



# Simple Slides using L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X2e

This is really simple here!

**Michael Hahsler**

Department of Information Systems and Operations

Vienna University of Economics and Business Administration

Vienna, February 28, 2006

# Features

- Uses only standard  $\text{\LaTeX}$  commands of special commands like slidetex.
  1. **Create slides directly from a paper:** Copy a few line to the preamble of your paper's tex file, delete or abbreviate what you don't like to have on your slides and you are ready to go.
  2. **Create a paper form your slides:** Take the  $\text{\LaTeX}$ code from your slides. Build some pretty sentences from your bullet points and it's (almost) an award winning paper.
- Directly produces slides in pdf format:
  1. **Slides** with slide index for presentation with Acrobat Reader, xpdf, evince, . . .
  2. **Handouts** with 2 or 4 slides per page.

# Getting started

1. Make a copy of `slides.tex`, e.g.,  
`mycopy.tex`.
2. Adapt the first line in the `Makefile` accordingly.
3. Edit `mycopy.tex`.
4. Create slides with `make` or  
`pdflatex mycopy.tex`.
5. Create handouts with `make 2` or `make 4`.

# Starting a new slide

1. A new slide starts with a section command

```
\section{A new Slide}
```

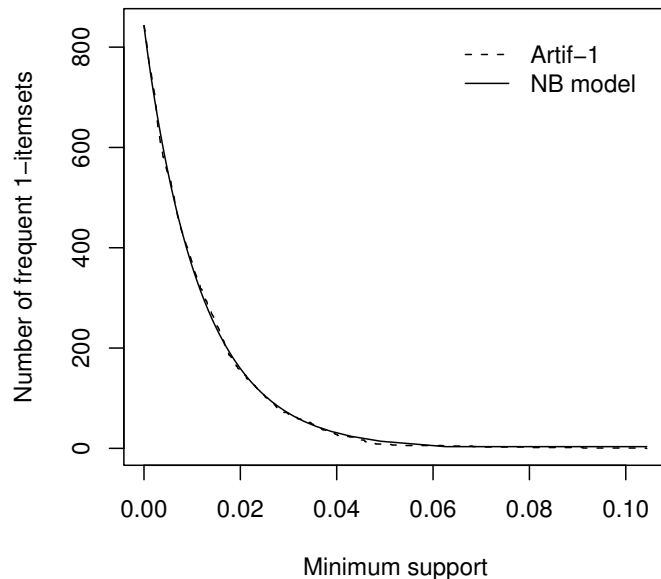
2. You can use nearly all  $\text{\LaTeX}$ -commands on your slides:

- Enumerate, itemize, description
- Mathematical Mode:  $e = mc^2$
- Verbatim: `\blabla`
- Font sizes: `scriptsize`, `tiny`, `small`, `normalsize`, `large`, `Large`, **LARGE**, **huge**
- Colors: **Red**, **Blue**, **Green**,
- Emphasizing: `\emph{Important}` produces ***Important***
- tabulars, figures ...

# Automatic spacing for lists

- automatic spacing tries to use the space on the slides as best as possible
- automatic spacing tries to use the space on the slides as best as possible
- automatic spacing tries to use the space on the slides as best as possible

# Setting text next to a figure



My first figure.

- To set text next to a figure you can use the `minipage` environment.

The Code looks like this:

```
\begin{minipage}[m]{.49\textwidth}
  \includegraphics...
\end{minipage}

%
\begin{minipage}[m]{.49\textwidth}
blablabla
\end{minipage}
```

# Text that is longer than a page

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog

The quick brown fox jumps over a lazy dog