265 \let\unnyanize\unrainbowcolor
266
267 \def\randomchars{
268   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",randomchars,"randomchars")}}
269 \def\unrandomchars{
270   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","randomchars")}}
271
272 \def\randomcolor{
273   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",randomcolor,"randomcolor")}}
274 \def\unrandomcolor{
275   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","randomcolor")}}
276
277 \def\randomerror{ %% FIXME
278   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",randomerror,"randomerror")}}
279 \def\unrandomerror{ %% FIXME
280   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","randomerror")}}
281
282 \def\randomfonts{
283   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",randomfonts,"randomfonts")}}
284 \def\unrandomfonts{
285   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","randomfonts")}}
286
287 \def\randomuclc{
288   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",randomuclc,"randomuclc")}}
289 \def\unrandomuclc{
290   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","randomuclc")}}
291
292 \let\rongorongonize\boustrophedoninverse
293 \let\unrongorongonize\unboustrophedoninverse
294
295 \def\scorpionize{
296   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",scorpionize_color,"scorpionize_color")}}
297 \def\unscorpionize{
298   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","scorpionize_color")}}
299
300 \def\spankmonkey{    %% to be implemented
301   \directlua{}}
302 \def\unspankmonkey{
303   \directlua{}}
304
305 \def\substitutewords{

```

```

306 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("process_input_buffer",substitutewords,"substitutewords")}
307 \def\unsubstitutewords{
308 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("process_input_buffer","substitutewords")}}
309
310 \def\addtosubstitutions#1#2{
311 \directlua{addtosubstitutions("#1","#2")}}
312 }
313
314 \def\suppressonecharbreak{
315 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",suppressonecharbreak,"suppressonec
316 \def\unsuppressonecharbreak{
317 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","suppressonecharbreak")}}
318
319 \def\tabularasa{
320 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",tabularasa,"tabularasa")}}
321 \def\untabularasa{
322 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","tabularasa")}}
323
324 \def\tanjanize{
325 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",tanjanize,"tanjanize")}}
326 \def\untanjanize{
327 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","tanjanize")}}
328
329 \def\uppercasecolor{
330 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",uppercasecolor,"uppercasecolor")}}
331 \def\unuppercasecolor{
332 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","uppercasecolor")}}
333
334 \def\upsideown#1{
335 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",upsideown,"upsideown")}}
336 \directlua{
337     upsideownindex = {#1}
338     upsideownarray = {}
339     for _,i in pairs(upsideownindex) do
340         upsideownarray[i] = true
341     end
342 }
343 }
344 \def\unupsideown{
345 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","upsideown")}}
346
347 \def\variantjustification{
348 \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",variantjustification,"variantjust.
349 \def\unvariantjustification{
350 \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","variantjustification")}}
351

```

```

352 \def\zebranize{
353   \directlua{luatexbase.add_to_callback("post_linebreak_filter",zebranize,"zebranize")}}
354 \def\unzebranize{
355   \directlua{luatexbase.remove_from_callback("post_linebreak_filter","zebranize")}}

```

Now the setup for the `\text`-versions. We utilize LuaTeX's attributes to mark all nodes that should be manipulated. The macros should be `\long` to allow arbitrary input.

```

356 \newattribute\leetattr
357 \newattribute\letterspaceadjustattr
358 \newattribute\randcolorattr
359 \newattribute\randfontssattr
360 \newattribute\randuclcatr
361 \newattribute\tabularasaaattr
362 \newattribute\uppercasecolorattr
363
364 \long\def\textleetspeak#1%
365   {\setluatexattribute\leetattr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\leetattr}
366
367 \long\def\textletterspaceadjust#1{
368   \setluatexattribute\letterspaceadjustattr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\letterspaceadjustattr
369   \directlua{
370     if (textletterspaceadjustactive) then else % -- if already active, do nothing
371       luatexbase.add_to_callback("pre_linebreak_filter",textletterspaceadjust,"textletterspaceadj
372     end
373     textletterspaceadjustactive = true           % -- set to active
374   }
375 }
376 \let\textlsa\textletterspaceadjust
377
378 \long\def\textrandomcolor#1%
379   {\setluatexattribute\randcolorattr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\randcolorattr}
380 \long\def\textrandomfontss#1%
381   {\setluatexattribute\randfontssattr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\randfontssattr}
382 \long\def\textrandomfontsa#1%
383   {\setluatexattribute\randfontsaattr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\randfontsaattr}
384 \long\def\textrandomuclc#1%
385   {\setluatexattribute\randuclcatr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\randuclcatr}
386 \long\def\texttabularasa#1%
387   {\setluatexattribute\tabularasaaattr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\tabularasaaattr}
388 \long\def\textuppercasecolor#1%
389   {\setluatexattribute\uppercasecolorattr{42}#1\unsetluatexattribute\uppercasecolorattr}

```

Finally, a macro to control the setup. So far, it's only a wrapper that allows TeX-style comments to make the user feel more at home.

```

390 \def\chickenizesetup#1{\directlua{#1}}

```

The following is the very first try of implementing a small drawing language in Lua. It draws a beautiful chicken.

```

391 \long\def\luadraw#1#2{%
392   \vbox to #1bp{%
393     \vfil
394     \latelua{pdf_print("q") #2 pdf_print("Q")}%
395   }%
396 }
397 \long\def\drawchicken{
398   \luadraw{90}{
399     chickenhead      = {200,50} % chicken head center
400     chickenhead_rad = 20
401
402     neckstart = {215,35} % neck
403     neckstop  = {230,10} %
404
405     chickenbody      = {260,-10}
406     chickenbody_rad = 40
407     chickenleg = {
408       {{260,-50},{250,-70},{235,-70}},
409       {{270,-50},{260,-75},{245,-75}}
410     }
411
412     beak_top = {185,55}
413     beak_front = {165,45}
414     beak_bottom = {185,35}
415
416     wing_front = {260,-10}
417     wing_bottom = {280,-40}
418     wing_back = {275,-15}
419
420     sloppycircle(chickenhead,chickenhead_rad) sloppycircle(neckstart,neckstop)
421     sloppycircle(chickenbody,chickenbody_rad)
422     sloppycircle(chickenleg[1][1],chickenleg[1][2]) sloppycircle(chickenleg[1][2],chickenleg[1][3])
423     sloppycircle(chickenleg[2][1],chickenleg[2][2]) sloppycircle(chickenleg[2][2],chickenleg[2][3])
424     sloppycircle(beak_front,beak_top) sloppycircle(beak_front,beak_bottom)
425     sloppycircle(wing_front,wing_bottom) sloppycircle(wing_back,wing_bottom)
426   }
427 }

```

## 9 L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X package

I have decided to keep the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X-part of this package as small as possible. So far, it does ... nothing useful, but it provides a `chickenize.sty` that loads `chickenize.tex` so the user can still say `\usepackage{chickenize}`. This file will never support package options!

Some code might be implemented to manipulate figures for full chickenization. However, I will *not* load any packages at this place, as loading of `expl3` or `TikZ` or whatever takes too much time for such a tiny

package like this one. If you require any of the features presented here, you have to load the packages on your own. Maybe this will change.

```
428 \ProvidesPackage{chickenize}%
429 [2017/08/19 v0.2.5 chickenize package]
430 \input{chickenize}
```

## 9.1 Free Compliments

431

## 9.2 Definition of User-Level Macros

Nothing done so far, just some minor ideas. If you want to implement some cool things, contact me! :)

```
432 \iffalse
433 \DeclareDocumentCommand\includegraphics{0{m}}{
434   \fbox{Chicken} %% actually, I'd love to draw an MP graph showing a chicken ...
435 }
436 %%% specials: the balmerpeak. A tribute to http://xkcd.com/323/.
437 %% So far, you have to load pgfplots yourself.
438 %% As it is a mighty package, I don't want the user to force loading it.
439 \NewDocumentCommand\balmerpeak{G{}0{-4cm}}{
440 %% to be done using Lua drawing.
441 }
442 \fi
```

## 10 Lua Module

This file contains all the necessary functions and is the actual work horse of this package. The functions are sorted strictly alphabetically (or, they *should* be ...) and not by sense, functionality or anything.

First, we set up some constants that are used by many of the following functions. These are made global so the code can be manipulated at the document level, too.

