How to make an MN/SE poster

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Before making your poster

Before you start to make your poster, first quickly walk through the corridor. When you arrive at the end, think of posters that caught your attention. Then think of why these posters caught your attention. Most likely this will be posters with many colorful pictures and not too much text. Make sure your poster will be noticeable!

Also, try to explain to someone in ten minutes about your work using pen and paper. What pictures did you draw? What results did you present? Those pictures should become the figures on your poster. Using only those pictures you should be able to explain your work and your results. A rule of thumb is to have four figures.

Options of the stylefile

This stylefile has three kinds of options. The first kind of options is related to the group: either \texttt{mn} or \texttt{se}. The second kind of options has to do with the papersize. Specify either \texttt{a4} (which is used for the website) or \texttt{a1plus} (which is used for plotting). The third kind of options is related to the color of the titleframe, which default is red, but can also be orange, green, cyan, or blue.

So, in order to obtain a large size poster with tick marks, for SE with a cyan titleframe, start your document with

\documentclass[a4,se,cyan]{mnsetueposter}.

Color usage

Restrict the colors in your figures to the TU/e main colors:

- PMS Process Cyan \texttt{RGB 0,162,222}
- PMS Warm Red \texttt{RGB 247,49,49}
- PMS 206 \texttt{RGB 214,0,74}
- PMS 226 \texttt{RGB 214,0,123}
- PMS 253 \texttt{RGB 173,32,173}
- PMS 300 \texttt{RGB 0,102,204}
- PMS 2748 \texttt{RGB 16,16,115}

and the TU/e support colors:

- PMS 137 \texttt{RGB 255,154,0}
- PMS Yellow 012 \texttt{RGB 255,221,0}
- PMS 396 \texttt{RGB 206,223,0}
- PMS Green \texttt{RGB 0,172,130}
- PMS 3135 \texttt{RGB 0,146,181}
- PMS 375 \texttt{RGB 132,210,0}

Final remarks/suggestions for improvement

If you have any questions or remarks about this stylefile can be addressed to Erjen Lefeber (Gemini Zuid, room 0.122). Keep in mind that stylefiles should not be edited, so if you feel a need for modifying the stylefile either a new version of the stylefile should be made available via the website, or you should solve your problem differently.

References