

The **xpicture** package\*  
(<http://www.upv.es/~rfuster/xpicture>)  
Several extensions of the **picture** standard environment  
Reference manual and documented source

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### Abstract

The **xpicture** package extends the graphic abilities of the **picture** standard environment and packages **pict2e** and **curve2e**, adding the ability to work with arbitrary In addition to other utilities, the greater interest of **xpicture** lies in its capacity to draw function graphs, conic sections and arcs, and parametrically defined curves.

This is the technical documentation and reference manual of package **xpicture**, but not its user manual. User manual is on file **xpicture-doc.pdf**, distributed together with the package.

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# 1 Introduction

The **xpicture** package introduces several new graphical instructions, and some enriched versions of standard instructions used inside the **picture** environment. All these new instructions can be classified as follows:

1. Reference systems and coordinates:
  - Declaration and use of different reference systems, with Cartesian or polar coordinates.
  - Instructions to show Cartesian or polar reference systems.
2. An alternative to the **picture** environment, compatible with the new reference systems.
3. Alternative instructions or extensions of the standard **picture** commands and those defined by the packages **pict2e** and **curve2e**:
  - Enriched versions of marks **\put** and **\multiput**, providing an adequate control of the precise position in which objects are composed (this functionality is especially useful in the composition of not strictly graphical objects, such as formulas or labels).
  - Instructions for drawing straight segments, vectors (in any direction and using any reference system), polylines, polygons, regular and arbitrary polygons .
4. Regular curves:
  - Instructions for drawing conic sections (circles, ellipses, hyperbolas and parabolas) and arcs of these curves.
  - Instructions to graph functions and parametrically defined curves (this is the most interesting feature of this package).

To enjoy this package you need to have an adequate knowledge of the commands defined in packages **calculator** and **calculus**, especially concerning to the definition of functions and operations with functions.

# 2 Usage

This package is loaded as usual, using the instruction **\usepackage[⟨list of options⟩]{xpicture}**. Then, packages **pict2e**, **curve2e**, **xcolor**, **calculator**, and **calculus** are automatically loaded. This package is compatible with any system that supports **xcolor** and **pict2e** packages.<sup>1</sup> Options are passed directly to packages **pict2e**, **curve2e**, and **xcolor**, except option **draft**, which disables all the instructions defined in this package, replacing each picture set in a **Picture** environment by a blank rectangle.<sup>2</sup> Using this option is very convenient throughout the production of the document, since the composition of the drawings slows considerably the compilation time. The **\draftPictures** declaration performs a similar work, allowing the user to locally disable **Picture** commands.

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<sup>1</sup>Earlier versions supports **dvi** option, which was compatible with a pure **dvi** output, but this possibility has been eliminated in version 2.1a, because it was too expensive and probably unhelpful.

<sup>2</sup>If you use an instruction not directly defined by **xpicture**, this instruction may take effect.

An interesting option (from package `pict2e`) is `pstarrows`; if used, arrowheads in vectors are drawn in PSTricks style (instead of the standard L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X style).

If exists, the local configuration file `xpicture.cfg` is loaded. This file allows the user to customize all configurable `xpicture` parameters; if you want to use it, copy the file `xpicture.cfgxmpl`, which is distributed along with package `xpicture`, call your copy as `xpicture.cfg`, put it in your local `texmf` tree and edit this file to modify everything agreed.

## 3 The user interface

### 3.1 Color selection

`\pictcolor{<color>}` select a color without spurious spaces.

Example: `\pictcolor{blue}`

### 3.2 Reference systems

`\referencesystem(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>)(<x2,y2>)` selects the affine reference system with origin in point  $(x_0, y_0)$  and coordinate vectors  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ .

Coordinates are refered to the standard reference system.

Example: `\referencesystem(0,0)(1,-1)(1,1)`

`\changereferencesystem(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>)(<x2,y2>)` selects the affine reference system with origin in point  $(x_0, y_0)$  and coordinate vectors  $(x_1, y_1)$  and  $(x_2, y_2)$ .

Coordinates are refered to the active reference system.

Example: `\changereferencesystem(0,0)(1,-1)(1,1)`

`\translateorigin(<x0,y0>)` translates origin to the given point.

Coordinates are refered to the active reference system.

Example: `\translateorigin(2,-3)`

`\rotateaxes{<angle>}` rotates the axes. The angle parameter is interpreted as the rotation angle in radians (if the `\radiansangles` declaration is active) or in sexagesimal degrees (if the `\degreesangles` declaration is active).

Coordinates are refered to the active reference system.

Example: `\rotateaxes{\numberQUARTERPI}`

`\symmetrize{<angle>}` performs a symmetry, being  $angle$  the angle between the symmetry axis and the  $x$  axis. The `\radiansangles` and `\degreesangles` declarations determine if angles are interpreted as radians or degrees.

Coordinates are refered to the active reference system.

Example: `\symmetrize{\numberPI}`

`\radiansangles` declares that angles are measured in radians (default).

`\degreesangles` declares that angles are measured in degrees.

`\cartesianreference` declares Cartesian coordinates (default).

`\polarreference` declares polar coordinates.

`\polarcoor(<radius,angle>)(<x,y>)` changes from polar to Cartesian coordinates.

### 3.3 The Picture environment

`\begin{Picture}[(color)]((x0,y0))(x1,y1))` starts a picture, refered to rectangle  $[x0, y0] \times [x1, y1]$ . If optional argument is present, background is colored with this *color*. By default, background is not colored.

Coordinates are refered to the active reference system and are always Cartesian coordinates.

Example: `\begin{Picture}[black!10!white](-3.5,-4)(3.5,4)`

`\xpicture` `\begin{xpicture}` is an alias for `\begin{Picture}`.

Example: `\begin{xpicture}[black!10!white](-3.5,-4)(3.5,4)`

`\draftPictures` disables `Picture` commands, showing only the picture area.

Example: `\begin{xpicture}[black!10!white](-3.5,-4)(3.5,4)`

### 3.4 Cartesian and polar coordinate axes and grids

`\cartesianaxes((x0,y0))(x1,y1))` draws the coordinate axes corresponding to the  $[x0, y0] \times [x1, y1]$  rectangle.

Example: `\cartesianaxes(-3.25,-4.5)(3.25,4.25)`

`\cartesiangrid((x0,y0))(x1,y1))` draws a coordinate grid corresponding to the  $[x0, y0] \times [x1, y1]$  rectangle.

Example: `\cartesiangrid(-3.25,-4.5)(3.25,4.25)`

`\polargrid{radius}{circledivs}` draws a polar grid. `radius` is the radius of the circle and `circledivs` (an integer) the number of angular divisions.

Example: `\polargrid{3.5}{16}`

#### 3.4.1 The style of the axes

`\axescolor` User can change the axes color by redefining the `\axescolor` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\axescolor}{orange}` (default is `black`).

`\axesthickness` Length determining the thickness of axes (default 1 pt).

Example: `\setlength{\axesthickness}{1mm}`

`\xunitdivisions` Number of subdivisions of the unit in the *x* axis (must a positive integer).

Example: `\renewcommand{\xunitdivisions}{5}` (default is 1).

`\yunitdivisions` Number of subdivisions of the unit in the *y* axis (must a positive integer).

Example: `\renewcommand{\yunitdivisions}{3}` (default is 1).

`\runitdivisions` Number of subdivisions of the unit in the polar axis (must a positive integer).

Example: `\renewcommand{\runitdivisions}{3}` (default is 1).

#### 3.4.2 Axes position

`\internalaxes` Cartesian axes lies on  $y = 0$  and  $x = 0$  (default).

`\externalaxes` Cartesian axes lies on  $y = y0$  and  $x = x0$ .

### 3.4.3 Style of numerical labels

`\axeslabelcolor` User can change the color of labels by redefining the `\axeslabelcolor` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\axeslabelcolor}{red}` (default is equal to the axes color).

`\axeslabelsize` User can change the size of labels by redefining the `\axeslabelsize` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\axeslabelsize}{\tiny}` (default is `\small`).

`\axeslabelmathversion` User can change the mathversion of labels by redefining the `\axeslabelmathversion` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\axeslabelmathversion}{bold}` (default is `normal`).

`\axeslabelmathalphabet` User can change the math alphabet of labels by redefining the `\axeslabelmathalphabet` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\axeslabelmathalphabet}{\mathsf}` (default is `\mathrm`).

`\radianspolarlabels` when this declaration is active, angular labels in polar grids are printed in radians (default).

`\degreespolarlabels` when this declaration is active, angular labels in polar grids are printed in degrees.

`\axislabelsep` Distance between tags and cut marks, measured in `\unitlength` units; the distance between axes and tags equals `\ticssize+\axislabelsep`. (see description of `\makenoticks`).

Example: `\renewcommand{\axislabelsep}{0.3}` (default is 0.1).

### 3.4.4 Position of numerical labels

`\xlabelpos{<position>}` Relative position of labels in *x* axis.

Example: `\ xlabelpos{t}` (default is -90).

`\ylabelpos{<position>}` Relative position of labels in *y* axis.

Example: `\ ylabelpos{t1}` (default is 180).

### 3.4.5 Style of cut marks

`\ticssize` half the length of main axes cuts.

Example: `\setlength{\ticssize}{3mm}` (default is 4pt)

`\secondaryticssize` half the length of secundary axes cuts.

Example: `\setlength{\secunadryticssize}{1mm}` (default is 2pt)

`\ticsthickness` thickness of the marks on axes.

Example: `\setlength{\ticsthickness}{0.5pt}` (default is 1pt)

`\ticscolor` User can change the color of tics by redefining the `\ticscolor` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\ticscolor}{lightgray}` (default is black)

### 3.4.6 Grid style

`\gridthickness` thickness of the main grid lines.

Example: `\setlength{\gridthickness}{1pt}` (default is 0.4pt)

`\secondarygridthickness` thickness of the secundary grid lines.

Example: `\setlength{\gridthickness}{0.25pt}` (default is 0.2pt)

`\gridcolor` User can change the color of main grid lines by redefining the `\gridcolor` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\gridcolor}{blue}` (default is gray)

`\secondarygridcolor` User can change the color of secundary grid lines by redefining the `\ticscolor` declaration.  
Example: `\renewcommand{\secondarygridcolor}{blue}` (default is `lightgray`)

### 3.4.7 Removing cut marks, labels and grids

`\maketicks` when this declaration is active, divisions of axes are marked (default).  
`\makenoticks` when this declaration is active, divisions of axes are not marked.  
In this case, the distance between axes and tags equals `\axislabelsep`.  
`\makelabels` when this declaration is active, numerical labels are printed (default).  
`\makenolabels` when this declaration is active, numerical labels are not printed.  
`\makenogrid` If the `\makenogrid` declaration is active, then `\cartesianaxes` plots only the axes (default).  
`\makegrid` If the `\makegrid` declaration is active, then `\cartesianaxes` plots a Cartesian grid.  
In this case, `\cartesianaxes` is equivalent to `\cartesiangrid`.

## 3.5 Directly printing cuts and labels

`\plotxtic{<x-coor>}` plot a tic for the given  $x$  coordinate.  
`\plotytic{<y-coor>}` plot a tic for the given  $y$  coordinate.  
`\print xlabel{<x-coor>}{<label>}` print the required label at the given  $x$  coordinate.  
`\print ylabel{<y-coor>}{<label>}` print the required label at the given  $y$  coordinate.  
`\printxticlabel{<x-coor>}{<label>}` print a tic and the required label at the given  $x$  coordinate.  
`\printyticlabel{<y-coor>}{<label>}` print a tic and the required label at the given  $y$  coordinate.  
`\plotxtics{<firstcoor>}{<incr>}{<bound>}` plot several  $x$  tics, from the initial coordinate *firstcoor*; *incr* is the distance between consecutive tics, and the last tic is not in a position greater than *bound*.  
`\plotytics{<firstcoor>}{<incr>}{<bound>}` plot several  $y$  tics, from the initial coordinate *firstcoor*; *incr* is the distance between consecutive tics, and the last tic is not in a position greater than *bound*.  
`\printxlabels[<digits>]{<firstcoor>}{<incr>}{<bound>}` print several  $x$  labels, from the initial coordinate *firstcoor*; *incr* is the distance between consecutive label positions, and the last position is not greater than *bound*. The optional argument *digits* is the number of decimal digits to be printed (by default, numbers are printed with its natural number of decimals).  
`\printylables[<digits>]{<firstcoor>}{<incr>}{<bound>}` print several  $y$  labels, from the initial coordinate *firstcoor*; *incr* is the distance between consecutive label positions, and the last position is not greater than *bound*. The optional argument *digits* is the number of decimal digits to be printed (by default, numbers are printed with its natural number of decimals).  
`\printxticslabels[<digits>]{<firstcoor>}{<incr>}{<bound>}` print  $x$  tics and labels simultaneously.  
`\printyticlabels[<digits>]{<firstcoor>}{<incr>}{<bound>}` print  $y$  tics and labels simultaneously.

## 3.6 \put and \multiput extensions

```
\cPut{<position>}(<x,y>){<object>}
\rPut*{<position>}(<x,y>){<object>}
\Put*[<position>](<x,y>){<object>}
```

draw *object* in point  $(x,y)$ . Argument *position* fixes the precise position of *object* with respect  $(x,y)$ .

In starred versions objects positioned below the reference point are aligned at a fixed vertical distance (normally, by the baseline). User must decide which is that amount (normally the higher object to be positioned), and introduce it as an argument of the `\highestlabel` declaration.

Example: `\Put*[SSE](1,2){\Ellipse{2}{3}}`

Argument *position* supports the following values:

**An integer or decimal number**, determining the angle (in degrees) where *object* is placed, (with respect to the reference point  $(x,y)$ ).

**Letter c** which places the center of *object* at  $(x,y)$ .

**Letter or letter combinations N, E, S, W, NE, SE, SW, NW, NNE, ENE, ESE, SSE, SSW, WSW, WNW**  
Abbreviation of *North*, *East*..., *North-East*..., *North-North-East*...

**Letter o or letter combinations t, r, b, l, tr, br, bl, tl, ttr, rtr, rbr, bbr, bbl, lbl, ltl, ttl**  
Abbreviation of *top*, *right*..., *top-right*..., *top-top-right*...

Without optional argument *position* (in command `\Put`) the reference point of *object* is placed at  $(x,y)$  (in a similar way to the `\put` command).

`\Pictlabelsep` determines the distance between the graphical object and the given point. User can redefine this declaration by typing `\renewcommand{\Pictlabelsep}{<number>}`. This number is interpreted as an amount of `\unitlength`.

Example: `\renewcommand{\Pictlabelsep}{1}` (default is 0.1).

This distance is understood either as the Euclidean (circular) distance, derived from the 2-norm, or as the distance derived from the  $\infty$ -norm (rectangular distance), following these rules:

- If argument *position* is a *compass* argument (like **N** or **SSW**), then circular distance is used.
- If argument *position* is like **t**, **bbl**... then rectangular distance is used. In all other cases, `\cPut` uses circular distance, `\rPut` uses rectangular distance and `\Put` uses distance established by `\defaultPut`.

`\defaultPut{<position>}` fixes the default position for `\Put`, `\multiPut` and `\multiPlot` commands. Argument *position* can be **c** or **r**.

Example: `\defaultPut{r}` (default is **c**).

`\highestlabel{<text>}` declares the highest label to be equal to height of *text*.

Example: `\highestlabel{\Huge A}` (default is `\normalfont\normalsize$1$`)

`\multicPut{<position>}(<x,y>)(<\Delta x,\Delta y>){<n>}{<object>}`

`\multirPut*{<position>}(<x,y>)(<\Delta x,\Delta y>){<n>}{<object>}`

`\multiPut*{<position>}(<x,y>)(<\Delta x,\Delta y>){<n>}{<object>}`

put *n* copies of *object* in *position* at points  $(x_0, y_0)$ ,  $(x_0 + \Delta x, y_0 + \Delta y)$ ,  $(x_0 + 2\Delta x, y_0 + 2\Delta y)$ , ...,  $(x_0 + (n - 1)\Delta x, y_0 + (n - 1)\Delta y)$ .