```
443
444 local nodeid    = node.id
445 local nodecopy  = node.copy
446 local nodenew   = node.new
447 local nodetail  = node.tail
448 local nodeslide = node.slide
449 local noderemove = node.remove
450 local nodetraverseid = node.traverse_id
451 local nodeinsertafter = node.insert_after
452 local nodeinsertbefore = node.insert_before
453
454 Hhead = nodeid("hhead")
455 RULE  = nodeid("rule")
456 GLUE  = nodeid("glue")
457 WHAT  = nodeid("whatsit")
```

```

458 COL    = node.subtype("pdf_colorstack")
459 DISC   = nodeid("disc")
460 GLYPH  = nodeid("glyph")
461 GLUE   = nodeid("glue")
462 HLIST  = nodeid("hlist")
463 KERN   = nodeid("kern")
464 PUNCT  = nodeid("punct")
465 PENALTY = nodeid("penalty")
466 PDF_LITERAL = node.subtype("pdf_literal")

```

Now we set up the nodes used for all color things. The nodes are whatsits of subtype pdf\_colorstack.

```

467 color_push = nodenew(WHAT, COL)
468 color_pop  = nodenew(WHAT, COL)
469 color_push.stack = 0
470 color_pop.stack  = 0
471 color_push.command = 1
472 color_pop.command = 2

```

## 10.1 chickenize

The infamous `\chickenize` macro. Substitutes every word of the input with the given string. This can be elaborated arbitrarily, and whenever I feel like, I might add functionality. So far, only the string replaces the word, and even hyphenation is not possible.

```

473 chicken_pagenumbers = true
474
475 chickenstring = {}
476 chickenstring[1] = "chicken" -- chickenstring is a table, please remeber this!
477
478 chickenizefraction = 0.5
479 -- set this to a small value to fool somebody, or to see if your text has been read carefully. Th
480 chicken_substitutions = 0 -- value to count the substituted chickens. Makes sense for testing you
481
482 local match = unicode.utf8.match
483 chickenize_ignore_word = false

```

The function `chickenize_real_stuff` is started once the beginning of a to-be-substituted word is found.

```

484 chickenize_real_stuff = function(i, head)
485     while ((i.next.id == GLYPH) or (i.next.id == KERN) or (i.next.id == DISC) or (i.next.id == HL
         find end of a word
486         i.next = i.next.next
487     end
488
489     chicken = {} -- constructing the node list.
490
491 -- Should this be done only once? No, otherwise we lose the freedom to change the string in-
         document.
492 -- But it could be done only once each paragraph as in-paragraph changes are not possible!

```

```

493
494   chickenstring_tmp = chickenstring[math.random(1,#chickenstring)]
495   chicken[0] = nodenew(GLYPH,1) -- only a dummy for the loop
496   for i = 1,string.len(chickenstring_tmp) do
497       chicken[i] = nodenew(GLYPH,1)
498       chicken[i].font = font.current()
499       chicken[i-1].next = chicken[i]
500   end
501
502   j = 1
503   for s in string.utfvalues(chickenstring_tmp) do
504       local char = unicode.utf8.char(s)
505       chicken[j].char = s
506       if match(char,"%s") then
507           chicken[j] = nodenew(GLUE)
508           chicken[j].width = space
509           chicken[j].shrink = shrink
510           chicken[j].stretch = stretch
511       end
512       j = j+1
513   end
514
515   nodeslide(chicken[1])
516   lang.hyphenate(chicken[1])
517   chicken[1] = node.kerning(chicken[1]) -- FIXME: does not work
518   chicken[1] = node.ligaturing(chicken[1]) -- dito
519
520   nodeinsertbefore(head,i,chicken[1])
521   chicken[1].next = chicken[2] -- seems to be necessary ... to be fixed
522   chicken[string.len(chickenstring_tmp)].next = i.next
523
524   -- shift lowercase latin letter to uppercase if the original input was an uppercase
525   if (chickenize_capital and (chicken[1].char > 96 and chicken[1].char < 123)) then
526       chicken[1].char = chicken[1].char - 32
527   end
528
529   return head
530 end
531
532 chickenize = function(head)
533   for i in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,head) do --find start of a word
534       -- Random determination of the chickenization of the next word:
535       if math.random() > chickenizefraction then
536           chickenize_ignore_word = true
537       elseif chickencount then
538           chicken_substitutions = chicken_substitutions + 1

```

```

539     end
540
541     if (chickenize_ignore_word == false) then -- normal case: at the beginning of a word, we jump
542         if (i.char > 64 and i.char < 91) then chickenize_capital = true else chickenize_capital = false
543         head = chickenize_real_stuff(i,head)
544     end
545
546 -- At the end of the word, the ignoring is reset. New chance for everyone.
547     if not((i.next.id == GLYPH) or (i.next.id == DISC) or (i.next.id == PUNCT) or (i.next.id == KERN))
548         chickenize_ignore_word = false
549     end
550 end
551 return head
552 end
553

```

A small additional feature: Some nice text to cheer up the user. Mainly to show that and how we can access the `stop_run` callback. (see above)

```

554 local separator      = string.rep("=", 28)
555 local texiowrite_nl = texio.write_nl
556 nicetext = function()
557     texiowrite_nl("Output written on "..tex.jobname.." pdf ("..status.total_pages.." chicken, "..status.elapsed_time.." seconds)")
558     texiowrite_nl(" ")
559     texiowrite_nl(separator)
560     texiowrite_nl("Hello my dear user,")
561     texiowrite_nl("good job, now go outside and enjoy the world!")
562     texiowrite_nl(" ")
563     texiowrite_nl("And don't forget to feed your chicken!")
564     texiowrite_nl(separator .. "\n")
565     if chickencount then
566         texiowrite_nl("There were "..chicken_substitutions.." substitutions made.")
567     end
568 end
569 end

```

## 10.2 boustrophedon

There are two implementations of the boustrophedon: One reverses every line as a whole, the other one changes the writing direction and reverses glyphs one by one. The latter one might be more reliable, but takes considerably more time.

Linewise rotation:

```

570 boustrophedon = function(head)
571     rot = node.new(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
572     rot2 = node.new(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
573     odd = true
574     for line in node.traverse_id(0,head) do
575         if odd == false then

```

```

576     w = line.width/65536*0.99625 -- empirical correction factor (?)
577     rot.data = "-1 0 0 1 " .. w .. " 0 cm"
578     rot2.data = "-1 0 0 1 " .. -w .. " 0 cm"
579     line.head = node.insert_before(line.head,line.head,nodecopy(rot))
580     nodeinsertafter(line.head,nodecopy(line.head),nodecopy(rot2))
581     odd = true
582   else
583     odd = false
584   end
585 end
586 return head
587 end

```

Glyphwise rotation:

```

588 boustrophedon_glyphs = function(head)
589   odd = false
590   rot = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
591   rot2 = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
592   for line in nodetraverseid(0,head) do
593     if odd==true then
594       line.dir = "TRT"
595       for g in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
596         w = -g.width/65536*0.99625
597         rot.data = "-1 0 0 1 " .. w .. " 0 cm"
598         rot2.data = "-1 0 0 1 " .. -w .. " 0 cm"
599         line.head = node.insert_before(line.head,g,nodecopy(rot))
600         nodeinsertafter(line.head,g,nodecopy(rot2))
601       end
602       odd = false
603     else
604       line.dir = "TLT"
605       odd = true
606     end
607   end
608   return head
609 end

```

Inverse boustrophedon. At least I think, this is the way Rongorongo is written. However, the top-to-bottom direction has to be inverted, too.

