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Abstract

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1. Introduction

This is a sample article that uses the `jmlr` class. Please follow the guidelines in this sample document as it can help to reduce complications when combining the articles into a book. Please avoid using obsolete commands, such as `\rm`, and obsolete packages, such as `epsfig`.² Some packages that are known to cause problems for the production editing process are checked for by the `jmlr` class and will generate an error. (If you want to know more about the production editing process, have a look at the video tutorials for the production editors at <http://www.dickimaw-books.com/software/makejmlrbookgui/videos/>.)

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1. An example data availability statement: This paper uses the MIMIC-III dataset (Johnson et al., 2016b), which is available on the PhysioNet repository (Johnson et al., 2016a).

2. See <http://www.ctan.org/pkg/l2tabu>

61 NOTE:

62 This is an numbered theorem-like environment that
63 was defined in this document's preamble.

64 1.1. Sub-sections

65 Sub-sections are produced using `\subsection`.

66 1.1.1. SUB-SUB-SECTIONS

67 Sub-sub-sections are produced using
68 `\subsubsection`.

69 **Sub-sub-sub-sections** Sub-sub-sub-sections are
70 produced using `\paragraph`. These are unnumbered
71 with a running head.

72 **Sub-sub-sub-sub-sections** Sub-sub-sub-sub-
73 sections are produced using `\subparagraph`. These
74 are unnumbered with a running head.

75 2. Cross-Referencing

76 Always use `\label` and `\ref` (or one of the com-
77 mands described below) when cross-referencing.
78 For example, the next section is Section 3 but you
79 can also refer to it using Section 3. The `jmlr` class
80 provides some convenient cross-referencing com-
81 mands: `\sectionref`, `\equationref`, `\tableref`,
82 `\figureref`, `\algorithmref`, `\theoremref`,
83 `\lemmaref`, `\remarkref`, `\corollaryref`,
84 `\definitionref`, `\conjectureref`, `\axiomref`,
85 `\exempleref` and `\appendixref`. The argument of
86 these commands may either be a single label or a
87 comma-separated list of labels. Examples:

88 Referencing sections: Section 3 or Sections 1 and 3
89 or Sections 1, 3, 5.1 and 5.2.

90 Referencing equations: Equation (1) or Equa-
91 tions (1) and (3) or Equations (1), (2), (3) and (4).

92 Referencing tables: Table 1 or Tables 1 and 2 or
93 Tables 1, 2 and 3.

94 Referencing figures: Figure 1 or Figures 1 and 2 or
95 Figures 1, 2 and 3 or Figures 3(a) and 3(b).

96 Referencing algorithms: Algorithm 1 or Algo-
97 rithms 1 and 2 or Algorithms 1, 2 and 3.

98 Referencing theorem-like environments: Theo-
99 rem 1, Lemma 2, Remark 3, Corollary 4, Definition 5,
100 Conjecture 6, Axiom 7 and Example 1.

101 Referencing appendices: Appendix A or Appen-
102 dices A and B.

103 3. Equations

The `jmlr` class loads the `amsmath` package, so you can
104 use any of the commands and environments defined
105 there. (See the `amsmath` documentation for further
106 details.³)

107 Unnumbered single-lined equations should be dis-
108 played using `\[` and `\]`. For example:
109

$$E = mc^2$$

or you can use the `displaymath` environment: 110

$$E = mc^2$$

111 Numbered single-line equations should be displayed
112 using the `equation` environment. For example:

$$\cos^2 \theta + \sin^2 \theta \equiv 1 \quad (1)$$

113 This can be referenced using `\label` and
114 `\equationref`. For example, Equation (1).

115 Multi-lined numbered equations should be dis-
116 played using the `align` environment.⁴ For example:

$$f(x) = x^2 + x \quad (2)$$

$$f'(x) = 2x + 1 \quad (3)$$

117 Unnumbered multi-lined equations can be displayed
118 using the `align*` environment. For example:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (x + 1)(x - 1) \\ &= x^2 - 1 \end{aligned}$$

119 If you want to mix numbered with unnumbered lines
120 use the `align` environment and suppress unwanted
121 line numbers with `\nonumber`. For example:

$$\begin{aligned} y &= x^2 + 3x - 2x + 1 \\ &= x^2 + x + 1 \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

122 An equation that is too long to fit on a single line
123 can be displayed using the `split` environment. Text
124 can be embedded in an equation using `\text` or
125 `\intertext` (as used in Theorem 1). See the `ams-`
126 `math` documentation for further details.

