

Math on the Web with LaTeX and MathJax

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“MathJax is a cross-browser JavaScript library that displays mathematical equations in web browsers, using LaTeX math and MathML markup. MathJax is released as open-source software under the Apache license.” – Wikipedia

The web page author writes math using LaTeX, a script tag in the web page invokes MathJax, and the browser reads it using either MathML or STIX fonts (if available) or images (if not).

MathJax WebSite: <http://www.mathjax.org/>

LaTeX WebSite: <http://www.latex-project.org/>

Browser Compatibility: IE 6, Firefox 3, Chrome 0.3, Safari 2, Opera 9.5, Konqueror 4, iPad/iPhone, Android, Blackberry OS 6, Symbian. (NO DOWNLOADS NEEDED)

Primary Instigators:

Project Director: Robert Miner, Design Science

Lead Developer: Davide Cervone, Union College, Schenectady, New York

Short History:

- 2009, project begun by Design Science
- 12 Jan. 2010, Beta version released
- 4 Aug. 2010, Version 1 released
- 14 Mar. 2011, Version 1.1 released, CDN service available
- 10 June 2011, Version 1.1a released (current version)

Sponsors: AMS, SIAM, and Design Science

Partners & Supporters: Project Euclid, London Mathematical Society, Elsevier, WebAssign, American Institute of Physics, American Physical Society, Optical Society, IOP Publishing, IEEE, StackExchange

Some Other Users: MathDL , MathSciNet, Khan Academy