# Marp



Markdown presentation writer, powered by Electron

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### **Features**

- Slides are written in Markdown.
- Cross-platform. Supports Windows, Mac, and Linux
- Live Preview with 3 modes
- Slide themes (default, gaia) and custom background images
- Supports emoji
- Render maths in your slides
- Export your slides to PDF

### How to write slides?

Split slides by horizontal ruler --- . It's very simple.

```
# Slide 1
foobar
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# Slide 2
foobar
```

Notice: Ruler ( <hr> ) is not displayed in Marp.

## **Directives**

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Marp's Markdown has extended directives to affect slides.

Insert HTML comment as below:

```
<!-- {directive_name}: {value} -->

<!--
{first_directive_name}: {value}
{second_directive_name}: {value}
```

Theme name	Value	Directive	
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### **Global Directives**

#### **\$theme**

Changes the theme of all the slides in the deck. You can also change from View -> Theme menu.

```
<!-- $theme: gaia -->
```

Theme name	Value	Directive
Default	default	\$theme: default
Gaia	gaia	\$theme: gaia

### \$width / \$height

Changes width and height of all the slides.

You can use units: px (default), cm, mm, in, pt, and pc.

```
<!-- $width: 12in -->
```

#### \$size

Changes slide size by presets.

Presets: 4:3, 16:9, A0 - A8, B0 - B8 and suffix of -portrait.

```
<!-- $size: 16:9 -->
```

### **Page Directives**

The page directive would apply to the **current page and the following pages**.

You should insert it at the top to apply it to all slides.

page\_number

Set true to show page number on slides. See lower right!

```
<!-- page_number: true -->
```

#### template

Set to use template of theme.

The template directive just enables that using theme supports templates.

```
<!--
$theme: gaia
template: invert
-->

Example: Set "invert" template of Gaia theme.
```

#### footer

Add a footer to the current slide and all of the following slides

```
<!-- footer: This is a footer -->
```

Example: Adds "This is a footer" in the bottom of each slide

### prerender

Pre-renders a slide, which can prevent issues with very large background images.

```
<!-- prerender: true -->
```

## **Pro Tips**

#### Apply page directive to current slide only

Page directive can be selectively applied to the current slide by prefixing the page directive with \*.

```
<!-- *page_number: false --> <!-- *template: invert -->
```

#### Slide background Images

You can set an image as a slide background.

```
![bg](mybackground.png)
```

Options can be provided after bg , for example ![bg original](path).

#### Options include:

- original to include the image without any effects
- x% to include the image at x percent of the slide size

Include multiple ! [bg] (path) tags to stack background images horizontally.

#### **Maths Typsetting**

Mathematics is typeset using the KaTeX package. Use \$ for inline maths, such as  $ax^2+bc+c$ , and \$\$ for block maths:

$$I_{xx} = \int \int_R y^2 f(x,y) \cdot dy dx$$

This is inline:  $ax^2+bx+c$ , and this is block:

 $\$I_{xx}=\int xx^2\int x^2f(x,y)\cdot dt{ydx}$ 

## Enjoy writing slides!

https://github.com/yhatt/marp

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