

The `embedfile` package

Heiko Oberdiek

<oberdiek@uni-freiburg.de>

2007/11/11 v2.2

Abstract

This package embeds files to a PDF document. Currently the only supported driver is pdf_TE_X >= 1.30 in PDF mode.

Contents

1 Documentation	2
1.1 Introduction	2
1.1.1 Future development	2
1.2 User interface	2
1.3 Collection support (PDF 1.7)	3
1.4 Export of object references	5
1.4.1 Example	5
1.5 Examples	5
1.5.1 plain-T _E X	5
1.5.2 Collection example	6
1.6 Package dtx-attach	7
2 Implementation	7
2.1 Reload check and package identification	7
2.2 Catcodes	8
2.3 Tools	9
2.4 Check for recent pdf _T E _X in PDF mode	9
2.5 Strings	10
2.6 Switches	11
2.7 Key value definitions	11
2.8 Embed the file	18
3 Test	22
3.1 Catcode checks for loading	22
3.2 Simple test	23
4 Installation	24
4.1 Download	24
4.2 Bundle installation	24
4.3 Package installation	25
4.4 Refresh file name databases	25
4.5 Some details for the interested	25
5 References	26

6 History	26
[2006/08/16 v1.0]	26
[2007/04/11 v1.1]	26
[2007/09/09 v1.2]	26
[2007/10/28 v2.0]	26
[2007/10/29 v2.1]	26
[2007/11/11 v2.2]	26
7 Index	27

1 Documentation

1.1 Introduction

The PDF format ([3]) allows the inclusion of files inside the PDF document. The included files can be bound to an annotation on a page. Or they can be recorded in a sorted list of embedded files. The packages `attachfile` or `attachfile2` follow the first approach, this package uses the latter method.

1.1.1 Future development

My dream is a large package that merges the features of all these packages mentioned before:

- Files can be attached to a page.
- Files can be attached to the document.
- An easy user interface for simple, common tasks and beginners.
- An interface for the advanced users that want to setup every detail.
- Support of many drivers (`pdftex`, `dvips`, `dvipdfm`, ...).
- ...

However, I have not managed to take the time for this project. Instead:

- First I experimented with package `attachfile`, adding driver support, fixing bugs, The result is currently named as `attachfile2`. It uses an external script to get file properties (size, date, checksum, ...).
- In order to avoid an external program for getting basic file properties I provided a patch “`EscapeAndOther`” for `pdfTeX` that was accepted for version 1.30.
- This package closes a gap left by the packages for attaching files and allows the embedding of files to the document. Also it makes use of the new primitives of `pdfTeX`.

1.2 User interface

This package `embedfile` can be used with both `LATEX` and plain-`TEX`. See [subsubsection 1.5.1](#) that explains the use with plain-`TEX` by an example. In `LATEX` the package is loaded as usually. There are no options.

```
\usepackage{embedfile}
```

```
\embedfile [<options>] {<file>}
```

The macro `\embedfile` includes file `<file>` and attaches it to the PDF document. At the end of the document the sorted list of embedded files are written. Thus you can safely use `\embedfile` before `\end{document}`. Embedding files using `\AtEndDocument` will only work, if `\AtEndDocument` is called before loading the package `embedfile`.

The `<options>` are give as key value pairs. The following keys are supported:

filespec This allows to override the file name that appears in the PDF file. If you are using other than simple file names (8bit, path separators, ...), look into the PDF specification ([3]). There are rules how these file names must be written/encoded.

filesystem This sets the entry `/FS` in the file specification dictionary, see PDF specification ([3]). Example: `filesystem=URL`.

mimetype This sets the mime type ([4]) of the file, see [subsubsection 1.5.1](#) for examples and [5] for a list of officially registered types.

desc The description for the file.

stringmethod The package must convert the values of the keys `filespec` and `desc` into a PDF string. If `hyperref` is found, then its `\pdfstringdef` will be used, otherwise pdfTEX's `\pdfescapestring` is used. Value `psd` forces the use of `\pdfstringdef`, value `escape` the use of `\pdfescapestring`.

<key>.value Sets the value of a collection item property, see section [1.3](#).

<key>.prefix Sets the prefix of a collection item property, see section [1.3](#).

id The value must be an unique name. Macros `\embedfileifobjectexists` and `\embedfilegetobject` are using this name later.

```
\embedfilefinish
```

The list of all embedded files must be added as data structure in the PDF file. In case of LATEX this is automatically done. The package uses `\AtEndDocument`. Then the list of all files should be known. However, plain-TEX does not know about `\AtEndDocument`. Thus the user must call `\embedfilefinish` at the end of the document after the last file is embedded.

```
\embedfilesetup {<options>}
```

Options for `\embedfile` and collection support can be set in `\embedfilesetup`.

1.3 Collection support (PDF 1.7)

Since PDF 1.7 the embedded files can form a *collection* (sometimes referred as *package*), the main document is called *cover sheet*. See PDF specification 8.2.4 “Collections” and 3.10.5 “Collection items” [3].

Usually Acrobat Reader 7 or 8 shows the embedded files in a table at the bottom with the following columns:

Name	Description	Modified	Size
...

If the files form a collection, then they are displayed in a table left or top (depending on option `view`, see `\embedfilesetup`).

Collection support is enabled automatically, if it is used.

```
\embedfilesetup {\langle options \rangle}
```

The following options are supported in addition to options for `\embedfile`:

view If the PDF file contains a collection, then Acrobat Reader 8 shows a line at the top below the menu bar and the toolbar. It shows the current selected file, icons for changing the view mode, an options menu. The initial mode how the collection is presented is set by this option `view`. The following modes/values are supported, the default is `details`:

`details` The full collection table is displayed at the top below the collection bar.

`tile` The files of the collection are shown in tile mode on the left.

`hidden` The collection table is not shown.

initialfile Selects the file that is initially presented. Especially useful for an embedded PDF file that is then shown instead of the cover document.

```
\embedfilefield {\langle key \rangle} {\langle options \rangle}
```

Macro `\embedfilefield` defines a column/field in the collection table. The name of the field is `\langle key \rangle`.

type sets the type of the field. The supported values are:

`text` A text field. Its value is set in `\embedfile` by option `\langle key \rangle.value`.

`date` A date field. Its value is set in `\embedfile` by option `\langle key \rangle.value`. A special format is required, see “3.8.3 Dates” [3].

`number` A field with an integer or float number. Its value is set in `\embedfile` by option `\langle key \rangle.value`.

`file` The file name of the embedded file.

`desc` The description text of the embedded file. It is set in `\embedfile` by option `desc`.

`moddate` The modification date of the embedded file.

`size` The size of the embedded file.

All types allow the use of a prefix that is disregarded by sorting. The prefix for this field is set in `\embedfile` by option `\langle key \rangle.prefix`.

title sets the column title.

visible controls whether the column is presented:

`true` shows the column.

`false` hides the column.

Default: `true`

edit Allows the editing of field values. Does not seem to have an effect for Acrobat Reader.

`true` enables the feature, if available (depends on the PDF viewer).

`false` disables the feature.

Default: `false`

The order of `\embedfilefield` statements defines the order of the columns.

```
\embedfilesort {\langle key-sort-list\rangle}
```

The sort order of the embedded files are controlled by macro `\embedfilesort`. `\langle key-sort-list\rangle` defines the sort order. The key is a field name defined by `\embedfilefield`. Its value is either `ascending` or `descending`. The default is `ascending`.

1.4 Export of object references

Caution: This feature is still experimental. It may be even removed in future versions. Therefore feedback would be nice, if someone has a useful application for this feature.

