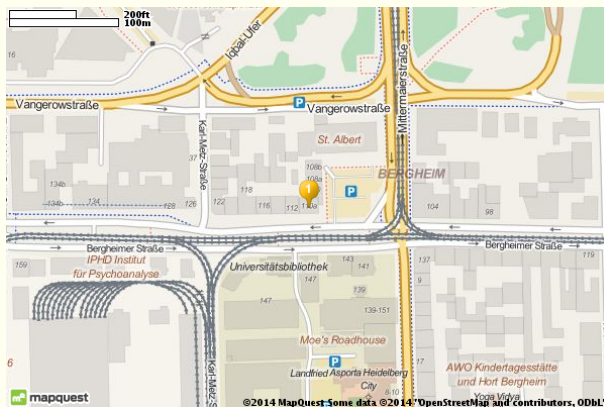


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Downloading maps from Open-StreetMap, Google Maps or Google Street View



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Abstract

The goal of this package is the simplest possible provision of map images (OpenStreetMap, Google Maps and Google Street View are supported). In the simplest case, the specification of an address is sufficient. The package loads the map using the `\write18` feature, which you must activate to use this package. The image will be downloaded by an external Lua script. You can use this script also from the command line.

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1 Options

The following options can be used as package options with global scope, as well as options for the `\getmap` command with local scope!

1.1 General options

1.1.1 mode (osm|gm|gsv)

This option sets the mode, that is the source of the images. OpenStreetMap, Google Maps or Google Street View!

1.1.2 inputencoding

This option specifies the input encoding of your file. The download script requires the strings encoded in utf8. For the safe conversion the input encoding of the file is required. Normally, you don't have to specify an encoding. The package tries to evaluate the encoding given to `inputenc` or assumes utf8. Usually that should work.

1.1.3 overwrite (false|true)

With this option, you can specify whether the image should be downloaded in any case. By default, the option is set to `false` in order to save bandwidth and compilation time. Nevertheless a check is performed on the existence of the image and the image will be downloaded, if it is not present. In the case of `true`, the image will be downloaded anyway! BTW, `overwrite` is equivalent to `overwrite=true`.

1.1.4 file (getmap)

This option allows you to specify the name of the image (without extension).

changed default value to `getmap` in version 1.2!

1.2 osm mode

1.2.1 key (Fmjtd|luur20u22d,75=o5-9aylh6)

In `osm` mode, the download script requires a key in order to use the service of MapQuest. By default, it uses a key, which is registered for `getmap`. But you can register and use your own key with this option. The default key is stored in `getmap.cfg`. You can copy this file to your local \TeX tree and store your own key there¹! This file will be found after running `texhash`!

¹Mapquest will deliver an url-encoded key, which must be decoded to ASCII, e.g. by [Url decode](#)

1.2.2 scale (3385)

This option allows you to specify a display scale for the map image in the range of 1692 – 221871572. You will not necessarily see a difference between 5000 and 5500. A scale value of 3385 corresponds to a zoom level of 17.

1.2.3 zoom

This option allows you to specify a zoom level in the range of 1 – 18. This option overwrites a possibly given scale.

1.2.4 xsize (600)

This option specifies the width of the map in pixels. If you only want to slightly increase or decrease the map extract, you should adjust the size of the map. You still have full control over the size of the map in the document with the options of `\includegraphics`. (max: 3840)

changed default value to 600 in version 1.2!

1.2.5 ysize (400)

This option specifies the height of the map in pixels. (max: 3840)

1.2.6 imagetype (png|jpeg|jpg|gif)

This option allows you to specify the type of the image.

1.2.7 type (map|sat|hyb)

This option specifies the type of the map. It seems as if there would be only a few regions of Mother Earth, for which satellite and hybrid images are available.

1.2.8 color (yellow_1)

This option specifies the color of the marker. Possible colors:

<http://open.mapquestapi.com/staticmap/icons.html>

1.2.9 number (1)

This option specifies the number of the marker.

1.3 gm mode

1.3.1 scale (1)

For the free version of Google Maps the image size is limited to 640x640. You can set `scale` to a value of 2, to get exactly the same map in doubled size in pixels.

1.3.2 zoom (17)

This option allows you to specify a zoom level in the range of 0 – 21.

1.3.3 xsize (600)

This option specifies the width of the map in pixels. If you only want to slightly increase or decrease the map extract, you should adjust the size of the map. You still have full control over the size of the map in the document with the options of `\includegraphics`. (max: 640)

1.3.4 ysize (400)

This option specifies the height of the map in pixels. (max: 640)

1.3.5 imagetype (png|png8| png32|gif|jpg (progressive)|jpg-baseline (flat))

This option allows you to specify the type of the image.

1.3.6 type (roadmap|satellite|hybrid|terrain)

This option specifies the type of the map.

1.3.7 color (blue)

This option specifies the color of the marker. Possible colors:

black, brown, green, purple, yellow, blue, gray, orange, red, white or in hex format `0x3399FF`

1.3.8 number (1)

This option specifies the number of the marker. Google Maps also allows uppercase letters: [A-Z]!

1.3.9 language (en)

This option specifies the language of the map labels. Of course, not all languages are supported for all countries. At least, english and one of the national languages should be supported. Possible option values: en, de, fr, es, it, fi, ...

