

# ltluatex.dtx

## (LuaT<sub>E</sub>X-specific support)

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## 1 Overview

LuaTeX adds a number of engine-specific functions to TeX. Several of these require set up that is best done in the kernel or need related support functions. This file provides *basic* support for LuaTeX at the  $\text{\LaTeX} 2\epsilon$  kernel level plus as a loadable file which can be used with plain TeX and  $\text{\LaTeX}$ .

This file contains code for both TeX (to be stored as part of the format) and Lua (to be loaded at the start of each job). In the Lua code, the kernel uses the namespace `luatexbase`.

The following \count registers are used here for register allocation:

```
\e@alloc@attribute@count Attributes (default 258)
\e@alloc@ccodetable@count Category code tables (default 259)
\e@alloc@luafunction@count Lua functions (default 260)
  \e@alloc@whatsit@count User whatsits (default 261)
  \e@alloc@bytecode@count Lua bytecodes (default 262)
  \e@alloc@luachunk@count Lua chunks (default 263)
```

(\count 256 is used for \newmarks allocation and \count 257 is used for \newXeTeXintercharclass with XeTeX, with code defined in `ltfinal.dtx`). With any  $\text{\LaTeX} 2\epsilon$  kernel from 2015 onward these registers are part of the block in the extended area reserved by the kernel (prior to 2015 the  $\text{\LaTeX} 2\epsilon$  kernel did not provide any functionality for the extended allocation area).

## 2 Core TeX functionality

The commands defined here are defined for possible inclusion in a future  $\text{\LaTeX}$  format, however also extracted to the file `ltluatex.tex` which may be used with older  $\text{\LaTeX}$  formats, and with plain TeX.

```
\newattribute \newattribute{\langle attribute\rangle}
  Defines a named \attribute, indexed from 1 (i.e. \attribute0 is never defined).
  Attributes initially have the marker value -"7FFFFFFF ('unset') set by the engine.

\newcatcodetable \newcatcodetable{\langle catcodetable\rangle}
  Defines a named \catcodetable, indexed from 1 (\catcodetable0 is never assigned).
  A new catcode table will be populated with exactly those values assigned
  by IniTeX (as described in the LuaTeX manual).

\newluafunction \newluafunction{\langle function\rangle}
  Defines a named \luafunction, indexed from 1. (Lua indexes tables from 1 so
  \luafunction0 is not available).

\newluacmd \newluadef{\langle function\rangle}
  Like \newluafunction, but defines the command using \luadef instead of just
  assigning an integer.

\newprotectedluacmd \newluadef{\langle function\rangle}
  Like \newluacmd, but the defined command is not expandable.

\newwhatsit \newwhatsit{\langle whatsit\rangle}
  Defines a custom \whatsit, indexed from 1.

\newluabytecode \newluabytecode{\langle bytecode\rangle}
```

Allocates a number for Lua bytecode register, indexed from 1.

```
\newluachunkname newluachunkname{\langle chunkname\rangle}
```

Allocates a number for Lua chunk register, indexed from 1. Also enters the name of the register (without backslash) into the `lua.name` table to be used in stack traces.

```
\catcodetable@initex Predefined category code tables with the obvious assignments. Note that the \catcodetable@string latex and atletter tables set the full Unicode range to the codes predefined by \catcodetable@latex the kernel.
```

```
\catcodetable@atletter \setattribute{\langle attribute\rangle}{\langle value\rangle}
```

```
\setattribute \unsetattribute{\langle attribute\rangle}
```

```
\unsetattribute Set and unset attributes in a manner analogous to \setlength. Note that attributes take a marker value when unset so this operation is distinct from setting the value to zero.
```

### 3 Plain $\text{\TeX}$ interface

The `ltluatex` interface may be used with plain  $\text{\TeX}$  using `\input{ltluatex}`. This inputs `ltluatex.tex` which inputs `etex.src` (or `etex.sty` if used with  $\text{\LaTeX}$ ) if it is not already input, and then defines some internal commands to allow the `ltluatex` interface to be defined.

The `luatexbase` package interface may also be used in plain  $\text{\TeX}$ , as before, by inputting the package `\input luatexbase.sty`. The new version of `luatexbase` is based on this `ltluatex` code but implements a compatibility layer providing the interface of the original package.

## 4 Lua functionality

### 4.1 Allocators in Lua

```
new_attribute luatexbase.new_attribute(\langle attribute\rangle)
```

Returns an allocation number for the `\langle attribute\rangle`, indexed from 1. The attribute will be initialised with the marker value `-"7FFFFFFF` ('unset'). The attribute allocation sequence is shared with the  $\text{\TeX}$  code but this function does *not* define a token using `\attributedef`. The attribute name is recorded in the `attributes` table. A metatable is provided so that the table syntax can be used consistently for attributes declared in  $\text{\TeX}$  or Lua.

```
new_whatsit luatexbase.new_whatsit(\langle whatsit\rangle)
```

Returns an allocation number for the custom `\langle whatsit\rangle`, indexed from 1.

```
new_bytecode luatexbase.new_bytecode(\langle bytecode\rangle)
```

Returns an allocation number for a bytecode register, indexed from 1. The optional `\langle name\rangle` argument is just used for logging.

```
new_chunkname luatexbase.new_chunkname(\langle chunkname\rangle)
```

Returns an allocation number for a Lua chunk name for use with `\directlua` and `\latelua`, indexed from 1. The number is returned and also `\langle name\rangle` argument is added to the `lua.name` array at that index.

```
new_luafunction luatexbase.new_luafunction(\langle functionname\rangle)
```

Returns an allocation number for a lua function for use with `\luafunction`, `\lateluafunction`, and `\luadef`, indexed from 1. The optional `\langle functionname\rangle` argument is just used for logging.

These functions all require access to a named  $\text{\TeX}$  count register to manage their allocations. The standard names are those defined above for access from  $\text{\TeX}$ , e.g. “e@alloc@attribute@count, but these can be adjusted by defining the variable  $\langle type \rangle\_count\_name$  before loading `ltluatex.lua`, for example

```
local attribute_count_name = "attributetracker"
require("ltluatex")
```

would use a  $\text{\TeX}$  `\count` (`\countdef`'d token) called `attributetracker` in place of “e@alloc@attribute@count.

## 4.2 Lua access to $\text{\TeX}$ register numbers

`registernumber luatexbase.registernumer(<name>)`

Sometimes (notably in the case of Lua attributes) it is necessary to access a register *by number* that has been allocated by  $\text{\TeX}$ . This package provides a function to look up the relevant number using  $\text{Lua}\text{\TeX}$ 's internal tables. After for example `\newattribute\myattrib`, `\myattrib` would be defined by (say) `\myattrib=\attribute15`. `luatexbase.registernumer("myattrib")` would then return the register number, 15 in this case. If the string passed as argument does not correspond to a token defined by `\attributedef`, `\countdef` or similar commands, the Lua value `false` is returned.

As an example, consider the input:

```
\newcommand\test[1]{%
\typeout{#1: \expandafter\meaning\csname#1\endcsname^^J
\space\space\space\space
\directlua{tex.write(luatexbase.registernumer("#1") or "bad input")}%
}

\test{undefinedrubbish}

\test{space}

\test{hbox}

\test{@MM}

\test{@tempdima}
\test{@tempdimb}

\test{strutbox}

\test{sixt@0n}

\attributedef\myattr=12
\myattr=200
\test{myattr}
```

If the demonstration code is processed with  $\text{Lua}\text{\TeX}$  then the following would be produced in the log and terminal output.

```
undefinedrubbish: \relax
```

```

    bad input
space: macro:->
    bad input
hbox: \hbox
    bad input
@MM: \mathchar"4E20
20000
@tempdima: \dimen14
14
@tempdimb: \dimen15
15
strutbox: \char"B
11
sixt@n: \char"10
16
myattr: \attribute12
12

```

Notice how undefined commands, or commands unrelated to registers do not produce an error, just return `false` and so print `bad input` here. Note also that commands defined by `\newbox` work and return the number of the box register even though the actual command holding this number is a `\chardef` defined token (there is no `\boxdef`).