Example: `\multicPut{c}(1,2)(1,-1){4}{\xVECTOR(0,0)(1,1)}`

`\multicPlot{<position>}{<object>}(<x_0,y_0>)(<x_1,y_1>)\dots(<x_n,y_n>)`

`\multirPlot*{<position>}{<object>}(<x_0,y_0>)(<x_1,y_1>)\dots(<x_n,y_n>)`

```
\multiPlot*[<position>]{<object>}(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>)...(<xn,yn>)
put  $n + 1$  copies of object at points  $(x_0, y_0)$ ,  $(x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n)$ 
Example: \multirPlot{c}{\xVECTOR(0,0)(1,1)}(1,2)(2,1)(3,0)(4,-1)
```

## 3.7 Drawing lines, vectors and polylines

### 3.7.1 Lines and vectors

\xLINE(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>) draws a straight line between points  $(x_0, y_0)$  and  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

Example: \xLINE(1,-2)(0,3).

\xVECTOR(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>) draws an arrow from point  $(x_0, y_0)$  to point  $(x_1, y_1)$ .

Example: \xVECTOR(1,-2)(0,3).

\xtrivVECTOR(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>) draws an arrow from point  $(x_0, y_0)$  to point  $(x_1, y_1)$ . The arrowhead consists of two lines, controled by the \arrowsize declaration.

Example: \xtrivVECTOR(1,-2)(0,3).

\xline(<x,y>){<size>}

\xvector(<x,y>){<size>}

\xtrivvector(<x,y>){<size>}

draw lines, vectors and triv vectors with the standard L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X syntax, but without any restriction.

Example: \Put(1,-2){\xline(-1,5){1}}

\zerovector(<x,y>)

\zerotrivvector(<x,y>)

draw a zero-length vector (an arrowhead) in direction  $(x, y)$ .

Example: \Put(0,3){\zerovector(-1,5)}

\arrowsize{<xlen>}{<ylen>} declares dimensions of triv arrowhead: *xlen*pt is its length, and *ylen*pt is half of its aperture.

Example: \arrowsize{4}{2} (default is *xlen*=5, *ylen*=2)

### 3.7.2 Polylines and polygons

\Polyline(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>)...(<xn,yn>) draws a polyline with vertices  $(x_0, y_0)$   $(x_1, y_1) \dots (x_n, y_n)$ .

Example: \Polyline(1,1)(2,0)(0,-1)

\Polygon(<x0,y0>)(<x1,y1>)...(<xn,yn>) draws a polygon with vertices  $(x_0, y_0)$   $(x_1, y_1) \dots (x_n, y_n)$ .

Example: \Polygon(1,1)(2,0)(0,-1)

\regularPolygon[<angle>]{<radius>}{<sides>} draws a regular polygon with the given *radius* and *sides*. The optional argument (zero, by default) determines the inclination angle of the first vertex, always measured in degrees.

Example: \regularPolygon[90]{4}{7}

## 3.8 Drawing curves

### 3.8.1 Conic sections and arcs

\Circle{<r>} draws the circle  $x^2 + y^2 = r^2$ .

Example: `\Circle{2.5}`

`\Ellipse{(a)}{(b)}` draws the ellipse  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} + \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Example: `\Ellipse{2}{3}`

`\Hyperbola{(a)}{(b)}{(xmax)}{(ymax)}` draws the hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

Variables  $x$  and  $y$  are limited, respectively, to the  $[-xmax, xmax]$  and  $[-ymax, ymax]$  intervals. This curve is well defined if the parameter  $xmax$  is greater than  $a$ . Otherwise, `xpicture` returns an error message and does not draw any curve.

Example: `\Hyperbola{2}{3}{5}{5}`

`\rHyperbola{(a)}{(b)}{(xmax)}{(ymax)}` draws the *right* branch of hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

(parameters are restricted as in `\Hyperbola`).

Example: `\rHyperbola{2}{3}{5}{5}`

`\lHyperbola{(a)}{(b)}{(xmax)}{(ymax)}` draws the *left* branch of hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$ .

(parameters are restricted as in `\Hyperbola`).

Example: `\rHyperbola{2}{3}{5}{5}`

`\Parabola{(a)}{(xmax)}{(ymax)}` draws the parabola  $x = ay^2$ .

Variable  $x$  is limited, respectively, to the  $[0, xmax]$  (if  $a$  is positive) or  $[-xmax, 0]$  (if negative) interval.  $[-ymax, ymax]$  intervals.

Example: `\Parabola{2}{5}{5}`

`\circularArc{(r)}{(angle1)}{(angle2)}` draws the arc of circle  $x = r \cos t, y = r \sin t, t \in [angle1, angle2]$  (the arc of the circle centered at  $(0, 0)$  with radius  $r$  and limited between  $angle1$  and  $angle2$ ).

Example: `\circularArc{3}{0}{\numberSIXTHPI}`

`\xArc` is an alias for `\circularArc`.

Example: `\xArc{3}{0}{\numberSIXTHPI}`

`\ellipticArc{(a)}{(b)}{(angle1)}{(angle2)}` draws the arc of ellipse  $x = a \cos t, y = b \sin t, t \in [angle1, angle2]$  (the arc of the ellipse centered at  $(0, 0)$  with semiaxes  $a$  and  $b$  and limited between  $angle1$  and  $angle2$ ).

Example: `\ellipticArc{2}{3}{-\numberSIXTHPI}{\numberSIXTHPI}`

`\rhyperbolicArc{(a)}{(b)}{(y0)}{(y1)}` draws the right arc of hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  included between  $y = y0$  and  $y = y1$ .

Example: `\rhyperbolicArc{2}{3}{-2}{2}`

`\lhyperbolicArc{(a)}{(b)}{(y0)}{(y1)}` draws the left arc of hyperbola  $\frac{x^2}{a^2} - \frac{y^2}{b^2} = 1$  included between  $y = y0$  and  $y = y1$ .

Example: `\lhyperbolicArc{2}{3}{-2}{2}`

`\parabolicArc{(a)}{(y0)}{(y1)}` Draw the arc of the parabola  $x = ay^2$  included between  $y = y0$  and  $y = y1$ .

Example: `\parabolicArc{2}{-2}{2}`

`\defaultplotdivs{divisions}` declares the number of subintervals we divide the domain of curves when plotting conic arcs.

Example: `\defaultplotdivs{16}` (default is 8).

### 3.8.2 Real variable functions

`\PlotFunction[ $\langle n \rangle$ ]{ $\langle \text{functionname} \rangle$ }{ $\langle t0 \rangle$ }{ $\langle t1 \rangle$ }` draws the graph of function  $\text{functionname}(t)$ ,  $t \in [t0, t1]$ . This interval is partitioned in  $n$  subintervals (default for  $n$  is 2).

Example: `\PlotFunction[16]{\COSfunction}{-\numberTWOPI}{\numberTWOPI}`

`\PlotPointsOfFunction[ $\langle n \rangle$ ]{ $\langle \text{functionname} \rangle$ }{ $\langle t0 \rangle$ }{ $\langle t1 \rangle$ }` draws  $n+1$  points of the graph of function  $\text{functionname}(t)$ ,  $t \in [t0, t1]$ .

Example: `\PlotPointsOfFunction[20]{\SQRTfunction}{0}{4}`

`\pointmarkdiam` is the size of points printed by `\PlotPointsOfFunction`, measured in `\unitlength` units. It may be redefined with a `\renewcommand` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\pointmarkdiam}{0.3}`

`\pointmark` is the symbol printed at every point by `\PlotPointsOfFunction`. It may be redefined with a `\renewcommand` declaration.

Example: `\renewcommand{\pointmark}{$\diamond$}`

### 3.8.3 Parametrically defined curves

`\PlotParametricFunction[ $\langle n \rangle$ ]{ $\langle \text{functionname} \rangle$ }{ $\langle t0 \rangle$ }{ $\langle t1 \rangle$ }` draws the graph of parametric curve  $\text{functionname}(t)$ ,  $t \in [t0, t1]$ . This interval is partitioned in  $n$  subintervals (default for  $n$  is 2).

Example: `\ParametricFunction{\F}{\SQUAREfunction}{\CUBEfunction}`  
`\PlotParametricFunction[15]{\F}{-2}{2}`

### 3.8.4 Drawing curves from a table of values

`\qCurve( $\langle x0,y0 \rangle$ ) $\langle u0,v0 \rangle$ ( $\langle x1,y1 \rangle$ ) $\langle u1,v1 \rangle$ )` draws the quadratic curve between points  $x0,y0$  and  $x1,y1$  with tangent vectors  $u0,v0$  and  $u1,v1$ .

Example: `\qCurve(1,2)(1,2)(4,3)(-1,1)`

`\PlotQuadraticCurve( $\langle x0,y0 \rangle$ ) $\langle u0,v0 \rangle$ ( $\langle x1,y1 \rangle$ ) $\langle u1,v1 \rangle$ ...( $\langle xn,yn \rangle$ ) $\langle un,vn \rangle$ )`  
draws a curve through the points  $(x0,y0)$ ,  $(x1,y1)$ , ...,  $(xn,yn)$  with tangent vectors  $(u0,v0)$ ,  $(u1,v1)$ , ...,  $(un,vn)$ .

Example: `\PlotQuadraticCurve(1,0)(1,0)(0,1)(0,1)(-1,0)(-1,0)(0,-1)(0,-1)`

`\PlotQuadraticCurve( $\langle x0,y0 \rangle$ ){ $\langle angle0 \rangle$ }( $\langle x1,y1 \rangle$ ){ $\langle angle1 \rangle$ }...( $\langle xn,yn \rangle$ ){ $\langle anglen \rangle$ })`  
draws a curve through the points  $(x0,y0)$ ,  $(x1,y1)$ , ...,  $(xn,yn)$  the inclination angles of which, with respect to the  $x$  axis, are  $angle0$ ,  $angle1$ , ...,  $anglen$  (always measured in degrees).

Example: `\PlotQuadraticCurve(1,0){0}(0,1){90}(-1,0){180}(0,-1){270}`

`\PlotxyDyData( $\langle x0,y0,Dy0 \rangle$ ) $\langle x1,y1,Dy1 \rangle$ ...( $\langle xn,yn,Dyn \rangle$ )` draws a curve through the points  $(x0,y0)$ ,  $(x1,y1)$ , ...,  $(xn,yn)$  with derivatives  $Dy0$ ,  $Dy1$ , ...,  $Dyn$ .

## 4 Implementation

1 `(*xpicture)`

2 `\NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}`

3 `\ProvidesPackage{xpicture}[2012/12/17 v.1.2a picture environment extensions]`

## 4.1 Package options

If the `draft` option is selected, `Picture` environments are shown as a rectangular frame and `xpicture` commands are ignored (Boolean `draft` controls whether this option has been selected).

```
4 \newif\ifdraft\Draftfalse  
5 \DeclareOption{draft}{\Drafttrue}
```

All other options are passed to packages `curve2e` and `xcolor` (Old options `dvi`, `pict2e` and `curve2e` have been removed in version 1.2a).

```
6 \DeclareOption*{  
7   \PassOptionsToPackage{\CurrentOption}{curve2e}  
8   \PassOptionsToPackage{\CurrentOption}{xcolor}}  
9 \ProcessOptions
```

## 4.2 Booleans for some command options

Booleans used by several declarations controlling the behavior of some `xpicture` commands.

<code>\ifpolar</code>	True: polar coordinates. False: Cartesian coordinates. 10 <code>\newif\ifpolar\polarfalse</code>
<code>\ifrputstar</code>	True: <code>\rPut</code> starred. 11 <code>\newif\ifrputstar\rputstarfalse</code>
<code>\ifdegrees</code>	True: angles measured in degrees. False: arcs measured in radians. 12 <code>\newif\ifdegrees\degreesfalse</code>
<code>\iftics</code>	True: coordinate axes include tic marks. 13 <code>\newif\iftics\ticstrue</code>
<code>\iflabels</code>	True: coordinate axes include numeric labels. 14 <code>\newif\iflabels\labelstrue</code>
<code>\ifgrid</code>	True: Cartesian grids. 15 <code>\newif\ifgrid\gridfalse</code>
<code>\ifticslabelsgrid</code>	True: Tics, labels or grid must be printed. 16 <code>\newif\ifticslabelsgrid\ticslabelsgridfalse</code>
<code>\ifinzeroaxes</code>	True: Representation of axes passes through the origin (internal axes). False: external axes. 17 <code>\newif\ifinzeroaxes\inzeroaxestrue</code>
<code>\ifbg</code>	True: Background will be colored. 18 <code>\newif\ifbg\bgfalse</code>

### 4.3 Required packages

```
19 \RequirePackage{curve2e}
20 \RequirePackage{xcolor}
21 \RequirePackage{calculus}
```

### 4.4 Error, Warning and Info messages

```
22 \def\xpct@Warnbadpos{%
23     \PackageWarning{xpicture}{%
24         {Argument in \noexpand\defaultPut command must be either
25          'c' or 'r'\MessageBreak
26          I will no change the default position for
27          \noexpand\Put commands}}
28 \def\xpct@Infopos#1{%
29     \PackageInfo{xpicture}{%
30         {Default position for \noexpand\Put commands changed to #1}}
31 \def\xpct@WarnIncSys(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%
32     \PackageWarning{xpicture}{%
33         {Incompatible linear system!\MessageBreak
34         Tangent lines are parallel}}
35 \def\xpct@ErrHypCons{%
36     \PackageError{xpicture}{%
37         {Inconsistent parameters in \noexpand\Hyperbola command}{%
38             The first and second parameters in a \noexpand\Hyperbola
39             command\MessageBreak
40             must be, respectively, lesser than the third and
41             the fourth ones.}}
42 \def\xpct@Infocfg{\PackageInfo{xpicture}{%
43     {Loading local configuration file xpicture.cfg}}
44 \def\xpct@Infonocfg{\PackageInfo{xpicture}{%
45     {Local configuration file xpicture.cfg does not exists}}}
```

### 4.5 Internal counters and lengths and a special number

Counters `xpct@counta` and `xpct@countb` will be used by several internal commands (mainly in `while` clauses). `xpct@step` is used when iterating functions plots, and `multiput` by commands extending the `\multiput` command.

```
46 \newcounter{xpct@counta}
47 \newcounter{xpct@countb}
48 \newcounter{xpct@step}
49 \newcounter{multiput}
```

`\xpct@bxw` Width and height of certain boxes.  
`\xpct@bxh` 50 `\newdimen\xpct@bxw`  
51 `\newdimen\xpct@bxh`

`\xpct@maxnum` The largest T<sub>E</sub>X number.  
52 `\def\xpct@maxnum{16383.99998}`

## 4.6 Declarations and parameters controlling axes style

```

\makenotics  Four pairs of alternative declarations, switching booleans \iftics, \iflabels, \ifgrid, and
\ifinzeroaxes. Defaults are \maketicks, \makelabels, \makenogrid, and \internalaxes.
\maketicks
\makelabels
\makenolabels 53 \def\makenotics{\tictsfalset}
\maketicks 54 \def\maketicks{\ticstrue}
\makegrid 55 \def\makenolabels{\labelsfalset}
\makelabels 56 \def\makelabels{\labelstrue}
\makenogrid 57 \def\makenogrid{\gridfalse}
\externalaxes 58 \def\makegrid{\gridtrue}
\internalaxes 59 \def\externalaxes{\inzeroaxesfalse}
60 \def\internalaxes{\inzeroaxestrue}

\axesthickness Thickness of axes (it is a length).
61 \newdimen\axesthickness

\xpct@axeslabelattrib Attributes of labels. It is a private declaration, because you can select attributes (size, color
and mathversion) of labels independently.
62 \def\xpct@axeslabelattrib{\axeslabelsize%
63   \pictcolor{\axeslabelcolor}%
64   \mathversion{\axeslabelmathversion}}}

\ticsthickness Thickness and size of tics and grid lines.
\ticssize
\secondaryticssize
\gridthickness
\secondarygridthickness 65 \newdimen\ticsthickness
66 \newdimen\ticssize
67 \newdimen\secondaryticssize
68 \newdimen\gridthickness
69 \newdimen\secondarygridthickness

