

## user groups

# TeX user groups around the world

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All over the world TeX users have formed networks of *user groups* on an informal basis. These user groups consist of enthusiastic TeX users who share their problems and solutions with anyone who wants to join the TeX community. They usually communicate through e-mail and often produce printed periodicals with contributions from members.

The periodicals and discussions on e-mail are essential for users who want to be informed about the latest developments. E-mail is important for getting information on, e.g. what is the newest version of program *x*, where do I find a macro for problem *y*, how do I install program *z*. For this purpose, a list of frequently asked questions ('FAQ') is maintained, and is distributed regularly.

Below we have listed all TeX user groups currently known to us. Much of this information comes from the list of user groups on the TUG website (<http://www.tug.org>).

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**Grupo de Utilizadores de TeX (Portuguese)**

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**GUST (Poland)**

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 periodical: *Les Cahiers GUTenberg*

**ITALIC (Irish)**

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**TUG** (International user group, LUG for TeX users not covered by some other group)

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