

The **picinpar** package*

Macros for making windows with L^AT_EX

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Incorporated are basic ideas of Alan Hoenig (Thanks Alan!) Thanks to Phil Taylor, who gave some useful hints during his tutorial at the EURO T_EX 92 in Prague.

Also thanks to Ulrik Vieth, who incorporated the macros for generating captions within the windows.

Known problems:

- Don't use `\samepage`
- Use `\footnotemark` within and `\footnotetext` outside the `window-` environment instead of `\footnote`
- When using the `epic`-package load `picinpar` before `epic` like
`\documentstyle[... ,picinpar,epic]{...}`

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Changes:

- 1.1 If `\brokenpenalty\maxdimen` then it's set to 9999 within the window's group

Reported by `kuhlmav@elec.canterbury.ac.nz`

- 1.2 When centering a window and the right column contains less lines than the left column then the right lines are raised by using `\vfill`

Reported by Wolfgang Riedel, TU Chemnitz

- 1.2a A better way to shift the right box. There was some trouble when the window is on the left. I don't know why I didn't notice T_EX's overfull `\vbox`

Reported by Stephan Seidl, `seidl@rcs.urz.tu-dresden.de`