Object numbers are saved, if id is given in `\embedfile`. The following objects are supported:

- `EmbeddedFile`
- `Filespec`

```
\embedfileifobjectexists {\langle id\rangle} {\langle type\rangle} {\langle then\rangle} {\langle else\rangle}
```

Macro `\embedfileifobjectexists` tests whether object of `\langle type\rangle` is available for the embedded file identified by `\langle id\rangle`.

```
\embedfilegetobject {\langle id\rangle} {\langle type\rangle}
```

Macro `\embedfilegetobject` expands to the full object reference object of `\langle type\rangle` for the embedded file identified by `\langle id\rangle`.

1.4.1 Example

```
\embedfile[id={foo}]{foo.pdf}
\embedfileifobjectexists{foo}{Filespec}{%
  \typeout{%
    FileSpec object for 'foo': %
    \embedfilegetobject{foo}{Filespec}%
  }%
}{%
  \typeout{No Filespec object for 'foo'}%
}
```

1.5 Examples

1.5.1 plain-T_EX

The package can be used with plain-T_EX. It can be used with or without help from `miniltx.tex`.

If additionally package `keyval` (`graphicx`) is needed, load it first. Then package `embedfile` avoids a duplicate loading of package `keyval`.

Because plain-T_EX does not provide a hook at end of the document, you have to call `\embedfilefinish` manually at the end after the last embedded file.

```
1 {*exampleplain}
2 %%<<END
3 % Load packages
4 \input miniltx
5 % \def\Gin@driver{pdftex.def}
6 % \input graphicx.sty
```

```

7 \input embedfile.sty
8 \resetatcatcode
9
10 % default setting
11 \embedfilesetup{
12   mimetype=text/plain
13 }
14
15 % Embed files
16 \embedfile[
17   filespec=example.tex,
18   desc={Source code (plain-TeX) of this example}
19 ]{embedfile-example-plain.tex}
20
21 \embedfile[
22   desc={Source of package ‘embedfile’}
23 ]{embedfile.dtx}
24
25 \embedfile[
26   mimetype=application/pdf,
27   desc={Documentation of package ‘embedfile’}
28 ]{embedfile.pdf}
29
30 % Some text
31 This example document contains three embedded files.
32
33 % End of document
34 \embedfilefinish % don't forget
35 \bye
36 %END
37 </exampleplain>

```

1.5.2 Collection example

```

38 <examplecollection>
39 %<<END
40 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
41 \documentclass{article}
42 \usepackage[bookmarks=false]{hyperref}
43 % provides \pdfstringdef that is then used by ‘title’ and
44 % other keys.
45 \usepackage{embedfile}[2007/11/11]
46 \embedfilesetup{
47   view=details,
48   initialfile=embedfile.pdf
49 }
50 \embedfilefield{file}{
51   type=file,
52   title={File name}
53 }
54 \embedfilefield{description}{
55   type=desc,
56   title={Description}
57 }
58 \embedfilefield{date}{
59   type=moddate,
60   title={Date}
61 }
62 \embedfilefield{size}{
63   type=size,
64   title={Size}
65 }
66 \embedfilefield{type}{}

```

```

67   type=text,
68   title={Type},
69   visible=false
70 }
71 \embedfile{sort{
72   type,
73   date=descending
74 }
75 \begin{document}
76 An example for embedded files as collection.
77 You need Acrobat Reader 8 or higher.
78
79 \embedfile[
80   desc={Source file of package ‘embedfile’},
81   description.prefix={Package: },
82   type.value={DTX}
83 ]{\embedfile.dtx}
84
85 \embedfile[
86   desc={Documentation of package ‘embedfile’},
87   description.prefix={Package: },
88   type.value={PDF}
89 ]{\embedfile.pdf}
90
91 \embedfile[
92   desc={The source for this example},
93   description.prefix={Example: },
94   type.value={TEX}
95 ]{\jobname.tex}
96
97 \end{document}
98 %END
99 
```

1.6 Package **dtx-attach**

Package **dtx-attach** is just a small application of package **embedfile**. I am using it for the CTAN documentation of my packages in [CTAN:macros/latex/contrib/oberdiek/](#). It also serves as small example for the use of the package with L^AT_EX.

```

100 <*dtxattach>
101 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
102 \ProvidesPackage{dtx-attach}
103   [2007/11/11 v2.2 Embed \string\jobname.dtx (HO)]%
104 \RequirePackage{embedfile}[2007/11/11]
105 \embedfile[%]
106   stringmethod=escape,%
107   mimetype=plain/text,%
108   desc={LaTeX docstrip source archive for package ‘\jobname’}%
109 ]{\jobname.dtx}
110 
```

2 Implementation

```
111 <*package>
```

2.1 Reload check and package identification

Reload check, especially if the package is not used with L^AT_EX.

```

112 \begingroup
113   \catcode44 12 % ,
114   \catcode45 12 % -
115   \catcode46 12 % .

```

```

116  \catcode58 12 % :
117  \catcode64 11 % @
118  \expandafter\let\expandafter\x\csname ver@embedfile.sty\endcsname
119  \ifcase 0%
120    \ifx\x\relax % plain
121    \else
122      \ifx\x\empty % LaTeX
123      \else
124        1%
125      \fi
126    \fi
127  \else
128    \catcode35 6 % #
129    \catcode123 1 % {
130    \catcode125 2 % }
131    \expandafter\ifx\x\csname PackageInfo\endcsname\relax
132      \def\x#1#2{%
133        \immediate\write-1{Package #1 Info: #2.}%
134      }%
135    \else
136      \def\x#1#2{\PackageInfo{#1}{#2, stopped}}%
137    \fi
138    \x{embedfile}{The package is already loaded}%
139    \endgroup
140    \expandafter\endinput
141  \fi
142 \endgroup

```

Package identification:

```

143 \begingroup
144  \catcode35 6 % #
145  \catcode40 12 % (
146  \catcode41 12 % )
147  \catcode44 12 % ,
148  \catcode45 12 % -
149  \catcode46 12 % .
150  \catcode47 12 % /
151  \catcode58 12 % :
152  \catcode64 11 % @
153  \catcode123 1 % {
154  \catcode125 2 % }
155  \expandafter\ifx\x\csname ProvidesPackage\endcsname\relax
156    \def\x#1#2#3[#4]{\endgroup
157      \immediate\write-1{Package: #3 #4}%
158      \xdef#1[#4]%
159    }%
160  \else
161    \def\x#1#2[#3]{\endgroup
162      #2[#3]%
163      \ifx#1\relax
164        \xdef#1[#3]%
165      \fi
166    }%
167  \fi
168 \expandafter\x\csname ver@embedfile.sty\endcsname
169 \ProvidesPackage{embedfile}%
170 [2007/11/11 v2.2 embed files into PDF (HO)]

```

2.2 Catcodes

```

171 \begingroup
172  \catcode123 1 % {
173  \catcode125 2 % }

```

```

174 \def\x{\endgroup
175   \expandafter\edef\csname EmFi@AtEnd\endcsname{%
176     \catcode35 \the\catcode35\relax
177     \catcode64 \the\catcode64\relax
178     \catcode123 \the\catcode123\relax
179     \catcode125 \the\catcode125\relax
180   }%
181 }%
182 \x
183 \catcode35 6 % #
184 \catcode64 11 % @
185 \catcode123 1 % {
186 \catcode125 2 % }
187 \def\TMP@EnsureCode#1#2{%
188   \edef\EmFi@AtEnd{%
189     \EmFi@AtEnd
190     \catcode#1 \the\catcode#1\relax
191   }%
192   \catcode#1 #2\relax
193 }
194 \TMP@EnsureCode{39}{12}%
195 \TMP@EnsureCode{40}{12}%
196 \TMP@EnsureCode{41}{12}%
197 \TMP@EnsureCode{44}{12}%
198 \TMP@EnsureCode{46}{12}%
199 \TMP@EnsureCode{47}{12}%
200 \TMP@EnsureCode{58}{12}%
201 \TMP@EnsureCode{60}{12}%
202 \TMP@EnsureCode{61}{12}%
203 \TMP@EnsureCode{62}{12}%
204 \TMP@EnsureCode{91}{12}%
205 \TMP@EnsureCode{93}{12}%
206 \TMP@EnsureCode{96}{12}%