### 4.3 Module utilities

`provides_module luatexbase.provides_module(<info>)`

This function is used by modules to identify themselves; the `info` should be a table containing information about the module. The required field `name` must contain the name of the module. It is recommended to provide a field `date` in the usual L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X format `yyyy/mm/dd`. Optional fields `version` (a string) and `description` may be used if present. This information will be recorded in the log. Other fields are ignored.

```

module_info luatexbase.module_info(<module>, <text>)
module_warning luatexbase.module_warning(<module>, <text>)
module_error luatexbase.module_error(<module>, <text>)

```

These functions are similar to L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X's `\PackageError`, `\PackageWarning` and `\PackageInfo` in the way they format the output. No automatic line breaking is done, you may still use `\n` as usual for that, and the name of the package will be prepended to each output line.

Note that `luatexbase.module_error` raises an actual Lua error with `error()`, which currently means a call stack will be dumped. While this may not look pretty, at least it provides useful information for tracking the error down.

### 4.4 Callback management

`add_to_callback luatexbase.add_to_callback(<callback>, <function>, <description>)` Registers the `<function>` into the `<callback>` with a textual `<description>` of the function. Functions are inserted into the callback in the order loaded.

`remove_from_callback luatexbase.remove_from_callback(<callback>, <description>)` Removes the callback function with `<description>` from the `<callback>`. The removed function and its description are returned as the results of this function.

`in_callback luatexbase.in_callback(<callback>, <description>)` Checks if the `<description>` matches one of the functions added to the list for the `<callback>`, returning a boolean value.

`disable_callback luatexbase.disable_callback(<callback>)` Sets the `<callback>` to `false` as described in the LuaTeX manual for the underlying `callback.register` built-in. Callbacks will only be set to false (and thus be skipped entirely) if there are no functions registered using the callback.

`callback_descriptions` A list of the descriptions of functions registered to the specified callback is returned. `{}` is returned if there are no functions registered.

`create_callback luatexbase.create_callback(<name>,<type>,<default>)` Defines a user defined callback. The last argument is a default function or `false`.

`call_callback luatexbase.call_callback(<name>,...)` Calls a user defined callback with the supplied arguments.

`declare_callback_rule luatexbase.declare_callback_rule(<name>, <first>, <relation>, <second>)` Adds an ordering constraint between two callback functions for callback `<name>`.

The kind of constraint added depends on `<relation>`:

**before** The callback function with description `<first>` will be executed before the function with description `<second>`.

**after** The callback function with description `<first>` will be executed after the function with description `<second>`.

**incompatible-warning** When both a callback function with description `<first>` and with description `<second>` is registered, then a warning is printed when the callback is executed.

**incompatible-error** When both a callback function with description `<first>` and with description `<second>` is registered, then an error is printed when the callback is executed.

**unrelated** Any previously declared callback rule between `<first>` and `<second>` gets disabled.

Every call to `declare_callback_rule` with a specific callback `<name>` and descriptions `<first>` and `<second>` overwrites all previous calls with same callback and descriptions.

The callback functions do not have to be registered yet when the functions is called. Only the constraints for which both callback descriptions refer to callbacks registered at the time the callback is called will have an effect.

## 5 Implementation

```
1 {*2ekernel | tex | latexrelease}
2 {2ekernel | latexrelease}\ifx\directlua\@undefined\else
```

### 5.1 Minimum LuaTeX version

LuaTeX has changed a lot over time. In the kernel support for ancient versions is not provided: trying to build a format with a very old binary therefore gives some information in the log and loading stops. The cut-off selected here relates to the

tree-searching behaviour of `require()`: from version 0.60, LuaTeX will correctly find Lua files in the `texmf` tree without ‘help’.

```

3 <latexrelease> \IncludeInRelease{2015/10/01}
4 <latexrelease>           {\newluafunction}{LuaTeX}%
5 \ifnum\lualatexversion<60 %
6   \wlog{*****}
7   \wlog{* LuaTeX version too old for ltluatex support *}
8   \wlog{*****}
9   \expandafter\endinput
10 \fi

```

Two simple L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X macros from `ltdefns.dtx` have to be defined here because `ltdefns.dtx` is not loaded yet when `ltluatex.dtx` is executed.

```

11 \long\def\@gobble#1{}
12 \long\def\@firstofone#1{#1}

```

## 5.2 Older L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X/Plain T<sub>E</sub>X setup

```
13 <*tex>
```

Older L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X formats don’t have the primitives with ‘native’ names: sort that out. If they already exist this will still be safe.

```

14 \directlua{tex.enableprimitives("",tex.extraprimitives("luatex"))}
15 \ifx\et@alloc\@undefined
    In pre-2014 LATEX, or plain TEX, load etex.{sty,src}.
16   \ifx\documentclass\@undefined
17     \ifx\loccount\@undefined
18       \input{etex.src}%
19     \fi
20     \catcode`\@=11 %
21     \outer\expandafter\def\csname newfam\endcsname
22                           {\alloc@8\fam\chardef\et@xmaxfam}
23   \else
24     \RequirePackage{etex}
25     \expandafter\def\csname newfam\endcsname
26                           {\alloc@8\fam\chardef\et@xmaxfam}
27     \expandafter\let\expandafter\new@mathgroup\csname newfam\endcsname
28   \fi

```

### 5.2.1 Fixes to `etex.src/etex.sty`

These could and probably should be made directly in an update to `etex.src` which already has some LuaTeX-specific code, but does not define the correct range for LuaTeX.

2015-07-13 higher range in luatex.

```

29 \edef \et@xmaxregs {\ifx\directlua\@undefined 32768\else 65536\fi}
luatex/xetex also allow more math fam.
30 \edef \et@xmaxfam {\ifx\Umathcode\@undefined\sixt@@n\else\@ccclvi\fi}
31 \count 270=\et@xmaxregs % locally allocates \count registers
32 \count 271=\et@xmaxregs % ditto for \dimen registers
33 \count 272=\et@xmaxregs % ditto for \skip registers
34 \count 273=\et@xmaxregs % ditto for \muskip registers
35 \count 274=\et@xmaxregs % ditto for \box registers

```

```

36 \count 275=\et@xmaxregs % ditto for \toks registers
37 \count 276=\et@xmaxregs % ditto for \marks classes
    and 256 or 16 fam. (Done above due to plain/LATEX differences in lluatex.)
38 % \outer\def\newfam{\alloc@8\fam\chardef\et@xmaxfam}
    End of proposed changes to etex.src

```

### 5.2.2 luatex specific settings

Switch to global cf luatex.sty to leave room for inserts not really needed for luatex but possibly most compatible with existing use.

```

39 \expandafter\let\csname newcount\expandafter\expandafter\endcsname
40           \csname globcount\endcsname
41 \expandafter\let\csname newdimen\expandafter\expandafter\endcsname
42           \csname globdimen\endcsname
43 \expandafter\let\csname newskip\expandafter\expandafter\endcsname
44           \csname globskip\endcsname
45 \expandafter\let\csname newbox\expandafter\expandafter\endcsname
46           \csname globbox\endcsname

