

JUST IN TYPE'S

Better Sans

SPECIMEN & USER'S GUIDE

A humanist sans typeface for display and short text

Paragraphs do not occur in nature. Whereas sentences are grammatical units intrinsic to the spoken language, paragraphs are a **literary convention** designed to divide masses of content into appetizing portions. Indents have been common since the xvii century. Adding space between paragraphs (*paragraph spacing*) is another standard device. On the web, a paragraph is a semantic unit (*the `<p>` tag in html*) that is typically displayed on screen with space inserted after it. A typical indent is an **em space**, or a quad, a fixed unit of space roughly the width of the letter's cap height. An em is thus proportional to the size of the type; if you change the point size or column width, the indents will remain appropriately scaled. Alternatively, you can use the *tab key* to create an indent of any depth. A designer might use this technique in order to align the indents with a vertical grid line or other page element. *Avoid indenting the very first line of a body of text.* An indent signals a break or separation; there is no need to make a break when the text has just begun. Despite the ubiquity of indents and paragraph spacing, designers have developed **numerous alternatives** that allow them to shape content in distinctive ways.

— *Ellen Lupton, Thinking with Type*

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Befter Sans

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Finger Sandwiches & Cheese

1978 Eiswein

The poached salmon was exquisitely chilled

Brüt

Haut-Médoc

Attack of the Phylloxera

VITICULTURE

developed in Brazil from August 2015 to May 2016 | 791 glyphs on regular & 818 on italics

¶ Weights:

size recommendations

Large sizes

Thin
Thin Italic
Extra Light
Extra Light Italic
Light
Light Italic
Regular
Italic
Semi Bold
Semi Bold Italic
Bold
Bold Italic

Large and Small sizes

Large sizes

Black
Black Italic
Heavy
Heavy Italic

¶ Language Support:

Afrikaans, Albanian, Asu, Basque, Bemba, Bena, Bosnian, Catalan, Chiga, Congo Swahili, Cornish, Croatian, Czech, Danish, Dutch, Embu, English, Esperanto, Estonian, Faroese, Filipino, Finnish, French, Galician, Ganda, German, Gusii, Hungarian, Icelandic, Igbo, Indonesian, Irish, Italian, Jola-Fonyi, Kabuverdianu, Kalenjin, Kamba, Kikuyu, Kinyarwanda, Latvian, Lithuanian, Luo, Luyia, Machame, Makhuwa-Meetto, Makonde, Malagasy, Malay, Maltese, Manx, Maori, Meru, Morisyen, North Ndebele, Norwegian Bokmål, Norwegian Nynorsk, Nyankole, Oromo, Polish, Portuguese, Romanian, Romansh, Rombo, Rundi, Rwa, Samburu, Sango, Sangu, Sena, Serbian (Latin), Shambala, Shona, Slovak, Slovenian, Soga, Somali, Spanish, Swahili, Swedish, Swiss German, Taita, Teso, Turkish, Vunjo, Welsh, Yoruba, Zulu

¶ OpenType Features:

Standard Ligatures
Discretionary Ligatures
Small Caps
Swashes (on Italics)
Lining, Old-Style & Tabular figures
Numerators & Denominators
Superiors
Fractions
Stylistic Sets
Localization

¶ **Punctuation & Marks** (INCLUDES SMALL CAPS & OLD-STYLE VARIABLES) | **REGULAR**

! ; " # % % % % ∞ % & & ' () * , - - - . / / : ; ? ; @ @
[[]] \ \ _ { { } } † ‡ < « · » > " „ … © ® ™ ¶

¶ **Mathematical forms** | **REGULAR**

+ < = > | ~ - ± × ÷ / ∂ ∅ ∏ ∑ - √
∞ ∫ ≈ ≠ ≤ ≥ Δ Ω μ π ^{° ° ° °}

¶ **Currency & Figures** | **REGULAR**

DEFAULT / LINING \$ £ ¥ € ¢ ¤ 1234567890
PROPORTIONAL OLD-STYLE \$ £ ¥ € ¢ ¤ 1234567890
TABULAR LINING \$ £ ¥ € ¢ ¤ 1234567890
TABULAR OLD-STYLE \$ £ ¥ € ¢ ¤ 1234567890
SMALL CAPS \$ £ ¥ € ¢ ¤ 1234567890
FRACTIONS ⁰¹²³⁴⁵⁶⁷⁸⁹/₀₁₂₃₄₅₆₇₈₉
SUPERIORS 1234567890