```

2.3 Tools

```
\EmFi@RequirePackage
207 \begingroup\expandafter\expandafter\expandafter\endgroup
208 \expandafter\ifx\csname RequirePackage\endcsname\relax
209   \def\EmFi@RequirePackage#1[#2]{%
210     \input #1.sty\relax
211   }%
212 \else
213   \let\EmFi@RequirePackage\RequirePackage
214 \fi
```

```
\EmFi@Error
215 \EmFi@RequirePackage{infwarerr}[2007/09/09]%
216 \def\EmFi@Error{%
217   \PackageError{embedfile}%
218 }
```

2.4 Check for recent pdfTeX in PDF mode

Load package ifpdf and check mode.

```
219 \EmFi@RequirePackage{ifpdf}[2007/09/09]
220 \ifpdf
221 \else
222   \EmFi@Error{%
223     Missing pdfTeX in PDF mode%
224   }{%
225     Currently other drivers are not supported. %

```

```

226      Package loading is aborted.%  

227  }%  

228  \EmFi@AtEnd  

229  \expandafter\endinput  

230 \fi  

231 \EmFi@RequirePackage{pdftexcmds}[2007/11/11]  

Check version.  

232 \begingroup\expandafter\expandafter\expandafter\endgroup  

233 \expandafter\ifx\csname pdf@filesize\endcsname\relax  

234  \EmFi@Error{  

235      Unsupported pdfTeX version%  

236  }%  

237  At least version 1.30 is necessary. Package loading is aborted.%  

238  }%  

239  \EmFi@AtEnd  

240  \expandafter\endinput  

241 \fi

```

2.5 Strings

Minimal version of package pdfescape is 2007/08/27 v1.5 because of \EdefSanitize.

```

242 \EmFi@RequirePackage{pdfescape}[2007/11/11]  

243 \def\EmFi@temp#1{  

244  \expandafter\EdefSanitize\csname EmFi@S@#1\endcsname{#1}  

245 }

```

\EmFi@details

```

246 \EmFi@temp{details}%

```

\EmFi@tile

```

247 \EmFi@temp{tile}%

```

\EmFi@hidden

```

248 \EmFi@temp{hidden}%

```

\EmFi@S@text

```

249 \EmFi@temp{text}

```

\EmFi@S@date

```

250 \EmFi@temp{date}

```

\EmFi@S@number

```

251 \EmFi@temp{number}

```

\EmFi@S@file

```

252 \EmFi@temp{file}

```

\EmFi@S@desc

```

253 \EmFi@temp{desc}

```

\EmFi@S@moddate

```

254 \EmFi@temp{moddate}

```

\EmFi@S@creationdate

```

255 \EmFi@temp{creationdate}

```

\EmFi@S@size

```

256 \EmFi@temp{size}

```

```

\EmFi@S@ascending
257 \EmFi@temp{ascending}

\EmFi@S@descending
258 \EmFi@temp{descending}

\EmFi@S@true
259 \EmFi@temp{true}

\EmFi@S@false
260 \EmFi@temp{false}

```

2.6 Switches

```

\ifEmFi@collection
261 \newif\ifEmFi@collection

\ifEmFi@initialfile
262 \newif\ifEmFi@initialfile

\ifEmFi@sort
263 \newif\ifEmFi@sort

\ifEmFi@visible
264 \newif\ifEmFi@visible

\ifEmFi@edit
265 \newif\ifEmFi@edit

\ifEmFi@item
266 \newif\ifEmFi@item

\ifEmFi@finished
267 \newif\ifEmFi@finished

\ifEmFi@id
268 \newif\ifEmFi@id

```

2.7 Key value definitions

```

269 \expandafter\ifx\csname define@key\endcsname\relax
270   \chardef\EmFi@plain=\z@
271   \def\EmFi@temp#1{%
272     \begingroup\expandafter\expandafter\expandafter\endgroup
273     \expandafter\ifx\csname#1\endcsname\relax
274       \chardef\EmFi@plain=\@ne
275     \fi
276   }%
277   \EmFi@temp{NeedsTeXFormat}%
278   \EmFi@temp{ProvidesPackage}%
279   \EmFi@temp{DeclareOption}%
280   \EmFi@temp{ExecuteOptions}%
281   \EmFi@temp{ProcessOptions}%
282   \ifnum\EmFi@plain=\@ne
283     \def\EmFi@temp#1{%
284       \expandafter\let\csname EmFi@Org#1\expandafter\endcsname
285         \csname#1\endcsname
286       \expandafter\def\csname#1\endcsname
287     }%

```

```

288      \EmFi@temp{NeedsTeXFormat}#1{}%
289      \EmFi@temp{ProvidesPackage}#1[#2]{}% hash-ok
290      \EmFi@temp{DeclareOption}#1{}%
291      \EmFi@temp{ExecuteOptions}#1{}%
292      \EmFi@temp{ProcessOptions}{}%

```

\KV@errx L^AT_EX's option processing is not available with plain-T_EX. Thus we define the default error command \KV@errx here, also using package infwarerr's \@PackageError.

```

293      \def\KV@errx#1{%
294          \@PackageError{keyval}{#1}\@ehc
295      }%

```

Other macros from L^AT_EX's kernel that are used by package keyval.

```

\ifnextchar
 296      \expandafter\ifx\csname @ifnextchar\endcsname\relax
 297          \def\@ifnextchar#1#2#3{%
 298              \let\reserved@d=#1%
 299              \def\reserved@a{#2}%
 300              \def\reserved@b{#3}%
 301              \futurelet\@let@token\@ifnch
 302          }%
 303          \def\@ifnch{%
 304              \ifx\@let@token\@sptoken
 305                  \let\reserved@c\@xifnch
 306              \else
 307                  \ifx\@let@token\reserved@d
 308                      \let\reserved@c\reserved@a
 309                  \else
 310                      \let\reserved@c\reserved@b
 311                  \fi
 312              \fi
 313              \reserved@c
 314          }%
 315          \begingroup
 316              \def\:{\global\let\@sptoken= }%
 317              \ : % this makes \@sptoken a space token
 318              \def\:{\@xifnch}%
 319              \expandafter\gdef\:{ %
 320                  \futurelet\@let@token\@ifnch
 321              }%
 322          \endgroup
 323      \fi

```

```

\@namedef
 324      \expandafter\ifx\csname @namedef\endcsname\relax
 325          \def\@namedef#1{%
 326              \expandafter\def\csname#1\endcsname
 327          }%
 328      \fi
 329      \fi
 330      \EmFi@RequirePackage{keyval}[1999/03/16]%
 331      \ifnum\EmFi@plain=\@ne
 332          \def\EmFi@temp#1{%
 333              \expandafter\let\csname#1\expandafter\endcsname
 334                  \csname EmFi@Org#1\endcsname
 335          }%
 336          \EmFi@temp{NeedsTeXFormat}%
 337          \EmFi@temp{ProvidesPackage}%
 338          \EmFi@temp{DeclareOption}%
 339          \EmFi@temp{ExecuteOptions}%
 340          \EmFi@temp{ProcessOptions}%