1.3.10 markers

This option allows you to set more than just the standard marker, which will no longer be used! You don't have to specify an address, as Google Maps will deliver an image with all markers on the map. Nevertheless, you can specify an address, which will define the center of the map. This option expects one or more URL parameters like:

`&markers=size:mid|color:blue|label:S|loc1|loc2|...`



```

1 \getmap[
2 file=bmus1, mode=gm,
3 markers={&markers=size:mid|label:B|color:green|Bode Museum, Berlin%
4           &markers=label:P|color:green|Pergamonmuseum, Berlin%
5           &markers=label:N|color:blue|Neues Museum, Berlin}%
6 ]{}
7 \includegraphics[width=10cm]{bmus1}

```

The parameters size, color and label are optional!

size tiny, mid, small

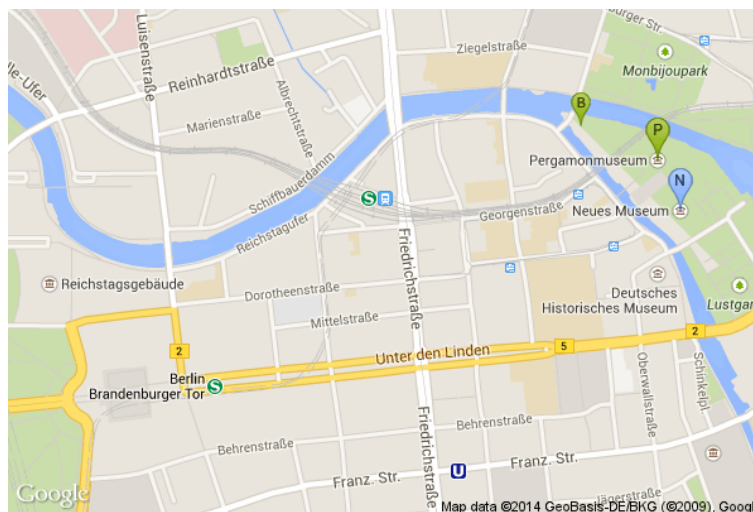
color red, black, brown, green, purple, yellow, blue, gray, orange, white,
0x1188FF

label [0-9][A-Z] (only in mid size!)

The default is a mid-sized red bubble with a black point!

1.3.11 visible

With this option you can specify a list of locations (separated by a pipe), which must be on the map!



```

1 \getmap[
2 file=bmus2, mode=gm
3 markers={&markers=size:mid|label:B|color:green|Bode Museum, Berlin%
4           &markers=label:P|color:green|Pergamonmuseum, Berlin%
5           &markers=label:N|color:blue|Neues Museum, Berlin},%
6 visible={Brandenburger Tor, Berlin|Reichstagsufer 1, Berlin|}{}
7 \includegraphics[width=10cm]{bmus2}

```

1.3.12 path

With this option you can define one or more paths! It expects one or more URL parameters like:

`&path=weight:5|color:orange|loc1|loc2|...`

```

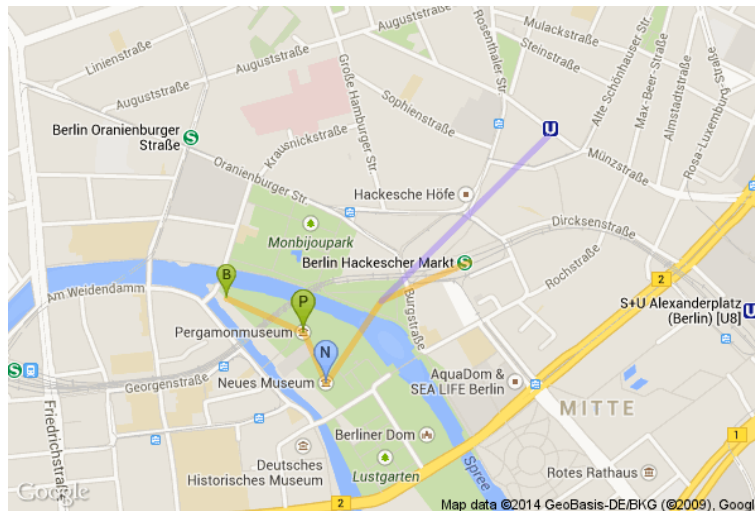
1 \getmap[file=bmus3, mode=gm, language=de,
2 markers={&markers=size:mid|label:B|color:green|Bode Museum, Berlin%
3           &markers=label:P|color:green|Pergamonmuseum, Berlin%
4           &markers=label:N|color:blue|Neues Museum, Berlin},%

```

```

5 path={&path=weight:5|color:orange|Bode Museum, Berlin|
6 Pergamonmuseum, Berlin|Neues Museum, Berlin|
7 James-Simon-Park, Berlin|52.522649, 13.402523%
8 &path=weight:5|color:purple|James-Simon-Park, Berlin|
9 Weinmeisterstraße 6, Berlin|]}
10 \includegraphics[width=10cm]{bmus3}

```



You can also use `fillcolor` to mark areas! In paths, you can also specify RGB32 colors, in which the last byte defines opacity, e.g. 55 (33%).



```

1 \getmap[file=cpny, mode=gm, zoom=13,
2 path={&path=weight:2|color:orange|fillcolor:0xff641A55|
3 40.764302, -73.973004|40.768044, -73.981903|}

```

```
4         40.800642, -73.958193|40.796887, -73.949226|%  
5         40.764302, -73.973004}}{Central Park, New York}  
6 \includegraphics[width=10cm]{cpony}
```

With small enough spaces between way points you can also defines routes!

1.3.13 pathfile

This option specifies the file holding the path specification. It will be loaded by the Lua script. You can use the `filecontents*` environment to keep the definition in your document. It should be a one line utf8-encoded file!

1.4 gsv mode

1.4.1 xsize (600)

This option specifies the width of the map in pixels. (max: 640)

1.4.2 ysize (400)

This option specifies the height of the map in pixels. (max: 640)

1.4.3 heading (0)

This option specifies the heading (direction) in degrees in the range of 0 – 360. (0: north, 90: east, ...)

1.4.4 pitch (0)

This option specifies the pitch (angle) of the camera view in degrees in the range of -90 – 90.