¶ **Standard Ligatures | REGULAR**

fi fi fi fi ff ffi ffi ffi ffi

¶ **Discretionary Ligatures**

HE HÉ HÊ HË HÈ HË
L T T Z Z

¶ **Stylistic Sets**

SET 01 [VERTICAL T] tttttt → tṭtṭṭ

SET 02 [LONG S] S → ſ

SET 03 [WORDS] THE OF AND
→ THE OF AND

| **ITALIC**

fi fi fi fi ff ffi ffi ffi ty tý Th

gi ri HE HÉ HÊ HË HÈ HË
L L T T Z Z

SET 01 [VERTICAL T] tttttt → tṭtṭṭ

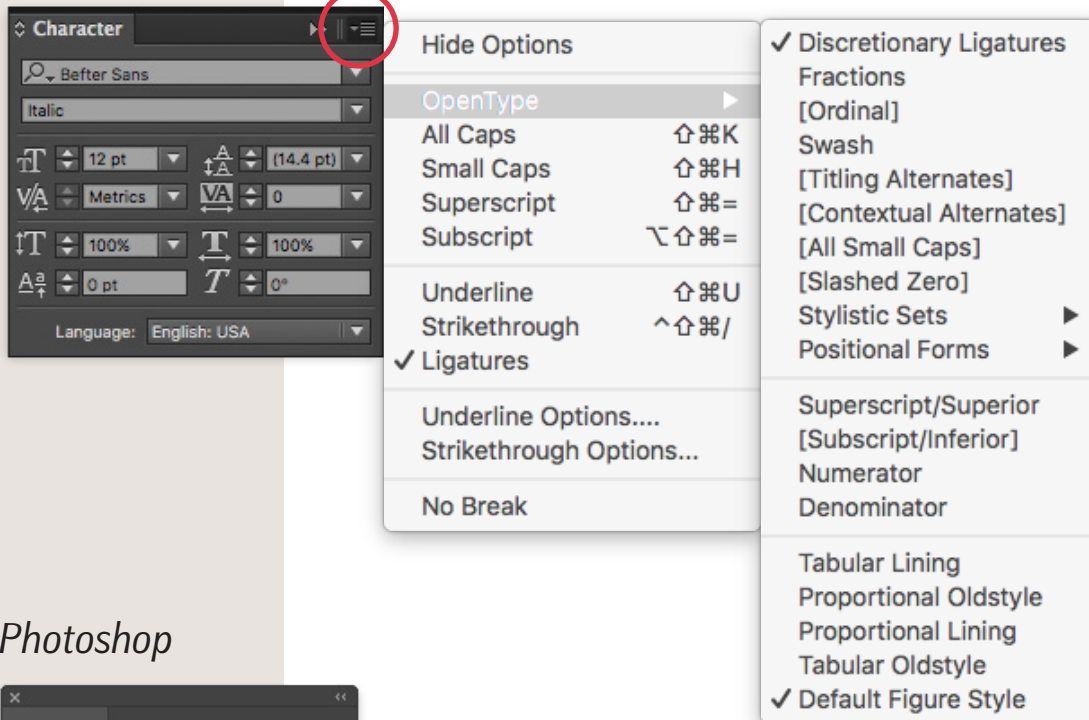
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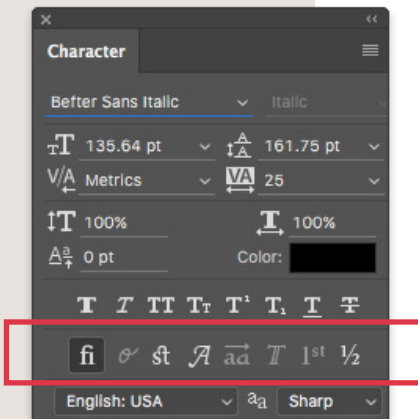
¶ **Swashes | HEAVY ITALIC [ALL ITALICS]**

G K M R

InDesign



Photoshop



Illustrator

