

[LaTeX](#) is a high-quality open-source typesetting system; it includes features designed for the production of technical and scientific documentation.

LaTeX compiler installation files are available for free [here](#). To use download preferable the complete installation and install the on your machine. After installation you will require a user interface to use writing. One of the free LaTeX editors is Texnic Center which you can downloaded [here](#).

After you have installed [Miktex](#) followed by an editor you are ready to use LaTeX. The easiest way to start learning is through the following documentation [LaTeX wikibooks](#) forum. Which provides a comprehensive coverage on how to use LaTeX in writing. For a simple test start-up compile the following code via your installed Editor. To learn more on the benefits of LaTeX visit this blog <http://www.andy-roberts.net/writing/latex/benefits>.

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\documentclass[12pt,a4paper]{article}
\usepackage{graphicx}

\begin{document}
\title{Introduction to \LaTeX{}}
\author{Author's Name}
\maketitle
\begin{abstract}
The abstract text goes here.
\end{abstract}
\section{Introduction}
Here is the text of your introduction.
\begin{equation}
\label{simple_equation}
\alpha = \sqrt{\beta}
\end{equation}
\subsection{Subsection Heading Here}
Write your subsection text here.
Insert a figure as below:
%\begin{figure}
% \centering
% \resizebox{0.75\textwidth}{!}{\includegraphics{FigureName.pdf}}
% \caption{FigureName}
% \label{Fig:Demo1}
%\end{figure}
\section{Conclusion}
Write your conclusion here.
\end{document}
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