```

## 4.7 Color selection

```
\pictcolor Declaration \pictcolor suppresses spureus spaces when selecting color.
70 \def\pictcolor{\@killglue\color}
```

## 4.8 Reference systems

```

\standardreferencesystem Declaration to select the standard reference system.
71 \def\standardreferencesystem{\referencesystem(0,0)(1,0)(0,1)}

\referencesystem \referencesystem changes to the affine reference centered in P(#1,#2) with directions (#3,#4)
\changereferencesystem and (#5,#6). These six numbers are stored in \xpct@xorigin, \xpct@yorigin, \xpct@xI,
\xpct@yI, \xpct@xII, and \xpct@yII.
\xpct@xorigin 72 \def\referencesystem(#1,#2)(#3,#4)(#5,#6){%
\xpct@yorigin 73   \COPY{#1}\xpct@xorigin
\xpct@xII 74   \COPY{#2}\xpct@yorigin
\xpct@yII 75   \COPY{#3}\xpct@xI
76   \COPY{#4}\xpct@yI
77   \COPY{#5}\xpct@xII
78   \COPY{#6}\xpct@yII}
```

The `\changereferencesystem` changes from the active reference system.

```

79 \def\changereferencesystem(#1)(#2)(#3){%
80     \refsysPoint(#1)(\xpct@newx,\xpct@newy)
81     \refsysVector(#2)(\xpct@newux,\xpct@newuy)
82     \refsysVector(#3)(\xpct@newvx,\xpct@newvy)
83     \referencesystem(\xpct@newx,\xpct@newy)(\xpct@newux,\xpct@newuy)%
84     (\xpct@newvx,\xpct@newvy)}

```

`\translateorigin` Translations and orthogonal changes (rotations and symmetries) of reference system.

```

\rotateaxes 85 \def\translateorigin(#1){\changereferencesystem(#1)(1,0)(0,1)}
\symmetrize 86 \def\rotateaxes#1{%
87     \ifdegrees\DEGREESCOS{\#1}\xpct@cosine\DEGREESSIN{\#1}\xpct@sine
88     \else\COS{\#1}\xpct@cosine\SIN{\#1}\xpct@sine\fi
89     \changereferencesystem%
90     (0,0)(\xpct@cosine,\xpct@sine)(-\xpct@sine,\xpct@cosine)\}
91 \def\symmetrize#1{%
92     \MULTIPLY{2}{\#1}{\xpct@sym}
93     \ifdegrees
94         \DEGREESCOS{\xpct@sym}\xpct@cosine\DEGREESSIN{\xpct@sym}\xpct@sine
95     \else
96         \COS{\xpct@sym}\xpct@cosine\SIN{\xpct@sym}\xpct@sine\fi
97     \changereferencesystem%
98     (0,0)(\xpct@cosine,\xpct@sine)(\xpct@sine,-\xpct@cosine)\}

```

## 4.9 Coordinates

`\refsysxyVector` Canonical coordinates of a point or vector given in Cartesian coordinates (change from the active r.s. to the standard one).

```

99 \def\refsysxyVector(#1)(#2,#3){%
100     \MATRIXVECTORPRODUCT%
101     (\xpct@xI,\xpct@xII;\xpct@yI,\xpct@yII)(#1)(#2,#3)}
102 \def\refsysxyPoint(#1)(#2,#3){%
103     \MATRIXVECTORPRODUCT(\xpct@xI,\xpct@xII;\xpct@yI,\xpct@yII)(#1)(#2,#3)
104     \VECTORADD(#2,#3)(\xpct@xorigin,\xpct@yorigin)(#2,#3)}

```

`\refsyspVector` Canonical coordinates of a point or vector given in polar coordinates.

```

105 \def\refsyspVector(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%
106     \polarcoor(#1,#2)(\xpct@polarx,\xpct@polary)
107     \refsysxyVector(\xpct@polarx,\xpct@polary)(#3,#4)}
108 \def\refsyspPoint(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%
109     \polarcoor(#1,#2)(\xpct@polarx,\xpct@polary)
110     \refsysxyPoint(\xpct@polarx,\xpct@polary)(#3,#4)}

```

`\cartesianreference` Alternative declarations to switch between Cartesian or polar coordinates.

`\polarreference` In fact, they define `\refsysVector`/`\refsysPoint` to be `\refsysxyVector`/`\refsysxyPoint` or `\refsyspVector`/`\refsyspPoint`.

```

111 \def\cartesianreference{%
112     \def\refsysVector{\refsysxyVector}%
113     \def\refsysPoint{\refsysxyPoint}\polarfalse}

```

```

114 \def\polarreference{%
115     \def\refsysVector{\refsysPoint}%
116     \def\refsysPoint{\refsysPoint}\polartrue}%
117 \def\polarcoor(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%
118     \ifdegrees\DEGREESCOS{#2}{\xpct@Px}\DEGRESSIN{#2}{\xpct@Py}%
119     \else\COS{#2}{\xpct@Px}\SIN{#2}{\xpct@Py}\fi%
120     \MULTIPLY{\xpct@Px}{#1}{#3}%
121     \MULTIPLY{\xpct@Py}{#1}{#4}%
122 \def\degreesangles{\degreestrue}%
123 \def\radiansangles{\degreesfalse}%

```

\polarcoor changes from polar to rectangular coordinates.

\degreesangles Switches to measure angles in degrees or radians.

\radiansangles

## 4.10 The Picture environment

**Picture** Picture is an extension of picture to refer points to the active reference system. It can take an optional argument (background color).

```

124 \def\Picture{@ifnextchar[\xpct@Picture]{\xpct@Picture}}%

```

\xpct@Picture Compute the surrounding box and call picture with the appropriate parameters.

```

125 \def\xpct@Picture(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%

```

First, we determine the standard coordinates of the four vertices

```

126     \refsysxyPoint(#1,#2)(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)%
127     \refsysxyPoint(#3,#4)(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)%
128     \refsysxyPoint(#1,#4)(\xpct@xtwo,\xpct@ytwo)%
129     \refsysxyPoint(#3,#2)(\xpct@xthree,\xpct@ythree)%

```

Now we calculate the maximum and minimum x and y coordinates.

```

130     \MIN{\xpct@xzero}{\xpct@xone}{\xpct@xmin}%
131     \MIN{\xpct@xmin}{\xpct@xtwo}{\xpct@xmin}%
132     \MIN{\xpct@xmin}{\xpct@xthree}{\xpct@xmin}%
133     \MIN{\xpct@yzero}{\xpct@yone}{\xpct@ymin}%
134     \MIN{\xpct@ymin}{\xpct@ytwo}{\xpct@ymin}%
135     \MIN{\xpct@ymin}{\xpct@ythree}{\xpct@ymin}%
136     \MAX{\xpct@xzero}{\xpct@xone}{\xpct@xmax}%
137     \MAX{\xpct@xmax}{\xpct@xtwo}{\xpct@xmax}%
138     \MAX{\xpct@xmax}{\xpct@xthree}{\xpct@xmax}%
139     \MAX{\xpct@yzero}{\xpct@yone}{\xpct@ymax}%
140     \MAX{\xpct@ymax}{\xpct@ytwo}{\xpct@ymax}%
141     \MAX{\xpct@ymax}{\xpct@ythree}{\xpct@ymax}%

```

Width and height ( $x_{max}-x_{min}$  and  $y_{max}-y_{min}$ ) of the sorrounding box.

```

142     \SUBTRACT{\xpct@xmax}{\xpct@xmin}{\xpct@pictwidth}%
143     \SUBTRACT{\xpct@ymax}{\xpct@ymin}{\xpct@picheight}%

```

Call picture.

```

144     \begin{picture}(\xpct@pictwidth,\xpct@picheight)%
145         \xpct@xmin,\xpct@ymin)

```

Fix highest label to normal 1.

```
146           \highestlabel{\normalfont\normalsize$1$}
```

If option `draft` was selected, background is colored, a surrounding rectangle is drawn and a centered label is printed.

```
147           \ifdraft
148             \colorlet{backgroundcolor}{lightgray}
149             \xpct@backgrd
150             \put(\xpct@xmin,\xpct@ymin){\line(1,0){\xpct@pictwidth}}
151             \put(\xpct@xmin,\xpct@ymin){\line(0,1){\xpct@picheight}}
152             \put(\xpct@xmin,\xpct@ymax){\line(1,0){\xpct@pictwidth}}
153             \put(\xpct@xmax,\xpct@ymin){\line(0,1){\xpct@picheight}}
154             \VECTORADD(\xpct@xmax,\xpct@ymax)(\xpct@xmin,\xpct@ymin)(%
155               \xpct@xmed,\xpct@ymed)
156             \SCALARVECTORPRODUCT{0.5}(\xpct@xmed,\xpct@ymed)(%
157               \xpct@xmed,\xpct@ymed)
158             \put(\xpct@xmed,\xpct@ymed){\makebox(0,0){\scshape xpicture}}
159           \else
```

Finally, if required, we color the background.

```
160           \ifbg\xpct@backgrd\fi
161           \fi}
```

`\xpct@@Picture` Set background color to #1, switch boolean `\ifbg` to true and call `\xpct@Picture`.

```
162 \def\xpct@@Picture[#1](#2,#3)(#4,#5){%
163   \colorlet{backgroundcolor}{#1}%
164   \bgttrue\xpct@Picture(#2,#3)(#4,#5)}
```

`\xpct@backgrd` Fill background with `backgroundcolor`. We use `pict2e` path commands.

```
165 \def\xpct@backgrd{\begingroup
166   \pictcolor{backgroundcolor}
167   \moveto(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)
168   \lineto(\xpct@xthree,\xpct@ythree)
169   \lineto(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)
170   \lineto(\xpct@xtwo,\xpct@ytwo)
171   \closepath\fillpath
172 \endgroup}
```

`\endPicture` Close picture environment.

```
173 \def\endPicture{\end{picture}}
```

`xpicture` `xpicture` is an alias for `Picture`.

```
174 \newenvironment{xpicture}{\begin{Picture}}{\end{Picture}}
```

## 4.11 \put extensions

User's commands are `\cPut`, `\rPut`, and `\Put`. `\rPut` and `\Put` have starred versions. Related commands are `\highestlabel` and `\defaultPut`.

`\cPut` `\cPut` puts the #4 object in the (#2,#3) point at the #1 position (circular version).

```
175 \def\cPut#1(#2,#3)#4{%
```

Select circular trigonometry and call \xpct@PUT.

```
176      \COPY{0}{\xpct@CorRput}
177      \xpct@PUT{#1}{#2}{#3}{#4}
```

\rPut \rPut puts the #4 object in the (#2,#3) point at the #1 position (rectangular version). Call \rPut\* \xpct@rPut (ordinary) or \xpct@rPutstar (starred).

```
178 \def\rPut{\@ifstar
179         \xpct@rPutstar%
180         \xpct@rPut%
181     }
```

\Put \Put is equivalent to \cPut or \rPut, and has a starred form. Call \xpct@Put (ordinary) or \Put\* \xpct@Putstar (starred).

```
182 \def\Put{\@ifstar
183         \xpct@Putstar%
184         \xpct@Put%
185     }
```

\defaultPut \defaultPut is a declaration to fix default position (c or r) for the \Put command. It defines \xpct@defaultPut to be \rPut or \cPut.

```
186 \def\defaultPut#1{\def\xpct@tempa{#1}\def\xpct@tempb{r}
187     \ifx\xpct@tempa\xpct@tempb
188         \xpct@InfoPos#1
189         \def\xpct@defaultPut{\rPut}
190     \else
191         \xpct@InfoPos#1
192         \def\xpct@tempc{c}
193         \ifx\xpct@tempa\xpct@tempc
194             \def\xpct@defaultPut{\cPut}
195         \else
196             \xpct@Warnbadpos
197         \fi\fi}
```

\highestlabel The highest label for the starred \Put and \rPut commands. First we measure the label, then we convert this length to \unitlength. This number is stored in \xpct@rputmxhg.

```
198 \def\highestlabel#1{\settoheight{\xpct@bxh}{#1}%
199     \LENGTHDIVIDE{\xpct@bxh}{\unitlength}{\xpct@rputmxhg}}
```

Private commands. Main command is \xpct@PUT, all other commands are intended to select appropriate geometry.

\xpct@rPut We give the appropriate value to boolean \rputstar, select rectangular trigonometry and call \xpct@PUT.

```
200 \def\xpct@rPutstar{\rputstartrue\copy{1}{\xpct@CorRput}\xpct@PUT}
201 \def\xpct@rPut{\rputstarfalse\copy{1}{\xpct@CorRput}\xpct@PUT}
```

\xpct@Putstar \Put can take an optional argument.

```
\xpct@Put
202 \def\xpct@Putstar{\@ifnextchar[\xpct@Putstar]{\xpct@Put}}
203 \def\xpct@Put{\@ifnextchar[\xpct@Put]{\xpct@Put}}
```

```

\xpct@@Putstar \Put [pos] is \rPut*{pos} (for “bl” like pos), \cPut{pos} (for “SW” like pos) and \defaultPut
\xpct@@Put pos otherwise.
\xpct@@Put \Put*{pos} is \rPut*{pos} or \cPut{pos} (only for “SW” like pos).
204 \def\xpct@@Put (#1){\refsyPoint(#1)(\xpct@abscoorx,\xpct@abscoory)
205     \put(\xpct@abscoorx,\xpct@abscoory)}
206 \def\xpct@@Putstar[#1] (#2)#3{\xpct@convtoang[#1]{\xpct@putpos}{\xpct@CorR}
207     \if\xpct@CorR c
208         \cPut[#1](#2){#3}
209     \else
210         \rPut*[#1](#2){#3}
211     \fi}
212 \def\xpct@@@Put [#1] (#2)#3{\xpct@convtoang[#1]{\xpct@putpos}{\xpct@CorR}
213     \if\xpct@CorR c
214         \cPut[#1](#2){#3}
215     \else
216         \if\xpct@CorR r
217             \rPut[#1](#2){#3}
218         \else
219             \xpct@defaultPut[#1](#2){#3}
220         \fi\fi}

```

\xpct@PUT This command puts object #4 in (#2,#3) (active reference), according to #1 position.

```

221 \def\xpct@PUT#1(#2,#3)#4{%
Call \xpct@alphaput to compute (\xpct@xPictsep,\xpct@yPictsep), displacement of \Pictlabelsep
units in direction #1. Then, apply \refsyVector to get (\xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy), stan-
dard coordinates of vector (\xpct@xPictsep,\xpct@yPictsep).
222     \xpct@alphaput[#1]{\xpct@CorRput}
223     \refsyVector(\xpct@xPictsep,\xpct@yPictsep)(\xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy)
Compute (\xpct@posx,\xpct@posy), standard coordinates of point (#2,#3).
224     \refsyPoint(#2,#3)(\xpct@posx,\xpct@posy)
Call \xpct@alphamove to adjust (\xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy) according to dimensions of #4.
Then add (\xpct@posx,\xpct@posy) to (\xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy).
225     \xpct@alphamove[#4]{\xpct@CorRput}
226     \VECTORMOVE(\xpct@posx,\xpct@posy)(\xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy)(%
227         \xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy)
Now (\xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy) is the absolute position where #4 must go.
228     \put(\xpct@Posx,\xpct@Posy){#4}}