```

610 boustrophedon_inverse = function(head)
611   rot = node.new(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
612   rot2 = node.new(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
613   odd = true
614   for line in node.traverse_id(0,head) do
615     if odd == false then
616 texio.write_nl(line.height)
617       w = line.width/65536*0.99625 -- empirical correction factor (?)

```

```

618     h = line.height/65536*0.99625
619     rot.data = "-1 0 0 -1 "..w.." "..h.." cm"
620     rot2.data = "-1 0 0 -1"..-w.." "..0.5*h.." cm"
621     line.head = node.insert_before(line.head,line.head,node.copy(rot))
622     node.insert_after(line.head,node.tail(line.head),node.copy(rot2))
623     odd = true
624     else
625         odd = false
626     end
627 end
628 return head
629 end

```

### 10.3 bubblesort

Bubblesort is to be implemented. Why? Because it's funny.

```

630 function bubblesort(head)
631   for line in nodetraverseid(0,head) do
632     for glyph in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
633
634     end
635   end
636   return head
637 end

```

### 10.4 countglyphs

Counts the glyphs in your document. Where “glyph” means every printed character in everything that is a paragraph – formulas do *not* work! Captions of floats etc. also will *not* work. However, hyphenations *do* work and the hyphen sign *is counted!* And that is the sole reason for this function – every simple script could read the letters in a document, but only after the hyphenation it is possible to count the real number of printed characters – where the hyphen does count.

Not only the total number of glyphs is recorded, but also the number of glyphs by character code. By this, you know exactly how many “a” or “B” you used. A feature of category “completely useless”.

Spaces are also counted, but only spaces between glyphs in the output (i. e. nothing at the end/beginning of the lines), excluding indentation.

This function will (maybe, upon request) be extended to allow counting of whatever you want.

Take care: This will slow down the compilation extremely, by about a factor of 2! Only use for playing around or counting a final version of your document!

```

638 countglyphs = function(head)
639   for line in nodetraverseid(0,head) do
640     for glyph in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
641       glyphnumber = glyphnumber + 1
642       if (glyph.next.next) then
643         if (glyph.next.id == 10) and (glyph.next.next.id == GLYPH) then
644           spacenumber = spacenumber + 1

```

```

645         end
646         counted_glyphs_by_code[glyph.char] = counted_glyphs_by_code[glyph.char] + 1
647     end
648 end
649 end
650 return head
651 end

```

To print out the number at the end of the document, the following function is registered in the `stop_run` callback. This will prevent the normal message from being printed, informing the user about page and memory stats etc. But I guess when counting characters, everything else does not matter at all? ...

```

652 printglyphnumber = function()
653     texiowrite_nl("\nNumber of glyphs by character code (only up to 127):")
654     for i = 1,127 do --%% FIXME: should allow for more characters, but cannot be printed to console
655         texiowrite_nl(string.char(i)..": "..counted_glyphs_by_code[i])
656     end
657
658     texiowrite_nl("\nTotal number of glyphs in this document: "..glyphnumber)
659     texiowrite_nl("Number of spaces in this document: "..spacenumber)
660     texiowrite_nl("Glyphs plus spaces: "..glyphnumber+spacenumber.." \n")
661 end

```

## 10.5 countwords

Counts the number of words in the document. The function works directly before the line breaking, so all macros are expanded. A “word” then is everything that is between two spaces before paragraph formatting. The beginning of a paragraph is a word, and the last word of a paragraph is accounted for by explicit increasing the counter, as no space token follows.

```

662 countwords = function(head)
663     for glyph in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,head) do
664         if (glyph.next.id == 10) then
665             wordnumber = wordnumber + 1
666         end
667     end
668     wordnumber = wordnumber + 1 -- add 1 for the last word in a paragraph which is not found otherwise
669     return head
670 end

```

Printing is done at the end of the compilation in the `stop_run` callback:

```

671 printwordnumber = function()
672     texiowrite_nl("\nNumber of words in this document: "..wordnumber)
673 end

```

## 10.6 detectdoublewords

```

674 %% FIXME: Does this work? ...
675 function detectdoublewords(head)

```

```

676 prevlastword = {} -- array of numbers representing the glyphs
677 prevfirstword = {}
678 newlastword = {}
679 newfirstword = {}
680 for line in nodetraverseid(0,head) do
681   for g in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
682 texio.write_nl("next glyph",#newfirstword+1)
683     newfirstword[#newfirstword+1] = g.char
684     if (g.next.id == 10) then break end
685   end
686 texio.write_nl("nfw:"..#newfirstword)
687 end
688 end
689
690 function printdoublewords()
691 texio.write_nl("finished")
692 end

```

## 10.7 guttenbergenize

A function in honor of the German politician Gutenberg.<sup>11</sup> Please do *not* confuse him with the grand master Gutenberg!

Calling `\guttenbergenize` will not only execute or manipulate Lua code, but also redefine some  $\TeX$  or  $\LaTeX$  commands. The aim is to remove all quotations, footnotes and anything that will give information about the real sources of your work.

The following Lua function will remove all quotation marks from the input. Again, the `pre_linebreak_filter` is used for this, although it should be rather removed in the input filter or so.

### 10.7.1 guttenbergenize – preliminaries

This is a nice solution Lua offers for our needs. Learn it, this might be helpful for you sometime, too.

```

693 local quotestrings = {
694   [171] = true, [172] = true,
695   [8216] = true, [8217] = true, [8218] = true,
696   [8219] = true, [8220] = true, [8221] = true,
697   [8222] = true, [8223] = true,
698   [8248] = true, [8249] = true, [8250] = true,
699 }

```

### 10.7.2 guttenbergenize – the function

```

700 guttenbergenize_rq = function(head)
701   for n in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph",head) do
702     local i = n.char
703     if quotestrings[i] then

```

---

<sup>11</sup>Thanks to Jasper for bringing me to this idea!

```

704     noderemove(head,n)
705   end
706 end
707 return head
708 end

```

## 10.8 hammertime

This is a completely useless function. It just prints STOP! – HAMMERTIME at the beginning of the first paragraph after `\hammertime`, and “U can’t touch this” for every following one. As the function writes to the terminal, you have to be sure that your terminal is line-buffered and not block-buffered. Compare the explanation by Taco on the LuaTeX mailing list.<sup>12</sup>

```

709 hammertimedelay = 1.2
710 local htime_separator = string.rep("=", 30) .. "\n" -- slightly inconsistent with the "nicetext"
711 hammertime = function(head)
712   if hammerfirst then
713     texiowrite_nl(htime_separator)
714     texiowrite_nl("====STOP!====\n")
715     texiowrite_nl(htime_separator .. "\n\n")
716     os.sleep (hammertimedelay*1.5)
717     texiowrite_nl(htime_separator .. "\n")
718     texiowrite_nl("====HAMMERTIME====\n")
719     texiowrite_nl(htime_separator .. "\n\n")
720     os.sleep (hammertimedelay)
721     hammerfirst = false
722   else
723     os.sleep (hammertimedelay)
724     texiowrite_nl(htime_separator)
725     texiowrite_nl("====U can't touch this!====\n")
726     texiowrite_nl(htime_separator .. "\n\n")
727     os.sleep (hammertimedelay*0.5)
728   end
729   return head
730 end

```

## 10.9 itsame

The (very first, very basic, very stupid) code to draw a small mario. You need to input `luadraw.tex` or do `luadraw.lua` for the rectangle function.