3. Either `texdoc amsmath` or <http://www.ctan.org/pkg/amsmath>

4. For reasons why you shouldn't use the obsolete `eqnarray` environment, see Lars Madsen, *Avoid eqnarray!* TUGboat 33(1):21–25, 2012.

3.1. Operator Names

Predefined operator names are listed in Table 1. For additional operators, either use `\operatorname`, for example $\operatorname{var}(X)$ or declare it with `\DeclareMathOperator`, for example

```
\DeclareMathOperator{\var}{var}
```

and then use this new command. If you want limits that go above and below the operator (like \sum) use the starred versions (`\operatorname*` or `\DeclareMathOperator*`).

4. Vectors and Sets

Vectors should be typeset using `\vec`. For example \mathbf{x} . (The original version of `\vec` can also be accessed using `\orgvec`, for example \vec{x} .) The `jmlr` class also provides `\set` to typeset a set. For example \mathcal{S} .

5. Floats

Floats, such as figures, tables and algorithms, are moving objects and are supposed to float to the nearest convenient location. Please don't force them to go in a particular place. In general it's best to use the `htbp` specifier and don't put the figure or table in the middle of a paragraph (that is make sure there's a paragraph break above and below the float). Floats are supposed to have a little extra space above and below them to make them stand out from the rest of the text. This extra spacing is put in automatically and shouldn't need modifying.

If your article will later be reprinted in the Challenges for Machine Learning, please be aware that the CiML books use a different paper size, so if you want to resize any images use a scale relative to the line width (`\linewidth`), text width (`\textwidth`) or text height (`\textheight`).

To ensure consistency, please *don't* try changing the format of the caption by doing something like:

```
\caption{\textit{A Sample Caption.}}
```

or

```
\caption{\em A Sample Caption.}
```

You can, of course, change the font for individual words or phrases, for example:

```
\caption{A Sample Caption With Some
\emph{Emphasized Words}.}
```

5.1. Tables

Tables should go in the `table` environment. Within this environment use `\floatconts` (defined by `jmlr`) to set the caption correctly and center the table contents. The location of the caption depends on the `tablecaption` setting in the document class options.

If you want horizontal rules you can use the `booktabs` package which provides the commands `\toprule`, `\midrule` and `\bottomrule`. For example, see Table 3.

If you really want vertical lines as well, you can't use the `booktabs` commands as there'll be some unwanted gaps. Instead you can use L^AT_EX's `\hline`, but the rows may appear a bit cramped. You can add extra space above or below a row using `\abovestru` and `\belowstrut`. For example, see Table 4. However, you might want to read the `booktabs` documentation regarding the use of vertical lines.

If you want to align numbers on their decimal point, you can use the `siunitx` package. For example, see Table 5. For further details see the `siunitx` documentation⁵.

If the table is too wide, you can adjust the inter-column spacing by changing the value of `\tabcolsep`. For example:

```
\setlength{\tabcolsep}{3pt}
```

If the table is very wide but not very long, you can use the `sidewaystable` environment defined in the `rotating` package (so use `\usepackage{rotating}`). If the table is too long to fit on a page, you can use the `longtable` environment defined in the `longtable` package (so use `\usepackage{longtable}`).

5.2. Figures

Figures should go in the `figure` environment. Within this environment, use `\floatconts` to correctly position the caption and center the image. Use `\includegraphics` for external graphics files but omit the file extension. Do not use `\epsfig` or `\psfig`. If you want to scale the image, it's better to use a fraction of the line width rather than an explicit length. For example, see Figure 1.