1.4.5 fov (90)

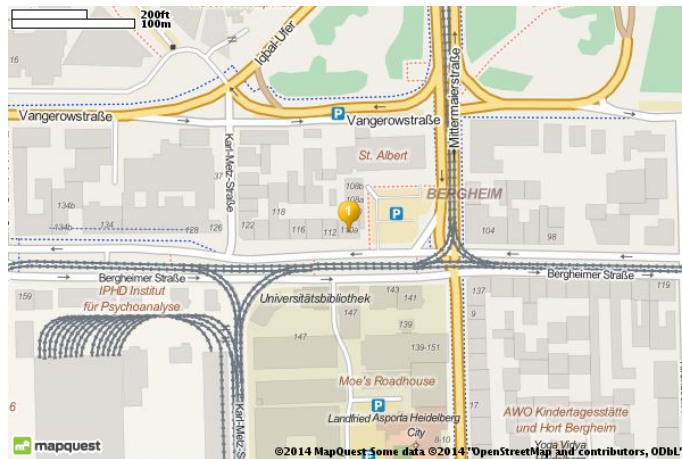
This option specifies the field of horizontal view (kind of zoom) in degrees in the range of 0 – 120.

2 Command(s)

2.1 \getmap

`\getmap[options]{address}` With the `\getmap` command you can download a map, if you enable `\write18` (TeXLive: `-shell-escape`, MiKTeX: `--enable-write18`). This is only necessary if you actually download an image. You can use the options described above to specify the properties of the downloaded image. After executing the command, the image is available in the current working directory!

In the simplest case, you only need an address, a POI or geographic coordinates (latitude, longitude) to download the map. `{address}` must be fully expanded and must not contain macros! By default, the image is saved under the name `getmap.png`! If you need only one map (e.g. the office of Dante e.V.) in your document, it can be as simple as:



```

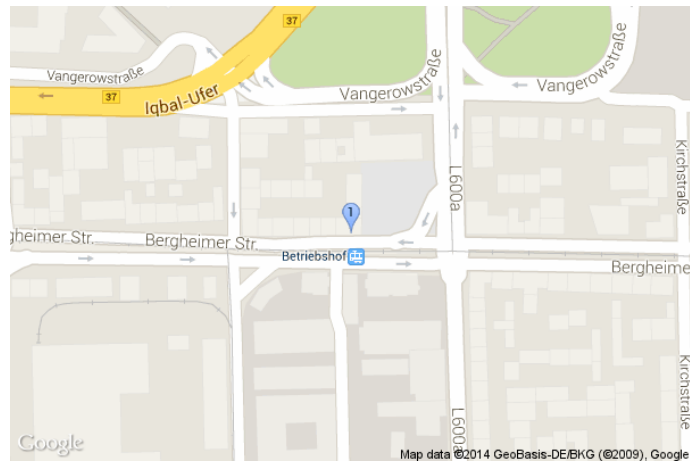
1 \getmap{Bergheimer Straße 110A, 69115 Heidelberg, Germany}
2 \includegraphics[width=9cm]{getmap}

```

3 Examples



The same map as before from Google Maps:



```

1 \getmap[file=dantegm,mode=gm]{Bergheimer Straße 110A,%
2                               69115 Heidelberg, Germany}
3 \includegraphics[width=9cm]{dantegm}

```

The same map as satellite image:



```

1 \getmap[file=dantegmsat,mode=gm,type=satellite]
2       {Bergheimer Straße 110A, 69115 Heidelberg, Germany}
3 \includegraphics[width=9cm]{dantegmsat}

```

L'afrique, mon amour!



```

1 \getmap[file=africa,mode=gm,type=terrain,xsize=500,ysize=500,%
2   scale=2,zoom=3]{0,16}
3 \includegraphics[width=9cm]{africa}

```

L'amour, ...

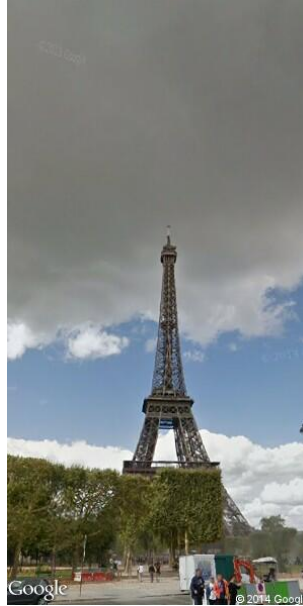


```

1 \getmap[file=paris,mode=gm,type=hybrid,xsize=500,ysize=300,%
2   scale=2,zoom=16]{Tour Eiffel, Paris}
3 \includegraphics[width=9cm]{paris}

```

Street View now:



```
1 \getmap[file=parisgsv,mode=gsv,heading=320,pitch=30,fov=40,%  
2 xsize=300,ysize=600]{Avenue Piere-Loti, Paris}  
3 \includegraphics[width=4cm]{parisgsv}
```

and from the platform:



```
1 \getmap[file=parisgsvp,mode=gsv,heading=30,pitch=-25,fov=60]%  
2 {Tour Eiffel, Paris}  
3 \includegraphics[width=8cm]{parisgsvp}
```

4 The getmapdl Lua script

Basically, the getmapdl Lua script downloads static map images depending on command line options and allows to parse kml, gpx and gps (a plain list of geographical coordinate pairs (latitude, longitude) on each line) files and outputs gps or encoded polylines (epl). The script offers the following modes (-m):

osm downloads a static map image based on OpenStreetMap data

gm downloads a static map image based on Google Maps data

gsv downloads an image based on Google Street View data

kml2epl parses a kml file and outputs geographical coordinates of places and encoded polylines (epl) for routes and lines to STDOUT

kml2gps parses a kml file and outputs geographical coordinates

gpx2epl parses a gpx file and outputs encoded polylines

gpx2gps parses a gpx file and outputs a list of geographic coordinate pairs (gps)

gps2epl parses a gps file and outputs epl

gps2gps parses a gps file and outputs – based on a given bound – a reduced list of gps coordinates

The first three modes are used by \getmap. You may use the script also from the command line! getmapdl -h will give you a list of available command line options.