```

\xpct@alphaput Computes displacement vector required by #1 and stores it in (\xpct@xPictsep},\xpct@yPictsep).

```

229 \def\xpct@alphaput#1#2{\def\xpct@tempa{#1}\def\xpct@tempb{c}%
230     \ifx\xpct@tempa\xpct@tempb
If #1=c, no displacement is required: (\xpct@xPictsep},\xpct@yPictsep)=(0,0).
231     \COPY{0}{\xpct@xPictsep}\COPY{0}{\xpct@yPictsep}
232     \else
Else, call \xpct@convtoang to translate #1 to a number (of degrees),
233     \xpct@convtoang[#1]{\xpct@putpos}{\xpct@CorR}

```

and compute ( $\text{\xpct@xPictsep}$ , $\text{\xpct@yPictsep}$ ).

```

234      \ifnum #2=0
235          \DEGREESCOS{\text{\xpct@putpos}}{\text{\xpct@cosine}}
236          \DEGREESSIN{\text{\xpct@putpos}}{\text{\xpct@sine}}
237      \else
238          \qCOS{\text{\xpct@putpos}}{\text{\xpct@cosine}}
239          \qSIN{\text{\xpct@putpos}}{\text{\xpct@sine}}
240      \fi
241      \MULTIPLY{\text{\Pictlabelsep}}{\text{\xpct@cosine}}{\text{\xpct@xPictsep}}
242      \MULTIPLY{\text{\Pictlabelsep}}{\text{\xpct@sine}}{\text{\xpct@yPictsep}}
243  \fi}

```

$\text{\xpct@alphamove}$  Adjust ( $\text{\xpct@Posx}$ , $\text{\xpct@Posy}$ ) to required position, according to #1 dimensions. If #2 equals 0, it uses circular trigonometry, else it uses square trigonometry.

```
244 \def\xpct@alphamove#1#2{%
```

Computes half of dimensions of #1,

```

245      \xpct@halfbox{#1}{\xpct@amplada}{\xpct@altura}
246      \ifx\xpct@tempa\xpct@tempb
247      \else

```

If required position is not centered, move ( $\text{\xpct@Posx}$ , $\text{\xpct@Posy}$ ) (circular or square cases). First, compute a unitary vector in ( $\text{\xpct@Posx}$ , $\text{\xpct@Posy}$ ) direction.

```

248      \ifnum #2=0
249          \UNITVECTOR(\text{\xpct@Posx},\text{\xpct@Posy})(\text{\xpct@xdir},\text{\xpct@ydir})
250      \else
251          \qUNITVECTOR(\text{\xpct@Posx},\text{\xpct@Posy})(\text{\xpct@xdir},\text{\xpct@ydir})

```

If starred, change height to half  $\text{\xpct@rputmxhg}$ .

```

252      \ifrpstar
253          \ifdim\xpct@ydir\p@=-1\p@
254              \DIVIDE{\xpct@rputmxhg}{2}{\xpct@altura}
255          \fi
256      \fi
257      \fi

```

Adjust ( $\text{\xpct@xdir}$ , $\text{\xpct@ydir}$ ) to #1 dimensions.

```

258      \MULTIPLY{\text{\xpct@ydir}}{\text{\xpct@altura}}{\text{\xpct@ydir}}
259      \MULTIPLY{\text{\xpct@xdir}}{\text{\xpct@amplada}}{\text{\xpct@xdir}}
260      \VECTORADD{(\text{\xpct@Posx},\text{\xpct@Posy})}{(\text{\xpct@xdir},\text{\xpct@ydir})}{%
261          (\text{\xpct@Posx},\text{\xpct@Posy})}
262  \fi

```

Move ( $\text{\xpct@Posx}$ , $\text{\xpct@Posy}$ ) according to #1 dimensions.

```

263      \VECTORSUB{(\text{\xpct@Posx},\text{\xpct@Posy})}{(\text{\xpct@amplada},\text{\xpct@altura})}{%
264          (\text{\xpct@Posx},\text{\xpct@Posy})}

```

$\text{\xpct@convtoang}$  Literal specifiers in \Put-like commands must be converted to angles. c or r (circular or rectangular) distance is also selected.

```

265 \def\xpct@convtoang#1#2#3{%
266     \def\xpct@tempc{#1}
267     \def\xpct@tempd{#2}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{0}{#2}\def#3{#2}\else

```

```

268 \def\xpct@tempd{tr}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{45}{#2}\def#3{r}\else
269 \def\xpct@tempd{t}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{90}{#2}\def#3{r}\else
270 \def\xpct@tempd{tl}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{135}{#2}\def#3{r}\else
271 \def\xpct@tempd{l}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{180}{#2}\def#3{r}
272 \else
273 \def\xpct@tempd{bl}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-135}{#2}
274 \def#3{r}\else
275 \def\xpct@tempd{b}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-90}{#2}
276 \def#3{r}\else
277 \def\xpct@tempd{br}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-45}{#2}
278 \def#3{r}\else
279 \def\xpct@tempd{rtr}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{22.5}{#2}
280 \def#3{r}\else
281 \def\xpct@tempd{ttr}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{67.5}{#2}
282 \def#3{r}\else
283 \def\xpct@tempd{ttl}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{112.5}{#2}
284 \def#3{r}\else
285 \def\xpct@tempd{ltl}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{157.5}{#2}
286 \def#3{r}\else
287 \def\xpct@tempd{lbl}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-157.5}{#2}
288 \def#3{r}\else
289 \def\xpct@tempd{bb}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-112.5}{#2}
290 \def#3{r}\else
291 \def\xpct@tempd{bbr}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-67.5}{#2}
292 \def#3{r}\else
293 \def\xpct@tempd{rbr}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-22.5}{#2}
294 \def#3{r}\else
295 \def\xpct@tempd{E}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{0}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
296 \def\xpct@tempd{NE}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{45}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
297 \def\xpct@tempd{N}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{90}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
298 \def\xpct@tempd{NW}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{135}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
299 \def\xpct@tempd{W}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{180}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
300 \def\xpct@tempd{SW}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-135}{#2}
301 \def#3{c}\else
302 \def\xpct@tempd{S}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-90}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
303 \def\xpct@tempd{SE}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-45}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
304 \def\xpct@tempd{ENE}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{22.5}{#2}
305 \def#3{c}\else
306 \def\xpct@tempd{NNE}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{67.5}{#2}
307 \def#3{c}\else
308 \def\xpct@tempd{NNW}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{112.5}{#2}
309 \def#3{c}\else
310 \def\xpct@tempd{WNW}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{157.5}{#2}
311 \def#3{c}\else
312 \def\xpct@tempd{WSW}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-157.5}{#2}
313 \def#3{c}\else
314 \def\xpct@tempd{SSW}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-112.5}{#2}
315 \def#3{c}\else
316 \def\xpct@tempd{SSE}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-67.5}{#2}
317 \def#3{c}\else

```

```

318 \def\xpct@tempd{ESE}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{-22.5}{#2}
319 \def#3{c}\else
320 \def\xpct@tempd{c}\ifx\xpct@tempc\xpct@tempd\COPY{0}{#2}\def#3{c}\else
321 \COPY{#1}{#2}\def#3{a}
322 \fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi
323 \fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi
324 \fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi
325 }

\xpct@halfbox Half of dimensions of a box.
326 \def\xpct@halfbox#1#2#3{%
327     \settowidth\xpct@bxw{#1}%
328     \settoheight\xpct@bxh{#1}%
329     \LENGTHDIVIDE{\xpct@bxw}{\unitlength}{#2}
330     \LENGTHDIVIDE{\xpct@bxh}{\unitlength}{#3}
331     \MULTIPLY{0.5}{#2}{#2}
332     \MULTIPLY{0.5}{#3}{#3} }

\qCOS Square versions of \DEGREESCOS, \DEGREESSIN and \UNITVECTOR.
\qSIN
\UNITVECTOR
333 \def\qCOS#1#2{%
334     \ifdim #1\p@<-135\p@
335         \ADD{360}{#1}{\xpct@angles}\qCOS{\xpct@angles}{#2}
336     \else
337         \ifdim #1\p@>225\p@ \SUBTRACT{#1}{360}{\xpct@angles}
338             \qCOS{\xpct@angles}{#2}
339         \else
340             \ifdim #1\p@<-45\p@ \DEGREESCOT{#1}{#2}\MULTIPLY{-1}{#2}{#2}
341             \else
342                 \ifdim #1\p@<45\p@ \COPY{1}{#2}
343                 \else
344                     \ifdim #1\p@<135\p@ \DEGREESCOT{#1}{#2}
345                     \else
346                         \COPY{-1}{#2}
347                         \fi
348                         \fi
349                         \fi
350                         \fi
351                         \fi
352 }
353 \def\qSIN#1#2{%
354     \ifdim #1\p@<-135\p@
355         \ADD{360}{#1}{\xpct@angles}\qSIN{\xpct@angles}{#2}
356     \else
357         \ifdim #1\p@>225\p@ \SUBTRACT{#1}{360}{\xpct@angles}
358             \qSIN{\xpct@angles}{#2}
359         \else
360             \ifdim #1\p@<-45\p@ \COPY{-1}{#2}
361             \else
362                 \ifdim #1\p@<45\p@ \DEGREESTAN{#1}{#2}
363                 \else

```

```

364           \ifdim #1\p@<135\p@ \COPY{1}{#2}
365           \else
366               \DEGREESTAN{#1}{#2}\MULTIPLY{-1}{#2}{#2}
367               \fi
368           \fi
369           \fi
370       \fi
371   \fi
372 }
373 \def\qUNITVECTOR(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%
374     \VECTOCOPY(#1,#2)(#3,#4)
375     \ABSVALUE{#4}{\xpct@Ydir}
376     \ifdim \xpct@Ydir\p@ < 0.00005\p@
377         \COPY{\xpct@maxnum}{\xpct@tan}
378     \else
379         \DIVIDE{#3}{#4}{\xpct@tan}
380     \fi
381     \ifdim #3\p@ > 0\p@
382         \ifdim #4\p@ > 0\p@
383             \ifdim #3\p@ > #4\p@
384                 \COPY{1}{#3}\DIVIDE{#4}{\xpct@tan}{#4}
385             \else
386                 \COPY{1}{#4}\COPY{\xpct@tan}{#3}
387             \fi
388         \else
389             \ifdim #3\p@ > -#4\p@
390                 \COPY{1}{#3}\DIVIDE{-#4}{\xpct@tan}{#4}
391             \else
392                 \COPY{-1}{#4}\MULTIPLY{-1}{\xpct@tan}{#3}
393             \fi
394         \fi
395     \else
396         \ifdim #4\p@ > 0\p@
397             \ifdim -#3\p@ > #4\p@
398                 \COPY{-1}{#3}\DIVIDE{-#4}{\xpct@tan}{#4}
399             \else
400                 \COPY{1}{#4}\COPY{\xpct@tan}{#3}
401             \fi
402         \else
403             \ifdim #3\p@ > #4\p@
404                 \COPY{-1}{#4}\COPY{-\xpct@tan}{#3}
405             \else
406                 \COPY{-1}{#3}\DIVIDE{#4}{\xpct@tan}{#4}
407             \fi
408         \fi
409     \fi
410 }

```

## 4.12 \multiput extensions

User commands: `\multicPut`, `\multirPut`, `\multiPut`; `\multicPlot`, `\multirPlot`, `\multiPlot`.  
`\multirPut`, `\multiPut`, `\multirPlot`, and `\multiPlot` have starred versions.

`\multicPut` Define `\xpct@mPut` as `\cPut{#1}` and call `\xpct@@mPut`.

```
411 \def\multicPut#1{\def\xpct@mPut{\cPut{#1}}\xpct@@mPut}
```

`\multirPut` Call `\xpct@multirPut` or `\xpct@multirPutstar` (if starred).

`\multirPut*`

```
412 \def\multirPut{\@ifstar
413     \xpct@multirPutstar%
414     \xpct@multirPut%
415 }
```

`\multiPut` Call `\xpct@multiPut` or `\xpct@multiPutstar` (if starred).

`\multiPut*`

```
416 \def\multiPut{\@ifstar
417     \xpct@multiPutstar%
418     \xpct@multiPut%
419 }
```

`\xpct@multirPutstar` Define `\xpct@mPut` as `\rPut*{#1}` or `\rPut{#1}` and call `\xpct@@mPut`.

`\xpct@multirPut`

```
420 \def\xpct@multirPutstar#1{\def\xpct@mPut{\rPut*{#1}}\xpct@@mPut}
421 \def\xpct@multirPut#1{\def\xpct@mPut{\rPut{#1}}\xpct@@mPut}
```

`\xpct@multiPut` `\multiPut` can take an optional argument.

`\xpct@multiPutstar`

```
422 \def\xpct@multiPut{\@ifnextchar[{\xpct@@@multiPut}{\xpct@@multiPut}}
423 \def\xpct@multiPutstar{\@ifnextchar[{\xpct@@@multiPutstar}{\xpct@@multiPutstar}}
```

`\xpct@@@multiPut` Define `\xpct@mPut` as `\Put` or `\Put*` and call `\xpct@@mPut`.

`\xpct@@@multiPutstar`

```
424 \def\xpct@@@multiPut{\def\xpct@mPut{\Put}\xpct@@mPut}
425 \def\xpct@@@multiPutstar{\def\xpct@mPut{\Put*}\xpct@@mPut}
```

`\xpct@@@multiPut` Define `\xpct@mPut` as `\Put[#1]` or `\Put*[#1]` and call `\xpct@@mPut`.