```

```

341   \fi
342 \fi

\EmFi@GlobalKey
343 \def\EmFi@GlobalKey#1#2{%
344   \global\expandafter\let\csname KV@#1@#2\expandafter\endcsname
345           \csname KV@#1@#2\endcsname
346 }

\EmFi@GlobalDefaultKey
347 \def\EmFi@GlobalDefaultKey#1#2{%
348   \EmFi@GlobalKey{#1}{#2}%
349   \global\expandafter\let
350     \csname KV@#1@#2@default\expandafter\endcsname
351     \csname KV@#1@#2@default\endcsname
352 }

\EmFi@DefineKey
353 \def\EmFi@DefineKey#1#2{%
354   \define@key{EmFi}{#1}{%
355     \expandafter\def\csname EmFi@#1\endcsname{##1}%
356   }%
357   \expandafter\def\csname EmFi@#1\endcsname{#2}%
358 }

Subtype of the embedded file (optional).
359 \EmFi@DefineKey{mimetype}{}  

File specification string.
360 \EmFi@DefineKey{filespec}{\EmFi@file}  

File system (optional).
361 \EmFi@DefineKey{filesystem}{}  

Description (optional).
362 \EmFi@DefineKey{desc}{}  

Method for converting text to PDF strings.
363 \EmFi@DefineKey{stringmethod}{%
364   \ifx\pdfstringdef\undefined
365     escape%
366   \else
367     \ifx\pdfstringdef\relax
368       escape%
369     \else
370       psd%
371     \fi
372   \fi
373 }
Option id as key for object numbers.
374 \define@key{EmFi}{id}{%
375   \def\EmFi@id{#1}%
376   \EmFi@idtrue
377 }

\EmFi@defobj
378 \def\EmFi@defobj#1{%
379   \ifEmFi@id
380     \expandafter\xdef\csname EmFi@#1@\EmFi@id\endcsname{%
381       \the\pdflastobj\space 0 R%
382     }%
383   \fi
384 }

```

```

\embedfileifobjectexists
385 \def\embedfileifobjectexists#1#2{%
386   \expandafter\ifx\csname EmFi@#2@#1\endcsname\relax
387     \expandafter\@secondoftwo
388   \else
389     \expandafter\@firstoftwo
390   \fi
391 }

\@firstoftwo
392 \expandafter\ifx\csname @firstoftwo\endcsname\relax
393   \long\def\@firstoftwo#1#2{#1}%
394 \fi

\@secondoftwo
395 \expandafter\ifx\csname @secondoftwo\endcsname\relax
396   \long\def\@secondoftwo#1#2{#2}%
397 \fi

\embedfilegetobject
398 \def\embedfilegetobject#1#2{%
399   \embedfileifobjectexists{#1}{#2}{%
400     \csname EmFi@#2@#1\endcsname
401   }{%
402     O O R%
403   }%
404 }

Initial view of the collection.
405 \define@key{EmFi}{view}{}{%
406   \EdefSanitize\EmFi@temp{#1}%
407   \def\EmFi@next{%
408     \global\EmFi@collectiontrue
409   }%
410   \ifx\EmFi@temp\empty
411     \let\EmFi@view\EmFi@S@details
412   \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@details
413     \let\EmFi@view\EmFi@S@details
414   \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@tile
415     \let\EmFi@view\EmFi@S@tile
416   \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@hidden
417     \let\EmFi@view\EmFi@S@hidden
418   \else
419     \let\EmFi@next\relax
420     \EmFi@Error{%
421       Unknown value ‘\EmFi@temp’ for key ‘view’. \MessageBreak
422       Supported values: ‘details’, ‘tile’, ‘hidden’.%}
423   }@\ehc
424 \fi\fi\fi\fi
425 \EmFi@next
426 }

427 \EmFi@DefineKey{initialfile}{}

\embedfilesetup
428 \def\embedfilesetup{%
429   \ifEmFi@finished
430     \def\EmFi@next##1{}%
431     \EmFi@Error{%
432       \string\embedfilefield\space after \string\embedfilefinish
433     }{%
434       The list of embedded files is already written.%}

```

```

435      }%
436  \else
437    \def\EmFi@next{%
438      \setkeys{EmFi}%
439    }%
440  \fi
441 \EmFi@next
442 }

\EmFi@schema
443 \def\EmFi@schema{}

\EmFi@order
444 \gdef\EmFi@order{0}

\EmFi@@order
445 \let\EmFi@@order\relax

\EmFi@fieldlist
446 \def\EmFi@fieldlist{0}

\EmFi@sortcase
447 \def\EmFi@sortcase{0}%

\embedfilefield
448 \def\embedfilefield#1#2{%
449   \ifEmFi@finished
450     \EmFi@Error{%
451       \string\embedfilefield\space after \string\embedfilefinish
452     }{%
453       The list of embedded files is already written.%
454     }%
455   \else
456     \global\EmFi@collectiontrue
457     \EdefSanitize\EmFi@key{#1}%
458     \expandafter\ifx\csname KV@EmFi@\EmFi@key.prefix\endcsname\relax
459       \begingroup
460         \count@=\EmFi@order
461         \advance\count@ 1 %
462         \xdef\EmFi@order{\the\count@}%
463         \let\EmFi@title\EmFi@key
464         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@text
465         \EmFi@visibletrue
466         \EmFi@editfalse
467         \setkeys{EmFiFi}{#2}%
468         \EmFi@convert\EmFi@title\EmFi@title
469         \xdef\EmFi@schema{%
470           \EmFi@schema
471           /\pdf@escapename{\EmFi@key}<<%
472             /Subtype/%
473             \ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@date D%
474             \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@number N%
475             \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@file F%
476             \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@desc Desc%
477             \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@moddate ModDate%
478             \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@creationdate CreationDate%
479             \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@size Size%
480             \else S%
481             \fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi
482           /N(\EmFi@title)%
483           \EmFi@order{\EmFi@order}%

```

```

484         \ifEmFi@visible
485             \else
486                 /V false%
487             \fi
488             \ifEmFi@edit
489                 /E true%
490             \fi
491         >>%
492     }%
493     \let\do\relax
494     \xdef\EmFi@fieldlist{%
495         \EmFi@fieldlist
496         \do{\EmFi@key}%
497     }%
498     \ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@text
499         \define@key{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.value}{%
500             \EmFi@itemtrue
501             \def\EmFi@temp{##1}%
502             \EmFi@convert\EmFi@temp\EmFi@temp
503             \expandafter\def\csname EmFi@V@#1%
504             \expandafter\endcsname\expandafter{%
505                 \expandafter(\EmFi@temp)%
506             }%
507         }%
508         \EmFi@GlobalKey{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.value}%
509     \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@date
510         \define@key{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.value}{%
511             \EmFi@itemtrue
512             \def\EmFi@temp{##1}%
513             \EmFi@convert\EmFi@temp\EmFi@temp
514             \expandafter\def\csname EmFi@V@#1%
515             \expandafter\endcsname\expandafter{%
516                 \expandafter(\EmFi@temp)%
517             }%
518         }%
519         \EmFi@GlobalKey{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.value}%
520     \else\ifx\EmFi@type\EmFi@S@number
521         \define@key{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.value}{%
522             \EmFi@itemtrue
523             \expandafter\EdefSanitize\csname EmFi@V@#1\endcsname{ ##1}%
524         }%
525         \EmFi@GlobalKey{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.value}%
526         \fi\fi\fi
527         \define@key{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.prefix}{%
528             \EmFi@itemtrue
529             \expandafter\def\csname EmFi@P@#1\endcsname{##1}%
530         }%
531         \EmFi@GlobalKey{EmFi}{\EmFi@key.prefix}%
532         \define@key{EmFiSo}{\EmFi@key}[ascending]{%
533             \EdefSanitize\EmFi@temp{##1}%
534             \ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@ascending
535                 \def\EmFi@temp{true}%
536             \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@descending
537                 \def\EmFi@temp{false}%
538             \else
539                 \def\EmFi@temp{}%
540             \EmFi@Error{%
541                 Unknown sort order '\EmFi@temp'.\MessageBreak
542                 Supported values: '\EmFi@S@ascending', %
543                 '\EmFi@S@descending
544                 }@\ehc
545             \fi\fi