The other modes are useful for creating encoded polylines (epl), which is the route format of Google Maps. You can parse the following example from Google Maps in gpx format

```

1 <trkseg>
2   <trkpt lon="-120.2" lat="38.5"/>
3   <trkpt lon="-120.95" lat="40.7"/>
4   <trkpt lon="-126.453" lat="43.252"/>
5 </trkseg>
```

with

```

1 $ getmapdl -m gpx2epl -G test.gpx
2 _p~iF~ps|U_ulLnnqClqNvxq'@
```

This encoded polyline can be used for the path or pathfile option of \getmap.

5 How to define routes

Routes are described by so called encoded polylines and can be used with `enc:polyline_data` as location specifier in a path. This string can contain all sorts of troublesome characters for \LaTeX . `\getmap` can deal with them, with the exception of curly braces! These will break your \LaTeX document. As a work-around, use the `pathfile` option. Please note that the length of the URL is limited to 2048 bytes. So, there's no way to support extreme long paths!

5.1 OpenStreetMap

OpenStreetMap does not offer routing service directly, but you can use an OpenStreetMap based route service² to create your route and export it to a gpx file³. It's basically a xml-packaged list of geographical coordinates. You can use the `getmapdl` script to convert a route to encoded polylines, e.g. a pedestrian route from Berlin Central Station to Brandenburg Gate:



```

1 \begin{filecontents*}{berlin.epl}
2 &path=weight:5|color:purple|enc:_xq_IcgrpA?AFE@?^BFE@A^U@CLQXEU?
3 gCR?B?DBF@@?vA?D?D?BAHE@JBN@JLGFCD[DC~C?@?F?R?vA?p@iB@i@Fe@JWRSTO
4 f@Gh@C^A?e@?gE?w@r@?lB@hA?'@?M?aA?]dI??0?0?Cn@cBfBeF|AeEHNVBc@H

```

²<http://openrouteservice.org>

³This also means that you can visualize your own routes tracked with hardware or a software app!

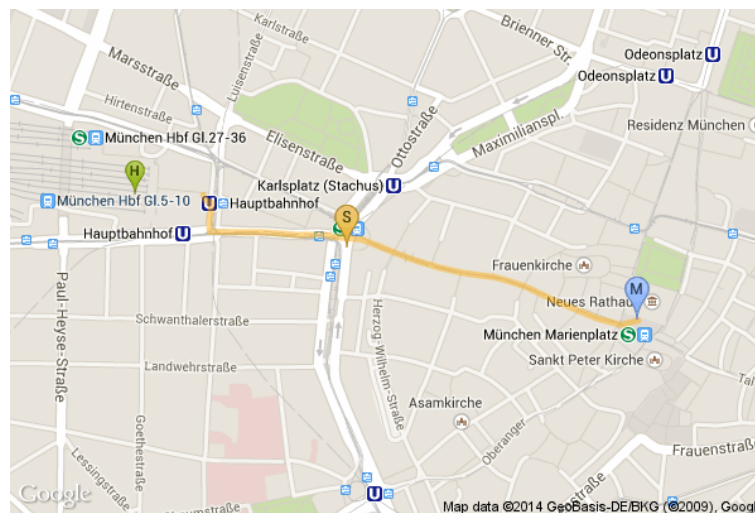
```

5 @H_AEWA?OAMNA@N
6 \end{filecontents*}
7 \getmap[file=berlin, mode=gm, language=de, scale=2,
8     xsize=400, ysize=600,
9     markers={&markers=size:mid|label:H|color:green|Berlin, Hbf
10         &markers=label:B|color:blue|Brandenburger Tor, Berlin},
11     pathfile={berlin.epl}]{}
12 \includegraphics[width=6cm]{berlin}

```

5.2 Google Maps

One possible way is to use Google Maps' online interactive map tool⁴!



```

1 \begin{filecontents*}{muc.epl}
2 &path=weight:5|color:orange|enc:okydHa}peAX0Hi@jANv@A@kJJmFAiDJuA
3 HmDXcBb@cC'@gC^_DV}CJaCF{APaBVkBdAyEf@qC'@{B\adsWb
4 \end{filecontents*}
5 \getmap[file=muc, mode=gm,
6     markers={&markers=size:mid|label:H|color:green|München, Hbf
7         &markers=label:S|color:yellow|Stachus, München
8         &markers=label:M|color:blue|Marienplatz, München},
9     pathfile={muc.epl}]{}
10 \includegraphics[width=10cm]{muc}

```

You can also use the **new** version of *My Maps*. It allows you to define markers, routes and arbitrary lines on different layers and to export these into a kml file, e.g *berlin.kml*⁵:

⁴<https://developers.google.com/maps/documentation/utilities/polylineutility>

⁵<https://bitbucket.org/kleberj/getmap/downloads/Berlin.kml>

```

1 $ getmapdl -m kml2epl -K Berlin.kml
2 Route: Route von Berlin Hbf, Moabit nach Brandenburger Tor, Paris
3 er Platz, Berlin
4 k}q_IufrpA?iFQ?gCDQBMHSm@Wq@GQIK]{AUaA}AaICIMm@Kg@EUiByIi@cDSqA_@
5 uBIa@a@gBpB[fAMhCS|@Gd@Ev@Ep@GfAIpC[bAMr@IbAMp@G\GtBUdCSp@MrAK~AQ
6 pAMhAKx@IjDc@VAB?D@@?B?dCU'AKjAMRCPLGntEBhABh@BVF'@D'@D\rB{@ZKDAH
7 CLAHABHBFHFFDNHRHJHHDDHDBF?F?VCJCJILQJUJg@HQJMJKHAFaj?X?bCRH@R?
8 AWQ?K@iBKq@GYAK@EBIFEFEFECFAD
9
10
11 Point: Berlin Hbf, Moabit [Europaplatz 1, 10557 Berlin, Deutschl
12 and]
13 52.52581820000001,13.3695451
14
15
16 Point: Brandenburger Tor, Pariser Platz, Berlin [Ebertstraße 21,
17 10117 Berlin, Deutschland]
18 52.5159099,13.3773202
19
20
21 Point: Berlin Hbf [arrive with train]
22 52.5249948,13.368988
23
24
25 Point: Reichstag [nice view from the roof]
26 52.5185973,13.3758974
27
28
29 Point: Brandenburger Tor [once behind the wall]
30 52.5163514,13.3789873
31
32
33 Route: Route von Berlin Hbf, Moabit nach Pariser Platz, Berlin
34 k}q_IufrpA?iFQ?@hH@H@F@B@B@?DB?\?|B@F@DB@B@~FCB?X@V??0?0?0?wF@W?o
35 @?k@?Y?eAvAD'@?'@ARCFAP?hAAZ?B?D?J?B?DAJB^@T?~B?MsAAIAEAM?S@OBM?A
36 @IDKBKDKFKFIJEFCJAJATAL?XAN?P?VALBCbB?L@RB?kH@}Gp@]|@0bA?BAz@JTF^
37 LZN?wF@aCE]~Am@\KREJCNANAH@HBjHHFLPP\DBFFDB@@@?D@F?JAJCKiEAQ?K@I?
38 KBSXC
39
40
41 Point: Berlin Hbf, Moabit [Europaplatz 1, 10557 Berlin, Deutschl
42 and]
43 52.52581820000001,13.3695451
44
45
46 Point: Deutscher Bundestag Redaktion Das Parlament, Berlin [Plat

