ebgaramond-maths*

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Abstract

ebgaramond-maths provides some LATEX support for the use of EBGaramond in mathematics. It requires ebgaramond and uses the postscript fonts provided by that package¹. The package essentially consists of the files generated by an answer to a question at http://tex.stackexchange.com/q/152038/ and is a response to a follow-up request by the author of that question.

1 Introduction

There is not really much to document. To use EBGaramond in mathematics, you just load the package:

```
\usepackage[cmintegrals,cmbraces]{newtxmath}
\usepackage{ebgaramond-maths}
```

Note that this will also load ebgaramond which will set your default serif font to EBGaramond. If for any reason you do not want this, note two things. First, your document will be a typographic abomination. Second, you can easily create the abomination of your choice by changing the default serif family *after* loading ebgaramond-maths.

2 Details

The package includes .tfm and .map files which define EBGaramond-Maths, a new TeX font for LaTeX. This font uses EBGaramond-Italic with an OML encoding. However, not all characters in this encoding are available (see table 1 on the following page). Note that this is a limitation of the font itself and not of this package.

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¹This version corresponds to the 2019-05-04 version of ebgaramond.

\leftharpoonup \leftharpoondown	\triangleright \triangleleft	\flat \natural	\smile \frown
\rightharpoonup	\star	\sharp	\vec
\rightharpoondown	\partial		\t

Table 1: Symbols missing from EBGaramond

ebgaramond-maths uses this new font together with support files from ebgaramond to set up support for mathematics as follows:

- EBGaramond-Maths (medium weight) is used for letters (standard and bold);
- EBGaramond-LF (medium weight, upright shape) is used for operators (standard and bold);
- EBGaramond-LF (medium weight, swash shape) is used for the calligraphic alphabet, \mathcal (medium weight);
- \mathrm, \mathbf and \mathit should work as expected and use EBGaramond-LF (medium weight, upright or italic shape as appropriate).

Note that EBGaramond does not include a bold weight by design. Following the designer's intentions, this package, like ebgaramond, substitutes the medium weight for bold where required.

3 Method

If you just wish to use the package, you do not need to read this section. It explains how to create the font support files used by the package given that you have ebgaramond installed. It assumes that you are using TeX Live on GNU/Linux or another Unix-like system such as OS X.

3.1 Variables

Make a working directory somewhere which I'll call \$ {work}. The only requirement is that you have permission to write there and a (very small) amount of space. (It goes without saying that this should not be done as root.)

In the instructions which follow \${texmain} is your main, current texmf directory. On my system, that's /usr/local/texlive/YYYY (where YYYY is the latest version of TeX Live installed) or /usr/local/texlive/current.

3.2 Working environment

Change to \${work}. From now on, I assume that all commands are executed in this directory and that all created files are saved there.

Create the following symbolic links in your working directory:

```
ln -s ${texmain}/texmf-dist/tex/fontinst/mathetx/oml.etx \
  ${texmain}/texmf-dist/fonts/opentype/public/ebgaramond/\
  EBGaramond-Italic.otf ./
```

3.3 Create a preliminary encoding file

This is not the encoding file TEX needs but it will form the basis for that file.

First, run fontinst in interactive mode. (That is, just type fontinst at the command.) At the prompt:

```
\input finstmsc.sty
\etxtoenc{oml} {oml-ebgaramond}
\bye
```

This will produce oml-ebgaramond.enc which should be lightly modified before feeding to otftotfm:

```
sed -i -e 's/TeXMathItalicEncoding/\
EBGaramondTeXMathItalicEncoding/g' \
-e 's/oldstyle//' oml-ebgaramond.enc
```

This ensures that the encoding has a distinctive (and hopefully unique) name.

3.4 Generate the TEX font

ebgaramond already provides the type1 files needed so there is no need to regenerate those. All that is required is to generate a suitable . tfm:

This will create both the . tfm file and the . map file fragment TEX needs to use the font. It will also create a new encoding file with what will almost certainly be a very weird name. This is the encoding file TEX will use, as specified in the . map file fragment. The temporary encoding oml-ebgaramond. enc can now be deleted as it is no longer required.