`\xpct@@@multiPutstar`

```
426 \def\xpct@@@multiPut[#1]{\def\xpct@mPut{\Put[#1]}\xpct@@mPut}
427 \def\xpct@@@multiPutstar[#1]{\def\xpct@mPut{\Put*[#1]}\xpct@@mPut}
```

`\xpct@@mPut` `\xpct@@mPut` is the main macro about `\multiPut`-like commands. `\xpct@mPut` is already defined as the appropriate `\Put` command.

```
428 \def\xpct@@mPut(#1,#2)(#3,#4)#5#6{%
```

Use counter `multiput` to count iterations. (`\xpct@abscoorx`, `\xpct@abscoory`) is the point to be plotted in each iteration.

```
429     \COPY{#1}\xpct@abscoorx\COPY{#2}\xpct@abscoory
430     \setcounter{multiput}{0}%
431     \whilenum\value{multiput}<#5 \do
```

Plot the point, translate it, and update counter.

```
432         {\xpct@mPut(\xpct@abscoorx,\xpct@abscoory){#6}
433         \ADD{#3}\xpct@abscoorx\xpct@abscoorx
434         \ADD{#4}\xpct@abscoory\xpct@abscoory
435         \stepcounter{multiput}}}
```

```

\multicPlot Execute \cPut and iterates itself while next character be (.
436 \def\multicPlot#1#2(#3){\cPut{#1} (#3){#2}\@ifnextchar({\multicPlot{#1}{#2}}{})}

\multirPlot \multirPlot can take a starred form. Call \xpct@multirPlot or, if starred, \xpct@multirPlotstar.
\multirPlot* 437 \def\multirPlot{\@ifstar
438     \xpct@multirPlotstar%
439     \xpct@multirPlot%
440 }

\multiPlot \multiPlot can take a starred form. Call \xpct@multiPlot or, if starred, \xpct@multiPlotstar.
\multiPlot* 441 \def\multiPlot{\@ifstar
442     \xpct@multiPlotstar%
443     \xpct@multiPlot%
444 }

\xpct@multirPlotstar Execute \rPut* or \rPut and iterates itself while next character be (.
\xpct@multirPlot 445 \def\xpct@multirPlotstar#1#2(#3){\rPut*{#1} (#3){#2}
446     \@ifnextchar({\xpct@multirPlotstar{#1}{#2}}{})}
447 \def\xpct@multirPlot#1#2(#3){\rPut{#1} (#3){#2}
448     \@ifnextchar({\xpct@multirPlot{#1}{#2}}{})}

\xpct@multiPlotstar \multiPlot (and \multiPlot*) can take an optional argument. We have four cases: (starred
\xpct@multiPlot 449 \def\xpct@multiPlotstar{%
450     \@ifnextchar[{\xpct@@@multiPlotstar}{\xpct@multiPlotstar}}
451 \def\xpct@multiPlot{\@ifnextchar[{\xpct@@@multiPlot}{\xpct@multiPlot}}}

\xpct@@@multiPlot Execute \Put (or \Put*) and iterates itself while next character be (.
\xpct@@@multiPlot 452 \def\xpct@@@multiPlot#1(#2){\Put(#2){#1}\@ifnextchar({\xpct@@@multiPlot{#1}}{})}
\xpct@@@multiPlotstar 453 \def\xpct@@@multiPlot[#1]#2(#3){\Put[#1] (#3){#2}
454     \@ifnextchar({\xpct@@@multiPlot[#1]{#2}}{})}
455 \def\xpct@@@multiPlotstar#1(#2){\Put*(#2){#1}
456     \@ifnextchar({\xpct@@@multiPlotstar{#1}}{})}
457 \def\xpct@@@multiPlotstar[#1]#2(#3){\Put*[#1] (#3){#2}
458     \@ifnextchar({\xpct@@@multiPlotstar[#1]{#2}}{})}

```

## 4.13 Strigth lines and vectors

```

\xLINE Compute standard coordinates of two points and call \xpct@strline to plot a line.
\strline 459 \def\xLINE(#1)(#2){%
460     \refsysPoint(#1)(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)
461     \refsysPoint(#2)(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)
462     \xpct@strline(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)}
463 \let\strline\xLINE

\xpct@strline This command calls the \segment command from curve2e (or \LINE, for old versions of
curve2e).
464 \def\xpct@strline{\@killglue\@ifundefined{segment}{\LINE}{\segment}}

```

\xVECTOR Compute standard coordinates of two points and call \VECTOR to plot a vector.

```

465 \def\xVECTOR(#1)(#2){%
466     \refsyPoint(#1)(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)
467     \refsyPoint(#2)(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)
468     \VECTOR(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)}

```

\xtrivVECTOR Compute standard coordinates of two points and call \xpct@xtrivVECTOR to plot a ‘triv’ vector.

```

469 \def\xtrivVECTOR(#1)(#2){%
470     \refsyPoint(#1)(\xpct@xzeropoint,\xpct@yzeropoint)
471     \refsyPoint(#2)(\xpct@xonepoint,\xpct@yonepoint)
472     \xpct@xtrivVECTOR(\xpct@xzeropoint,\xpct@yzeropoint)(%
473         \xpct@xonepoint,\xpct@yonepoint)}

```

\arrowsize Store dimensions of triv arrows. to plot a vector.

```

474 \def\arrowsize#1#2{\COPY{#1}{\xpct@xarrowlen}
475             \COPY{#2}{\xpct@yarrowlen}}

```

\xpct@xtrivVECTOR Plot a stright line, compute size of arrowhead and call \xpct@arrow to plot it.

```

476 \def\xpct@xtrivVECTOR(#1)(#2){%
477     \xpct@strline(#1)(#2)
478     \VECTORSUB(#2)(#1)(\xpct@xarrow,\xpct@yarrow)
479     \VECTORNORM(\xpct@xarrow,\xpct@yarrow){\xpct@xarrowunit}
480     \DIVIDE{\xpct@xarrow}{\xpct@xarrowunit}{\xpct@xarrow}
481     \DIVIDE{\xpct@yarrow}{\xpct@xarrowunit}{\xpct@yarrow}
482     \xpct@arrow(#2){\xpct@xarrow}{\xpct@yarrow}}

```

\xpct@arrow Make an arrowhead as a small picture.

```

483 \def\xpct@arrow(#1)#2#3{\begingroup%
484     \referencesystem(#1)(#2,#3)(-#3,#2)
485     \Put(0,0){\setlength{\unitlength}{1pt}%
486         \begin{Picture}(0,0)(0,0)\cartesianreference
487             \xLINE(-\xpct@xarrowlen,\xpct@yarrowlen)(0,0)
488             \xLINE(0,0)(-\xpct@xarrowlen,-\xpct@yarrowlen)
489         \end{Picture}}\endgroup}

```

\zerovector To have an arrowhead, draw a very short vector (of  $0.01\unitlength$ ).

\zerotrivvector

```

490 \def\zerovector(#1){%
491     \UNITVECTOR(#1)(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)
492     \SCALARVECTORPRODUCT{0.01}(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)
493     \xVECTOR(0,0)(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)}
494 \def\zerotrivvector(#1){%
495     \UNITVECTOR(#1)(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)
496     \SCALARVECTORPRODUCT{0.01}(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)
497     \xtrivVECTOR(0,0)(\xpct@dirx,\xpct@diry)}

```

\xline Standard syntax strigth lines and vectors. Call \xpct@xline to compute adequate coordinates of line or vector ends. Then call \xLINE, \xVECTOR or \xtrivVECTOR command.

\xvector

```

498 \def\xline(#1,#2)#3{%
499     \xpct@xline(#1,#2){#3}}

```

```

500   \xLINE(0,0)(\xpct@@xdir,\xpct@@ydir)}
501
502 \def\xvector(#1,#2){%
503   \ifdim #3 pt = 0 pt \zerovector(#1,#2)
504   \else
505     \xpct@xline(#1,#2){#3}
506   \xVECTOR(0,0)(\xpct@@xdir,\xpct@@ydir)
507   \fi}
508
509 \def\xtrivvector(#1,#2){%
510   \ifdim #3 pt = 0 pt \zerotrivvector(#1,#2)
511   \else
512     \xpct@xline(#1,#2){#3}
513   \xtrivVECTOR(0,0)(\xpct@@xdir,\xpct@@ydir)
514   \fi}

\xpct@xline Calculate the coordinates of the endpoint of \xline(#1,#2){#3} and stores them in (\xpct@@xdir,\xpct@@y
515 \def\xpct@xline(#1,#2){%
516   \ABSVALUE{#1}{\xpct@modx}
517   \ifdim \xpct@modx pt < 0.0001 pt
518     \COPY{0}{\xpct@@xdir}
519     \ifdim #2 p@>z@ \COPY{#3}{\xpct@@ydir}
520     \else \MULTIPLY{-1}{#3}{\xpct@@ydir}
521     \fi
522   \else
523     \DIVIDE{#1}{\xpct@modx}{\xpct@@xdir}
524     \DIVIDE{#2}{\xpct@modx}{\xpct@@ydir}
525     \SCALARVECTORPRODUCT{#3}{(\xpct@@xdir,\xpct@@ydir)}{%
526       \xpct@@xdir,\xpct@@ydir)
527   \fi}

```

## 4.14 Polygons and polylines

\Polyline This command plots a line between the two first points and, if next character is `(`, supresses first point and iterates itself.

```

528 \def\Polyline(#1)(#2){%
529   \xLINE(#1)(#2)\@ifnextchar({\Polyline(#2)}{}}

```

\Polygon Store the first point in (\xpct@firstx,\xpct@firsty) and call \xpct@Polygon.

```

530 \def\Polygon(#1,#2)(#3){%
531   \COPY{#1}{\xpct@firstx}\COPY{#2}{\xpct@firsty}
532   \xpct@Polygon(#1,#2)(#3)}

```

\xpct@Polygon This command plots a line between the two first points and, if next character is `(`, supresses first point and iterates itself. When finished, adds a closing line to the previously stored first point.

```

533 \def\xpct@Polygon(#1)(#2){%
534   \xLINE(#1)(#2)\@ifnextchar({\xpct@Polygon(#2)}{%
535     \xLINE(#2)(\xpct@firstx,\xpct@firsty)}}

```

\regularPolygon \regularPolygon can take an optional argument.

```
536 \def\regularPolygon{%
537     \@ifnextchar[{\xpct@regPolygon}{\xpct@@regPolygon}}
```

\xpct@@regPolygon Default for optional argument is 0.

```
538 \def\xpct@@regPolygon#1#2{\xpct@regPolygon[0]{#1}{#2}}
```

\xpct@regPolygon \xpct@regPolygon[#1]{#2}{#3} uses the xpct@counta counter to plot #3 lines, in polar coordinates with #2 radius, startint with angle #1 and using 360/#3 to incrementing angle in each step.

```
539 \def\xpct@regPolygon[#1]#2#3{\begingroup%
540     \polarreference\degreesangles
541     \setcounter{xpct@counta}{0}%
542     \setcounter{xpct@countb}{#3}%
543     \DIVIDE{360}{#3}{\xpct@angles}
544     \COPY{#1}{\xpct@anglea}
545     \whilenum{\value{xpct@counta}<\value{xpct@countb}}{\do {%
546         \ADD{\xpct@anglea}{\xpct@angles}{\xpct@angleb}
547         \xLINE(#2,\xpct@anglea)(#2,\xpct@angleb)
548         \COPY{\xpct@angleb}{\xpct@anglea}\stepcounter{xpct@counta}}
549 \endgroup}
```

## 4.15 Quadratic curves

\xpct@ctrlpoint The main command in this section is \xpct@ctrlpoint. It computes the control point in a quadratic Bezier curve from the coordinates and direction vectors of ending points.

```
550 \def\xpct@ctrlpoint(#1,#2)(#3,#4)(#5,#6)(#7,#8){%
551     \DETERMINANT(#3,#4;#7,#8)\xpct@detA
552     \DETERMINANT(#1,#2;#3,#4)\xpct@detB
553     \DETERMINANT(#5,#6;#7,#8)\xpct@detC
554     \DETERMINANT(#3,#7;\xpct@detB,\xpct@detC)\xpct@detD
555     \DETERMINANT(#4,#8;\xpct@detB,\xpct@detC)\xpct@detE
556     \ABSVALUE{\xpct@detA}{\xpct@detA}
557     \ABSVALUE{\xpct@detD}{\xpct@detD}
558     \ABSVALUE{\xpct@detE}{\xpct@detE}
559     \ifdim \xpct@detA pt<0.00005 pt
```

If \xpct@detA approaches zero, matrix is singular or close to singular. Then tangent lines may be parallel or coincide.

```
560     \ifdim \xpct@detD pt<0.00005 pt \% \xpct@detD pt=0 pt
561     \ifdim \xpct@detE pt<0.00005 pt \% \xpct@detE pt=0 pt
```

Indeterminate system. The curve is a straight line. We take (as reference point) middle point between end points.

```
562             \ADD{#1}{#5}{\xpct@solx}\DIVIDE{\xpct@solx}{2}{\xpct@solx}
563             \ADD{#2}{#6}{\xpct@soly}\DIVIDE{\xpct@soly}{2}{\xpct@soly}
564             \fi\else
```

Inconsistent case. Return a warning and undefine control point.

```
565             \xpct@WarnIncSys(#1,#2)(#5,#6)
```

```

566           \let\xpct@solx\undefined\let\xpct@soly\undefined
567           \fi
568       \else
```

This is the regular case.

```

569           \DIVIDE{\xpct@detD}{\xpct@detA}{\xpct@solx}
570           \DIVIDE{\xpct@detE}{\xpct@detA}{\xpct@soly}
571       \fi}
```

**\qCurve** This macro accepts two alternative syntax (directions given by a vector or by an angle).

```
572 \def\qCurve(#1){\@ifnextchar({\xpct@@qCurve(#1)}{\xpct@00qCurve(#1)}}
```

**\xpct@@qCurve** Compute standard coordinates of points and vectors and call **\xpct@qCurve**.

```

573 \def\xpct@@qCurve(#1)(#2)(#3)(#4){%
574     \refsysPoint(#1)(\xpct@0xzero,\xpct@0yzero)
575     \refsysPoint(#3)(\xpct@0xone,\xpct@0yone)
576     \refsysVector(#2)(\xpct@0dxzero,\xpct@0dyzero)
577     \refsysVector(#4)(\xpct@0dxone,\xpct@0dyone)
578     \xpct@qCurve(\xpct@0xzero,\xpct@0yzero)(\xpct@0dxzero,\xpct@0dyzero)(%
579         \xpct@0xone,\xpct@0yone)%
580     (\xpct@0dxone,\xpct@0dyone)}
```

**\xpct@00qCurve** Translate direction angles to vectors and call **\qCurve**.

```

581 \def\xpct@00qCurve(#1)#2(#3)#4{%
582     \ifpolar
583         \qCurve(#1)(1,#2)(#3)(1,#4)
584     \else
585         \DEGREESCOS{#2}{\xpct@angxz}
586         \DEGREESSIN{#2}{\xpct@angyz}
587         \DEGREESCOS{#4}{\xpct@angxo}
588         \DEGREESSIN{#4}{\xpct@angyo}
589         \qCurve(#1)(\xpct@angxz,\xpct@angyz)(#3)%
590             (\xpct@angxo,\xpct@angyo)\fi}
```

**\xpct@qCurve** Call **\xpct@ctrlpoint** to compute control point; then, use **\qbezier** to plot the curve. If the control point is undefined, nothing is drawn.

```

591 \def\xpct@qCurve(#1)(#2)(#3)(#4){%
592     \xpct@ctrlpoint(#1)(#2)(#3)(#4)
593     \ifx\xpct@solx\undefined
594     \else
595         \qbezier(#1)(\xpct@solx,\xpct@soly)(#3)\fi\ignorespaces}
```

**\PlotQuadraticCurve** Try between the two alternative syntax.

```

596 \def\PlotQuadraticCurve(#1){%
597     \@ifnextchar({\xpct@PlotQuadraticCurve(#1)}{%
598         \xpct@0PlotQuadraticCurve(#1)})}
```

**\xpct@PlotQuadraticCurve** Call **\qCurve** and iterate **\PlotQuadraticCurve**.

```
599 \def\xpct@PlotQuadraticCurve(#1)(#2)(#3)(#4){%
600     \qCurve(#1)(#2)(#3)(#4)
```

```

601      @ifnextchar({\PlotQuadraticCurve(#3)(#4){}}
602 \def\xpct@@PlotQuadraticCurve(#1)#2(#3)#4{%
603     \qCurve(#1){#2}{#3}{#4}
604     @ifnextchar({\PlotQuadraticCurve(#3){#4}{}}}
```

## 4.16 Conic sections and arcs

`\xpct@circulararc` Parametric equations of circular, hyperbolic and parabolic arcs defined as vector functions.