```

Define \e@alloc as in latex (the existing macros in etex.src hard to extend to further register types as they assume specific 26x and 27x count range. For compatibility the existing register allocation is not changed.

```

47 \chardef\@alloc@top=65535
48 \let\@alloc\chardef\chardef
49 \def\@alloc#1#2#3#4#5#6{%
50   \global\advance#3\@ne
51   \e@ch@ck{#3}{#4}{#5}{#1%
52   \allocationnumber#3\relax
53   \global#2#6\allocationnumber
54   \wlog{\string#6=\string#1\the\allocationnumber}}%
55 \gdef\@ch@ck#1#2#3#4{%
56   \ifnum#1<#2\else
57     \ifnum#1=#2\relax
58       #1@cclvi
59       \ifx\count#4\advance#1 10 \fi
60     \fi
61     \ifnum#1<#3\relax
62     \else
63       \errmessage{No room for a new \string#4}%
64     \fi
65   \fi}%

```

Fix up allocations not to clash with etex.src.

```

66 \expandafter\csname newcount\endcsname\@alloc@attribute@count
67 \expandafter\csname newcount\endcsname\@alloc@ccodetable@count
68 \expandafter\csname newcount\endcsname\@alloc@luafunction@count
69 \expandafter\csname newcount\endcsname\@alloc@whatsit@count
70 \expandafter\csname newcount\endcsname\@alloc@bytecode@count
71 \expandafter\csname newcount\endcsname\@alloc@luachunk@count

```

End of conditional setup for plain T<sub>E</sub>X / old L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X.

```

72 \fi
73 
```

### 5.3 Attributes

`\newattribute` As is generally the case for the LuaTeX registers we start here from 1. Notably, some code assumes that `\attribute0` is never used so this is important in this case.

```
74 \ifx\@alloc@attribute@count\@undefined
75   \countdef\@alloc@attribute@count=258
76   \e@alloc@attribute@count=\z@
77 \fi
78 \def\newattribute#1{%
79   \e@alloc\attribute\attributedef
80   \e@alloc@attribute@count\m@ne\@alloc@top#1%
81 }
```

`\setattribute` Handy utilities.

```
82 \def\setattribute#1{\#1=\numexpr#2\relax}
83 \def\unsetattribute#1{\#1=-"7FFFFFFF\relax}
```

### 5.4 Category code tables

`\newcatcodetable` Category code tables are allocated with a limit half of that used by LuaTeX for everything else. At the end of allocation there needs to be an initialization step. Table 0 is already taken (it's the global one for current use) so the allocation starts at 1.

```
84 \ifx\@alloc@ccodetable@count\@undefined
85   \countdef\@alloc@ccodetable@count=259
86   \e@alloc@ccodetable@count=\z@
87 \fi
88 \def\newcatcodetable#1{%
89   \e@alloc\catcodetable\chardef
90   \e@alloc@ccodetable@count\m@ne{"8000}#1%
91   \initcatcodetable\allocationnumber
92 }
```

`\catcodetable@initex` Save a small set of standard tables. The Unicode data is read here in using a parser `\catcodetable@string` simplified from that in `load-unicode-data`: only the nature of letters needs to `\catcodetable@latec` be detected.

```
93 \newcatcodetable\catcodetable@initex
94 \newcatcodetable\catcodetable@string
95 \begingroup
96 \def\setstrangeccode#1#2#3{%
97   \ifnum#1>#2 %
98     \expandafter\@gobble
99   \else
100     \expandafter\@firstofone
101   \fi
102   {%
103     \catcode#1=#3 %
104     \expandafter\setstrangeccode\expandafter
105     {\number\numexpr#1 + 1\relax}{#2}{#3}
106   }%
107 }
108 \@firstofone{%
```

```

109   \catcodetable\catcodetable@initex
110     \catcode0=12 %
111     \catcode13=12 %
112     \catcode37=12 %
113     \setrangingcatcode{65}{90}{12}%
114     \setrangingcatcode{97}{122}{12}%
115     \catcode92=12 %
116     \catcode127=12 %
117     \savecatcodetable\catcodetable@string
118   \endgroup
119 }
120 \newcatcodetable\catcodetable@latex
121 \newcatcodetable\catcodetable@atletter
122 \begingroup
123   \def\parseunicodedataI#1;#2;#3;#4\relax{%
124     \parseunicodedataII#1;#3;#2 First>\relax
125   }%
126   \def\parseunicodedataII#1;#2;#3 First>#4\relax{%
127     \ifx\relax#4\relax
128       \expandafter\parseunicodedataIII
129     \else
130       \expandafter\parseunicodedataIV
131     \fi
132     {#1}#2\relax%
133   }%
134   \def\parseunicodedataIII#1#2#3\relax{%
135     \ifnum 0%
136       \if L#21\fi
137       \if M#21\fi
138       >0 %
139       \catcode"#1=11 %
140     \fi
141   }%
142   \def\parseunicodedataIV#1#2#3\relax{%
143     \readunicoderead to \unicodedataline
144     \if L#2%
145       \count0="#1 %
146       \expandafter\parseunicodedataV\unicodedataline\relax
147     \fi
148   }%
149   \def\parseunicodedataV#1;#2\relax{%
150     \loop
151       \unless\ifnum\count0>"#1 %
152         \catcode\count0=11 %
153         \advance\count0 by 1 %
154       \repeat
155   }%
156   \def\storedpar{\par}%
157   \chardef\unicoderead=\numexpr\count16 + 1\relax
158   \openin\unicoderead=UnicodeData.txt %
159   \loop\unless\ifeof\unicoderead %
160     \read\unicoderead to \unicodedataline
161     \unless\ifx\unicodedataline\storedpar
162       \expandafter\parseunicodedataI\unicodedataline\relax

```

```

163     \fi
164     \repeat
165     \closein\unicoderead
166     \@firstofone{%
167         \catcode64=12 %
168         \savecatcodetable\catcodetable@lateX
169         \catcode64=11 %
170         \savecatcodetable\catcodetable@atletter
171     }
172 \endgroup

```

## 5.5 Named Lua functions

`\newluafunction` Much the same story for allocating LuaTeX functions except here they are just numbers so they are allocated in the same way as boxes. Lua indexes from 1 so once again slot 0 is skipped.

```

173 \ifx\@alloc@luafunction@count\@undefined
174   \countdef\@alloc@luafunction@count=260
175   \@alloc@luafunction@count=\z@
176 \fi
177 \def\newluafunction{%
178   \@alloc@luafunction\@alloc@chardef
179   \@alloc@luafunction@count\m@ne\@alloc@top
180 }

```

`\newluacmd` Additionally two variants are provided to make the passed control sequence call `\newprotectedluacmd` the function directly.

```

181 \def\newluacmd{%
182   \@alloc@luafunction\luadef
183   \@alloc@luafunction@count\m@ne\@alloc@top
184 }
185 \def\newprotectedluacmd{%
186   \@alloc@luafunction{\protected\luadef}
187   \@alloc@luafunction@count\m@ne\@alloc@top
188 }

```

## 5.6 Custom whatsits

`\newwhatsit` These are only settable from Lua but for consistency are definable here.

```

189 \ifx\@alloc@whatsit@count\@undefined
190   \countdef\@alloc@whatsit@count=261
191   \@alloc@whatsit@count=\z@
192 \fi
193 \def\newwhatsit#1{%
194   \@alloc@whatsit\@alloc@chardef
195   \@alloc@whatsit@count\m@ne\@alloc@top#1%
196 }