If your image is made up of L^AT_EX code (for example, commands provided by the `pgf` package) you can include it using `\includeteximage` (defined by the `jmlr` class). This can be scaled and rotated in the

5. Either `texdoc siunitx` or <http://www.ctan.org/pkg/siunitx>

Table 1: Predefined Operator Names (taken from amsmath documentation)

<code>\arccos</code>	arccos	<code>\deg</code>	deg	<code>\lg</code>	lg	<code>\projlim</code>	projlim
<code>\arcsin</code>	arcsin	<code>\det</code>	det	<code>\lim</code>	lim	<code>\sec</code>	sec
<code>\arctan</code>	arctan	<code>\dim</code>	dim	<code>\liminf</code>	lim inf	<code>\sin</code>	sin
<code>\arg</code>	arg	<code>\exp</code>	exp	<code>\limsup</code>	lim sup	<code>\sinh</code>	sinh
<code>\cos</code>	cos	<code>\gcd</code>	gcd	<code>\ln</code>	ln	<code>\sup</code>	sup
<code>\cosh</code>	cosh	<code>\hom</code>	hom	<code>\log</code>	log	<code>\tan</code>	tan
<code>\cot</code>	cot	<code>\inf</code>	inf	<code>\max</code>	max	<code>\tanh</code>	tanh
<code>\coth</code>	coth	<code>\injlim</code>	injlim	<code>\min</code>	min		
<code>\csc</code>	csc	<code>\ker</code>	ker	<code>\Pr</code>	Pr		
		<code>\varlimsup</code>	$\overline{\lim}$	<code>\varinjlim</code>	\varinjlim		
		<code>\varliminf</code>	$\underline{\lim}$	<code>\varprojlim</code>	\varprojlim		

Table 2: An Example Table

Dataset	Result
Data1	0.12345
Data2	0.67890
Data3	0.54321
Data4	0.09876

Table 5: A Table With Numbers Aligned on the Decimal Point

Dataset	Result
Data1	0.123 45
Data2	10.6789
Data3	50.543
Data4	200.098 76

Table 3: A Table With Horizontal Lines

Dataset	Result
Data1	0.12345
Data2	0.67890
Data3	0.54321
Data4	0.09876

same way as `\includegraphics`. For example, see [Figure 2](#). 214
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Table 4: A Table With Horizontal and Vertical Lines

Dataset	Result
Data1	0.12345
Data2	0.67890
Data3	0.54321
Data4	0.09876

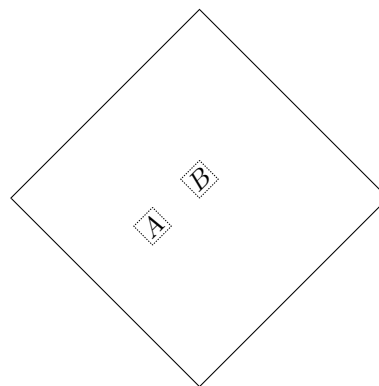


Figure 2: Image Created Using L^AT_EX Code



Figure 1: Example Image

If the figure is too wide to fit on the page, you can use the `sidewaysfigure` environment defined in the `rotating` package. 216
217
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219 Don't use `\graphicspath`.⁶ If the im-
 220 ages are contained in a subdirectory, specify
 221 this when you include the image, for example
 222 `\includegraphics{figures/mypic}`.

223 5.2.1. SUB-FIGURES

224 Sub-figures can be created using `\subfigure`, which
 225 is defined by the `jmlr` class. The optional argument
 226 allows you to provide a subcaption. The label should
 227 be placed in the mandatory argument of `\subfigure`.
 228 You can reference the entire figure, for example Fig-
 229 ure 3, or you can reference part of the figure using
 230 `\figureref`, for example Figure 3(a). Alternatively
 231 you can reference the subfigure using `\subfigref`, for
 232 example (a) and (b) in Figure 3.

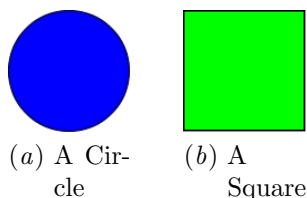


Figure 3: An Example With Sub-Figures.

233 By default, the sub-figures are aligned on the base-
 234 line. This can be changed using the second optional
 235 argument of `\subfigure`. This may be `t` (top), `c`
 236 (centered) or `b` (bottom). For example, the subfig-
 237 ures (a) and (b) in Figure 4 both have `[c]` as the
 238 second optional argument.

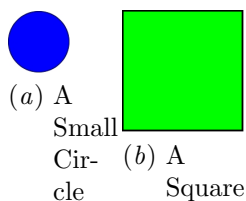


Figure 4: Another Example With Sub-Figures.

