

Name	Typeset
acute	acute
breve	breve
caron\haček	caron
cedilla	cedilla
curcumflex	circumflex
dieresis/umlaut	dieresis
dotless i	dotless i
dotless j	dotless j
double acute	double acute
grave	grave
macron	macron
overdot	overdot
ring	ring
tie	tie
tilde	tilde
underdot	underdot
underbar	underbar

Table 1: European accents (see source for type or command)

1 Dates

Authors can access the date and time and then typeset them in a document with `\the`.

For example, today’s date is 15, the current month is 3 and the current year is 2026. Note that in the source, authors will probably need to add a space after the command.

At the time of typesetting, the time (minutes since midnight) was 1327.

Another way to get the date is with `\today`, for example March 15, 2026.

2 Accents and symbols

European accents (see Table 1) and other symbols are available via commands (see the source for the type). Most the examples use the letter `o` but can be applied to others.

Other European characters based on specific symbols (not universal as shown in Table 1) are given in Table 2.

Finally, Table 3 shows the commands required to typeset text symbols. 2.

Name	Typeset	Typeset
a-ring	å	Å
aesc	æ	Æ
ethel	œ	Œ
eszett	ß	SS
inverted question mark	¿	
inverted exclamation mark	¡	
slashed L	ł	Ł
slashed O	ø	Ø

Table 2: More European accents (see source for type or command)

Name	Typeset
ampersand	
asterisk bullet	*
backslash	\
bar (caesura)	
brace left	{
brace right	}
bullet	•
circled (a)	Ⓐ
circumflex	ˆ
copyright	©
dagger	†
double dagger (diesis)	‡
dollar	\$
double quotation left	“
double quotation right	”
em dash	—
en dash	–
exclamation down	‡
greater than	>
less than	<
lowline	-
midpoint	·
octothorp	#
percent	%
pilcrow (paragraph)	¶
question down	‡
registered trademark	®
section	§

Table 3: More text symbols (see source for type or command)