```

731 itsame = function()
732 local mr = function(a,b) rectangle({a*10,b*-10},10,10) end
733 color = "1 .6 0"
734 for i = 6,9 do mr(i,3) end
735 for i = 3,11 do mr(i,4) end
736 for i = 3,12 do mr(i,5) end

```

---

<sup>12</sup><http://tug.org/pipermail/luatex/2011-November/003355.html>

```

737 for i = 4,8 do mr(i,6) end
738 for i = 4,10 do mr(i,7) end
739 for i = 1,12 do mr(i,11) end
740 for i = 1,12 do mr(i,12) end
741 for i = 1,12 do mr(i,13) end
742
743 color = ".3 .5 .2"
744 for i = 3,5 do mr(i,3) end mr(8,3)
745 mr(2,4) mr(4,4) mr(8,4)
746 mr(2,5) mr(4,5) mr(5,5) mr(9,5)
747 mr(2,6) mr(3,6) for i = 8,11 do mr(i,6) end
748 for i = 3,8 do mr(i,8) end
749 for i = 2,11 do mr(i,9) end
750 for i = 1,12 do mr(i,10) end
751 mr(3,11) mr(10,11)
752 for i = 2,4 do mr(i,15) end for i = 9,11 do mr(i,15) end
753 for i = 1,4 do mr(i,16) end for i = 9,12 do mr(i,16) end
754
755 color = "1 0 0"
756 for i = 4,9 do mr(i,1) end
757 for i = 3,12 do mr(i,2) end
758 for i = 8,10 do mr(5,i) end
759 for i = 5,8 do mr(i,10) end
760 mr(8,9) mr(4,11) mr(6,11) mr(7,11) mr(9,11)
761 for i = 4,9 do mr(i,12) end
762 for i = 3,10 do mr(i,13) end
763 for i = 3,5 do mr(i,14) end
764 for i = 7,10 do mr(i,14) end
765 end

```

## 10.10 kernmanipulate

This function either eliminates all the kerning, inverts the sign of the kerning or changes it to a user-given value.

If the boolean `chickeninvertkerning` is true, the kerning amount is negative, if it is false, the kerning will be set to the value of `chickenkernvalue`. A large value (> 100 000) can be used to show explicitly where kerns are inserted. Good for educational use.

```

766 chickenkernamount = 0
767 chickeninvertkerning = false
768
769 function kernmanipulate (head)
770   if chickeninvertkerning then -- invert the kerning
771     for n in nodetraverseid(11,head) do
772       n.kern = -n.kern
773     end
774   else -- if not, set it to the given value

```

```

775     for n in nodetraverseid(11,head) do
776         n.kern = chickenkernamount
777     end
778 end
779 return head
780 end

```

## 10.11 leetspeak

The leettable is the substitution scheme. Just add items if you feel to. Maybe we will differ between a light-weight version and a hardcore 1337.

```

781 leetspeak_onlytext = false
782 leettable = {
783     [101] = 51, -- E
784     [105] = 49, -- I
785     [108] = 49, -- L
786     [111] = 48, -- O
787     [115] = 53, -- S
788     [116] = 55, -- T
789
790     [101-32] = 51, -- e
791     [105-32] = 49, -- i
792     [108-32] = 49, -- l
793     [111-32] = 48, -- o
794     [115-32] = 53, -- s
795     [116-32] = 55, -- t
796 }

```

And here the function itself. So simple that I will not write any

```

797 leet = function(head)
798     for line in nodetraverseid(Hhead,head) do
799         for i in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
800             if not leetspeak_onlytext or
801                 node.has_attribute(i,luatexbase.attributes.leetattr)
802             then
803                 if leettable[i.char] then
804                     i.char = leettable[i.char]
805                 end
806             end
807         end
808     end
809     return head
810 end

```

## 10.12 leftsideright

This function mirrors each glyph given in the array of leftsiderightarray horizontally.

```

811 leftsideright = function(head)
812   local factor = 65536/0.99626
813   for n in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,head) do
814     if (leftsiderightarray[n.char]) then
815       shift = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
816       shift2 = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
817       shift.data = "q -1 0 0 1 " .. n.width/factor .. " 0 cm"
818       shift2.data = "Q 1 0 0 1 " .. n.width/factor .. " 0 cm"
819       nodeinsertbefore(head,n,shift)
820       nodeinsertafter(head,n,shift2)
821     end
822   end
823   return head
824 end

```

### 10.13 letterspaceadjust

Yet another piece of code by Paul. This is primarily intended for very narrow columns, but may also increase the overall quality of typesetting. Basically, it does nothing else than adding expandable space *between* letters. This way, the amount of stretching between words can be reduced which will, hopefully, result in the greyness to be more equally distributed over the page.

Why the synonym stealsheep? Because of a comment of Paul on the texhax mailing list: <http://tug.org/pipermail/texhax/2011-October/018374.html>

#### 10.13.1 setup of variables

```

825 local letterspace_glue = nodenew(nodeid"glue")
826 local letterspace_pen = nodenew(nodeid"penalty")
827
828 letterspace_glue.width = tex.sp"0pt"
829 letterspace_glue.stretch = tex.sp"0.5pt"
830 letterspace_pen.penalty = 10000

```

#### 10.13.2 function implementation

```

831 letterspaceadjust = function(head)
832   for glyph in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph", head) do
833     if glyph.prev and (glyph.prev.id == nodeid"glyph" or glyph.prev.id == nodeid"disc" or glyph.p
834       local g = nodecopy(letterspace_glue)
835       nodeinsertbefore(head, glyph, g)
836       nodeinsertbefore(head, g, nodecopy(letterspace_pen))
837     end
838   end
839   return head
840 end

```

### 10.13.3 textletterspaceadjust

The `\text...`-version of `letterspaceadjust`. Just works, without the need to call `\letterspaceadjust` globally or anything else. Just put the `\textletterspaceadjust` around the part of text you want the function to work on. Might have problems with surrounding spacing, take care!

```
841 textletterspaceadjust = function(head)
842   for glyph in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph", head) do
843     if node.has_attribute(glyph,luatexbase.attributes.letterspaceadjustattr) then
844       if glyph.prev and (glyph.prev.id == node.id"glyph" or glyph.prev.id == node.id"disc" or gly
845         local g = node.copy(letterspace_glue)
846         nodeinsertbefore(head, glyph, g)
847         nodeinsertbefore(head, g, nodecopy(letterspace_pen))
848       end
849     end
850   end
851   luatexbase.remove_from_callback("pre_linebreak_filter","textletterspaceadjust")
852   return head
853 end
```

### 10.14 matrixize

Substitutes every glyph by a representation of its ASCII value. Might be extended to cover the entire unicode range, but so far only 8bit is supported. The code is quite straight-forward and works OK. The line ends are not necessarily adjusted correctly. However, with microtype, i. e. font expansion, everything looks fine.

```
854 matrixize = function(head)
855   x = {}
856   s = nodenew(nodeid"disc")
857   for n in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph",head) do
858     j = n.char
859     for m = 0,7 do -- stay ASCII for now
860       x[7-m] = nodecopy(n) -- to get the same font etc.
861     end
862     if (j / (2^(7-m)) < 1) then
863       x[7-m].char = 48
864     else
865       x[7-m].char = 49
866       j = j-(2^(7-m))
867     end
868     nodeinsertbefore(head,n,x[7-m])
869     nodeinsertafter(head,x[7-m],nodecopy(s))
870   end
871   noderemove(head,n)
872 end
873 return head
874 end
```

## 10.15 medievalumlaut

Changes the umlauts ä, ö, ü into a, o, u with an e as an accent. The exact position of the e is adapted for each glyph, but that is only tested with one font. Other fonts might f\*ck up everything.

For this, we define node representing the e (which then is copied every time) and two nodes that shift the e to where it belongs by using pdf matrix-nodes. An additional kern node shifts the space that the e took back so that everything ends up in the right place. All this happens in the `post_linebreak_filter` to enable normal hyphenation and line breaking. Well, `pre_linebreak_filter` would also have done ...