```

## 5.7 Lua bytecode registers

`\newluabytocode` These are only settable from Lua but for consistency are definable here.

```

197 \ifx\@alloc@bytocode@count\@undefined

```

```

198 \countdef{e@alloc@bytecode@count=262
199   e@alloc@bytecode@count=\z@
200 \fi
201 \def\newluabytecode#1{%
202   e@alloc@luabytecode{e@alloc@chardef
203     e@alloc@bytecode@count\m@ne{e@alloc@top#1%
204 }

```

## 5.8 Lua chunk registers

`\newluachunkname` As for bytecode registers, but in addition we need to add a string to the `lua.name` table to use in stack tracing. We use the name of the command passed to the allocator, with no backslash.

```

205 \ifx{e@alloc@luachunk@count}\undefined
206   \countdef{e@alloc@luachunk@count=263
207   e@alloc@luachunk@count=\z@
208 \fi
209 \def\newluachunkname#1{%
210   e@alloc@luachunk{e@alloc@chardef
211     e@alloc@luachunk@count\m@ne{e@alloc@top#1%
212     {\escapechar\m@ne
213     \directlua{lua.name[\the\allocationnumber]="\string#1"}%
214 }

```

## 5.9 Lua loader

Lua code loaded in the format often has to be loaded again at the beginning of every job, so we define a helper which allows us to avoid duplicated code:

```

215 \def\now@and@everyjob#1{%
216   \everyjob\expandafter{\the\everyjob
217   #1%
218 }%
219 #1%
220 }

```

Load the Lua code at the start of every job. For the conversion of `TEX` into numbers at the Lua side we need some known registers: for convenience we use a set of systematic names, which means using a group around the Lua loader.

```

221 <2ekernel> \now@and@everyjob{%
222   \begingroup
223     \attributedef{attributezero=0 %
224     \chardef\charzero=0 %

```

Note name change required on older luatex, for hash table access.

```

225     \countdef\CountZero=0 %
226     \dimendef\dimenzero=0 %
227     \mathchardef\mathcharzero=0 %
228     \muskipdef\muskipzero=0 %
229     \skipdef\skipzero=0 %
230     \toksdef\tokszero=0 %
231     \directlua{require("ltluatex")}
232   \endgroup
233 <2ekernel>
234 <latexrelease> \EndIncludeInRelease

```

```

235 <|latexrelease> \IncludeInRelease{0000/00/00}
236 <|latexrelease>                                {\newluafunction}{LuaTeX}%
237 <|latexrelease> \let\@alloc@attribute@count\@undefined
238 <|latexrelease> \let\newattribute\@undefined
239 <|latexrelease> \let\setattribute\@undefined
240 <|latexrelease> \let\unsetattribute\@undefined
241 <|latexrelease> \let\@alloc@ccodetable@count\@undefined
242 <|latexrelease> \let\newcatcodetable\@undefined
243 <|latexrelease> \let\catcodetable@initex\@undefined
244 <|latexrelease> \let\catcodetable@string\@undefined
245 <|latexrelease> \let\catcodetable@latex\@undefined
246 <|latexrelease> \let\catcodetable@atletter\@undefined
247 <|latexrelease> \let\@alloc@luafunction@count\@undefined
248 <|latexrelease> \let\newluafunction\@undefined
249 <|latexrelease> \let\@alloc@luafunction@count\@undefined
250 <|latexrelease> \let\newwhatsit\@undefined
251 <|latexrelease> \let\@alloc@whatsit@count\@undefined
252 <|latexrelease> \let\newluabytecode\@undefined
253 <|latexrelease> \let\@alloc@bytecode@count\@undefined
254 <|latexrelease> \let\newluachunkname\@undefined
255 <|latexrelease> \let\@alloc@luachunk@count\@undefined
256 <|latexrelease> \directlua{\luatexbase.uninstall()}
257 <|latexrelease> \EndIncludeInRelease

    In \everyjob, if luaotfload is available, load it and switch to TU.

258 <|latexrelease> \IncludeInRelease{2017/01/01}%
259 <|latexrelease>                                {\fontencoding}{TU in everyjob}%
260 <|latexrelease> \fontencoding{TU}\let\encodingdefault\f@encoding
261 <|latexrelease> \ifx\directlua\@undefined\else
262 <|2ekernel> \everyjob\expandafter{%
263 <|2ekernel>   \the\everyjob
264 <|*2ekernel, latexrelease>
265   \directlua{%
266     if xpcall(function ()%
267       require('luaotfload-main')%
268       end, texio.write_nl) then %
269     local _void = luaotfload.main ()%
270     else %
271     texio.write_nl('Error in luaotfload: reverting to OT1')%
272     tex.print('\string\\def\string\\\encodingdefault{OT1}')%
273     end %
274   }%
275   \let\f@encoding\encodingdefault
276   \expandafter\let\csname ver@luaotfload.sty\endcsname\fmtversion
277 <|/2ekernel, latexrelease>
278 <|latexrelease> \fi
279 <|2ekernel> }
280 <|latexrelease> \EndIncludeInRelease
281 <|latexrelease> \IncludeInRelease{0000/00/00}%
282 <|latexrelease>                                {\fontencoding}{TU in everyjob}%
283 <|latexrelease> \fontencoding{OT1}\let\encodingdefault\f@encoding
284 <|latexrelease> \EndIncludeInRelease

285 <|2ekernel | latexrelease> \fi
286 <|/2ekernel | tex | latexrelease>

```

## 5.10 Lua module preliminaries

```
287 /*lua>
```

Some set up for the Lua module which is needed for all of the Lua functionality added here.

**luatexbase** Set up the table for the returned functions. This is used to expose all of the public functions.

```
288 luatexbase      = luatexbase or { }
289 local luatexbase = luatexbase
```

Some Lua best practice: use local versions of functions where possible.

```
290 local string_gsub      = string.gsub
291 local tex_count         = tex.count
292 local tex_setcount      = tex.setcount
293 local texio_write_nl    = texio.write_nl
294 local flush_list        = node.flush_list

295 local luatexbase_warning
296 local luatexbase_error
```

## 5.11 Lua module utilities

### 5.11.1 Module tracking

**modules** To allow tracking of module usage, a structure is provided to store information and to return it.

```
297 local modules = modules or { }
```

**provides\_module** Local function to write to the log.

```
298 local function luatexbase_log(text)
299   texio_write_nl("log", text)
300 end
```

Modelled on \ProvidesPackage, we store much the same information but with a little more structure.

```
301 local function provides_module(info)
302   if not (info and info.name) then
303     luatexbase_error("Missing module name for provides_module")
304   end
305   local function spaced(text)
306     return text and (" " .. text) or ""
307   end
308   luatexbase_log(
309     "Lua module: " .. info.name
310     .. spaced(info.date)
311     .. spaced(info.version)
312     .. spaced(info.description)
313   )
314   modules[info.name] = info
315 end
316 luatexbase.provides_module = provides_module
```

### 5.11.2 Module messages

There are various warnings and errors that need to be given. For warnings we can get exactly the same formatting as from TeX. For errors we have to make some changes. Here we give the text of the error in the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X format then force an error from Lua to halt the run. Splitting the message text is done using \n which takes the place of \MessageBreak.