`\xpct@hyperbolicarc` 605 `\newvectorfunction{\xpct@circulararc}{%`

`\xpct@parabolicarc` Unit circle equation  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$  can be parameterized as  $f(t) = (\cos t, \sin t)$ . If the angles are measured in degrees, the derivative is not correct. Should be multiplied by  $\pi/180$ , but because what we want is the direction of the derivative, we will not do.

```

606     \ifdegrees
607         \DEGREESCOS{\t}{\x}
608         \DEGREESSIN{\t}{\y}
609         \COPY{\x}{\Dy}
610         \MULTIPLY{-1}{\y}{\Dx}
611     \else
612         \COS{\t}{\x}
613         \SIN{\t}{\y}
614         \COPY{\x}{\Dy}
615         \MULTIPLY{-1}{\y}{\Dx}
616     \fi}
617 \newvectorfunction{\xpct@hyperbolicarc}{%
```

Hyperbola  $x^2 - y^2 = 1$ , parameterized as  $f(t) = \frac{1}{2}(t+1/t, t-1/t)$ . This derivative is not correct. We should divide it by  $t$ , but that did not change direction.

```

618     \DIVIDE{1}{\t}{\xpct@invt}
619     \ADD{\t}{\xpct@invt}{\x}
620     \SUBTRACT{\t}{\xpct@invt}{\y}
621     \MULTIPLY{0.5}{\x}{\x}
622     \MULTIPLY{0.5}{\y}{\y}
623     \COPY{\x}{\Dy}
624     \COPY{\y}{\Dx}}
```

Parabola  $x = y^2$  (or  $f(t) = (t^2, t)$ ).

```

625 \newvectorfunction{\xpct@parabolicarc}{%
626     \COPY{\t}{\y}
627     \COPY{1}{\Dy}
628     \SQUARE{\t}{\x}
629     \MULTIPLY{2}{\t}{\Dx}}
```

`\circularArc` A circular arc is an elliptic arc with equal semiaxes.

`\xArc` 630 `\def\circularArc#1#2#3{\ellipticArc{#1}{#1}{#2}{#3}}`

`\let\xArc\circularArc` 631

`\ellipticArc` To draw an arc of ellipse of semiaxes #1 and #2, scale the axes and draw a circular arc. `\defaultplotdivs` is the number of subintervals we divide  $[#3, #4]$ .

```

632 \def\ellipticArc#1#2#3#4{%
```

```

633   \begingroup
634     \cartesianreference
635     \changerefrencesystem(0,0)(#1,0)(0,#2)
636     \PlotParametricFunction[\defaultplotdivs]{\xpct@circulararc}{#3}{#4}
637   \endgroup\ignorespaces}

\Circle A circle (or ellipse) is a circular (elliptic) arc of amplitude  $2\pi$ .
\Ellipse 638 \def\Circle#1{\begingroup\radiansangles
639   \circularArc{#1}{0}{\numberTWOPI}\endgroup\ignorespaces}
640 \def\Ellipse#1#2{\begingroup\radiansangles
641   \ellipticArc{#1}{#2}{0}{\numberTWOPI}
642   \endgroup\ignorespaces}

\lhyperbolicArc Change  $x$ -axis to  $-x$ , then draw a right hyperbolic arc.
643 \def\lhyperbolicArc#1#2#3#4{%
644   \begingroup
645     \changerefrencesystem(0,0)(-1,0)(0,1)
646     \rhyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{#3}{#4}
647   \endgroup\ignorespaces}

\rhyperbolicArc Call \xpct@hypfly to compute extreme variables, then draw a normalized arc of hyperbola.
648 \def\rhyperbolicArc#1#2#3#4{%
649   \xpct@hypfly{#2}{#3}{\xpct@uone}
650   \xpct@hypfly{#2}{#4}{\xpct@utwo}
651   \xpct@hyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{\xpct@uone}{\xpct@utwo} }

\xpct@hyperbolicArc To draw an arc of (right branch of) hyperbola of semiaxes #1 and #2, scale the axes and draw
a normalized arc of hyperbola. \defaultplotdivs is the number of subintervals we divide
[#3,#4].
652 \def\xpct@hyperbolicArc#1#2#3#4{%
653   \begingroup
654     \cartesianreference
655     \changerefrencesystem(0,0)(#1,0)(0,#2)
656     \PlotParametricFunction[\defaultplotdivs]{\xpct@hyperbolicarc}{#3}{#4}
657   \endgroup\ignorespaces}

\lHyperbola Change  $x$ -axis to  $-x$ , then draw a right hyperbola branch.
658 \def\lHyperbola#1#2#3#4{%
659   \begingroup
660     \changerefrencesystem(0,0)(-1,0)(0,1)
661     \rHyperbola{#1}{#2}{#3}{#4}
662   \endgroup\ignorespaces}

\rHyperbola Use \xpct@hypconsist to ensure parameters consistency, call \xpct@hyperbolalastu to com-
pute extreme variable, then plot the right hyperbola branch. Divide the curve into two arcs to
ensure that it includes point (#1,0).
663 \def\rHyperbola#1#2#3#4{%
664   \def\xpct@hycons{}\xpct@hypconsist{#1}{#3}%
665   \ifx\xpct@hycons\undefined

```

```

666      \else
667          \xpct@hyperbolalastu{#1}{#2}{#3}{#4}
668          \DIVIDE{1}{\xpct@umax}{\xpct@umin}
669          \xpct@hyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{\xpct@umin}{1}
670          \xpct@hyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{1}{\xpct@umax}
671      \fi}

```

\Hyperbola Use \xpct@hypconsist to ensure parameters consistency, call \xpct@hyperbolalastu to compute extreme variable, then plot the two branches.

```

672 \def\Hyperbola#1#2#3#4{%
673     \begingroup
674     \def\xpct@hycons{} \xpct@hypconsist{#1}{#3}%
675     \ifx\xpct@hycons\undefined
676     \else
677         \xpct@hyperbolalastu{#1}{#2}{#3}{#4}
678         \DIVIDE{1}{\xpct@umax}{\xpct@umin}
679         \xpct@hyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{\xpct@umin}{1}
680         \xpct@hyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{1}{\xpct@umax}
681         \changereferencesystem(0,0)(-1,0)(0,1)
682         \xpct@hyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{\xpct@umin}{1}
683         \xpct@hyperbolicArc{#1}{#2}{1}{\xpct@umax}
684     \fi\endgroup}

```

\xpct@hypconsist Ensures consistency of parameters in \Hyperbola-like commands. This curve is not defined for  $x < a$  values.

```

685 \def\xpct@hypconsist#1#2{%
686     \ifnum #1<#2\else\xpct@ErrHypCons
687         \let\xpct@hycons\undefined\fi}

```

\xpct@hyperbolalastu Compute the max value of parameter ensuring restrictions  $x < #3$  and  $y < #4$ .

```

688 \def\xpct@hyperbolalastu#1#2#3#4{%
689     \xpct@hyplux{#1}{#3}{\xpct@umaxx}
690     \xpct@hypluy{#2}{#4}{\xpct@umaxy}
691     \MIN{\xpct@umaxx}{\xpct@umaxy}{\xpct@umax}}

```

\xpct@hyplux To compute the max value of parameter ensuring restriction  $x \leq #2$ , solve equation  $#2 = (1/2) \#1(u + 1/u)$  ( $u = #3$ ).

```

692 \def \xpct@hyplux#1#2#3{%
693     \DIVIDE{#2}{#1}{\xpct@xa}
694     \SQUARE{\xpct@xa}{#3}
695     \SUBTRACT{#3}{1}{#3}
696     \SQRAROOT{#3}{\xpct@umaxx}
697     \ADD{\xpct@xa}{\xpct@umaxx}{#3}}

```

\xpct@hypluy To compute the max value of parameter ensuring restriction  $y < #2$ , solve equation  $#2 = (1/2) \#1(u - 1/u)$  ( $u = #3$ ).

```

698 \def \xpct@hypluy#1#2#3{%
699     \DIVIDE{#2}{#1}{\xpct@xa}
700     \SQUARE{\xpct@xa}{#3}}

```

```

701      \ADD{#3}{1}{#3}
702      \SQUAREROOT{#3}{\xpct@@umaxx}
703      \ADD{\xpct@xa}{\xpct@@umaxx}{#3}}

```

\parabolicArc To draw an arc of parabola scale the  $x$ -axis and draw a normalized arc of parabola. \defaultplotdivs is the number of subintervals we divide [#2,#3].

```

704 \def\parabolicArc#1#2#3{%
705   \begingroup
706     \changerefrencesystem(0,0)(#1,0)(0,1)
707     \PlotParametricFunction[\defaultplotdivs]{\xpct@parabolicarc}{#2}{#3}
708   \endgroup
}
```

\Parabola Call \xpct@parabolalasty to compute extreme variable, then plot the parabola. Divide the curve into two arcs to ensure that it includes point (0,0).

```

709 \def\Parabola#1#2#3{%
710   \xpct@parabolalasty{#1}{#2}{#3}
711   \parabolicArc{#1}{-\xpct@maxy}{0}
712   \parabolicArc{#1}{0}{\xpct@maxy}}

```

\xpct@parabolalasty Ensure restrictions  $x \leq #2$ ,  $y \leq #3$ : solve equation  $#2 = #1 y^2$ . Then, \xpct@maxy = min(y, #3).

```

713 \def\xpct@parabolalasty#1#2#3{%
714   \ABSVALUE{#1}{\xpct@@maxy}
715   \DIVIDE{#2}{\xpct@@maxy}{\xpct@@maxy}
716   \SQUAREROOT{\xpct@@maxy}{\xpct@maxy}
717   \MIN{\xpct@maxy}{#3}{\xpct@maxy}}

```

## 4.17 Graphing functions

\PlotFunction This command can take an optional argument.

\xpct@iterateplotfunction Compute \xpct@step as  $(#4 - #3) / #1$  and iterate \xpct@plotfunction #1 times.

```

720 \def\xpct@iterateplotfunction[#1]{#2#3#4{%
721   \setcounter{xpct@step}{0}%
722   \COPY{#3}{\xpct@oldt}
723   \SUBTRACT{#4}{#3}{\xpct@step}
724   \DIVIDE{\xpct@step}{#1}{\xpct@step}
725   @whilenum {\value{xpct@step} < #1} \do
726     {\ADD{\xpct@oldt}{\xpct@step}{\xpct@newt}
727     \xpct@plotfunction{#2}{\xpct@oldt}{\xpct@newt}
728     \stepcounter{xpct@step}%
729     \COPY{\xpct@newt}{\xpct@oldt}
730   }%
}
```

\xpct@plotfunction Draw graph of #1 function between #2 and #3.

Compute  $f$  and  $f'$  in #2 and #3, and apply \PlotxyDyData.

```

732      #1{#2}{\yzero}{\Dyzero}%
733      #1{#3}{\yone}{\Dyone}%
734      \PlotxyDyData(#2,\yzero,\Dyzero)(#3,\yone,\Dyone)
735      \ifx\xpct@solx\undefined

```

If tangent vectors are parallel, divide the interval into two halves and recall \xpct@plotfunction.

```

736      \ADD{#2}{#3}{\xpct@midddt}
737      \MULTIPLY{0.5}{\xpct@midddt}{\xpct@midddt}
738      \xpct@plotfunction{#1}{#2}{\xpct@midddt}
739      \xpct@plotfunction{#1}{\xpct@midddt}{#3}
740      \fi}

```

\PlotPointsOffFunction The \PlotPointsOffFunction command is essentially equal to \xpct@iterateplotfunction, but instead of a curve between two adjacent points, plots a \pointmark (user can redefine \pointmark).

```

741 \def\PlotPointsOffFunction#1#2#3#4{%
742   \setcounter{xpct@step}{0}%
743 \COPY{#3}{\xpct@oldt}
744 \SUBTRACT{#4}{#3}{\xpct@step}
745 \DIVIDE{\xpct@step}{#1}{\xpct@step}
746 \ADD{#1}{1}{\xpct@lastt}
747 @whilenum \value{xpct@step}<\xpct@lastt \do
748   {\ADD{\xpct@oldt}{\xpct@step}{\xpct@newt}}
749   #2{\xpct@oldt}{\xpct@oldy}{\xpct@oldDy}
750   \Put[c]{\xpct@oldt}{\xpct@oldy}{\pointmark}
751   \stepcounter{xpct@step}%
752   \COPY{\xpct@newt}{\xpct@oldt}
753 }

```

\PlotxyDyData \PlotxyDyData(x0,y0,y0')(x1,y1,y1')(x2,y2,y2')... uses \qCurve to draw a curve between (x0,y0) and (x1,y1) with tangent vectors (1,y0') and (1,y1'), then iterates itself.

```

754 \def\PlotxyDyData(#1,#2,#3)(#4,#5,#6){%
755   \qCurve(#1,#2)(1,#3)(#4,#5)(1,#6)
756   @ifnextchar({\PlotxyDyData(#4,#5,#6){}}

```

## 4.18 Graphing parametric curves

\PlotParametricFunction Plot vectorial function #2 between the parameter values #3 and #4. It can take an optional argument #1.

```

757 \def\PlotParametricFunction{%
758   @ifnextchar[{\xpct@iterateplotpfunction}{\xpct@plotpfunction}}

```

\xpct@iterateplotpfunction Divide [#3,#4] in #1 pieces, then iterate \xpct@plotpfunction #1 times.

```

759 \def\xpct@iterateplotpfunction[#1]#2#3#4{%
760 \setcounter{xpct@step}{0}%
761 \COPY{#3}{\xpct@oldt}
762 \SUBTRACT{#4}{#3}{\xpct@step}
763 \DIVIDE{\xpct@step}{#1}{\xpct@step}

```

```

764 \@whilenum \value{xpct@step}<#1 \do
765   {\ADD{\xpct@oldt}{\xpct@step}{\xpct@newt}
766   \xpct@plotpfunction{#2}{\xpct@oldt}{\xpct@newt}
767   \stepcounter{xpct@step}%
768   \COPY{\xpct@newt}{\xpct@oldt}\ignorespaces}

\xpct@plotpfunction Compute function (and derivative of) #1 in #2 and #3, then call \qCurve.
769 \def\xpct@plotpfunction#1#2#3{%
770   \begingroup
771     #1{#2}\xzero\DXzero\yzero\DYzero
772     #1{#3}\xone\DXone\yone\DYone
773     \cartesianreference
774     \qCurve(\xzero,\yzero)(\DXzero,\DYzero)(\xone,\yone)(\DXone,\DYone)
775   \endgroup\ignorespaces}

```

## 4.19 Cartesian axes and grids

Main commands: \cartesianaxes and \cartesiangrid.

\cartesiangrid Put \ifgrid to true, then call \cartesianaxes.

```

776 \def\cartesiangrid(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%
777   \begingroup\gridtrue\cartesianaxes(#1,#2)(#3,#4)\endgroup}

```

\cartesianaxes \cartesianaxes makes axes and, optionally, grid, tics, and/or labels. Cartesian rectangle limits are stored in \xpct@XZero, \xpct@XOne, \xpct@YZero, and \xpct@YOne.

\xpct@XZero \xpct@XOne

```
778 \def\cartesianaxes(#1,#2)(#3,#4){%
```

\xpct@YZero \xpct@YOne

In this command, coordinates are Cartesian.

```

779   \begingroup\cartesianreference
780     \GLOBALCOPY{#1}{\xpct@XZero}\GLOBALCOPY{#2}{\xpct@YZero}
781     \GLOBALCOPY{#3}{\xpct@XOne}\GLOBALCOPY{#4}{\xpct@YOne}

```

There shall be cuts, labels or grid?

```

782   \iftics
783     \ticlabelsgridtrue
784   \else
785     \iflabels
786       \ticlabelsgridtrue
787     \else
788       \ifgrid
789         \ticlabelsgridtrue
790       \fi\fi\fi
791     \ifticslabelsgrid
792       \xpct@plotticslabels
793     \fi

```

Call \xpct@plotaxes to plot axes.

```
794   \xpct@plotaxes\endgroup}
```

\plotxtic Put \iftics boolean to true, adjust tics lengths and position, and call \xpct@printtic.