```

```

546          \ifx\EmFi@temp\empty
547          \else
548              \xdef\EmFi@sortkeys{%
549                  \EmFi@sortkeys
550                  /\pdf@escapename{#1}%
551              }%
552          \ifx\EmFi@sortorders\empty
553              \global\let\EmFi@sortorders\EmFi@temp
554              \gdef\EmFi@sortcase{1}%
555          \else
556              \xdef\EmFi@sortorders{%
557                  \EmFi@sortorders
558                  \space
559                  \EmFi@temp
560              }%
561              \xdef\EmFi@sortcase{2}%
562          \fi
563      \fi
564  }%
565      \EmFi@GlobalDefaultKey{EmFiSo}\EmFi@key
566  \endgroup
567  \else
568      \EmFi@Error{%
569          Field ‘\EmFi@key’ is already defined%
570      }@\ehc
571  \fi
572 \fi
573 }

574 \define@key{EmFiFi}{type}{%
575     \EdefSanitize\EmFi@temp{#1}%
576     \ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@text
577         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
578     \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@date
579         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
580     \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@number
581         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
582     \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@file
583         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
584     \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@desc
585         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
586     \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@moddate
587         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
588     \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@creationdate
589         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
590     \else\ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@size
591         \let\EmFi@type\EmFi@temp
592     \else
593         \EmFi@Error{%
594             Unknown type ‘\EmFi@temp’. \MessageBreak
595             Supported types: ‘text’, ‘date’, ‘number’, ‘file’, \MessageBreak
596             ‘desc’, ‘moddate’, ‘creationdate’, ‘size’%
597         }%
598     \fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi\fi
599 }

600 \define@key{EmFiFi}{title}{%
601     \def\EmFi@title{#1}%
602 }

\EmFi@setboolean
603 \def\EmFi@setboolean#1#2{%
604     \EdefSanitize\EmFi@temp{#2}%

```

```

605  \ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@true
606    \csname EmFi@#1true\endcsname
607  \else
608    \ifx\EmFi@temp\EmFi@S@false
609      \csname EmFi@#1false\endcsname
610    \else
611      \EmFi@Error{%
612        Unknown value '\EmFi@temp' for key '#1'.\MessageBreak
613        Supported values: 'true', 'false'%}
614    }\@ehc
615  \fi
616 \fi
617 }

618 \define@key{EmFiFi}{visible}[true]{%
619   \EmFi@setboolean{visible}{#1}%
620 }

621 \define@key{EmFiFi}{edit}[true]{%
622   \EmFi@setboolean{edit}{#1}%
623 }

\EmFi@sortkeys
624 \def\EmFi@sortkeys{}

\EmFi@sortorders
625 \def\EmFi@sortorders{}

\embedfilesort
626 \def\embedfilesort{%
627   \setkeys{EmFiSo}%
628 }

```

2.8 Embed the file

```

\embedfile
629 \def\embedfile{%
630   @ifnextchar[\EmFi@embedfile{\EmFi@embedfile[] }%
631 }

\EmFi@embedfile
632 \def\EmFi@embedfile[#1]#2{%
633   \ifEmFi@finished
634     \EmFi@Error{%
635       \string\embedfile\space after \string\embedfilefinish
636     }%
637     The list of embedded files is already written.%}
638   }%
639 \else
640   \begingroup
641     \def\EmFi@file{#2}%
642     \ifx\EmFi@file\EmFi@initialfile
643       \global\EmFi@initialfiletrue
644     \fi
645     \setkeys{EmFi}{#1}%
646     \expandafter\ifx\expandafter\\\pdf@filesize{\EmFi@file}\%
647       \EmFi@Error{%
648         File '\EmFi@file' not found%
649       }%
650       The unknown file is not embedded.%}
651     }%
652   \else

```

```

653      \EmFi@convert\EmFi@filespec\EmFi@@filespec
654      \ifx\EmFi@desc\empty
655          \let\EmFi@@desc\empty
656      \else
657          \EmFi@convert\EmFi@desc\EmFi@@desc
658      \fi
659      \ifEmFi@item
660          \let\do\EmFi@do
661          \immediate\pdfobj{%
662              <<%
663                  \EmFi@fieldlist
664              >>%
665          }%
666          \edef\EmFi@ci{\the\pdflastobj}%
667      \fi
668      \immediate\pdfobj stream attr{%
669          /Type/EmbeddedFile%
670          \ifx\EmFi@mimetype\empty
671          \else
672              /Subtype/\pdf@escapename{\EmFi@mimetype}%
673          \fi
674          /Params<<%
675              /ModDate(\pdf@filemoddate{\EmFi@file})%
676              /Size \pdf@filesize{\EmFi@file}%
677              /CheckSum<\pdf@filemdfivesum{\EmFi@file}>%
678          >>%
679          }file{\EmFi@file}\relax
680          \EmFi@defobj{EmbeddedFile}%
681          \immediate\pdfobj{%
682              <<%
683                  /Type/Filespec%
684                  \ifx\EmFi@filesystem\empty
685                  \else
686                      /FS/\pdf@escapename{\EmFi@filesystem}%
687                  \fi
688                  /F(\EmFi@@filespec)%
689                  \ifx\EmFi@desc\empty
690                  \else
691                      /Desc(\EmFi@@desc)%
692                  \fi
693                  /EF<<%
694                      /F \the\pdflastobj\space 0 R%
695                  >>%
696                  \ifEmFi@item
697                      /CI \EmFi@ci\space 0 R%
698                  \fi
699              >>%
700          }%
701          \EmFi@defobj{Filespec}%
702          \EmFi@add{%
703              \EmFi@@filespec
704              }{\the\pdflastobj\space 0 R}%
705          \fi
706      \endgroup
707  \fi
708 }

\EmFi@do
709 \def\EmFi@do#1{%
710     \expandafter\ifx\csname EmFi@P@#1\endcsname\relax
711         \expandafter\ifx\csname EmFi@V@#1\endcsname\relax
712         \else
713             /\pdf@escapename{#1}\csname EmFi@V@#1\endcsname

```

```

714     \fi
715 \else
716   /\pdf@escapename{#1}<<%
717     \expandafter\ifx\csname EmFi@V@#1\endcsname\relax
718     \else
719       /D\csname EmFi@V@#1\endcsname
720     \fi
721     /P(\csname EmFi@P@#1\endcsname)%
722   >>%
723 \fi
724 }

\EmFi@convert

725 \def\EmFi@convert#1#2{%
726   \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{\EmFi@stringmethod}{psd}=0 %
727     \pdfstringdef\EmFi@temp{#1}%
728     \let#2\EmFi@temp
729   \else
730     \edef#2{\pdf@escapestring{#1}}%
731   \fi
732 }

733 \global\let\EmFi@list\empty

\EmFi@add Sorting is done by the insertion sort algorithm. Probably the sorting could be done more reliable. However, the PDF specification is not too clear to me regarding precise sorting rules (how to deal with different encodings, escaped characters, ...).
734 \def\EmFi@add#1#2{%
735   \begingroup
736     \edef\key{\pdf@escapehex{#1}}%
737     \ifx\EmFi@list\empty
738       \xdef\EmFi@list{\noexpand\do{\key}{#2}}%
739     \else
740       \def\do##1##2{%
741         \ifnum\pdf@strcmp{##1}{\key}>0 %
742           \edef\x{%
743             \toks@{%
744               \the\toks@%
745               \noexpand\do{\key}{#2}}%
746             \noexpand\do{##1}{##2}}%
747           }%
748         }%
749       \x
750       \def\do####1####2{%
751         \toks@\expandafter{\the\toks@\do{####1}{####2}}%
752       }%
753       \def\stop{%
754         \xdef\EmFi@list{\the\toks@}%
755       }%
756     \else
757       \toks@\expandafter{\the\toks@\do{##1}{##2}}%
758     \fi
759   }%
760   \def\stop{%
761     \xdef\EmFi@list{\the\toks@\noexpand\do{\key}{#2}}%
762   }%
763   \toks@{}%
764   \EmFi@list\stop
765   \fi
766 \endgroup
767 }

