## **Amazon Mechanical Turk**

The HIT task chosen is 'Extract Data from Shopping Receipt', by Shopping Receipts.

The payment structure is of a reward of \$0.07. No other information is given on the description regarding payments.

Time allotted to complete the experiment is 60 minutes. While most jobs give more details of the reward, the only information given for this experiment is that the reward is \$0.07. Other information regarding the experiment says that we are to extract readable items off of a shopping receipt image where the quantities are not blacked out.

The qualifications required are that HIT approval rate is not less than 90, that OC qualification P is not less than 90, and that total approved HITS is not less than 2000.

The job takes 60 minutes. That is an hourly rate of 7 cents. It is not clear if the reward is *per* shopping list or for doing all of them. A quick review says it shouldn't take more than 2 minutes for one shopping list, but for more information I am expected to qualify for the task which I do not.

The job expires in 48 minutes (as of 10:49 pm, 11/18/2018).

If 1 million people participated in the task then the HIT experiment creator would incur a cost of \$0.07 x 1 million which is \$700,000.