

Abril

A contemporary interpretation of a classic newsface, by *TypeTogether*

ABOUT THE TYPEFACE

Conceived specifically for *intensive editorial use*, whether it is in newspapers, magazines or digital media, Abril is a font family of two worlds. The titling weights, based on a contemporary revamp of classic *Didone styles*, display both neutrality and strong presence on the page, attracting the reader's attention with measured tension in its curves, good color and high contrast. It also features typographic niceties such as ornaments, borders, special dingbats and alternate letters and numbers that propose a broad palette of tools to the designer.

The text weights are more closely inspired by both, *19th century slab serifs* and *scotch roman types*. They maintain consistency with the headline styles, and at first glance may appear to have the same shapes only with lower contrast. However, in reality the letter forms of Abril Text were engineered from scratch to achieve a color, texture and overall width that allow using the font comfortably in the most challenging environments for continuous reading, such as newspapers. This also makes it a great font family for pock-

etbooks and magazines. Abril competes, in terms of economy of space, head to head with some newspaper classics such as Utopia or Nimrod, but featuring a more contemporary look and feel; and unlike them, includes a full set of small caps with numbers and punctuation.

The four main text weights of Abril Text were also manually hinted which grants the possibility of a smooth transition from printed media to web platform.

Abril consists of 8 text styles and 12 display styles, all of them containing the standard TypeTogether character set that supports over 50 languages including those from Central and Northern Europe. The full family is available at our webfont service partners TYPEKIT - FONTDECK - WEBINK or contact us for self-hosting @font-face.

Abril won Gold at ED-Awards 2012 and was selected in Tipos Latinos 2012 and Bienale Brno 2012. ■

Kerning by Radek Sidun.

STYLES & SCRIPTS

Abril Text Regular

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Abril Text Semibold

Abril Text Semibold Italic

Abril Text Bold

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Abril Text Extrabold

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arrows & borders & ornaments

SMALL CAPITALS

alternate numbers for fun: 0123456789!

vast support

VOIX AMBIGUË d'un cœur qui au zéphyr préfère les **jattes de kiwi**

inspired by *Scotch Romans* ⚡

Schriftzeit

“*Ruderklub Frankonia*”

poštovní zásilka

Abril Black

Dr. Doolittle

Frebbies

masterclass

The gift shop

service included

Gentlemen

18/22 PT (REGULAR & ITALIC)

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LIGATURES	aufbau, fjord, affiliate	aufbau, fjord, affiliate
DISCRETIONARY LIGATURES	häckeln, strong, Then	häckeln, strong, Then
PROPORTIONAL FIGURES	0123456789£\$¢€¥ƒ	0123456789£\$¢€¥ƒ
TABULAR FIGURES & SLASHED ZERO	00123456789£\$¢€¥ƒ	00123456789£\$¢€¥ƒ
NUMERATOR / DENOMINATOR	0123456789/0123456789	0123456789/0123456789
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SUPPORTED LANGUAGES INCLUDE (LATIN):

Afrikaans, Albanian, Anglo-Saxon, Arbëresh, Asturian, Austrian, Basque, Belarusian, Bosnian, Breton, British, Catalan, Chamorro, Corsican, Crimean Tatar, Croatian, Czech, Dalecarlian, Danish, Dutch, Esperanto, Estlandish, Estonian, Faroese, Finnish, French, Friulian, Galician, German, Gilbertese, Greenlandic, Guaraní, Hawaiian, Hungarian, Icelandic, Irish, Italian, Karakalpak, Kashubian, Kurdish, Latin, Latvian, Leonese, Lithuanian, Malagasy, Maltese, Northern Sami, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Romani, Romanian, Scots Gaelic, Serbian, Slovenian, Slovakian, Sorbian, Spanish, Swedish, Tetum, Tongan, Turkish, Turkmen, Uzbek, Walloon, Welsh, Wolof...

Pro

EXTENDED TYPOGRAPHIC FEATURES:

Basic ligatures, discretionary ligatures, small caps, 5 sets of figures (old-style, lining, tabular lining, tabular old-style), arbitrary fractions, superiors & inferiors, contextual alternates, ordinals, class kerning, case sensitive characters, arrows, ornaments.

Bas

BASIC TYPOGRAPHIC FEATURES:

Basic ligatures, class kerning.

AVAILABLE FONT SETS:

<i>Abril Text</i>	Pro	Lat
<i>Abril Display</i>	Pro	Lat
<i>Abril Fatface</i>	Bas	Lat

THE DESIGNERS

Veronika Burian, originally studied Industrial Design, before graduating with distinction from the MA in Typeface Design in Reading, UK, in 2003. After working as full-time type designer at DaltonMaag in London, she co-founded with José Scaglione the independent type-label TypeTogether. She also continues to give lectures and workshops at international conferences and universities. Several of her typefaces have been recognised by international competitions, including ED-Awards and TDC.

José Scaglione is an Argentinian graphic and multimedia designer, and a graduate from the MA in Typeface Design at the University of Reading, UK. He has been working in branding, editorial design and multimedia projects since 1995. José is co-founder of the independent type foundry TypeTogether, and additionally leads his own design studio, consults and lectures on typography and graphic communication matters. He also teaches typography at post-graduate level at the National University of Rosario.

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