\plotytic 795 \def\plotxtic#1{%

```

796          \maketicks
797          \xpct@adjticssize
798          \xpct@adjxorytics{\#1}{0}
799          \xpct@printtic}
800 \def\plotytic#1{%
801         \maketicks
802         \xpct@adjticssize
803         \xpct@adjxorytics{\#1}{1}
804         \xpct@printtic}

\print xlabel Adjust tics lengths and position, and call \xpct@printlabel.
\printlabel 805 \def\print xlabel#1#2{%
806         \xpct@adjticssize
807         \xpct@adjxorytics{\#1}{0}
808         \xpct@printlabel{0}{#2}}
809 \def\printlabel#1#2{%
810         \xpct@adjticssize
811         \xpct@adjxorytics{\#1}{1}
812         \xpct@printlabel{1}{#2}}

\printxticlabel Print tic and label.
\printyticlabel 813 \def\printxticlabel#1#2{\plotxtic{\#1}\print xlabel{\#1}{#2}}
814 \def\printyticlabel#1#2{\plotytic{\#1}\printlabel{\#1}{#2}}

\plotxtics Call \xpct@plottics{0} or \xpct@plottics{1}.
\plotytics 815 \def\plotxtics{\xpct@plottics{0}}
816 \def\plotytics{\xpct@plottics{1}}

\printxlabels Call \xpct@printlabels{0} or \xpct@printlabels{1}. By default, optional argument must
\printylabels be -1.
817 \def\printxlabels{%
818     \@ifnextchar[{\xpct@printlabels{0}}{\xpct@printlabels{0}[-1]}}
819 \def\printylabels{%
820     \@ifnextchar[{\xpct@printlabels{1}}{\xpct@printlabels{1}[-1]}}}

\printxticslabels Call \xpct@printxticslabels or \xpct@printyticslabels. By default, optional argument
\printyticslabels must be -1.
821 \def\printxticslabels{%
822     \@ifnextchar[{\xpct@printxticslabels}{\xpct@printxticslabels[-1]}}
823 \def\printyticslabels{%
824     \@ifnextchar[{\xpct@printyticslabels}{\xpct@printyticslabels[-1]}}}

\xpct@plotaxes Axes are simple lines, but its position depends on boolean \inzeroaxes.
825 \def\xpct@plotaxes{\linethickness{\axesthickness}%
826             \pictcolor{\axescolor}
827             \ifinzeroaxes
828                 \xLINE(\xpct@XZero,0)(\xpct@XOne,0)
829                 \xLINE(0,\xpct@YZero)(0,\xpct@YOne)
830             \else
```

```

831          \xLINE(\xpct@XZero,\xpct@YZero)(\xpct@XOne,\xpct@YZero)
832          \xLINE(\xpct@XZero,\xpct@YZero)(\xpct@XZero,\xpct@YOne)
833          \fi}

```

\xpct@plotticslabels Adjust tics sizes to axes lengths and call \xpct@plotxticslabels and \xpct@plotyticslabels.

```

834 \def\xpct@plotticslabels{%
835     \xpct@adjticssize
836     \xpct@plotxticslabels\xpct@plotyticslabels}

```

\xpct@plotxticslabels Grid, tics and labels on the x axis. If secundary divisions are required, this command iterates itself.

```

837 \def\xpct@plotxticslabels{%
If required, plot grid (in both directions, x and y).
838     \ifgrid\xpct@plotgrid\fi
839     \begingroup
840         \ifnum\xunitdivisions=1

```

Call \xpct@ticsinterval to compute integer interval extremes and number of tics; then plot x tics.

```

841         \xpct@ticsinterval{\xpct@XZero}{\xpct@XOne}
842         \xpct@plotxtics
843     \else

```

Secundary tics.

```

844         \begingroup

```

Secundary tics. Change the reference system to the small unities, and ajust tics sizes, thickness and colors.

```

845         \xpct@adjstics
846         \MULTIPLY{\secundaryticssize}{\yunitdivisions}{\yticssize}

```

At secundary level one must not print labels.

```

847         \makenolabels

```

Print secundary tics.

```

848         \def\xunitdivisions{1}
849         \xpct@plotxticslabels
850     \endgroup

```

Print primary tics and (perhaps) labels.

```

851         \def\xunitdivisions{1}
852         \xpct@plotxticslabels
853     \fi
854 \endgroup}

```

\xpct@plotyticslabels Tics and labels on the y axis. If secundary divisions are required, this command iterates itself.

```

855 \def\xpct@plotyticslabels{%
856     \begingroup
857         \ifnum\yunitdivisions=1

```

Call `\xpct@ticsinterval` to compute integer interval extremes and number of tics; then plot y tics.

```
858          \xpct@ticsinterval{\xpct@YZero}{\xpct@YOne}
859          \xpct@plotytics
860      \else
```

Secundary tics.

```
861          \begingroup
```

Secundary tics. Change the reference system to the small unities, and ajust tics sizes, thickness and colors.

```
862          \xpct@adjstics
863          \MULTIPLY{\secondaryxticssize}{\xunitdivisions}{\xticssize}
```

At secundary level one must not print labels.

```
864          \makenolabels
```

Print secundary tics.

```
865          \def\yunitdivisions{1}
866          \xpct@plotyticslabels
867      \endgroup
```

Print primary tics and (perhaps) labels.

```
868          \def\yunitdivisions{1}
869          \xpct@plotyticslabels
870      \fi
871  \endgroup}
```

`\xpct@adjstics` Adjust length, color and thickness for secundary tics.

```
872 \def\xpct@adjstics{%
873     \MULTIPLY{\xpct@XZero}{\xunitdivisions}{\xpct@XZero}
874     \MULTIPLY{\xpct@YZero}{\yunitdivisions}{\xpct@YZero}
875     \MULTIPLY{\xpct@XOne}{\xunitdivisions}{\xpct@XOne}
876     \MULTIPLY{\xpct@YOne}{\yunitdivisions}{\xpct@YOne}
877     \DIVIDE{1}{\xunitdivisions}{\xpct@xunit}
878     \DIVIDE{1}{\yunitdivisions}{\xpct@yunit}
879     \changerefrencesystem(0,0)(\xpct@xunit,0)(0,\xpct@yunit)
880     \def\gridthickness{\secondarygridthickness}
881     \def\gridcolor{\secondarygridcolor}}
```

`\xpct@plotxtics` Call `\xpct@maketicks` to make tics and/or labels (on x and y axes).

`\xpct@plotytics` 882 `\def\xpct@plotxtics{\xpct@maketicks{\xpct@firstint}{\xpct@numtics}{0}}`
883 `\def\xpct@plotytics{\xpct@maketicks{\xpct@firstint}{\xpct@numtics}{1}}`

`\xpct@maketicks` Makes tics and/or labels (#2 points, begining in #1; #3=0 means x axis, #3=1 means y axis).

```
884 \def\xpct@maketicks#1#2#3{%
```

Call `\xpct@adjxorytics` to compute coordinates of extreme points of first tic and translation vector from one tic to the next one.

```
885 \xpct@adjxorytics{#1}{#3}
```

Use counter `xpct@counta` for tics and `xpct@countb` for labels (number to print in each label).

```
886      \setcounter{xpct@counta}{0}%
887      \iflabels\setcounter{xpct@countb}{#1}\fi
```

Main loop: #2 steps, begining in #1.

```
888      \@whilenum \value{xpct@counta}<#2 \do {%
889          \iftics
```

If required, print tic.

```
890          \xpct@printtic
891          \fi
892          \iflabels
```

If labels are to be printed, adjust `\Pictlabelsep`; then print label and step label (`xpct@countb` counter).

```
893          \highestlabel{\xpct@axeslabelattrib}%
894              $ \axeslabelmathalphabet{1}$}%
895          \xpct@printlabel{#3}{\thexpct@countb}
896          \stepcounter{xpct@countb}%
897          \fi
```

Step tics counter and move coordinates to next point.

```
898          \stepcounter{xpct@counta}%
899          \VECTORADD{(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)}{(\xpct@xincr,\xpct@yincr)}%
900          (\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)
901          \VECTORADD{(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)}{(\xpct@xincr,\xpct@yincr)}%
902          (\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)
903      }}
```

`\xpct@adjxorytics` Compute coordinates of extreme points of first tic and translation vector from one tic to the next one. There are four cases: x or y axis, and external or internal axes.

```
904 \def\xpct@adjxorytics#1#2{%
905     \ifnum #2=0
906         \COPY{#1}{\xpct@xzero}
907         \COPY{-\yticssize}{\xpct@yzero}
908         \COPY{#1}{\xpct@xone}
909         \COPY{\yticssize}{\xpct@yone}
910         \COPY{1}{\xpct@xincr}
911         \COPY{0}{\xpct@yincr}
912         \ifinzeroaxes \else
913             \ADD{\xpct@YZero}{\xpct@yzero}{\xpct@yzero}
914             \ADD{\xpct@YZero}{\xpct@yone}{\xpct@yone}
915         \fi
916     \else
917         \COPY{#1}{\xpct@yzero}
918         \COPY{-\xticssize}{\xpct@xzero}
919         \COPY{#1}{\xpct@yone}
920         \COPY{\xticssize}{\xpct@xone}
921         \COPY{1}{\xpct@yincr}
922         \COPY{0}{\xpct@xincr}
923         \ifinzeroaxes \else
```

```

924          \ADD{\xpct@XZero}{\xpct@xzero}{\xpct@0xzero}
925          \ADD{\xpct@XZero}{\xpct@xone}{\xpct@0xone}
926          \fi
927      \fi}

\xpct@printtic Plot a tic.
928 \def\xpct@printtic{\pictcolor{\tcscolor}
929             \linethickness{\ticsthickness}
930             \xLINE(\xpct@xzero,\xpct@yzero)(\xpct@xone,\xpct@yone)}

\xpct@adjticssize Adjust size of tics according to axes length.
931 \def\xpct@adjticssize{%
First, convert absolute lengths \ticssize and \secondaryticssize to the \unitlength unity.
932     \LENGTHDIVIDE{\ticssize}{\unitlength}{\xpct@ticssize}
933     \LENGTHDIVIDE{\secondaryticssize}{\unitlength}{\xpct@sticssize}

Calculate the size of vector (1,0), converting it to standard coordinates and computing its norm. Then we adjust \xticssize and \secondaryxticssize; this ensures the desired sizes.
934     \refsysxyVector(1,0)(\xpct@a,\xpct@b)
935         \VECTORNORM(\xpct@a,\xpct@b){\xpct@norm}
936         \DIVIDE{\xpct@ticssize}{\xpct@norm}{\xticssize}
937         \DIVIDE{\xpct@sticssize}{\xpct@norm}{\secondaryxticssize}
938         \DIVIDE{\axislabelsep}{\xpct@norm}{\xpct@xaxislabelsep}

Repeat calculations for vector (0,1), adjusting \yticssize and \secondaryyticssize.
939     \refsysxyVector(0,1)(\xpct@a,\xpct@b)
940         \VECTORNORM(\xpct@a,\xpct@b){\xpct@norm}
941         \DIVIDE{\xpct@ticssize}{\xpct@norm}{\yticssize}
942         \DIVIDE{\xpct@sticssize}{\xpct@norm}{\secondaryyticssize}
943         \DIVIDE{\axislabelsep}{\xpct@norm}{\xpct@yaxislabelsep}

\xpct@printlabel Adjust highest label (for horizontal labels); then print value of #2. Four cases: x or y, external or internal.
944 \def\xpct@printlabel#1#2{%
945     \iftics
946         \ifnum #1=0
947             \ADD{\yticssize}{\xpct@yaxislabelsep}{\Pictlabelsep}
948         \else
949             \ADD{\xticssize}{\xpct@xaxislabelsep}{\Pictlabelsep}
950         \fi
951     \else
952         \ifnum #1=0
953             \COPY{\xpct@yaxislabelsep}{\Pictlabelsep}
954         \else
955             \COPY{\xpct@xaxislabelsep}{\Pictlabelsep}
956         \fi
957     \fi
958     \ifinzeroaxes
959         \ifnum\thexpct@countb=0
960     \else

```

```

961          \ifnum #1=0
962              \rPut*{\xpct@xlblpos}{\xpct@xzero,0}{%
963                  \xpct@axeslabelattrib%
964                  \ensuremath{\text{axeslabelmathalphabet}\{#2\}}}
965          \else
966              \rPut*{\xpct@y lblpos}{0,\xpct@yzero}{%
967                  \xpct@axeslabelattrib%
968                  \ensuremath{\text{axeslabelmathalphabet}\{#2\}}}
969          \fi
970      \fi
971  \else
972      \ifnum #1=0
973          \rPut*{\xpct@x lblpos}{\xpct@xzero,\xpct@YZero}{%
974              \xpct@axeslabelattrib%
975              \ensuremath{\text{axeslabelmathalphabet}\{#2\}}}
976      \else
977          \rPut*{\xpct@y lblpos}{\xpct@XZero,\xpct@yzero}{%
978              \xpct@axeslabelattrib%
979              \ensuremath{\text{axeslabelmathalphabet}\{#2\}}}
980      \fi
981  \fi}

```

\xlabelpos Default position for labels on axes. Call \xpct@convtoang to define \xpct@x lblpos or \xpct@y lblpos.

```

982 \def\xlabelpos#1{\xpct@convtoang{#1}{\xpct@x lblpos}{\xpct@CorR}}
983 \def\ylabelpos#1{\xpct@convtoang{#1}{\xpct@y lblpos}{\xpct@CorR}}

```

\xpct@printxticslabels Print tics and labels.

\xpct@printyticslabels

```

984 \def\xpct@printxticslabels[#1]{#2#3#4{%
985     \plotxtics{#2}{#3}{#4}\printxlabels[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}}
986 \def\xpct@printyticslabels[#1]{#2#3#4{%
987     \plotytics{#2}{#3}{#4}\printylabels[#1]{#2}{#3}{#4}}

```

\xpct@plottics Plot x or y tics (if #1 equals 0 or 1), starting an #2. Distance between two consecutive tics is #3, and position of last tic is not greather than #4.

```

988 \def\xpct@plottics#1#2#3#4{%
989     \COPY{#2}{\xpct@ticcoor}

```

\xpct@ticcoor is the position of next tic.

```

990     @whiledim\xpct@ticcoor\p@<#4\p@ \do {%

```

Make a tic while \xpct@ticcoor<#4

```

991     \ifnum #1=0
992         \plotxtic{\xpct@ticcoor}
993     \else
994         \plotytic{\xpct@ticcoor}
995     \fi
996     \ADD{#3}{\xpct@ticcoor}{\xpct@ticcoor}
997 }

```

```

If \xpct@ticcoor=#4 then this is the last tic position.

998      \ifdim\xpct@ticcoor\p@>#4\p@
999      \else
1000      \ifnum #1=0
1001          \plotxtic{\xpct@ticcoor}
1002      \else
1003          \plotytic{\xpct@ticcoor}
1004      \fi
1005  \fi}

\xpct@printlabels Print x or y labels (if #1 equals 0 or 1), starting an #3. Distance between two consecutive tics is #4, and position of last tic is not greater than #5. #2 is the number of decimal digits to be printed (default is #2=-1, meaning no control of digits in number printing).

1006 \def\xpct@printlabels#1[#2]#3#4#5{%
1007     \COPY{#3}{\xpct@ticcoor}
\xpct@ticcoor is the position of next label.

1008     \@whiledim\xpct@ticcoor\p@<#5\p@ \do {%
Print a label while \xpct@ticcoor<#5 \xpct@Ticcoor is the label with adjusted number of
digits.

1009     \ifnum #2=-1
1010         \COPY{\xpct@ticcoor}{\xpct@Ticcoor}
1011     \else
1012         \ROUND[#2]{\xpct@ticcoor}{\xpct@Ticcoor}
1013     \fi
1014     \xpct@prtbl{#1}
1015     \ADD{#4}{\xpct@ticcoor}{\xpct@ticcoor}
1016     \ifdim\xpct@ticcoor\p@>#5\p@

If \xpct@ticcoor=#5 then this is the last label position.

1017     \else
1018     \ifnum #2=-1
1019         \COPY{\xpct@ticcoor}{\xpct@Ticcoor}
1020     \else
1021         \ROUND[#2]{\xpct@ticcoor}{\xpct@Ticcoor}
1022     \fi
1023     \xpct@prtbl{#1}
1024  \fi}

\xpct@prtbl Print the x or y label (for #1=0 or 1) \xpct@Ticcoor at \xpct@ticcoor. When \ifinzeroaxes
is true label at 0 position is not printed.

1025 \def\xpct@prtbl#1{%
1026     \ifinzeroaxes
1027     \ifdim \xpct@ticcoor\p@=\z@\else
1028         \xpct@adjticssize
1029         \xpct@adjxorytics{\xpct@ticcoor}{#1}
1030         \xpct@printlabel{#1}{\xpct@Ticcoor}
1031     \fi
1032     \else
1033         \xpct@adjticssize