```

```

47 z der Republik 1, 10557 Berlin, Deutschland]
48 52.518502000000005,13.3751849
49
50
51 Point: Pariser Platz, Berlin [Pariser Platz 1, 10117 Berlin, Deu
52 tschland]
53 52.5160749,13.3783013

```

Now, you can take these data for your map:



```

1 \begin{filecontents*}{berlin2.ep\}
2 &path=weight:5|color:orange|enc:k}q_IufrpA?iFQ?@hH@H@F@B@B@?DB?\?
3 |B@F@DB@B@~FCB?X@V??0?0?0?wF@W?o@?k@?Y?eAvAD'@?'@ARCFAP?hAAZ?B?D?
4 J?B?DAJB^@T?~B?MsAAIAEAM?S@OBM?A@IDKBKDKFKFIJEFCJAJATAL?XAN?P?VAL
5 BCbB?L@RB?kH@}Gp@] |@0bA?BAz@JTF^LZN?wF@aCE]~Am@\KREJCNANAH@HBJHHF
6 LPP\DBFFDB@@@?D@F?JAJCKiEAQ?K@I?KBSXC&path=weight:5|color:purple|
7 enc:k}q_IufrpA?iFQ?gCDQBMHSm@Wq@GQIK]{AUaA}AaICIMm@Kg@EUiByIi@cDS
8 qA_@uBIa@a@gBpB[fAMhCS|@Gd@Ev@Ep@GfAIpC[bAMr@IbAMP@gGtBUdCSp@MrA
9 K~AQpAMhAKx@IjDc@VAB?D@@?B?dCU'AKjAMRCPLGntEBhABh@BVF'@D'@D\rB{@Z
10 KDAHCLAHABHBFHFFDNHRHJHHDDHDHBF?F?VCJJCJILQJUG@HQJMJKHAF AJ?X?bCR
11 H@R?AWQ?K@iBKq@GYAK@EBIFEFEFECFAD
12 \end{filecontents*}
13 \getmap[file=berlin2, language=de, xsize=400, ysize=600,
14 scale=2, mode=gm,
15 markers={&markers=size:mid|label:H|color:green|52.5249948,13.3689

```

```

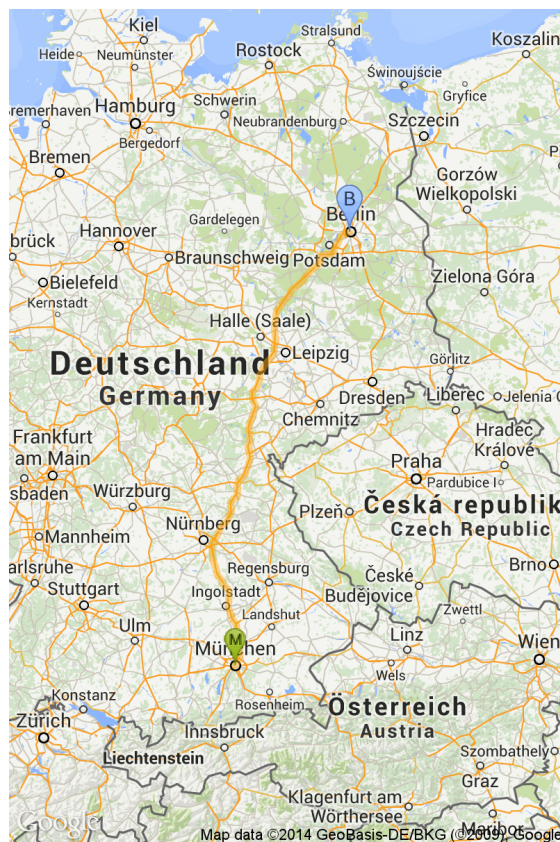
16 88
17     &markers=size:mid|label:R|color:yellow|52.5185973,13.375
18 8974
19     &markers=label:B|color:blue|52.5163514,13.3789873},
20 pathfile={berlin2.epl}}{}%
21 \includegraphics[width=6cm]{berlin2}%

```

5.2.1 Long routes

Long routes are defined by a huge number of way points, but the URL length is limited to 2048 bytes. The following [example](#)⁶ (Stachus, Munich → Brandenburg Gate, Berlin) consists of more than 6000 way points. A created polyline would hugely exceed the URL length limit!

After transferring the kml file into a gps file, you can use the `gps2gps` mode of `getmapdl` to reduce the number of way points by a given bound. It takes a new pair of gps coordinates only if the difference of latitude or longitude is larger than the given bound! Finally, you can use the new `gps` file to create an encoded polyline.