239 5.3. Sub-Tables

240 There is an analogous command `\subtable` for sub-
 241 tables. It has the same syntax as `\subfigure` de-

6. This is specific to the `jmlr` class, not a general recommen-
 dation. The main file that generates the proceedings or
 the CiML book is typically in a different directory to the
 imported articles, so it modifies the graphics path when it
 imports an article.

scribed above. You can reference the table using
`\tableref`, for example Table 6 or you can refer-
 ence part of the table, for example Table 6(a).
 Alternatively you can reference the subtable using
`\subtabref`, for example (a) and (b) in Table 6.

Table 6: An Example With Sub-Tables

(a)		(b)	
A	B	C	D
1	2	3	4
		5	6

By default, the sub-tables are aligned on the top.
 This can be changed using the second optional argu-
 ment of `\subtable`. This may be `t` (top), `c` (cen-
 tered) or `b` (bottom). For example, the sub-tables
 (a) and (b) in Table 7 both have `[c]` as the second
 optional argument.

Table 7: Another Example With Sub-Tables

(a)		(b)	
A	B	C	D
1	2	3	4
		5	6

5.4. Algorithms

Enumerated textual algorithms can be displayed us-
 ing the `algorithm` environment. Within this envi-
 ronment, use `\caption` to set the caption and you
 can use an `enumerate` or nested `enumerate` envi-
 ronments. For example, see Algorithm 1. Note that
 algorithms float like figures and tables.

Algorithm 1: The Gauss-Seidel Algorithm

1. For $k = 1$ to maximum number of iterations

(a) For $i = 1$ to n

i. $x_i^{(k)} = \frac{b_i - \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} a_{ij}x_j^{(k)} - \sum_{j=i+1}^n a_{ij}x_j^{(k-1)}}{a_{ii}}$

ii. If $\|\mathbf{x}^{(k)} - \mathbf{x}^{(k-1)}\| < \epsilon$, where ϵ is a
 specified stopping criteria, stop.

If you'd rather have the same numbering through-
 out the algorithm but still want the convenient in-
 dentation of nested `enumerate` environments, you can

263 use the `enumerate*` environment provided by the `jmlr`
 264 class. For example, see Algorithm 2.

Algorithm 2: Moore's Shortest Path

Given a connected graph G , where the length of each edge is 1:

1. Set the label of vertex s to 0
 2. Set $i = 0$
 3. Locate all unlabelled vertices adjacent to a vertex labelled i and label them $i + 1$
 4. If vertex t has been labelled,
 - the shortest path can be found by back-tracking, and the length is given by the label of t .
 - otherwise
 - increment i and return to step 3
-

265 Pseudo code can be displayed using the
 266 `algorithm2e` environment. This is defined by
 267 the `algorithm2e` package (which is automatically
 268 loaded) so check the `algorithm2e` documentation for
 269 further details.⁷ For an example, see Algorithm 3.

Algorithm 3: Computing Net Activation

Input: $x_1, \dots, x_n, w_1, \dots, w_n$

Output: y , the net activation

```

 $y \leftarrow 0;$ 
for  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $n$  do
  |  $y \leftarrow y + w_i * x_i;$ 
end

```

270 6. Description Lists

271 The `jmlr` class also provides a description-like environ-
 272 ment called `altdescription`. This has an argument
 273 that should be the widest label in the list. Compare:

274 **add** A method that adds two variables.

275 **differentiate** A method that differentiates a func-
 276 tion.

277 with

7. Either `texdoc algorithm2e` or <http://www.ctan.org/pkg/algorithm2e>

add A method that adds two variables.

differentiate A method that differentiates a function.

282 7. Theorems, Lemmas etc

283 The following theorem-like environments are prede-
 284 fined by the `jmlr` class: `theorem`, `example`, `lemma`,
 285 `proposition`, `remark`, `corollary`, `definition`,
 286 `conjecture` and `axiom`. You can use the `proof` en-
 287 vironment to display the proof if need be, as in The-
 288 orem 1.