```
875 medievalumlaut = function(head)
876   local factor = 65536/0.99626
877   local org_e_node = nodenew(GLYPH)
878   org_e_node.char = 101
879   for line in nodetraverseid(0,head) do
880     for n in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
881       if (n.char == 228 or n.char == 246 or n.char == 252) then
882         e_node = nodecopy(org_e_node)
883         e_node.font = n.font
884         shift = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
885         shift2 = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
886         shift2.data = "Q 1 0 0 1 " .. e_node.width/factor .. " 0 cm"
887         nodeinsertafter(head,n,e_node)
888
889         nodeinsertbefore(head,e_node,shift)
890         nodeinsertafter(head,e_node,shift2)
891
892         x_node = nodenew(KERN)
893         x_node.kern = -e_node.width
894         nodeinsertafter(head,shift2,x_node)
895       end
896
897       if (n.char == 228) then -- ä
898         shift.data = "q 0.5 0 0 0.5 " ..
899           -n.width/factor*0.85 .. " " .. n.height/factor*0.75 .. " cm"
900         n.char = 97
901       end
902       if (n.char == 246) then -- ö
903         shift.data = "q 0.5 0 0 0.5 " ..
904           -n.width/factor*0.75 .. " " .. n.height/factor*0.75 .. " cm"
905         n.char = 111
906       end
907       if (n.char == 252) then -- ü
908         shift.data = "q 0.5 0 0 0.5 " ..
909           -n.width/factor*0.75 .. " " .. n.height/factor*0.75 .. " cm"
910         n.char = 117
911       end
912     end
913   end
```

```

913 end
914 return head
915 end

```

## 10.16 pancakenize

```

916 local separator      = string.rep("=", 28)
917 local texiowrite_nl = texio.write_nl
918 pancaketext = function()
919   texiowrite_nl("Output written on "..tex.jobname..".pdf ("..status.total_pages.." chicken,".." e
920   texiowrite_nl(" ")
921   texiowrite_nl(separator)
922   texiowrite_nl("Soo ... you decided to use \\pancakenize.")
923   texiowrite_nl("That means you owe me a pancake!")
924   texiowrite_nl(" ")
925   texiowrite_nl("(This goes by document, not compilation.)")
926   texiowrite_nl(separator.."\\n\\n")
927   texiowrite_nl("Looking forward for my pancake! :)")
928   texiowrite_nl("\\n\\n")
929 end

```

## 10.17 randomerror

## 10.18 randomfonts

Traverses the output and substitutes fonts randomly. A check is done so that the font number is existing. One day, the fonts should be easily given explicitly in terms of `\bf` etc.

```

930 randomfontslower = 1
931 randomfontsupper = 0
932 %
933 randomfonts = function(head)
934   local rfub
935   if randomfontsupper > 0 then -- fixme: this should be done only once, no? Or at every paragraph
936     rfub = randomfontsupper -- user-specified value
937   else
938     rfub = font.max()      -- or just take all fonts
939   end
940   for line in nodetraverseid(Hhead,head) do
941     for i in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
942       if not(randomfonts_onlytext) or node.has_attribute(i,luatexbase.attributes.randfontsattrib) then
943         i.font = math.random(randomfontslower,rfub)
944       end
945     end
946   end
947   return head
948 end

```

## 10.19 randomuclc

Traverses the input list and changes lowercase/upercase codes.

```
949 uclcratio = 0.5 -- ratio between uppercase and lower case
950 randomuclc = function(head)
951   for i in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,head) do
952     if not(randomuclc_onlytext) or node.has_attribute(i,luatexbase.attributes.randuclcatr) then
953       if math.random() < uclcratio then
954         i.char = tex.uccode[i.char]
955       else
956         i.char = tex.lccode[i.char]
957       end
958     end
959   end
960   return head
961 end
```

## 10.20 randomchars

```
962 randomchars = function(head)
963   for line in nodetraverseid(Hhead,head) do
964     for i in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
965       i.char = math.floor(math.random()*512)
966     end
967   end
968   return head
969 end
```

## 10.21 randomcolor and rainbowcolor

### 10.21.1 randomcolor – preliminaries

Setup of the boolean for grey/color or rainbowcolor, and boundaries for the colors. RGB space is fully used, but greyscale is only used in a visible range, i. e. to 90% instead of 100% white.

```
970 randomcolor_grey = false
971 randomcolor_onlytext = false --switch between local and global colorization
972 rainbowcolor = false
973
974 grey_lower = 0
975 grey_upper = 900
976
977 Rgb_lower = 1
978 rGb_lower = 1
979 rgB_lower = 1
980 Rgb_upper = 254
981 rGb_upper = 254
982 rgB_upper = 254
```

Variables for the rainbow.  $1/\text{rainbow\_step} \times 5$  is the number of letters used for one cycle, the color changes from red to yellow to green to blue to purple.

```
983 rainbow_step = 0.005
984 rainbow_Rgb = 1-rainbow_step -- we start in the red phase
985 rainbow_rGb = rainbow_step -- values x must always be  $0 < x < 1$ 
986 rainbow_rgB = rainbow_step
987 rainind = 1 -- 1:red,2:yellow,3:green,4:blue,5:purple
```

This function produces the string needed for the pdf color stack. We need values 0].[1 for the colors.

```
988 randomcolorstring = function()
989   if randomcolor_grey then
990     return (0.001*math.random(grey_lower, grey_upper)).." g"
991   elseif rainbowcolor then
992     if rainind == 1 then -- red
993       rainbow_rGb = rainbow_rGb + rainbow_step
994       if rainbow_rGb >= 1-rainbow_step then rainind = 2 end
995     elseif rainind == 2 then -- yellow
996       rainbow_Rgb = rainbow_Rgb - rainbow_step
997       if rainbow_Rgb <= rainbow_step then rainind = 3 end
998     elseif rainind == 3 then -- green
999       rainbow_rgB = rainbow_rgB + rainbow_step
1000      rainbow_rGb = rainbow_rGb - rainbow_step
1001      if rainbow_rGb <= rainbow_step then rainind = 4 end
1002     elseif rainind == 4 then -- blue
1003       rainbow_Rgb = rainbow_Rgb + rainbow_step
1004       if rainbow_Rgb >= 1-rainbow_step then rainind = 5 end
1005     else -- purple
1006       rainbow_rgB = rainbow_rgB - rainbow_step
1007       if rainbow_rgB <= rainbow_step then rainind = 1 end
1008     end
1009     return rainbow_Rgb.." "..rainbow_rGb.." "..rainbow_rgB.." rg"
1010   else
1011     Rgb = math.random(Rgb_lower, Rgb_upper)/255
1012     rGb = math.random(rGb_lower, rGb_upper)/255
1013     rgB = math.random(rgB_lower, rgB_upper)/255
1014     return Rgb.." "..rGb.." "..rgB.." .." rg"
1015   end
1016 end
```

### 10.21.2 randomcolor – the function

The function that does all the colorizing action. It goes through the whole paragraph and looks at every glyph. If the boolean `randomcolor_onlytext` is set, only glyphs with the set attribute will be colored. Otherwise, all glyphs are taken.