```

```

\embedfilefinish

768 \def\embedfilefinish{%
769   \ifEmFi@finished
770     \EmFi@Error{%
771       Too many invocations of \string\embedfilefinish
772     }{%
773       The list of embedded files is already written.%}
774     }%
775   \else
776     \ifx\EmFi@list\empty
777     \else
778       Write /EmbeddedFiles entry.
779       \global\EmFi@finishedtrue
780       \begingroup
781         \def\do##1##2{%
782           <##1>##2%
783         }%
784         \immediate\pdfobj{%
785           <<%
786             /Names[\EmFi@list]%
787           >>%
788         }%
789         \pdfnames{%
790           /EmbeddedFiles \the\pdflastobj\space 0 R%
791         }%
792       \endgroup
793       Write collection objects.
794       \ifEmFi@initialfile
795         \EmFi@collectiontrue
796         \fi
797         \ifEmFi@collection
798           \ifEmFi@initialfile
799             \ifEmFi@convert\EmFi@initialfile\EmFi@initialfile
800             \else
801               \PackageWarningNoLine{embedfile}{%
802                 Missing initial file '\EmFi@initialfile'\MessageBreak
803                 among the embedded files%}
804               }%
805             \EmFi@initialfilefalse
806             \fi
807             \fi
808             \ifcase\EmFi@sortcase
809               \def\EmFi@temp{}%
810               \or
811                 \def\EmFi@temp{%
812                   /S\EmFi@sortkeys
813                   /A \EmFi@sortorders
814                 }%
815               \else
816                 \def\EmFi@temp{%
817                   /S[\EmFi@sortkeys]%
818                   /A[\EmFi@sortorders]%
819                 }%
820               \fi
821               \def\EmFi@order##1{%
822                 \ifnum\EmFi@order>1 %
823                   /O ##1%
824                 \fi
825               }%

```

```

826      \immediate\pdfobj{%
827          <<%
828          \ifx\EmFi@schema\empty
829          \else
830              /Schema<<\EmFi@schema>>%
831          \fi
832          \ifEmFi@initialfile
833              /D(\EmFi@initialfile)%
834          \fi
835          \ifx\EmFi@view\EmFi@S@tile
836              /View/T%
837          \else\ifx\EmFi@view\EmFi@S@hidden
838              /View/H%
839          \fi\fi
840          \ifx\EmFi@temp\empty
841              \EmFi@temp
842          \else
843              /Sort<<\EmFi@temp>>%
844          \fi
845          >>%
846      }%
847      \pdfcatalog{%
848          /Collection \the\pdflastobj\space0 R%
849      }%
850      \fi
851  \fi
852 \fi
853 }

854 \begingroup\expandafter\expandafter\expandafter\endgroup
855 \expandafter\ifx\csname AtEndDocument\endcsname\relax
856 \else
857   \AtEndDocument{\embedfilefinish}%
858 \fi
859 \EmFi@AtEnd
860 
```

3 Test

3.1 Catcode checks for loading

```

861 {*test1}
862 \catcode`'=1 %
863 \catcode`']=2 %
864 \catcode`#=6 %
865 \catcode`@=11 %
866 \expandafter\ifx\csname count@\endcsname\relax
867   \countdef\count@=255 %
868 \fi
869 \expandafter\ifx\csname @gobble\endcsname\relax
870   \long\def\@gobble#1{}%
871 \fi
872 \expandafter\ifx\csname @firstofone\endcsname\relax
873   \long\def\@firstofone#1{#1}%
874 \fi
875 \expandafter\ifx\csname loop\endcsname\relax
876   \expandafter\@firstofone
877 \else
878   \expandafter\@gobble
879 \fi
880 }%

```

```

881 \def\loop#1\repeat{%
882   \def\body{#1}%
883   \iterate
884 }%
885 \def\iterate{%
886   \body
887   \let\next\iterate
888   \else
889   \let\next\relax
890   \fi
891   \next
892 }%
893 \let\repeat=\fi
894 }%
895 \def\RestoreCatcodes{}%
896 \count@=0 %
897 \loop
898   \edef\RestoreCatcodes{%
899     \RestoreCatcodes
900     \catcode\the\count@=\the\catcode\count@\relax
901   }%
902 \ifnum\count@<255 %
903   \advance\count@ 1 %
904 \repeat
905
906 \def\RangeCatcodeInvalid#1#2{%
907   \count@=#1\relax
908   \loop
909   \catcode\count@=15 %
910   \ifnum\count@<#2\relax
911     \advance\count@ 1 %
912   \repeat
913 }
914 \def\Test{%
915   \RangeCatcodeInvalid{0}{47}%
916   \RangeCatcodeInvalid{58}{64}%
917   \RangeCatcodeInvalid{91}{96}%
918   \RangeCatcodeInvalid{123}{255}%
919   \catcode`\@=12 %
920   \catcode`\|=0 %
921   \catcode`{|=1 %
922   \catcode`{|}=2 %
923   \catcode`#=6 %
924   \catcode`[|=12 %
925   \catcode`]=12 %
926   \catcode`%|=14 %
927   \catcode`\ |=10 %
928   \catcode13=5 %
929   \input embedfile.sty\relax
930   \RestoreCatcodes
931 }
932 \Test
933 \csname @@end\endcsname
934 \end
935 </test1>

```

3.2 Simple test

```

936 <*test2>
937 \input embedfile.sty\relax
938 \embedfile[%]
939   stringmethod=escape,%
940   mimetype=plain/text,%

```

```

941   desc={LaTeX docstrip source archive for package ‘embedfile’},%
942   id={embedfile.dtx}%
943 ]{embedfile.dtx}
944 \nopagenumbers
945 Test (plain-\TeX): {\tt embedfile.dtx} should be embedded.%
946
947 \def\Test#1{%
948   \par
949   \ifobjectexists{embedfile.dtx}{#1}{%
950     Object #1 (embedfile.dtx): %
951     \embedfilegetobject{embedfile.dtx}{#1}%
952   }{%
953     \errmessage{Missing object #1 (embedfile.dtx)}%
954   }%
955 }
956 \Test{EmbeddedFile}
957 \Test{Filespec}
958 \embedfilefinish
959 \bye
960 /test2
961 (*test3)
962 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}
963 \let\SavedJobname\jobname
964 \def\jobname{embedfile}
965 \RequirePackage{dtx-attach}[2007/11/11]
966 \let\jobname\SavedJobname
967 \documentclass[minimal]
968 \begin{document}
969   Test (LaTeX): \texttt{embedfile.dtx} should be embedded.%
970 \end{document}
971 /test3

```

4 Installation

4.1 Download

Package. This package is available on CTAN¹:

CTAN:macros/latex/contrib/oberdiek/embedfile.dtx The source file.

CTAN:macros/latex/contrib/oberdiek/embedfile.pdf Documentation.

Bundle. All the packages of the bundle ‘oberdiek’ are also available in a TDS compliant ZIP archive. There the packages are already unpacked and the documentation files are generated. The files and directories obey the TDS standard.

CTAN:macros/latex/contrib/oberdiek/oberdiek-tds.zip

TDS refers to the standard “A Directory Structure for T_EX Files” (CTAN:tds/tds.pdf). Directories with `texmf` in their name are usually organized this way.