First an auxiliary for the formatting: this measures up the message leader so we always get the correct indent.

```

317 local function msg_format(mod, msg_type, text)
318   local leader = ""
319   local cont
320   local first_head
321   if mod == "LaTeX" then
322     cont = string.gsub(leader, ".", " ")
323     first_head = leader .. "LaTeX: "
324   else
325     first_head = leader .. "Module " .. msg_type
326     cont = "(" .. mod .. ")"
327     .. string.gsub(first_head, ".", " ")
328     first_head = leader .. "Module " .. mod .. " " .. msg_type .. ":" ..
329   end
330   if msg_type == "Error" then
331     first_head = "\n" .. first_head
332   end
333   if string.sub(text,-1) ~= "\n" then
334     text = text .. " "
335   end
336   return first_head .. " "
337   .. string.gsub(
338     text
339   .. "on input line "
340     .. tex.inputlineno, "\n", "\n" .. cont .. " "
341   )
342   .. "\n"
343 end

module_info Write messages.

module_warning 344 local function module_info(mod, text)
module_error 345   texio_write_nl("log", msg_format(mod, "Info", text))
346 end
347 luatexbase.module_info = module_info
348 local function module_warning(mod, text)
349   texio_write_nl("term and log",msg_format(mod, "Warning", text))
350 end
351 luatexbase.module_warning = module_warning
352 local function module_error(mod, text)
353   error(msg_format(mod, "Error", text))
354 end
355 luatexbase.module_error = module_error

Dedicated versions for the rest of the code here.

356 function luatexbase_warning(text)

```

```

357   module_warning("luatexbase", text)
358 end
359 function luatexbase_error(text)
360   module_error("luatexbase", text)
361 end

```

## 5.12 Accessing register numbers from Lua

Collect up the data from the TeX level into a Lua table: from version 0.80, LuaTeX makes that easy.

```

362 local luaregisterbasetable = { }
363 local registermap = {
364   attributezero = "assign_attr"      ,
365   charzero     = "char_given"       ,
366   CountZero    = "assign_int"       ,
367   dimenzero    = "assign_dimen"     ,
368   mathcharzero = "math_given"       ,
369   muskipzero   = "assign_mu_skip"   ,
370   skipzero     = "assign_skip"      ,
371   tokszero     = "assign_toks"      ,
372 }
373 local createtoken
374 if tex.luatexversion > 81 then
375   createtoken = token.create
376 elseif tex.luatexversion > 79 then
377   createtoken = newtoken.create
378 end
379 local hashtokens   = tex.hashtokens()
380 local luatexversion = tex.luatexversion
381 for i,j in pairs (registermap) do
382   if luatexversion < 80 then
383     luaregisterbasetable[hashtokens[i][1]] =
384       hashtokens[i][2]
385   else
386     luaregisterbasetable[j] = createtoken(i).mode
387   end
388 end

```

`registernumber` Working out the correct return value can be done in two ways. For older LuaTeX releases it has to be extracted from the `hashtokens`. On the other hand, newer LuaTeX's have `newtoken`, and whilst `.mode` isn't currently documented, Hans Hagen pointed to this approach so we should be OK.

```

389 local registernumber
390 if luatexversion < 80 then
391   function registernumber(name)
392     local nt = hashtokens[name]
393     if(nt and luaregisterbasetable[nt[1]]) then
394       return nt[2] - luaregisterbasetable[nt[1]]
395     else
396       return false
397     end
398   end
399 else

```

```

400     function registernumber(name)
401         local nt = createtoken(name)
402         if(luaregisterbasetable[nt.cmdname]) then
403             return nt.mode - luaregisterbasetable[nt.cmdname]
404         else
405             return false
406         end
407     end
408 end
409 luatexbase.registernumber = registernumber

```

### 5.13 Attribute allocation

`new_attribute` As attributes are used for Lua manipulations its useful to be able to assign from this end.

```

410 local attributes=setmetatable(
411 {}, {
412     __index = function(t,key)
413         return registernumber(key) or nil
414     end
415 )
416 )
417 luatexbase.attributes = attributes
418 local attribute_count_name =
419         attribute_count_name or "e@alloc@attribute@count"
420 local function new_attribute(name)
421     tex_setcount("global", attribute_count_name,
422                 tex_count[attribute_count_name] + 1)
423     if tex_count[attribute_count_name] > 65534 then
424         luatexbase_error("No room for a new \\attribute")
425     end
426     attributes[name]= tex_count[attribute_count_name]
427     luatexbase_log("Lua-only attribute " .. name .. " = " ..
428                     tex_count[attribute_count_name])
429     return tex_count[attribute_count_name]
430 end
431 luatexbase.new_attribute = new_attribute

```

### 5.14 Custom whatsit allocation

`new_whatsit` Much the same as for attribute allocation in Lua.

```

432 local whatsit_count_name = whatsit_count_name or "e@alloc@whatsit@count"
433 local function new_whatsit(name)
434     tex_setcount("global", whatsit_count_name,
435                 tex_count[whatsit_count_name] + 1)
436     if tex_count[whatsit_count_name] > 65534 then
437         luatexbase_error("No room for a new custom whatsit")
438     end
439     luatexbase_log("Custom whatsit " .. (name or "") .. " = " ..
440                     tex_count[whatsit_count_name])
441     return tex_count[whatsit_count_name]
442 end
443 luatexbase.new_whatsit = new_whatsit

```

## 5.15 Bytecode register allocation

`new_bytecode` Much the same as for attribute allocation in Lua. The optional *(name)* argument is used in the log if given.

```
444 local bytecode_count_name =
445           bytecode_count_name or "e@alloc@bytecode@count"
446 local function new_bytecode(name)
447   tex_setcount("global", bytecode_count_name,
448               tex_count[bytecode_count_name] + 1)
449   if tex_count[bytecode_count_name] > 65534 then
450     luatexbase_error("No room for a new bytecode register")
451   end
452   luatexbase_log("Lua bytecode " .. (name or "") .. " = " ..
453                   tex_count[bytecode_count_name])
454   return tex_count[bytecode_count_name]
455 end
456 luatexbase.new_bytecode = new_bytecode
```

## 5.16 Lua chunk name allocation

`new_chunkname` As for bytecode registers but also store the name in the `lua.name` table.

```
457 local chunkname_count_name =
458           chunkname_count_name or "e@alloc@luachunk@count"
459 local function new_chunkname(name)
460   tex_setcount("global", chunkname_count_name,
461               tex_count[chunkname_count_name] + 1)
462   local chunkname_count = tex_count[chunkname_count_name]
463   chunkname_count = chunkname_count + 1
464   if chunkname_count > 65534 then
465     luatexbase_error("No room for a new chunkname")
466   end
467   lua.name[chunkname_count]=name
468   luatexbase_log("Lua chunkname " .. (name or "") .. " = " ..
469                   chunkname_count .. "\n")
470   return chunkname_count
471 end
472 luatexbase.new_chunkname = new_chunkname
```

## 5.17 Lua function allocation

`new_luafunction` Much the same as for attribute allocation in Lua. The optional *(name)* argument is used in the log if given.

```
473 local luafunction_count_name =
474           luafunction_count_name or "e@alloc@luafunction@count"
475 local function new_luafunction(name)
476   tex_setcount("global", luafunction_count_name,
477               tex_count[luafunction_count_name] + 1)
478   if tex_count[luafunction_count_name] > 65534 then
479     luatexbase_error("No room for a new luafunction register")
480   end
481   luatexbase_log("Lua function " .. (name or "") .. " = " ..
482                   tex_count[luafunction_count_name])
483   return tex_count[luafunction_count_name]
```

```

484 end
485 luatexbase.new_luafunction = new_luafunction

```

## 5.18 Lua callback management

The native mechanism for callbacks in LuaTeX allows only one per function. That is extremely restrictive and so a mechanism is needed to add and remove callbacks from the appropriate hooks.