```
1017 randomcolor = function(head)
1018   for line in nodetraverseid(0, head) do
```

```

1019   for i in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
1020     if not(randomcolor_onlytext) or
1021       (node.has_attribute(i,luatexbase.attributes.randcolorattr))
1022     then
1023       color_push.data = randomcolorstring() -- color or grey string
1024       line.head = nodeinsertbefore(line.head,i,nodecopy(color_push))
1025       nodeinsertafter(line.head,i,nodecopy(color_pop))
1026     end
1027   end
1028 end
1029 return head
1030 end

```

## 10.22 randomerror

```
1031 %
```

## 10.23 rickroll

Another tribute to pop culture. Either: substitute word-by-word as in pancake. OR: substitute each link to a youtube-rickroll ...

```
1032 %
```

## 10.24 substitutewords

This function is one of the rather usefull ones of this package. It replaces each occurrence of one word by another word, which both are specified by the user. So nothing random or funny, but a real serious function! There are three levels for this function: At user-level, the user just specifies two strings that are passed to the function `addtosubstitutions`. This is needed as the `#` has a special meaning both in  $\TeX$ s definitions and in Lua. In this second step, the list of substitutions is just extended, and the real work is done by the function `substituteword` which is registered in the `process_input_buffer` callback. Once the substitution list is built, the rest is very simple: We just use `gsub` to substitute, do this for every item in the list, and that's it.

```

1033 substitutewords_strings = {}
1034
1035 addtosubstitutions = function(input,output)
1036   substitutewords_strings[#substitutewords_strings + 1] = {}
1037   substitutewords_strings[#substitutewords_strings][1] = input
1038   substitutewords_strings[#substitutewords_strings][2] = output
1039 end
1040
1041 substitutewords = function(head)
1042   for i = 1,#substitutewords_strings do
1043     head = string.gsub(head,substitutewords_strings[i][1],substitutewords_strings[i][2])
1044   end
1045   return head
1046 end

```

## 10.25 suppressonecharbreak

We rush through the node list before line breaking takes place and insert large penalties for breaks after single glyphs. To keep the code as small, simple and fast as possible, we `traverse_id` over spaces and see whether the `next.next` node is also a space. This might not be the best and most universal way of doing it, but the simplest. The penalty is not created newly each time, but copied – no significant speed gain, however.

```
1047 suppressonecharbreakpenaltynode = node.new(PENALTY)
1048 suppressonecharbreakpenaltynode.penalty = 10000

1049 function suppressonecharbreak(head)
1050   for i in node.traverse_id(GLUE,head) do
1051     if ((i.next) and (i.next.next.id == GLUE)) then
1052       pen = node.copy(suppressonecharbreakpenaltynode)
1053       node.insert_after(head,i.next,pen)
1054     end
1055   end
1056
1057   return head
1058 end
```

## 10.26 tabularasa

Removes every glyph from the output and replaces it by empty space. In the end, next to nothing will be visible. Should be extended to also remove rules or just anything visible.

```
1059 tabularasa_onlytext = false
1060
1061 tabularasa = function(head)
1062   local s = nodenew(nodeid"kern")
1063   for line in nodetraverseid(nodeid"hlist",head) do
1064     for n in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph",line.head) do
1065       if not(tabularasa_onlytext) or node.has_attribute(n,luatexbase.attributes.tabularasaattr) then
1066         s.kern = n.width
1067         nodeinsertafter(line.list,n,nodecopy(s))
1068         line.head = noderemove(line.list,n)
1069       end
1070     end
1071   end
1072   return head
1073 end
```

## 10.27 tanjanize

```
1074 tanjanize = function(head)
1075   local s = nodenew(nodeid"kern")
1076   local m = nodenew(GLYPH,1)
1077   local use_letter_i = true
```

```

1078 scale = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
1079 scale2 = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
1080 scale.data = "0.5 0 0 0.5 0 0 cm"
1081 scale2.data = "2 0 0 2 0 0 cm"
1082
1083 for line in nodetraverseid(nodeid"hlist",head) do
1084   for n in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph",line.head) do
1085     mimicount = 0
1086     tmpwidth = 0
1087     while ((n.next.id == GLYPH) or (n.next.id == 11) or (n.next.id == 7) or (n.next.id == 0)) do
1088       find end of a word
1089       n.next = n.next.next
1090       mimicount = mimicount + 1
1091       tmpwidth = tmpwidth + n.width
1092     end
1093   mimi = {} -- constructing the node list.
1094   mimi[0] = nodenew(GLYPH,1) -- only a dummy for the loop
1095   for i = 1,string.len(mimicount) do
1096     mimi[i] = nodenew(GLYPH,1)
1097     mimi[i].font = font.current()
1098     if(use_letter_i) then mimi[i].char = 109 else mimi[i].char = 105 end
1099     use_letter_i = not(use_letter_i)
1100     mimi[i-1].next = mimi[i]
1101   end
1102 --]]
1103
1104 line.head = nodeinsertbefore(line.head,n,nodecopy(scale))
1105 nodeinsertafter(line.head,n,nodecopy(scale2))
1106   s.kern = (tmpwidth*2-n.width)
1107   nodeinsertafter(line.head,n,nodecopy(s))
1108 end
1109 end
1110 return head
1111 end

```

## 10.28 uppercasecolor

Loop through all the nodes and checking whether it is uppercase. If so (and also for small caps), color it.

```

1112 uppercasecolor_onlytext = false
1113
1114 uppercasecolor = function (head)
1115   for line in nodetraverseid(Hhead,head) do
1116     for upper in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
1117       if not(uppercasecolor_onlytext) or node.has_attribute(upper,luatexbase.attributes.uppercasecolor)
1118         if (((upper.char > 64) and (upper.char < 91)) or
1119           ((upper.char > 57424) and (upper.char < 57451))) then -- for small caps! nice

```

```

1120         color_push.data = randomcolorstring() -- color or grey string
1121         line.head = nodeinsertbefore(line.head,upper,nodecopy(color_push))
1122         nodeinsertafter(line.head,upper,nodecopy(color_pop))
1123     end
1124 end
1125 end
1126 end
1127 return head
1128 end

```

## 10.29 upsidedown

This function mirrors all glyphs given in the array `upsidedownarray` vertically.

```

1129 upsidedown = function(head)
1130   local factor = 65536/0.99626
1131   for line in nodetraverseid(Hhead,head) do
1132     for n in nodetraverseid(GLYPH,line.head) do
1133       if (upsidedownarray[n.char]) then
1134         shift = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
1135         shift2 = nodenew(WHAT,PDF_LITERAL)
1136         shift.data = "q 1 0 0 -1 0 " .. n.height/factor .. " cm"
1137         shift2.data = "Q 1 0 0 1 " .. n.width/factor .. " 0 cm"
1138         nodeinsertbefore(head,n,shift)
1139         nodeinsertafter(head,n,shift2)
1140       end
1141     end
1142   end
1143   return head
1144 end

```

## 10.30 colorstretch

This function displays the amount of stretching that has been done for each line of an arbitrary document. A well-typeset document should be equally grey over all lines, which is not always possible.

In fact, two boxes are drawn: The first (left) box shows the badness, i. e. the amount of stretching the spaces between words. Too much space results in light grey, whereas a too dense line is indicated by a dark grey box.

The second box is only useful if microtypographic extensions are used, e. g. with the `microtype` package under  $\LaTeX$ . The box color then corresponds to the amount of font expansion in the line. This works great for demonstrating the positive effect of font expansion on the badness of a line!

The base structure of the following code was provided by Paul Isambert. Thanks for the code and support, Paul!

### 10.30.1 colorstretch – preliminaries

Two booleans, `keeptext`, and `colorexpan`, are used to control the behaviour of the function.