Theorem 1 (Eigenvalue Powers) *If λ is an eigenvalue of B with eigenvector ξ , then λ^n is an eigenvalue of B^n with eigenvector ξ .*

Proof *Let λ be an eigenvalue of B with eigenvector ξ , then*

$$B\xi = \lambda\xi$$

premultiply by B :

$$\begin{aligned}
 BB\xi &= B\lambda\xi \\
 \Rightarrow B^2\xi &= \lambda B\xi \\
 &= \lambda\lambda\xi && \text{since } B\xi = \lambda\xi \\
 &= \lambda^2\xi
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore true for $n = 2$. Now assume true for $n = k$:

$$B^k\xi = \lambda^k\xi$$

premultiply by B :

$$\begin{aligned}
 BB^k\xi &= B\lambda^k\xi \\
 \Rightarrow B^{k+1}\xi &= \lambda^k B\xi \\
 &= \lambda^k\lambda\xi && \text{since } B\xi = \lambda\xi \\
 &= \lambda^{k+1}\xi
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore true for $n = k + 1$. Therefore, by induction, true for all n . ■

Lemma 2 (A Sample Lemma) *This is a lemma.*

Remark 3 (A Sample Remark) *This is a re- mark.*

Corollary 4 (A Sample Corollary) *This is a corollary.*

304 **Definition 5 (A Sample Definition)** *This is a* comma-separated list, for example [Guyon and Elisseeff \(2003\)](#); [Guyon et al. \(2007\)](#).
 305 *definition.*

306 **Conjecture 6 (A Sample Conjecture)** *This is* These commands have optional arguments and
 307 *a conjecture.* have a starred version. See the `natbib` documenta-
 308 tion for further details.⁹

308 **Axiom 7 (A Sample Axiom)** *This is an axiom.* The bibliography is displayed using
 309 `\bibliography`.

309 **Example 1 (An Example)** *This is an example.*

310 8. Color vs Grayscale

311 It's helpful if authors supply grayscale versions of
 312 their images in the event that the article is to be
 313 incorporated into a black and white printed book.
 314 With external PDF, PNG or JPG graphic files,
 315 you just need to supply a grayscale version of the
 316 file. For example, if the file is called `myimage.png`,
 317 then the gray version should be `myimage-gray.png`
 318 or `myimage-gray.pdf` or `myimage-gray.jpg`. You
 319 don't need to modify your code. The `jmlr` class checks
 320 for the existence of the grayscale version if it is print
 321 mode (provided you have used `\includegraphics`
 322 and haven't specified the file extension).

323 You can use `\ifprint` to determine which mode
 324 you are in. For example, in Figure 1, the purple el-
 325 lipse represents an input and the yellow ellipse repre-
 326 sents an output. Another example: **important text!**

327 You can use the class option `gray` to see how the
 328 document will appear in gray scale mode. **Colored**
 329 **text** will automatically be converted to gray scale in
 330 print mode.

331 The `jmlr` class loads the `xcolor` package, so you can
 332 also define your own colors. For example: **XYZ**.

333 The `xcolor` class is loaded with the `x11names` op-
 334 tion, so you can use any of the `x11` predefined colors
 335 (listed in the `xcolor` documentation⁸).

336 9. Citations and Bibliography

337 The `jmlr` class automatically loads `natbib` and auto-
 338 matically sets the bibliography style, so you don't
 339 need to use `\bibliographystyle`. This sample file
 340 has the citations defined in the accompanying Bib-
 341 TeX file `chil-sample.bib`. For a parenthetical cita-
 342 tion use `\citep`. For example ([Guyon and Elisseeff, 2003](#)).
 343 For a textual citation use `\citet`. For exam-
 344 ple [Guyon et al. \(2007\)](#). Both commands may take a

345 comma-separated list, for example [Guyon and Elisseeff \(2003\)](#);
 346 [Guyon et al. \(2007\)](#).

347 These commands have optional arguments and
 348 have a starred version. See the `natbib` documenta-
 349 tion for further details.⁹

350 The bibliography is displayed using
 351 `\bibliography`.

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 355 *cepted.* Acknowledgments do not count toward the
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373 Appendix A. First Appendix

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376 This is the second appendix.

8. either `texdoc xcolor` or <http://www.ctan.org/pkg/xcolor>

9. Either `texdoc natbib` or <http://www.ctan.org/pkg/natbib>