### 5.18.1 Housekeeping

The main table: keys are callback names, and values are the associated lists of functions. More precisely, the entries in the list are tables holding the actual function as `func` and the identifying description as `description`. Only callbacks with a non-empty list of functions have an entry in this list.

Actually there are two tables: `realcallbacklist` directly contains the entries as described above while `callbacklist` only directly contains the already sorted entries. Other entries can be queried through `callbacklist` too which triggers a resort.

Additionally `callbackrules` describes the ordering constraints: It contains two element tables with the descriptions of the constrained callback implementations. It can additionally contain a `type` entry indicating the kind of rule. A missing value indicates a normal ordering constraint.

```

486 local realcallbacklist = {}
487 local callbackrules = {}
488 local callbacklist = setmetatable({}, {
489     __index = function(t, name)
490         local list = realcallbacklist[name]
491         local rules = callbackrules[name]
492         if list and rules then
493             local meta = {}
494             for i, entry in ipairs(list) do
495                 local t = {value = entry, count = 0, pos = i}
496                 meta[entry.description], list[i] = t, t
497             end
498             local count = #list
499             local pos = count
500             for i, rule in ipairs(rules) do
501                 local rule = rules[i]
502                 local pre, post = meta[rule[1]], meta[rule[2]]
503                 if pre and post then
504                     if rule.type then
505                         if not rule.hidden then
506                             assert(rule.type == 'incompatible-warning' and luatexbase_warning
507                                 or rule.type == 'incompatible-error' and luatexbase_error)(
508                                 "Incompatible functions \".. rule[1] .. \" and \".. rule[2]
509                                 .. \" specified for callback \".. name .. \".")
510                         rule.hidden = true
511                     end
512                 else
513                     local post_count = post.count
514                     post.count = post_count+1

```

```

515     if post_count == 0 then
516         local post_pos = post.pos
517         if post_pos ~= pos then
518             local new_post_pos = list[pos]
519             new_post_pos.pos = post_pos
520             list[post_pos] = new_post_pos
521         end
522         list[pos] = nil
523         pos = pos - 1
524     end
525     pre[#pre+1] = post
526   end
527 end
528
529 for i=1, count do -- The actual sort begins
530   local current = list[i]
531   if current then
532     meta[current.value.description] = nil
533     for j, cur in ipairs(current) do
534       local count = cur.count
535       if count == 1 then
536         pos = pos + 1
537         list[pos] = cur
538       else
539         cur.count = count - 1
540       end
541     end
542     list[i] = current.value
543   else
544     -- Cycle occurred. TODO: Show cycle for debugging
545     -- list[i] = ...
546     local remaining = {}
547     for name, entry in next, meta do
548       local value = entry.value
549       list[#list + 1] = entry.value
550       remaining[#remaining + 1] = name
551     end
552     table.sort(remaining)
553     local first_name = remaining[1]
554     for j, name in ipairs(remaining) do
555       local entry = meta[name]
556       list[i + j - 1] = entry.value
557       for _, post_entry in ipairs(entry) do
558         local post_name = post_entry.value.description
559         if not remaining[post_name] then
560           remaining[post_name] = name
561         end
562       end
563     end
564     local cycle = {first_name}
565     local index = 1
566     local last_name = first_name
567     repeat
568       cycle[last_name] = index

```

```

569     last_name = remaining[last_name]
570     index = index + 1
571     cycle[index] = last_name
572     until cycle[last_name]
573     local length = index - cycle[last_name] + 1
574     table.move(cycle, cycle[last_name], index, 1)
575     for i=2, length//2 do
576         cycle[i], cycle[length + 1 - i] = cycle[length + 1 - i], cycle[i]
577     end
578     error('Cycle occurred at ' .. table.concat(cycle, ' -> ', 1, length))
579     end
580   end
581 end
582 realcallbacklist[name] = list
583 t[name] = list
584 return list
585 end
586 })

```

Numerical codes for callback types, and name-to-value association (the table keys are strings, the values are numbers).

```

587 local list, data, exclusive, simple, reverselist = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
588 local types = {
589   list      = list,
590   data      = data,
591   exclusive = exclusive,
592   simple    = simple,
593   reverselist = reverselist,
594 }

```

Now, list all predefined callbacks with their current type, based on the *LuaTeX* manual version 1.01. A full list of the currently-available callbacks can be obtained using

```

\directlua{
  for i,_ in pairs(callback.list()) do
    texio.write_nl("- " .. i)
  end
}
\bye

```

in plain *LuaTeX*. (Some undocumented callbacks are omitted as they are to be removed.)

```
595 local callbacktypes = callbacktypes or {
```

Section 8.2: file discovery callbacks.

```

596   find_read_file    = exclusive,
597   find_write_file   = exclusive,
598   find_font_file    = data,
599   find_output_file  = data,
600   find_format_file  = data,
601   find_vf_file      = data,
602   find_map_file     = data,
603   find_enc_file     = data,

```

```

604   find_pk_file      = data,
605   find_data_file    = data,
606   find_opentype_file = data,
607   find_truetype_file = data,
608   find_type1_file   = data,
609   find_image_file   = data,
610   open_read_file    = exclusive,
611   read_font_file    = exclusive,
612   read_vf_file      = exclusive,
613   read_map_file     = exclusive,
614   read_enc_file     = exclusive,
615   read_pk_file      = exclusive,
616   read_data_file    = exclusive,
617   read_truetype_file = exclusive,
618   read_type1_file   = exclusive,
619   read_opentype_file = exclusive,

```

Not currently used by luatex but included for completeness. may be used by a font handler.

```

620   find_cidmap_file  = data,
621   read_cidmap_file  = exclusive,

```

Section 8.3: data processing callbacks.

```

622   process_input_buffer = data,
623   process_output_buffer = data,
624   process_jobname      = data,

```

Section 8.4: node list processing callbacks.

```

625   contribute_filter    = simple,
626   buildpage_filter     = simple,
627   build_page_insert    = exclusive,
628   pre_linebreak_filter = list,
629   linebreak_filter     = exclusive,
630   append_to_vlist_filter = exclusive,
631   post_linebreak_filter = reverselist,
632   hpack_filter         = list,
633   vpack_filter         = list,
634   hpack_quality        = exclusive,
635   vpack_quality        = exclusive,
636   pre_output_filter    = list,
637   process_rule          = exclusive,
638   hyphenate            = simple,
639   ligaturing           = simple,
640   kerning              = simple,
641   insert_local_par     = simple,
642 % mlist_to_hlist      = exclusive,
643   new_graf             = exclusive,

```

Section 8.5: information reporting callbacks.

```

644   pre_dump            = simple,
645   start_run           = simple,
646   stop_run            = simple,
647   start_page_number   = simple,
648   stop_page_number    = simple,
649   show_error_hook     = simple,

```

```

650   show_warning_message = simple,
651   show_error_message = simple,
652   show_lua_error_hook = simple,
653   start_file = simple,
654   stop_file = simple,
655   call_edit = simple,
656   finish_synctex = simple,
657   wrapup_run = simple,

```

Section 8.6: PDF-related callbacks.

```

658   finish_pdffile = data,
659   finish_pdfpage = data,
660   page_objnum_provider = data,
661   page_order_index = data,
662   process_pdf_image_content = data,

```

Section 8.7: font-related callbacks.

```

663   define_font = exclusive,
664   glyph_info = exclusive,
665   glyph_not_found = exclusive,
666   glyph_stream_provider = exclusive,
667   make_extensible = exclusive,
668   font_descriptor_objnum_provider = exclusive,
669   input_level_string = exclusive,
670   provide_charproc_data = exclusive,
671 }
672 luatexbase.callbacktypes=callbacktypes

```

Sometimes multiple callbacks correspond to a single underlying engine level callback. Then the engine level callback should be registered as long as at least one of these callbacks is in use. This is implemented though a shared table which counts how many of the involved callbacks are currently in use. The enging level callback is registered iff this count is not 0.