```

1145 kepttext = true
1146 colorexpan = true
1147
1148 colorstretch_coloroffset = 0.5
1149 colorstretch_colorange = 0.5
1150 chickenize_rule_bad_height = 4/5 -- height and depth of the rules
1151 chickenize_rule_bad_depth = 1/5
1152
1153
1154 colorstretchnumbers = true
1155 drawstretchthreshold = 0.1
1156 drawexpansionthreshold = 0.9

```

After these constants have been set, the function starts. It receives the vertical list of the typeset paragraph as head, and loops through all horizontal lists.

If font expansion should be shown (colorexpan == true), then the first glyph node is determined and its width compared with the width of the unexpanded glyph. This gives a measure for the expansion factor and is translated into a grey scale.

```

1157 colorstretch = function (head)
1158   local f = font.getfont(font.current()).characters
1159   for line in nodetraverseid(Hhead,head) do
1160     local rule_bad = nodenew(RULE)
1161
1162     if colorexpan then -- if also the font expansion should be shown
1163       local g = line.head
1164       while not(g.id == GLYPH) and (g.next) do g = g.next end -- find first glyph on line. If line
1165       if (g.id == GLYPH) then -- read width only if g is a glyph!
1166         exp_factor = g.width / f[g.char].width
1167         exp_color = colorstretch_coloroffset + (1-exp_factor)*10 .. " g"
1168         rule_bad.width = 0.5*line.width -- we need two rules on each line!
1169       end
1170     else
1171       rule_bad.width = line.width -- only the space expansion should be shown, only one rule
1172     end

```

Height and depth of the rules are adapted to print a closed grey pattern, so no white interspace is left.

The glue order and sign can be obtained directly and are translated into a grey scale.

```

1173   rule_bad.height = tex.baselineskip.width*chickenize_rule_bad_height -- this should give a bett
1174   rule_bad.depth = tex.baselineskip.width*chickenize_rule_bad_depth
1175
1176   local glue_ratio = 0
1177   if line.glue_order == 0 then
1178     if line.glue_sign == 1 then
1179       glue_ratio = colorstretch_colorange * math.min(line.glue_set,1)
1180     else
1181       glue_ratio = -colorstretch_colorange * math.min(line.glue_set,1)
1182     end

```

```

1183     end
1184     color_push.data = colorstretch_coloroffset + glue_ratio .. " g"
1185

```

Now, we throw everything together in a way that works. Somehow ...

```

1186 -- set up output
1187     local p = line.head
1188
1189 -- a rule to immitate kerning all the way back
1190     local kern_back = nodenew(RULE)
1191     kern_back.width = -line.width
1192
1193 -- if the text should still be displayed, the color and box nodes are inserted additionally
1194 -- and the head is set to the color node
1195     if kepttext then
1196         line.head = nodeinsertbefore(line.head,line.head,nodecopy(color_push))
1197     else
1198         node.flush_list(p)
1199         line.head = nodecopy(color_push)
1200     end
1201     nodeinsertafter(line.head,line.head,rule_bad) -- then the rule
1202     nodeinsertafter(line.head,line.head.next,nodecopy(color_pop)) -- and then pop!
1203     tmpnode = nodeinsertafter(line.head,line.head.next.next,kern_back)
1204
1205 -- then a rule with the expansion color
1206     if colorexansion then -- if also the stretch/shrink of letters should be shown
1207         color_push.data = exp_color
1208         nodeinsertafter(line.head,tmpnode,nodecopy(color_push))
1209         nodeinsertafter(line.head,tmpnode.next,nodecopy(rule_bad))
1210         nodeinsertafter(line.head,tmpnode.next.next,nodecopy(color_pop))
1211     end

```

Now we are ready with the boxes and stuff and everything. However, a very useful information might be the amount of stretching, not encoded as color, but the real value. In concreto, I mean: narrow boxes get one color, loose boxes get another one, but only if the badness is above a certain amount. This information is printed into the right-hand margin. The threshold is user-adjustable.

```

1212     if colorstretchnumbers then
1213         j = 1
1214         glue_ratio_output = {}
1215         for s in string.utfvalues(math.abs(glue_ratio)) do -- using math.abs here gets us rid of the
1216             local char = unicode.utf8.char(s)
1217             glue_ratio_output[j] = nodenew(GLYPH,1)
1218             glue_ratio_output[j].font = font.current()
1219             glue_ratio_output[j].char = s
1220             j = j+1
1221         end
1222         if math.abs(glue_ratio) > drawstretchthreshold then

```

```

1223     if glue_ratio < 0 then color_push.data = "0.99 0 0 rg"
1224     else color_push.data = "0 0.99 0 rg" end
1225 else color_push.data = "0 0 0 rg"
1226 end
1227
1228     nodeinsertafter(line.head,node.tail(line.head),nodecopy(color_push))
1229     for i = 1,math.min(j-1,7) do
1230         nodeinsertafter(line.head,node.tail(line.head),glue_ratio_output[i])
1231     end
1232     nodeinsertafter(line.head,node.tail(line.head),nodecopy(color_pop))
1233 end -- end of stretch number insertion
1234 end
1235 return head
1236 end

```

### **dubstepize**

FIXME – Isn't that already implemented above? BROOOAR WOBWOBWOB BROOOOAR WOBWOBWOB  
 BROOOOAR WOB WOB WOB ...

```
1237
```

### **scorpionize**

This function's intentionally not documented. In memoriam scorpionem. FIXME

```

1238 function scorpionize_color(head)
1239     color_push.data = ".35 .55 .75 rg"
1240     nodeinsertafter(head,head,nodecopy(color_push))
1241     nodeinsertafter(head,node.tail(head),nodecopy(color_pop))
1242     return head
1243 end

```

## **10.31 variantjustification**

The list `substlist` defines which glyphs can be replaced by others. Use the unicode code points for this. So far, only wider variants are possible! Extend the list at will. If you find useful definitions, send me any glyph combination!

Some predefined values for hebrew typesetting; the list is not local so the user can change it in a very transparent way (using `\chickenizesetup{}`). This costs runtime, however ... I guess ... (?)

```

1244 substlist = {}
1245 substlist[1488] = 64289
1246 substlist[1491] = 64290
1247 substlist[1492] = 64291
1248 substlist[1499] = 64292
1249 substlist[1500] = 64293
1250 substlist[1501] = 64294
1251 substlist[1512] = 64295

```

```
1252 substlist[1514] = 64296
```

In the function, we need reproducible randomization so every compilation of the same document looks the same. Else this would make contracts invalid.

The last line is excluded from the procedure as it makes no sense to extend it this way. If you really want to typeset a rectangle, use the appropriate way to disable the space at the end of the paragraph (german “Ausgang”).

```
1253 function variantjustification(head)
1254   math.randomseed(1)
1255   for line in nodetraverseid(nodeid"hhead",head) do
1256     if (line.glue_sign == 1 and line.glue_order == 0) then -- exclude the last line!
1257       substitutions_wide = {} -- we store all "expandable" letters of each line
1258       for n in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph",line.head) do
1259         if (substlist[n.char]) then
1260           substitutions_wide[#substitutions_wide+1] = n
1261         end
1262       end
1263       line.glue_set = 0 -- deactivate normal glue expansion
1264       local width = node.dimensions(line.head) -- check the new width of the line
1265       local goal = line.width
1266       while (width < goal and #substitutions_wide > 0) do
1267         x = math.random(#substitutions_wide) -- choose randomly a glyph to be substituted
1268         oldchar = substitutions_wide[x].char
1269         substitutions_wide[x].char = substlist[substitutions_wide[x].char] -- substitute by wide
1270         width = node.dimensions(line.head) -- check if the line is too wide
1271         if width > goal then substitutions_wide[x].char = oldchar break end -- substitute back if
1272         table.remove(substitutions_wide,x) -- if further substitutions have to be done,
1273       end
1274     end
1275   end
1276   return head
1277 end
```

That’s it. Actually, the function is quite simple and should work out of the box. However, small columns will most probably not work as there typically is not much expandable stuff in a normal line of text.

## 10.32 zebranize

This function is inspired by a discussion with the Heidelberg regular’s table and will change the color of each paragraph linewise. Both the textcolor and background color are changed to create a true zebra like look. If you want to change or add colors, just change the values of zebracolorarray[] for the text colors and zebracolorarray\_bg[] for the background. Do not mix with other color changing functions of this package, as that will turn out ugly or erroneous.

The code works just the same as every other thing here: insert color nodes, insert rules, and register the whole thing in post\_linebreak\_filter.

### 10.32.1 zebranize – preliminaries

```

1278 zebracolorarray = {}
1279 zebracolorarray_bg = {}
1280 zebracolorarray[1] = "0.1 g"
1281 zebracolorarray[2] = "0.9 g"
1282 zebracolorarray_bg[1] = "0.9 g"
1283 zebracolorarray_bg[2] = "0.1 g"

```

### 10.32.2 zebranize – the function

This code has to be revisited, it is ugly.