```

```

1034           \xpct@adjxorytics{\xpct@ticcoor}{#1}
1035           \xpct@printlabel{#1}{\xpct@Ticcoor}\fi}

```

\xpct@plotgrid Plot a grid in a Cartesian rectangle.

```
1036 \def\xpct@plotgrid{%
```

Call \xpct@ticsinterval to compute integer interval extremes and number of tics; then plot grid lines (for x axis).

```

1037     \xpct@ticsinterval{\xpct@XZero}{\xpct@XOne}
1038     \begingroup\setcounter{xpct@counta}{0}%
1039         \pictcolor{\gridcolor}\linethickness{\gridthickness}
1040         \COPY{\xpct@firstint}{\xpct@grid}
1041         \@whilenum\value{xpct@counta}<\xpct@numtics\do{
1042             \xLINE(\xpct@grid,\xpct@YZero)(\xpct@grid,\xpct@YOne)
1043             \ADD{1}{\xpct@grid}{\xpct@grid}
1044             \stepcounter{xpct@counta}}\endgroup

```

Call \xpct@ticsinterval to compute integer interval extremes and number of tics; then plot grid lines (for y axis).

```

1045     \xpct@ticsinterval{\xpct@YZero}{\xpct@YOne}
1046     \begingroup\setcounter{xpct@counta}{0}%
1047         \pictcolor{\gridcolor}\linethickness{\gridthickness}
1048         \COPY{\xpct@firstint}{\xpct@grid}
1049         \@whilenum\value{xpct@counta}<\xpct@numtics\do{
1050             \xLINE(\xpct@XZero,\xpct@grid)(\xpct@XOne,\xpct@grid)
1051             \ADD{1}{\xpct@grid}{\xpct@grid}
1052             \stepcounter{xpct@counta}}\endgroup

```

\xpct@ticsinterval Truncate extremes to integers, then compute the number of tics ( $\xpct@firstint - \xpct@lastint + 1$ ).

```

1053 \def\xpct@ticsinterval#1#2{\TRUNCATE[0]{#1}{\xpct@firstint}
1054                               \TRUNCATE[0]{#2}{\xpct@lastint}
1055                               \SUBTRACT{\xpct@lastint}{\xpct@firstint}{\xpct@numtics}
1056                               \ADD{\xpct@numtics}{1}{\xpct@numtics}}

```

## 4.20 Polar grids

\polargrid Plot a polar grid of radius #1 and #2 divisions of circle.

```

1057 \def\xpct@polargrid#1#2{%
1058     \begingroup
1059     \polarreference

```

Compute integer part of radius, number of circles and distance between circles.

```

1060     \FLOOR{#1}{\xpct@rint}
1061     \MULTIPLY{\xpct@rint}{\runitdivisions}{\xpct@rdists}
1062     \DIVIDE{1}{\runitdivisions}{\rincr}

```

Use counter xpct@counta to control the number of printed circles and \xpct@radius as radius of the current circle.

```

1063     \COPY{0}{\xpct@radius}
1064     \setcounter{xpct@counta}{1}%

```

```

Plot \xpct@rdiws circles.

1065      \begingroup
1066          \pictcolor{\gridcolor}
1067          \linethickness{\gridthickness}
1068          @whilenum \value{xpct@counta}<\xpct@rdiws\do {%
1069              \ADD{\rincr}{\xpct@radius}{\xpct@radius}
1070              \Ellipse{\xpct@radius}{\xpct@radius}
1071              \stepcounter{xpct@counta}}%
1072
Plot external circle.

1072      \pictcolor{\axescolor}
1073      \linethickness{\axesthickness}
1074      \Ellipse{\xpct@rint}{\xpct@rint}
1075  \endgroup

Use counter xpct@counta to control the number of printed lines and \xpct@angle as arc (in radians) of the current line. \xpct@angincr is the gap between two adjacent lines.

1076      \COPY{0}{\xpct@angle}
1077      \DIVIDE{\numberTWOPI}{#2}{\xpct@angincr}
1078      \setcounter{xpct@counta}{0}%
1079
Plot #2 lines.

1079      \pictcolor{\gridcolor}
1080      \linethickness{\gridthickness}
1081      @whilenum \value{xpct@counta}<#2 \do {%
1082          \xLINE(0,0)(#1,\xpct@angle)
1083
If required, print angular label: evaluate the number \xpct@arc such that angle is ( $\xpct@angle/\#2$ ) pi and call \xpct@polarlabel.

1083      \iflabels
1084          \COPY{\axislabelsep}{\Pictlabelsep}
1085          \MULTIPLY{2}{\thepct@counta}{\xpct@arc}
1086          \xpct@polarlabel{#1}{\xpct@arc}{#2}\fi
1087          \ADD{\xpct@angincr}{\xpct@angle}{\xpct@angle}
1088          \stepcounter{xpct@counta}}%
1089
Plot the polar line.

1089      \pictcolor{\axescolor}
1090      \linethickness{\axesthickness}
1091      \xLINE(0,0)(#1,0)
1092
If required, print radial labels.

1092      \iflabels
1093          \highestlabel{\xpct@axeslabelattrib$\axeslabelmathalphabet{1}$$}
1094          \multiPut*[\xpct@rlblpos](1,0)(1,0){\xpct@rint}{%
1095              \ADD{\value{multiput}}{1}{\xpct@lbl}
1096              \xpct@axeslabelattrib%
1097              \ensuremath{\axeslabelmathalphabet{\xpct@lbl}}}}%
1098      \fi
1099  \endgroup

\rlabelpos Default position for labels on polar axis. Call \xpct@convtoang to define \xpct@rlblpos.

1100 \def\rlabelpos#1{\xpct@convtoang{#1}{\xpct@rlblpos}{\xpct@CorR}}

```

```
\degreespolarlabels Define \xpct@polarlabel to be \xpct@degreeslabel or \xpct@radianslabel (print polar
\radianspolarlabels label as degrees or radians).
```

```
1101 \def\degreespolarlabels{\def\xpct@polarlabel{\xpct@degreeslabel}}
1102 \def\radianspolarlabels{\def\xpct@polarlabel{\xpct@radianslabel}}
```

\xpct@degreeslabel Print the angle label (#2/#3) pi converted to degrees.

```
1103 \def\xpct@degreeslabel#1#2#3{%
```

Adjust label position.

Simplify #2/#3. Then convert (#2/#3) pi to degrees (evaluate (#2 180)/#3).

```
1104      \FRACTIONSIMPLIFY{#2}{#3}\xpct@num\xpct@den
1105      \MULTIPLY{\xpct@num}{180}{\xpct@degangle}
1106      \DIVIDE{\xpct@degangle}{\xpct@den}{\xpct@degangle}
```

Print label.

```
1107      \cPut{\xpct@degangle}{#1,\xpct@angle}{%
1108          \xpct@axeslabelattrib%
1109          \ensuremath{\text{\scriptsize axeslabelmathalphabet}{\xpct@degangle}^{\mathrm{o}}}}}
```

\xpct@radianslabel Print the angle label (#2/#3) pi.

```
1110 \def\xpct@radianslabel#1#2#3{%
```

Adjust label position and call \xpct@prtfracrad.

```
1111      \RADtoDEG{\xpct@angle}{\xpct@angles}
1112      \cPut{\xpct@angles}{#1,\xpct@angle}{%
1113          \xpct@axeslabelattrib%
1114          \ensuremath{\text{\scriptsize axeslabelmathalphabet}{\xpct@prtfracrad{#2}{#3}}}}}
```

\xpct@prtfracrad Pretty print (#1/#2)pi

```
1116 \def\xpct@prtfracrad#1#2{%
1117     \FRACTIONSIMPLIFY{#1}{#2}\xpct@num\xpct@den
1118     \ifnum \xpct@num = 0 0
1119     \else
1120         \ifnum \xpct@num = 1
1121             \ifnum \xpct@den = 1 \pi
1122                 \else \pi/\xpct@den
1123                 \fi
1124             \else \xpct@num\pi/\xpct@den
1125             \fi
1126         \fi}
```

## 4.21 Configurable parameters

These are the parameters the user can customize. Default values are written to `xpicture.sty` and `xpicture.cfgxmpl`.

```
1127 </xpicture>
1128 <*defaults>
1129 <+cfg>%%
```

```

1130 <+cfg>%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
1131 <+cfg>% xpicture configurable parameters %
1132 <+cfg>%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%
1133 <+cfg>%%
1134 <+cfg>%%%% Cartesian and polar axes
1135 <+cfg> % Thickness and color of axes
1136 \axesthickness=1pt
1137 \def\axescolor{black}
1138 <+cfg> % Color, size, mathversion and mathalphabet of numeric labels
1139 \def\axeslabelcolor{\axescolor}
1140 \def\axeslabelsize{\small}
1141 \def\axeslabelmathversion{normal}
1142 \def\axeslabelmathalphabet{\mathrm}
1143 <+cfg> % Relative position of numeric labels on x- y- and r- axes
1144 \xlabelpos{-90}
1145 \ylabelpos{180}
1146 \rlabelpos{bbr}
1147 <+cfg> % Distance between tags and cut marks,
1148 <+cfg> % is is a number (not a lenght) of \unitlength units
1149 \def\axislabelsep{0.1}
1150 <+cfg> % Color, thickness and size of tics
1151 \def\ticscolor{\axescolor}
1152 \ticsthickness=1pt
1153 \ticssize=4pt
1154 <+cfg> % Size of secundary tics
1155 \secondaryticssize=2pt
1156 <+cfg> % Thickness and color of Cartesian or polar grid
1157 \gridthickness=0.4pt
1158 \def\gridcolor{gray}
1159 <+cfg> % Thickness and color of Cartesian or polar secundary grid
1160 \secondarygridthickness=0.2pt
1161 \def\secondarygridcolor{lightgray}
1162 <+cfg> % Number of divisions of unity in x- y- and r-axis
1163 \def\xunitdivisions{1}
1164 \def\yunitdivisions{1}
1165 \def\runitdivisions{1}
1166 <+cfg> % Arc labels in radians (\xpct@radianslabel)
1167 <+cfg> % or degrees (\xpct@degreeslabel)
1168 \def\xpct@polarlabel{\xpct@radianslabel}
1169 <+cfg>%%%% \put and \multiput extensions
1170 <+cfg> % Distance from label to reference point,
1171 <+cfg> % is is a number (not a lenght) of \unitlength units
1172 \def\Pictlabelsep{0.1}
1173 <+cfg> % Default layout for distance (\defaultPut{c} or \defaultPut{r})
1174 \defaultPut{c}
1175 <+cfg>%%%% Reference systems
1176 <+cfg> % Default reference system
1177 \referencesystem(0,0)(1,0)(0,1)
1178 <+cfg> % Cartesian or polar reference
1179 \cartesianreference

```

```

1180 <+cfg>%%%%% Arrow size in \xtrivVECTOR
1181 \arrowsize{5}{2}
1182 <+cfg>%%%%% Default interval divisions
1183 <+cfg> % (used when plotting conic sections and arcs)
1184 \def\defaultplotdivs{8}
1185 <+cfg>%%%%% Size to be used by \pointmark
1186 \def\pointmarkdiam{0.1}
1187 <+cfg>%%%%% Point mark used by \PlotPointsOffFunction
1188 \def\pointmark{\circle*{\pointmarkdiam}}
1189 </defaults>
1190 (*xpicture)

```

## 4.22 Commands to be ignored if draft option or \draftPicture declaration is active

**\draftPictures** This declaration allow user to locally disable Picture drawns.

```

1191 \def\draftPictures{%
1192     \drafttrue
1193     \def\cPut##1##2##3##4{}%
1194     \def\xpct@OPut##1##2{}%
1195     \def\xpct@OPutstar##1##2##3{}%
1196     \def\xpct@OOPut##1##2##3{}%
1197     \def\defaultPut##1{\def\xpct@defaultPut{\cPut}}%
1198     \def\xpct@OmPut##1##2##3##4##5##6{}%
1199     \def\xpct@PUT##1##2##3##4{}%
1200     \def\xLINE##1##2{}%
1201     \def\xtrivVECTOR##1##2{}%
1202     \def\xVECTOR##1##2{}%
1203     \def\zerovector##1{}%
1204     \def\zeroxtrivvector##1{}%
1205     \def\xline##1##2##3{}%
1206     \def\xvector##1##2##3{}%
1207     \def\xtrivvector##1##2##3{}%
1208     \def\xpct@regPolygon##1##2##3{}%
1209     \def\xpct@qCurve##1##2##3##4{}%
1210     \def\xpct@PlotQuadraticCurve##1##2##3##4##5##6{}%
1211     \def\xpct@PlotQuadraticCurve##1##2##3##4##5##6{}%
1212     \def\xpct@PlotQuadraticCurve##1##2##3##4##5##6{}%
1213     \def\circularArc##1##2##3{}%
1214     \def\ellipticArc##1##2##3##4{}%
1215     \def\Ellipse##1##2{}%
1216     \def\Circle##1{}%
1217     \def\xpct@hyperbolicArc##1##2##3##4{}%
1218     \def\lHyperbola##1##2##3##4{}%
1219     \def\rHyperbola##1##2##3##4{}%
1220     \def\Hyperbola##1##2##3##4{}%
1221     \def\rhyperbolicArc##1##2##3##4{}%
1222     \def\lhyperbolicArc##1##2##3##4{}%
1223     \def\parabolicArc##1##2##3{}%
1224 }

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1225 \def\Parabola##1##2##3{}
1226 \def\PlotPointsOfFunction##1##2##3##4{}
1227 \def\xpct@iterateplotfunction[##1]##2##3##4{}
1228 \def\xpct@plotfunction##1##2##3{}
1229 \def\xpct@iterateplotpfunction[##1]##2##3##4{}
1230 \def\xpct@plotpfunction##1##2##3{}
1231 \def\cartesianaxes##1##2)(##3##4){}
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1238 \def\print yticlabel##1##2{}
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1240 \def\plotytics##1##2##3{}
1241 \def\xpct@printlabels##1[##2]##3##4##5{}
1242 \def\polargrid##1##2{}
1243 }

```

\ifdraft If draft option is active \draftPictures is executed. Then all Picture commands are disabled.

```

1244 \ifdraft
1245   \draftPictures
1246 \fi

```

Input local defaults (file `xpicture.cfg`).

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1247 \InputIfFileExists{xpicture.cfg}{\xpct@Infocfg}{\xpct@Infonocfg}
1248 (/xpicture)

```

## 5 Change history

**v1.2a** (2012/11/17)

Documented source.

Many internal c.s. renamed and/or rewrited.

dvi/pict2e/curve2e options supressed.

draft option added.

Background color added to Picture environment.

\Pictlabelsep is set to \normalfont\normalsize\$1\$ when a Picture environment starts.

New commands: \draftPictures, \symmetrize, \xlabelpos, \ylabelpos, \plotxtic, \plotytic, \plotxtics, \plotytics, \print xlabel, \print ylabel, \print xlabels, \print ylabels, \print xticlabel, \print yticlabel, \print xticlabels, \print yticlabels, \makegrid, \makenogrid, \PlotPointsOfFunction, \pointmark, \pointmarkdiam.

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