We add `mlist_to_hlist` directly to the list to demonstrate this, but the handler gets added later when it is actually defined.

All callbacks in this list are treated as user defined callbacks.

```

673 local shared_callbacks = {
674   mlist_to_hlist = {
675     callback = "mlist_to_hlist",
676     count = 0,
677     handler = nil,
678   },
679 }
680 shared_callbacks.pre_mlist_to_hlist_filter = shared_callbacks.mlist_to_hlist
681 shared_callbacks.post_mlist_to_hlist_filter = shared_callbacks.mlist_to_hlist

```

`callback.register` Save the original function for registering callbacks and prevent the original being used. The original is saved in a place that remains available so other more sophisticated code can override the approach taken by the kernel if desired.

```

682 local callback_register = callback_register or callback.register
683 function callback.register()
684   luatexbase_error("Attempt to use callback.register() directly\n")
685 end

```

### 5.18.2 Handlers

The handler function is registered into the callback when the first function is added to this callback's list. Then, when the callback is called, the handler takes care of running all functions in the list. When the last function is removed from the callback's list, the handler is unregistered.

More precisely, the functions below are used to generate a specialized function (closure) for a given callback, which is the actual handler.

The way the functions are combined together depends on the type of the callback. There are currently 4 types of callback, depending on the calling convention of the functions the callback can hold:

**simple** is for functions that don't return anything: they are called in order, all with the same argument;

**data** is for functions receiving a piece of data of any type except node list head (and possibly other arguments) and returning it (possibly modified): the functions are called in order, and each is passed the return value of the previous (and the other arguments untouched, if any). The return value is that of the last function;

**list** is a specialized variant of *data* for functions filtering node lists. Such functions may return either the head of a modified node list, or the boolean values **true** or **false**. The functions are chained the same way as for *data* except that for the following. If one function returns **false**, then **false** is immediately returned and the following functions are *not* called. If one function returns **true**, then the same head is passed to the next function. If all functions return **true**, then **true** is returned, otherwise the return value of the last function not returning **true** is used.

**reverselist** is a specialized variant of *list* which executes functions in inverse order.

**exclusive** is for functions with more complex signatures; functions in this type of callback are *not* combined: An error is raised if a second callback is registered.

Handler for **data** callbacks.

```
686 local function data_handler(name)
687   return function(data, ...)
688     for _,i in ipairs(callbacklist[name]) do
689       data = i.func(data,...)
690     end
691   return data
692 end
693 end
```

Default for user-defined **data** callbacks without explicit default.

```
694 local function data_handler_default(value)
695   return value
696 end
```

Handler for **exclusive** callbacks. We can assume `callbacklist[name]` is not empty: otherwise, the function wouldn't be registered in the callback any more.

```

697 local function exclusive_handler(name)
698   return function(...)
699     return callbacklist[name][1].func(...)
700   end
701 end

Handler for list callbacks.

702 local function list_handler(name)
703   return function(head, ...)
704     local ret
705     for _,i in ipairs(callbacklist[name]) do
706       ret = i.func(head, ...)
707       if ret == false then
708         luatexbase_warning(
709           "Function '" .. i.description .. "' returned false\n"
710           .. "in callback '" .. name .. "'"
711         )
712         return false
713       end
714       if ret ~= true then
715         head = ret
716       end
717     end
718     return head
719   end
720 end

```

Default for user-defined `list` and `reverselist` callbacks without explicit default.

```

721 local function list_handler_default(head)
722   return head
723 end

```

Handler for `reverselist` callbacks.

```

724 local function reverselist_handler(name)
725   return function(head, ...)
726     local ret
727     local callbacks = callbacklist[name]
728     for i = #callbacks, 1, -1 do
729       local cb = callbacks[i]
730       ret = cb.func(head, ...)
731       if ret == false then
732         luatexbase_warning(
733           "Function '" .. cb.description .. "' returned false\n"
734           .. "in callback '" .. name .. "'"
735         )
736         return false
737       end
738       if ret ~= true then
739         head = ret
740       end
741     end
742     return head
743   end
744 end

```

Handler for `simple` callbacks.

```

745 local function simple_handler(name)
746   return function(...)
747     for _,i in ipairs(callbacklist[name]) do
748       i.func(...)
749     end
750   end
751 end

```

Default for user-defined `simple` callbacks without explicit default.

```

752 local function simple_handler_default()
753 end

```

Keep a handlers table for indexed access and a table with the corresponding default functions.

```

754 local handlers  = {
755   [data]      = data_handler,
756   [exclusive] = exclusive_handler,
757   [list]       = list_handler,
758   [reverselist] = reverselist_handler,
759   [simple]     = simple_handler,
760 }
761 local defaults = {
762   [data]      = data_handler_default,
763   [exclusive] = nil,
764   [list]       = list_handler_default,
765   [reverselist] = list_handler_default,
766   [simple]     = simple_handler_default,
767 }

```

### 5.18.3 Public functions for callback management

Defining user callbacks perhaps should be in package code, but impacts on `add_to_callback`. If a default function is not required, it may be declared as `false`. First we need a list of user callbacks.

```
768 local user_callbacks_defaults = {}
```

`create_callback` The allocator itself.

```

769 local function create_callback(name, ctype, default)
770   local ctype_id = types[ctype]
771   if not name or name == ""
772   or not ctype_id
773   then
774     luatexbase_error("Unable to create callback:\n" ..
775                      "valid callback name and type required")
776   end
777   if callbacktypes[name] then
778     luatexbase_error("Unable to create callback '" .. name ..
779                      "':\ncallback is already defined")
780   end
781   default = default or defaults[ctype_id]
782   if not default then
783     luatexbase_error("Unable to create callback '" .. name ..
784                      "':\ndefault is required for '" .. ctype ..
785                      "' callbacks")

```

```

786 elseif type (default) ~= "function" then
787     luatexbase_error("Unable to create callback '" .. name ..
788                         "':\\ndefault is not a function")
789 end
790 user_callbacks_defaults[name] = default
791 callbacktypes[name] = ctype_id
792 end
793 luatexbase.create_callback = create_callback

```

`call_callback` Call a user defined callback. First check arguments.

```

794 local function call_callback(name,...)
795 if not name or name == "" then
796     luatexbase_error("Unable to create callback:\\n" ..
797                         "valid callback name required")
798 end
799 if user_callbacks_defaults[name] == nil then
800     luatexbase_error("Unable to call callback '" .. name
801                         .. "'\\nunknown or empty")
802 end
803 local l = callbacklist[name]
804 local f
805 if not l then
806     f = user_callbacks_defaults[name]
807 else
808     f = handlers[callbacktypes[name]](name)
809 end
810 return f(...)
811 end
812 luatexbase.call_callback=call_callback