⁶<https://bitbucket.org/kleberj/getmap/downloads/MucBer.kml>

```

1 $ getmapdl -m kml2gps -K MucBer.kml >MucBer.gps
2
3 $ cat MucBer.gps
4 Route: Route von Stachus, München nach Brandenburger Tor, Pariser
5 Platz, Berlin
6 48.13903,11.56556
7 48.1392,11.56562
8 [ ... many, many way points ...]
9 52.5159,13.37735
10 52.51591,13.37732
11
12
13 Point: Stachus, München [Karlsplatz 10, 80335 München, Deutschla
14 nd]
15 48.13903,11.56556
16
17
18 Point: Brandenburger Tor, Pariser Platz, Berlin [Ebertstraße 21,
19 10117 Berlin, Deutschland]
20 52.51591,13.37732
21
22 $ getmapdl -m gps2gps -G MucBer.gps -B 0.025 >MucBerR.gps
23
24 Route 1: reduced gps coordinates (Bound = 0.025): 6119 -> 193
25
26 $ getmapdl -m gps2epl -G MucBerR.gps
27
28 Route: Route von Stachus, München nach Brandenburger Tor, Pariser
29 Platz, Berlin
30
31 }cydHw{qeAc|CmbCcoCq{CswDk'Be~C_oAqcDe_@wdD~eAs_Dt~AsbDn{A{aEhk@m
32 aD'i@kCdHAK}CoHcnD|Hg}CvVk{Cmx@i|Cpe@c|Cp|@kaClxDk~CzxCqnDzkAk'Df
33 tAc}CrrAonDtqBu|C~m@e~CoGc}Csd@wnd{EyjDr@s}C'@}iDoBskCn|CgbCp_D_p
34 B~aD_cB~aDc}CgOssBr}Ci'Cj{CwzAL_Dc|Cnp@w{C~dAagDnk@o{Cnu@o{ChcCcl
35 EhdBalDni@u{CpUagFfRa}CfLq|CxQu{Cr\m{C{sBwqC}|Cm}CucDuhD}jDa}GiuD
36 { |CkuBm~CeqCkoAwdDkyAkmDc'CkiDmaEm'ck|CeCakBwFD}_D{gBo|CbUw}C~yAw
37 |Cqc@{ }C}'BumC_|Cqr@kvDmSk}Cu{CiaAkDbGi_DoGw_DyLk'DxH{ _Dmb@q}Cyr
38 @{cAkaDcs@{ _DarAy{C_|By_Dy~Ck'Ci}CeMm|CqiCi|CmzAmgDkUm'D_wBg}CiVu
39 ~C|aBg|Cva@i{Cc\}zBv~Cw'DyyBq_D_gB{|CoEu{ChLacDfSy|CeBk{CjsC}~Ca~
40 @_}Cil@w|Coz@e_DidCecDivBe|Cqc@{{CemAa_DcyBq|C}|A_|CtuAsfE|dDwzDr
41 z@e~CvXo~C|c@s{CicCirB}jDkq@q}C{dDiuBkcDsnAm}CsnAk}DuI{| |CkMmvFmsE
42 y|CmuBc~Cw{C_'Do~CqhEujHekBc|CkvCmaDufDqgC_}Csh@e|Cnq@kuDemAm}Ccz
43 A{bEgg@cvDlyAiaDbUi{Cjw@i}CsLy}F}I_cDc{ @gjDi_@o_Ds}{| |D_c@o|Cy}A}q
44 BubDo}CowCoyBe|Cy_Du_CotAg}C}}@obD{sCu{CkrB_jDqoFcmCsmBq_D_l@w}Ca
45 z@mdD}eBa'DmuBonE_nA_|Cw'BaaDaLDqfCu_CwyDenBqwDqzA{~C}mDkgEcdAmcD
46 si@{'DabBq{Ccx@s{CsfDwsDueDvR_hd_WcuAu_Dsj@g~DkF{kFf_@waDcOa'DkDc

```

```

47 |C}_DceCiu@{aDu|Ckv@m{CcpAiz@k|CmeD}eBeaEedCg'Ceade'Cy{CwdBipEgJ_
48 |gDw0y{Fq@at@

```

Taking a look into the log file, we find:

```

1 getmapdl.lua:
2 url = http://maps.googleapis.com/maps/api/staticmap? ...
3 url length = 1866 bytes
4 output = mucber.png

```

With 193 way points we almost reached the URL length limit of 2048 bytes. The accuracy of the encoded polyline is obviously good enough. So, about 200 way points seem to be a good choice. But the length of an encoded pair of gps coordinates depends on the space between two points and may vary between 2 and 8 bytes!

6 Implementation

```
1 (*package)
```

First, we provide the L^AT_EX package getmap.

```

2 \NeedsTeXFormat{LaTeX2e}%
3 \ProvidesPackage{getmap}[2014/10/07 v1.8 getmap.sty - Josef Kleber (C) 2014]%

```

We need a few packages!

```

4 \RequirePackage{xkeyval}%
5 \RequirePackage{stringenc}%
6 \RequirePackage{ifthen}%

```

We provide a macro `\GM@JK@define@key`, which defines package options with global scope and options for `\getmap` with local scope. It takes four arguments `{<prefix>}`, `{<package>}`, `{<option>}` and `{<default>}`.

```

7 \newcommand*\GM@JK@define@key[4]%
8 {%
9   \expandafter\gdef\csname#1@#3\endcsname{#4}%
10  \define@key{#2.sty}{#3}[#4]%
11  {%
12    \expandafter\gdef\csname#1@#3\endcsname{##1}%
13  }%
14  \define@key{#2}{#3}%
15  {%
16    \expandafter\def\csname#1@#3\endcsname{##1}%
17  }%
18 }%
19 \newcommand*\GM@JK@define@key@detok[4]%
20 {%

