

orientationstyle — Choices for orientation of textboxes[Syntax](#)[Description](#)[Remarks and examples](#)[Also see](#)

Syntax

<i>orientationstyle</i>	Description
horizontal	text reads left to right
vertical	text reads bottom to top
rhorizontal	text reads left to right (upside down)
rvertical	text reads top to bottom

Other *orientationstyles* may be available; type

```
. graph query orientationstyle
```

to obtain the complete list of *orientationstyles* installed on your computer.

Description

A textbox contains one or more lines of text. *orientationstyle* specifies whether the textbox is horizontal or vertical.

orientationstyle is specified in the `orientation()` option nested within another option, such as `title()`:

```
. graph ..., title("My title", orientation(orientationstyle)) ...
```

See [G-3] [textbox_options](#) for more information on textboxes.

Remarks and examples

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orientationstyle specifies whether the text and box are oriented horizontally or vertically, vertically including text reading from bottom to top or from top to bottom.

Also see

[G-3] [textbox_options](#) — Options for textboxes and concept definition