```

1284 function zebranize(head)
1285   zebracolor = 1
1286   for line in nodetraverseid(nodeid"hhead",head) do
1287     if zebracolor == #zebracolorarray then zebracolor = 0 end
1288     zebracolor = zebracolor + 1
1289     color_push.data = zebracolorarray[zebracolor]
1290     line.head = nodeinsertbefore(line.head,line.head,nodecopy(color_push))
1291     for n in nodetraverseid(nodeid"glyph",line.head) do
1292       if n.next then else
1293         nodeinsertafter(line.head,n,nodecopy(color_pull))
1294       end
1295     end
1296
1297     local rule_zebra = nodenew(RULE)
1298     rule_zebra.width = line.width
1299     rule_zebra.height = tex.baselineskip.width*4/5
1300     rule_zebra.depth = tex.baselineskip.width*1/5
1301
1302     local kern_back = nodenew(RULE)
1303     kern_back.width = -line.width
1304
1305     color_push.data = zebracolorarray_bg[zebracolor]
1306     line.head = nodeinsertbefore(line.head,line.head,nodecopy(color_pop))
1307     line.head = nodeinsertbefore(line.head,line.head,nodecopy(color_push))
1308     nodeinsertafter(line.head,line.head,kern_back)
1309     nodeinsertafter(line.head,line.head,rule_zebra)
1310   end
1311   return (head)
1312 end

```

And that's it!



Well, it's not the whole story so far. I plan to test some drawing using only Lua code, writing directly to the pdf file. This section will grow and get better in parallel to my understandings of what's going on. I.e. it will be very slowly ... Nothing here is to be taken as good and/or correct LuaTeXing, and most code is plain ugly. However, it kind of works already ☺

## 11 Drawing

A *very* first, experimental implementation of a drawing of a chicken. The parameters should be consistent, easy to change and that monster should look more like a cute chicken. However, it is chicken, it is Lua, so it belongs into this package. So far, all numbers and positions are hard coded, this will of course change!

```
1313 --
1314 function pdf_print (...)
1315   for _, str in ipairs({...}) do
1316     pdf.print(str .. " ")
1317   end
1318   pdf.print("\n")
1319 end
1320
1321 function move (p)
1322   pdf_print(p[1],p[2],"m")
1323 end
1324
1325 function line (p)
1326   pdf_print(p[1],p[2],"l")
1327 end
1328
1329 function curve(p1,p2,p3)
1330   pdf_print(p1[1], p1[2],
1331             p2[1], p2[2],
1332             p3[1], p3[2], "c")
1333 end
1334
1335 function close ()
1336   pdf_print("h")
1337 end
1338
1339 function linewidth (w)
1340   pdf_print(w,"w")
1341 end
1342
1343 function stroke ()
1344   pdf_print("S")
1345 end
1346 --
1347
```

```

1348 function strictcircle(center,radius)
1349   local left = {center[1] - radius, center[2]}
1350   local lefttop = {left[1], left[2] + 1.45*radius}
1351   local leftbot = {left[1], left[2] - 1.45*radius}
1352   local right = {center[1] + radius, center[2]}
1353   local righttop = {right[1], right[2] + 1.45*radius}
1354   local rightbot = {right[1], right[2] - 1.45*radius}
1355
1356   move (left)
1357   curve (lefttop, righttop, right)
1358   curve (rightbot, leftbot, left)
1359 stroke()
1360 end
1361
1362 function disturb_point(point)
1363   return {point[1] + math.random()*5 - 2.5,
1364           point[2] + math.random()*5 - 2.5}
1365 end
1366
1367 function sloppycircle(center,radius)
1368   local left = disturb_point({center[1] - radius, center[2]})
1369   local lefttop = disturb_point({left[1], left[2] + 1.45*radius})
1370   local leftbot = {lefttop[1], lefttop[2] - 2.9*radius}
1371   local right = disturb_point({center[1] + radius, center[2]})
1372   local righttop = disturb_point({right[1], right[2] + 1.45*radius})
1373   local rightbot = disturb_point({right[1], right[2] - 1.45*radius})
1374
1375   local right_end = disturb_point(right)
1376
1377   move (right)
1378   curve (rightbot, leftbot, left)
1379   curve (lefttop, righttop, right_end)
1380   linewidth(math.random()+0.5)
1381   stroke()
1382 end
1383
1384 function sloppyline(start,stop)
1385   local start_line = disturb_point(start)
1386   local stop_line = disturb_point(stop)
1387   start = disturb_point(start)
1388   stop = disturb_point(stop)
1389   move(start) curve(start_line,stop_line,stop)
1390   linewidth(math.random()+0.5)
1391   stroke()
1392 end

```

## 12 Known Bugs and Fun Facts

The behaviour of the `\chickenize` macro is under construction and everything it does so far is considered a feature.

**babel** Using `chickenize` with `babel` leads to a problem with the `"` (double quote) character, as it is made active: When using `\chickenizesetup` *after* `\begin{document}`, you can *not* use `"` for strings, but you have to use `'` (single quote) instead. No problem really, but take care of this.

**medievalumlaut** You should use a decent OpenType font to get the best result. The standard font will not nicely support the positioning of the `e` character.

**boustrophedon and chickenize** do not work together nicely. There is an additional shift I cannot explain so far. However, if you really, really need a boustrophedon of `chickenize`, you do have some serious problems.

**letterspaceadjust and chickenize** When using both `letterspaceadjust` and `chickenize`, make sure to activate `\chickenize` before `\letterspaceadjust`. Elsewise the chickenization will not work due to the implementation of `letterspaceadjust`.

## 13 To Do's

Some things that should be implemented but aren't so far or are very poor at the moment:

**traversing** Every function that is based on node traversing fails when boxes are involved – so far I have not implemented recursive calling of the functions. I list it here, as it is not really a bug – this package is meant to be as simple as possible!

**countglyphs** should be extended to count anything the user wants to count

**rainbowcolor** should be more flexible – the angle of the rainbow should be easily adjustable.

**pancakenize** should do something funny.

**chickenize** should differentiate between character and punctuation.

**swing** swing dancing apes – that will be very hard, actually ...

**chickenmath** chickenization of math mode

## 14 Literature

The following list directs you to helpful literature that will help you to better understand the concepts used in this package and for in-depth explanation. Also, most of the code here is taken from or based on this literature, so it is also a list of references somehow:

- Lua<sub>T</sub><sub>E</sub>X documentation – the manual and links to presentations and talks: <http://www.luatex.org/documentation.html>
- The Lua manual, for Lua 5.1: <http://www.lua.org/manual/5.1/>
- Programming in Lua, 1<sup>st</sup> edition, aiming at Lua 5.0, but still (largely) valid for 5.1: <http://www.lua.org/pil/>

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