```

```

21 \expandafter\gdef\csname#1@#3\endcsname{#4}%
22 \define@key{#2.sty}{#3}[#4]%
23 {%
24   \expandafter\gdef\csname#1@#3\endcsname{\detokenize{##1}}%
25 }%
26 \define@key{#2}{#3}%
27 {%
28   \expandafter\def\csname#1@#3\endcsname{\detokenize{##1}}%
29 }%
30 }%

```

Now, we can use this macro to define our options.

```

31 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{mode}{osm}%
32 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{key}{}%
33 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{xsize}{600}%
34 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{ysize}{400}%
35 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{scale}{3385}%
36 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{zoom}{}%
37 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{type}{map}%
38 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{imagetype}{png}%
39 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{color}{yellow_1}%
40 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{number}{1}%
41 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{heading}{0}%
42 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{fov}{90}%
43 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{pitch}{0}%
44 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{language}{en}%
45 \GM@JK@define@key@detok{GM@JK}{getmap}{markers}{}%
46 \GM@JK@define@key@detok{GM@JK}{getmap}{path}{}%
47 \GM@JK@define@key@detok{GM@JK}{getmap}{visible}{}%
48 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{pathfile}{}%
49 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{file}{getmap}%
50 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{inputencoding}{}%
51 \GM@JK@define@key{GM@JK}{getmap}{overwrite}{true}%

```

For options without default value, we define reasonable default values! We overwrite the default for `overwrite`, because we don't want `overwrite` to be true by default, but that `overwrite` is equivalent to `overwrite=true`!

Moreover, we load `getmap.cfg` to set the default key. You can copy this file to your local \TeX tree and replace the key with your own!

We try to use the input encoding specified for `inputenc` or `utf8` instead.

```

52 \gdef\GM@JK@overwrite{false}%
53 \gdef\GM@JK@key{}%
54 %
55 \IfFileExists{getmap.cfg}%
56 {%
57   \input{getmap.cfg}%
58 }%
59 {%
60   \gdef\GM@JK@key{Fmjtd|luur20u22d,75=05-9aylh6}%

```



```

61 }%
62 %
63 \@ifpackageloaded{inputenc}%
64 {%
65   \gdef\GM@JK@inputencoding{\inputencodingname}%
66 }%
67 {%
68   \gdef\GM@JK@inputencoding{utf8}%
69 }%
70 %

```

Later, we will need a switch, if `\write18` is enabled.

```

71 \newif\ifGM@JK@writexviii\GM@JK@writexviiiifalse%
72 %

```

We execute the package options to define and set the option macros.

```

73 \ExecuteOptionsX{mode,xsize,ysize,scale,zoom,type,imagetype,color,number,file,heading,fov,
74 %
75 \ProcessOptionsX\relax%
76 %

```

We need to reset some defaults in gm mode.

```

77 %
78 \ifthenelse{\equal{\GM@JK@mode}{gm}}{%
79 {%
80   \gdef\GM@JK@scale{1}%
81   \gdef\GM@JK@zoom{17}%
82   \gdef\GM@JK@type{roadmap}%
83   \gdef\GM@JK@color{blue}%
84 }%
85 }%
86 %

```

We check if `\pdf@shellescape` is available to test if `\write18` is enabled.

If false, we assume `\write18` is available and hope for the best.

If true, we set the switch `\GM@JK@writexviii` accordingly!

```

87 %
88 \ltx@ifundefined{pdf@shellescape}%
89 {%
90   \PackageInfo{getmap}{\pdf@shellescape is undefined}%
91   \PackageInfo{getmap}{can not test if \write18 is available}%
92   \GM@JK@writexviii>true%
93 }%
94 {%
95   \PackageInfo{getmap}{\pdf@shellescape is available}%
96   \ifnum\pdf@shellescape=1\relax%
97     \PackageInfo{getmap}{\write18 enabled}%
98     \GM@JK@writexviii>true%
99   \else%

```

```

100   \GM@JK@writexviiifalse%
101   \fi%
102 }%
103 %

```

We define a macro that is executed as `\write18` call. First, we test if `\write18` is enabled and issue a package error if not! Otherwise we execute `\write18` depending on the mode

```

104 \newcommand*\GM@JK@shellescape%
105 {%
106   \ifGM@JK@writexviii\relax%
107   \ifthenelse{\equal{\GM@JK@mode}{osm}}%
108   {%
109     \immediate\write18{getmapdl \space-l\space "\GM@JK@location@string"%
110                          \space-m\space osm%
111                          \space-k\space "\GM@JK@key@string"%
112                          \space-x\space \GM@JK@xsize%
113                          \space-y\space \GM@JK@ysize%
114                          \space-z\space "\GM@JK@zoom"%
115                          \space-s\space \GM@JK@scale%
116                          \space-t\space \GM@JK@type%
117                          \space-i\space \GM@JK@imagetype%
118                          \space-c\space "\GM@JK@color"%
119                          \space-n\space \GM@JK@number%
120                          \space-o\space \GM@JK@file}%
121   }%
122   {%
123     \ifthenelse{\equal{\GM@JK@mode}{gm}}%
124     {%
125       \immediate\write18{getmapdl \space-l\space "\GM@JK@location@string"%
126                              \space-m\space gm%
127                              \space-x\space \GM@JK@xsize%
128                              \space-y\space \GM@JK@ysize%
129                              \space-z\space \GM@JK@zoom%
130                              \space-s\space \GM@JK@scale%
131                              \space-t\space \GM@JK@type%
132                              \space-i\space \GM@JK@imagetype%
133                              \space-c\space "\GM@JK@color"%
134                              \space-n\space \GM@JK@number%
135                              \space-L\space "\GM@JK@language"%
136                              \space-M\space "\GM@JK@markers@string"%
137                              \space-C\space "\GM@JK@location@string"%
138                              \space-P\space "\GM@JK@path@string"%
139                              \space-p\space "\GM@JK@pathfile"%
140                              \space-V\space "\GM@JK@visible@string"%
141                              \space-o\space \GM@JK@file}%
142     }%
143     {%
144       \ifthenelse{\equal{\GM@JK@mode}{gsv}}%
145       {%
146         \immediate\write18{getmapdl \space-l\space "\GM@JK@location@string"%

