

A section of text may be displayed by indenting it by an equal amount on both sides, with the ‘quote’ or ‘quotation’ environment, as demonstrated here for the ‘quote’ environment first.

Additional vertical spacing is inserted above and below the displayed text to separate it vertically from normal text.

The text to be displayed may be over any length; it can be part of a sentence, a whole paragraph, or several paragraphs.

Paragraphs are separated as usual with an empty line, although no empty lines are needed at the beginning and end of the displayed text since additional vertical spacing is inserted here anyway.

And here follows a demonstration of the ‘quotation’ environment.

In the ‘quotation’ environment, paragraphs are marked by extra indentation of the first line, whereas in the ‘quote’ environment, they are indicated more vertical spacing between them.

The present text is produced within the ‘quotation’ environment, while the example above was done with the ‘quote’ environment.

The ‘quotation’ environment is only really meaningful, when the regular text makes use of first-line indentation to show off new paragraphs.

The adjacent text behind the ‘quote’ and/or ‘quotation’ environment is processed in standard form again, as shown here. An empty line behind one of these environments starts the adjacent text as a new paragraph, indicated by an indented first line of the following text. The user may demonstrate this by the slight modification for this solution example.