```

`add_to_callback` Add a function to a callback. First check arguments.

```

813 local function add_to_callback(name, func, description)
814 if not name or name == "" then
815     luatexbase_error("Unable to register callback:\\n" ..
816                         "valid callback name required")
817 end
818 if not callbacktypes[name] or
819     type(func) ~= "function" or
820     not description or
821     description == "" then
822     luatexbase_error(
823         "Unable to register callback.\\n\\n"
824         .. "Correct usage:\\n"
825         .. "add_to_callback(<callback>, <function>, <description>)"
826     )
827 end

```

Then test if this callback is already in use. If not, initialise its list and register the proper handler.

```

828 local l = realcallbacklist[name]
829 if l == nil then
830     l = { }
831     realcallbacklist[name] = l

```

Handle count for shared engine callbacks.

```

832     local shared = shared_callbacks[name]
833     if shared then
834         shared.count = shared.count + 1
835         if shared.count == 1 then
836             callback_register(shared.callback, shared.handler)
837         end

```

If it is not a user defined callback use the primitive callback register.

```

838     elseif user_callbacks_defaults[name] == nil then
839         callback_register(name, handlers[callbacktypes[name]](name))
840     end
841 end

```

Actually register the function and give an error if more than one **exclusive** one is registered.

```

842     local f = {
843         func      = func,
844         description = description,
845     }
846     if callbacktypes[name] == exclusive then
847         if #l == 1 then
848             luatexbase_error(
849                 "Cannot add second callback to exclusive function\n" ..
850                 name .. "'")
851         end
852     end
853     table.insert(l, f)
854     callbacklist[name] = nil

```

Keep user informed.

```

855     luatexbase_log(
856         "Inserting '" .. description .. "' in '" .. name .. "'."
857     )
858 end
859 luatexbase.add_to_callback = add_to_callback

```

**declare\_callback\_rule** Add an ordering constraint between two callback implementations

```

860 local function declare_callback_rule(name, desc1, relation, desc2)
861     if not callbacktypes[name] or
862         not desc1 or not desc2 or
863         desc1 == "" or desc2 == "" then
864         luatexbase_error(
865             "Unable to create ordering constraint. "
866             .. "Correct usage:\n"
867             .. "declare_callback_rule(<callback>, <description_a>, <description_b>)"
868         )
869     end
870     if relation == 'before' then
871         relation = nil
872     elseif relation == 'after' then
873         desc2, desc1 = desc1, desc2
874         relation = nil
875     elseif relation == 'incompatible-warning' or relation == 'incompatible-error' then
876     elseif relation == 'unrelated' then
877     else

```

```

878     luatexbase_error(
879         "Unknown relation type in declare_callback_rule"
880     )
881 end
882 callbacklist[name] = nil
883 local rules = callbackrules[name]
884 if rules then
885     for i, rule in ipairs(rules) do
886         if rule[1] == desc1 and rule[2] == desc2 or rule[1] == desc2 and rule[2] == desc1 then
887             if relation == 'unrelated' then
888                 table.remove(rules, i)
889             else
890                 rule[1], rule[2], rule.type = desc1, desc2, relation
891             end
892         return
893     end
894 end
895 if relation ~= 'unrelated' then
896     rules[#rules + 1] = {desc1, desc2, type = relation}
897 end
898 elseif relation ~= 'unrelated' then
899     callbackrules[name] = {{desc1, desc2, type = relation}}
900 end
901 end
902 luatexbase.declare_callback_rule = declare_callback_rule

```

`remove_from_callback` Remove a function from a callback. First check arguments.

```

903 local function remove_from_callback(name, description)
904     if not name or name == "" then
905         luatexbase_error("Unable to remove function from callback:\n" ..
906                           "valid callback name required")
907     end
908     if not callbacktypes[name] or
909         not description or
910         description == "" then
911         luatexbase_error(
912             "Unable to remove function from callback.\n\n"
913             .. "Correct usage:\n"
914             .. "remove_from_callback(<callback>, <description>)"
915         )
916     end
917     local l = realcallbacklist[name]
918     if not l then
919         luatexbase_error(
920             "No callback list for '" .. name .. "'\n")
921     end

```

Loop over the callback's function list until we find a matching entry. Remove it and check if the list is empty: if so, unregister the callback handler.

```

922     local index = false
923     for i,j in ipairs(l) do
924         if j.description == description then
925             index = i
926             break

```

```

927     end
928   end
929   if not index then
930     luatexbase_error(
931       "No callback '" .. description .. "' registered for '" ..
932       name .. "'\n")
933   end
934   local cb = l[index]
935   table.remove(l, index)
936   luatexbase_log(
937     "Removing '" .. description .. "' from '" .. name .. "'."
938   )
939   if #l == 0 then
940     realcallbacklist[name] = nil
941     callbacklist[name] = nil
942     local shared = shared_callbacks[name]
943     if shared then
944       shared.count = shared.count - 1
945       if shared.count == 0 then
946         callback_register(shared.callback, nil)
947       end
948     elseif user_callbacks_defaults[name] == nil then
949       callback_register(name, nil)
950     end
951   end
952   return cb.func, cb.description
953 end
954 luatexbase.remove_from_callback = remove_from_callback

```

**in\_callback** Look for a function description in a callback.

```

955 local function in_callback(name, description)
956   if not name
957     or name == ""
958     or not realcallbacklist[name]
959     or not callbacktypes[name]
960     or not description then
961       return false
962     end
963   for _, i in pairs(realcallbacklist[name]) do
964     if i.description == description then
965       return true
966     end
967   end
968   return false
969 end
970 luatexbase.in_callback = in_callback

```

**disable\_callback** As we subvert the engine interface we need to provide a way to access this functionality.

```

971 local function disable_callback(name)
972   if(realcallbacklist[name] == nil) then
973     callback_register(name, false)
974   else
975     luatexbase_error("Callback list for " .. name .. " not empty")

```

```

976   end
977 end
978 luatexbase.disable_callback = disable_callback

callback_descriptions List the descriptions of functions registered for the given callback. This will sort
the list if necessary.
979 local function callback_descriptions (name)
980   local d = {}
981   if not name
982     or name == ""
983     or not realcallbacklist[name]
984     or not callbacktypes[name]
985   then
986     return d
987   else
988     for k, i in pairs(callbacklist[name]) do
989       d[k]= i.description
990     end
991   end
992   return d
993 end
994 luatexbase.callback_descriptions =callback_descriptions

uninstall Unlike at the TEX level, we have to provide a back-out mechanism here at the
same time as the rest of the code. This is not meant for use by anything other
than latexrelease: as such this is deliberately not documented for users!
995 local function uninstall()
996   module_info(
997     "luatexbase",
998     "Uninstalling kernel luatexbase code"
999   )
1000   callback.register = callback_register
1001   luatexbase = nil
1002 end
1003 luatexbase.uninstall = uninstall

mlist_to_hlist To emulate these callbacks, the “real” mlist_to_hlist is replaced by a wrapper
calling the wrappers before and after.
1004 create_callback('pre_mlist_to_hlist_filter', 'list')
1005 create_callback('mlist_to_hlist', 'exclusive', node.mlist_to_hlist)
1006 create_callback('post_mlist_to_hlist_filter', 'list')
1007 function shared_callbacks.mlist_to_hlist.handler(head, display_type, need_penalties)
1008   local current = call_callback("pre_mlist_to_hlist_filter", head, display_type, need_penalties)
1009   if current == false then
1010     flush_list(head)
1011     return nil
1012   end
1013   current = call_callback("mlist_to_hlist", current, display_type, need_penalties)
1014   local post = call_callback("post_mlist_to_hlist_filter", current, display_type, need_penalties)
1015   if post == false then
1016     flush_list(current)
1017     return nil
1018   end

```

```
1019  return post
1020 end

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