```

```

147             \space-m\space gsv%
148             \space-x\space \GM@JK@xsize%
149             \space-y\space \GM@JK@ysize%
150             \space-H\space \GM@JK@heading%
151             \space-F\space \GM@JK@fov%
152             \space-T\space \GM@JK@pitch%
153             \space-o\space \GM@JK@file}%
154     }%
155     {%
156     \PackageError{getmap}{invalid mode}{invalid mode! Use osm, gm or gsv!}%
157     }%
158   }%
159 }%
160 \else%
161   \PackageError{getmap}{\writel8 disabled}%
162   {\writel8 disabled\MessageBreak%
163   Use -shell-escape (TeXLive)\MessageBreak%
164   or\space\space--enable-writel8 (MiKTeX)}%
165 \fi%
166 }%

```

`\getmap` Here, we define the user command to download the map.

```
\getmap[options]{address}
```

```

167 \newcommand*\getmap[2][ ]%
168 {%

```

We start a group to keep the setting of options local. Then we test, if we are in gm mode to reset some defaults! Finally, we set the local options again to override defaults if necessary!

```

169 \begingroup%
170   \setkeys{getmap}{#1}%
171   \ifthenelse{\equal{\GM@JK@mode}{gm}}{%
172     {%
173       \def\GM@JK@scale{1}%
174       \def\GM@JK@zoom{17}%
175       \def\GM@JK@type{roadmap}%
176       \def\GM@JK@color{blue}%
177     }%
178   }%
179   \setkeys{getmap}{#1}%

```

In gsv mode, we have an implicit `imagedtype=jpg`. Therefore, we have to set it to allow the later test on the existence of the image file!

```

180   \ifthenelse{\equal{\GM@JK@mode}{gsv}}{%
181     {\def\GM@JK@imagedtype{jpg}}}%
182   \PackageInfo{getmap}{using \GM@JK@inputencoding\space encoding}%
183   \def\GM@JK@location{#2}%

```

texlua expects its arguments encoded in utf8!

```

184 \StringEncodingConvert%
185   {\GM@JK@location@string}%
186   {\detokenize\expandafter{\GM@JK@location}}}%
187   {\GM@JK@inputencoding}{utf-8}%
188 \StringEncodingSuccessFailure%
189 {%
190   %success
191 }%
192 {% failure
193   \errmessage{Converting to UTF-8 failed}%
194 }%
195 \StringEncodingConvert%
196   {\GM@JK@key@string}%
197   {\detokenize\expandafter{\GM@JK@key}}}%
198   {\GM@JK@inputencoding}{utf-8}%
199 \StringEncodingSuccessFailure%
200 {%
201   %success
202 }%
203 {% failure
204   \errmessage{Converting to UTF-8 failed}%
205 }%
206 \StringEncodingConvert%
207   {\GM@JK@markers@string}%
208   {\GM@JK@markers}%
209   {\GM@JK@inputencoding}{utf-8}%
210 \StringEncodingSuccessFailure%
211 {%
212   %success
213 }%
214 {% failure
215   \errmessage{Converting to UTF-8 failed}%
216 }%
217 \StringEncodingConvert%
218   {\GM@JK@path@string}%
219   {\GM@JK@path}%
220   {\GM@JK@inputencoding}{utf-8}%
221 \StringEncodingSuccessFailure%
222 {%
223   %success
224 }%
225 {% failure
226   \errmessage{Converting to UTF-8 failed}%
227 }%
228 \StringEncodingConvert%
229   {\GM@JK@visible@string}%
230   {\GM@JK@visible}%
231   {\GM@JK@inputencoding}{utf-8}%
232 \StringEncodingSuccessFailure%
233 {%

```

```
234     %success
235   }%
236   {% failure
237     \errmessage{Converting to UTF-8 failed}%
238   }%
```

We check, if overwrite is true and download the map. If not, we check if the image is already in the working directory. If not, we download the image!

```
239   \ifthenelse{\equal{\GM@JK@overwrite}{true}}%
240   {%
241     \GM@JK@shellescape%
242   }%
243   {%
244     \IfFileExists{\GM@JK@file.\GM@JK@imagetype}%
245     {%
246       \PackageInfo{getmap}{overwrite=false; (\GM@JK@file.\GM@JK@imagetype)%
247         using existing file!}%
248     }%
249     {%
250       \PackageInfo{getmap}{overwrite=false; (\GM@JK@file.\GM@JK@imagetype)%
251         file does not exist! downloading ...}%
252       \GM@JK@shellescape%
253     }%
254   }%
255   \endgroup%
256 }%

257 </package>
```

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8 Change History

v1.0	General: CTAN upload	23	v1.6	General: getmapdl.lua: added gpx2ep1, gps2ep1 and gpx2gps modes	23
v1.1	\getmap: Bugfix: problem in URL when using \usepackage[utf8]{inputenc}	27	v1.7	General: getmapdl.lua: added kml2gps and kml2ep1 modes	23
v1.2	General: added getmap.cfg to store default key (FR by Ulrike Fischer)	24	getmapdl.lua: added multi track support for gpx2gps and gpx2ep1 mode	23	
	added support for Google Maps	23	getmapdl.lua: revised gps2ep1 mode	23	
	changed default values of xsize (600) and file (getmap)	24	v1.8	General: getmapdl.lua: added gps2gps mode to reduce way points with a given bound (default: 0.1)	23
	renamed osmimage.lua to getmapdl.lua	23	getmapdl.lua: added check of URL length and output to log	23	
v1.3	General: added support for Google Street View	23	getmapdl.lua: added multi route support for gps2ep1 mode	23	
v1.4	General: getmapdl.lua: added options language, markers, visible, path and pathfile in gm mode	23	getmapdl.lua: added rounding of gps coordinates to kml2gps and gpx2gps modes	23	
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