4.2 Bundle installation

Unpacking. Unpack the `oberdiek-tds.zip` in the TDS tree (also known as `texmf` tree) of your choice. Example (linux):

```
unzip oberdiek-tds.zip -d ~/texmf
```

¹[ftp://ftp.ctan.org/tex-archive/](http://ftp.ctan.org/tex-archive/)

Script installation. Check the directory `TDS:scripts/oberdiek/` for scripts that need further installation steps. Package `attachfile2` comes with the Perl script `pdfatfi.pl` that should be installed in such a way that it can be called as `pdfatfi`. Example (linux):

```
chmod +x scripts/oberdiek/pdfatfi.pl
cp scripts/oberdiek/pdfatfi.pl /usr/local/bin/
```

4.3 Package installation

Unpacking. The `.dtx` file is a self-extracting `docstrip` archive. The files are extracted by running the `.dtx` through plain-T_EX:

```
tex embedfile.dtx
```

TDS. Now the different files must be moved into the different directories in your installation TDS tree (also known as `texmf` tree):

<code>embedfile.sty</code>	→ <code>tex/latex/oberdiek/embedfile.sty</code>
<code>dtx-attach.sty</code>	→ <code>tex/latex/oberdiek/dtx-attach.sty</code>
<code>embedfile.pdf</code>	→ <code>doc/latex/oberdiek/embedfile.pdf</code>
<code>embedfile-example-plain.tex</code>	→ <code>doc/latex/oberdiek/embedfile-example-plain.tex</code>
<code>embedfile-example-collection.tex</code>	→ <code>doc/latex/oberdiek/embedfile-example-collection.tex</code>
<code>test/embedfile-test1.tex</code>	→ <code>doc/latex/oberdiek/test/embedfile-test1.tex</code>
<code>test/embedfile-test2.tex</code>	→ <code>doc/latex/oberdiek/test/embedfile-test2.tex</code>
<code>test/embedfile-test3.tex</code>	→ <code>doc/latex/oberdiek/test/embedfile-test3.tex</code>
<code>embedfile.dtx</code>	→ <code>source/latex/oberdiek/embedfile.dtx</code>

If you have a `docstrip.cfg` that configures and enables `docstrip`'s TDS installing feature, then some files can already be in the right place, see the documentation of `docstrip`.

4.4 Refresh file name databases

If your T_EX distribution (teT_EX, mikT_EX, ...) relies on file name databases, you must refresh these. For example, teT_EX users run `texhash` or `mktexlsr`.

4.5 Some details for the interested

Attached source. The PDF documentation on CTAN also includes the `.dtx` source file. It can be extracted by AcrobatReader 6 or higher. Another option is `pdftk`, e.g. unpack the file into the current directory:

```
pdftk embedfile.pdf unpack_files output .
```

Unpacking with L^AT_EX. The `.dtx` chooses its action depending on the format:

plain-T_EX: Run `docstrip` and extract the files.

L^AT_EX: Generate the documentation.

If you insist on using L^AT_EX for `docstrip` (really, `docstrip` does not need L^AT_EX), then inform the autodetect routine about your intention:

```
latex \let\install=y\input{embedfile.dtx}
```

Do not forget to quote the argument according to the demands of your shell.

Generating the documentation. You can use both the `.dtx` or the `.drv` to generate the documentation. The process can be configured by the configuration file `ltxdoc.cfg`. For instance, put this line into this file, if you want to have A4 as paper format:

```
\PassOptionsToClass{a4paper}{article}
```

An example follows how to generate the documentation with pdfL^AT_EX:

```
pdflatex embedfile.dtx
makeindex -s gind.ist embedfile.idx
pdflatex embedfile.dtx
makeindex -s gind.ist embedfile.idx
pdflatex embedfile.dtx
```

5 References

- [1] Scott Pakin: *The attachfile package*; 2005/02/20 v1.2; CTAN:macros/latex/contrib/attachfile/.
- [2] Heiko Oberdiek: *The attachfile2 package*; 2006/08/16 v2.2; CTAN:macros/latex/contrib/oberdiek/attachfile2.pdf.
- [3] Adobe Systems Incorporated: *PDF Reference, Sixth Edition, Version 1.7*, Oktober 2006; http://www.adobe.com/devnet/pdf/pdf_reference.html.
- [4] Network Working Group: RFC 2046, *Multipurpose Internet Mail Extensions (MIME) Part Two: Media Types*, November 1996; <http://www.rfc-editor.org/>.
- [5] IANA (Internet Assigned Numbers Authority): *MIME Media Types*, May 2006; <http://www.iana.org/assignments/media-types/>.

6 History

[2006/08/16 v1.0]

- First public version.

[2007/04/11 v1.1]

- Line ends sanitized.

[2007/09/09 v1.2]

- Fixes for plain-TeX, wrapper for package `keyval` added.
- Catcode section rewritten.

[2007/10/28 v2.0]

- Collection support added (PDF 1.7).

[2007/10/29 v2.1]

- Export of object references by adding new option `id` and new macros `\embedfileifobjectexists` and `\embedfilegetobject`.

[2007/11/11 v2.2]

- Use of package `pdftexcmds` for L^AT_EX support.

7 Index

Numbers written in italic refer to the page where the corresponding entry is described; numbers underlined refer to the code line of the definition; numbers in roman refer to the code lines where the entry is used.

Symbols	
\#	864, 923
\%	926
\:	316, 317, 318, 319
\@	865, 919
\@PackageError	217, 294
\@PackageWarningNoLine	801
\@ehc	294, 423, 544, 570, 614
\@firstofone	873, 876
\@firstoftwo	389, 392
\@gobble	870, 878
\@ifnch	301, 303, 320
\@ifnextchar	296, 630
\@let@token	301, 304, 307, 320
\@namedef	324
\@ne	274, 282, 331
\@secondoftwo	387, 395
\@spoken	304, 316, 317
\@undefined	364
\@xifnch	305, 318
\[.....	924
\\"	646, 920
\{	862, 921
\}	863, 922
\]	925
_	927
A	
\advance	461, 903, 911
\AtEndDocument	857
B	
\begin	75, 968
\body	882, 886
\bye	35, 959
C	
\catcode	113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 128, 129, 130, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 172, 173, 176, 177, 178, 179, 183, 184, 185, 186, 190, 192, 862, 863, 864, 865, 900, 909, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928
\chardef	270, 274
\count@ ...	460, 461, 462, 867, 896, 900, 902, 903, 907, 909, 910, 911
\countdef	867
\csname ...	118, 131, 155, 168, 175, 208, 233, 244, 269, 273, 284, 285, 286, 296, 324, 326, 333, 334, 344, 345, 350, 351, 355, 357, 380, 386, 392, 395, 400, 458, 503, 514, 523, 529, 606,
D	
\define@key	354, 374, 405, 499, 510, 521, 527, 532, 574, 600, 618, 621
\do	493, 496, 660, 738, 740, 745, 746, 750, 751, 757, 761, 780
\documentclass	41, 967
E	
\EdefSanitize	244, 406, 457, 523, 533, 575, 604
\embedfile	3, 16, 21, 25, 79, 85, 91, 105, 629, 635, 938
\embedfilefield	4, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 432, 448
\embedfilefinish	3, 34, 432, 451, 635, 768, 857, 958
\embedfilegetobject	5, 398, 951
\embedfileifobjectexists	5, 385, 399, 949
\embedfilesetup	3, 4, 11, 46, 428
\embedfilesort	5, 71, 626
\EmFi@desc	655, 657, 689, 691
\EmFi@filespec	653, 688, 703
\EmFi@order	445, 483, 821
\EmFi@add	702, 734
\EmFi@AtEnd	188, 189, 228, 239, 859
\EmFi@ci	666, 697
\EmFi@collectiontrue	408, 456, 793
\EmFi@convert	468, 502, 513, 653, 657, 725, 799
\EmFi@DefineKey	353, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 427
\EmFi@defobj	378, 680, 701
\EmFi@desc	654, 657
\EmFi@details	246
\EmFi@do	660, 709
\EmFi@editfalse	466
\EmFi@embedfile	630, 632
\EmFi@Error	215, 222, 234, 420, 431, 450, 540, 568, 593, 611, 634, 647, 770
\EmFi@fieldlist	446, 494, 495, 663
\EmFi@file	360, 641, 642, 646, 648, 675, 676, 677, 679
\EmFi@filespec	653
\EmFi@filesystem	684, 686
\EmFi@finishedtrue	778
\EmFi@GlobalDefaultKey	347, 565
\EmFi@GlobalKey	343, 348, 508, 519, 525, 531
\EmFi@hidden	248
\EmFi@id	375, 380
\EmFi@idtrue	376

