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Preface

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Preface

Part I

Introduction

Introduction

1 Introduction

I do not want to write a lengthy introduction on how to use this template. If you are familiar with $\text{\LaTeX} 2_{\epsilon}$, it should be fairly simple to use. Note, however, that you should pay attention to one detail regarding the compilation of the various bibliographies in the template.

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Normally, an editor will run `bibtex master` in the background when asked to compile the bibliography for a master document named `master.tex`. Since the template uses the package `chapterbib` for generating the multiple bibliographies, the editor should instead run `bibtex introduction/introduction` to generate the bibliography for the introduction, `bibtex papers/paperA/paperA` to generate the bibliography for paper A, and so on. You can see how I compile the template by looking in the included `Makefile`. Note that you can run this `Makefile` on both OS X and on a Linux distribution. On Windows, however, you will have to either translate the `Makefile` into a bat-file, install Cygwin, or make your $\text{\LaTeX} 2_{\epsilon}$ editor run the same commands.

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- Make sure that no lines have a thickness less than 0.15 points.
- Images should be approximately 300 dpi/ppi but no more than 400 dpi/ppi.

2 Section 2 name

Here is section 2. If you want to learn more about $\text{\LaTeX}2_{\epsilon}$, have a look at [1], [3] and [2].

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3. Conclusion



2.1 Examples

You can also have examples in your document such as in example 2.1.

Example 2.1 (An Example of an Example)

Here is an example with some math

$$0 = \exp(i\pi) + 1 . \quad (1)$$

You can adjust the colour and the line width in the `macros.tex` file.

2.2 How does Subsections and Subsubsections Look?

Well, like this

This is a Subsubsection

and this.

A Paragraph You can also use paragraph titles which look like this.

A Subparagraph Moreover, you can also use subparagraph titles which look like this. They have a small indentation as opposed to the paragraph titles.

I think that a summary of this exciting chapter should be added.

Is it possible to add a subsub-paragraph?

3 Conclusion

There are probably still some bugs in the theme. If you should find one, then please submit it on <https://github.com/jkjaer/aauLatexTemplates>.

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Part II

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Paper A title

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