\EmFi@initialfile
 642, 798, 799, 802, 833
 \EmFi@initialfilefalse 805
 \EmFi@initialfiletrue 643
 \EmFi@itemtrue 500, 511, 522, 528
 \EmFi@key 457, 458, 463,
 471, 496, 499, 508, 510, 519,
 521, 525, 527, 531, 532, 565, 569
 \EmFi@list 733,
 737, 738, 754, 761, 764, 776, 785
 \EmFi@mimetype 670, 672
 \EmFi@next 407, 419, 425, 430, 437, 441
 \EmFi@order ... 444, 460, 462, 483, 822
 \EmFi@plain 270, 274, 282, 331
 \EmFi@RequirePackage
 207, 215, 219, 231, 242, 330
 \EmFi@S@ascending 257, 534, 542
 \EmFi@S@creationdate .. 255, 478, 588
 \EmFi@S@date 250, 473, 509, 578
 \EmFi@S@desc 253, 476, 584
 \EmFi@S@descending 258, 536, 543
 \EmFi@S@details 411, 412, 413
 \EmFi@S@false 260, 608
 \EmFi@S@file 252, 475, 582
 \EmFi@S@hidden 416, 417, 837
 \EmFi@S@moddate 254, 477, 586
 \EmFi@S@number 251, 474, 520, 580
 \EmFi@S@size 256, 479, 590
 \EmFi@S@text 249, 464, 498, 576
 \EmFi@S@tile 414, 415, 835
 \EmFi@S@true 259, 605
 \EmFi@schema .. 443, 469, 470, 828, 830
 \EmFi@setboolean 603, 619, 622
 \EmFi@sortcase 447, 554, 561, 808
 \EmFi@sortkeys 548, 549, 624, 812, 817
 \EmFi@sortorders
 . 552, 553, 556, 557, 625, 813, 818
 \EmFi@stringmethod 726
 \EmFi@temp 243,
 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251,
 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257,
 258, 259, 260, 271, 277, 278,
 279, 280, 281, 283, 288, 289,
 290, 291, 292, 332, 336, 337,
 338, 339, 340, 406, 410, 412,
 414, 416, 421, 501, 502, 505,
 512, 513, 516, 533, 534, 535,
 536, 537, 539, 541, 546, 553,
 559, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579,
 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585,
 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591,
 594, 604, 605, 608, 612, 727,
 728, 809, 811, 816, 840, 841, 843
 \EmFi@tile 247
 \EmFi@title 463, 468, 482, 601
 \EmFi@type
 . 464, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477,
 478, 479, 498, 509, 520, 577,
 579, 581, 583, 585, 587, 589, 591
 \EmFi@view 411, 413, 415, 417, 835, 837
 \EmFi@visibletrue 465

F

\empty 122, 410,
 546, 552, 654, 655, 670, 684,
 689, 733, 737, 776, 798, 828, 840
 \end 97, 934, 970
 \endcsname 118, 131, 155, 168, 175,
 208, 233, 244, 269, 273, 284,
 285, 286, 296, 324, 326, 333,
 334, 344, 345, 350, 351, 355,
 357, 380, 386, 392, 395, 400,
 458, 504, 515, 523, 529, 606,
 609, 710, 711, 713, 717, 719,
 721, 855, 866, 869, 872, 875, 933
 \endinput 140, 229, 240
 \errmessage 953

G

\gdef 319, 444, 554
 \Gin@driver 5

I

\ifcase 119, 808
 \ifEmFi@collection 261, 795
 \ifEmFi@edit 265, 488
 \ifEmFi@finished 267, 429, 449, 633, 769
 \ifEmFi@id 268, 379
 \ifEmFi@initialfile 262, 792, 796, 832
 \ifEmFi@item 266, 659, 696
 \ifEmFi@sort 263
 \ifEmFi@visible 264, 484
 \ifnum 282, 331, 726, 741, 822, 902, 910
 \ifpdf 220
 \ifx 120, 122, 131, 155, 163, 208, 233,
 269, 273, 296, 304, 307, 324,
 364, 367, 386, 392, 395, 410,
 412, 414, 416, 458, 473, 474,
 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 498,
 509, 520, 534, 536, 546, 552,
 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586,
 588, 590, 605, 608, 642, 646,
 654, 670, 684, 689, 710, 711,
 717, 737, 776, 798, 828, 835,
 837, 840, 855, 866, 869, 872, 875
 \immediate
 . 133, 157, 661, 668, 681, 783, 826
 \input 4, 6, 7, 210, 929, 937
 \iterate 883, 885, 887

J

\jobname 95, 103, 108, 109, 963, 964, 966

K

\key 736, 738, 741, 745, 761
 \KV@errx 293

L

\LaTeX 969
 \loop 881, 897, 908

M

\MessageBreak 421, 541, 594, 595, 612, 802

	N	
\NeedsTeXFormat	.....	40, 101, 962
\newif	.....	261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268
\next	.....	887, 889, 891
\nopagenumbers	.....	944
	P	
\PackageInfo	.....	136
\par	.....	948
\pdf@escapehex	.....	736
\pdf@escapename	.....	471, 550, 672, 686, 713, 716
\pdf@escapestring	.....	730
\pdf@filemdfivesum	.....	677
\pdf@filemoddate	.....	675
\pdf@filesize	.....	646, 676
\pdf@strcmp	.....	726, 741
\pdfcatalog	.....	847
\pdflastobj	381, 666, 694, 704, 789, 848	
\pdfnames	.....	788
\pdfobj	.....	661, 668, 681, 783, 826
\pdfstringdef	.....	43, 364, 367, 727
\ProvidesPackage	.....	102, 169
	R	
\RangeCatcodeInvalid	.....	906, 915, 916, 917, 918
\repeat	.....	881, 893, 904, 912
\RequirePackage	.....	104, 213, 965
\reserved@a	.....	299, 308
\reserved@b	.....	300, 310
\reserved@c	.....	305, 308, 310, 313
\reserved@d	.....	298, 307
	S	
\SavedJobname	.....	963, 966
\setkeys	.....	438, 467, 627, 645
\space	.....	381, 432, 451, 558, 635, 694, 697, 704, 789, 848
\stop	.....	753, 760, 764
	T	
\Test	.....	914, 932, 947, 956, 957
\TeX	.....	945
\texttt	.....	969
\the	.....	176, 177, 178, 179, 190, 381, 462, 666, 694, 704, 744, 751, 754, 757, 761, 789, 848, 900
\TMP@EnsureCode	.....	187, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206
\toks@	743, 744, 751, 754, 757, 761, 763	
\tt	.....	945
	U	
\usepackage	.....	42, 45
	W	
\write	.....	133, 157
	X	
\x	....	118, 120, 122, 132, 136, 138, 156, 161, 168, 174, 182, 742, 749
	Z	
\z@	.....	270