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## SYMBOLS

$m$  mass

$v$  velocity



## ABBREVIATIONS

abbr	abbreviation
bcf	billion cubic feet
BMOC	big man on campus

## NOMENCLATURE

Alanine	2-Aminopropanoic acid
Valine	2-Amino-3-methylbutanoic acid

## GLOSSARY

chick    female, usually young

dude    male, usually young

## ABSTRACT

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

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#### Subsubsection heading

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## 2. SUMMARY

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### **3. RECOMMENDATIONS**

Buy low. Sell high.

## APPENDICES



## A. DEMONSTRATE CITATIONS

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\cite{Lamport:1994}
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\cite{Goossens:1994}
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## B. DEMONSTRATE FIGURES

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The complete list of specifiers:

Specifier	Description
<code>b</code>	bottom of page
<code>h</code>	here on page
<code>p</code>	on separate page of figures
<code>t</code>	top of page
<code>!</code>	try hard to put figure as early as possible

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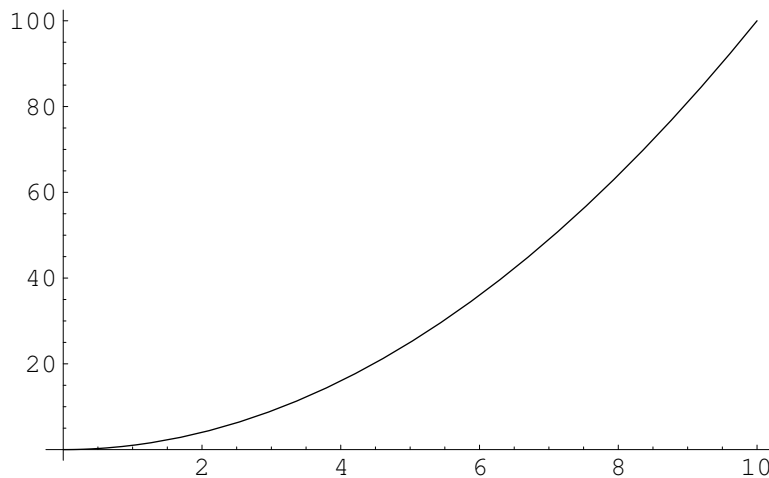


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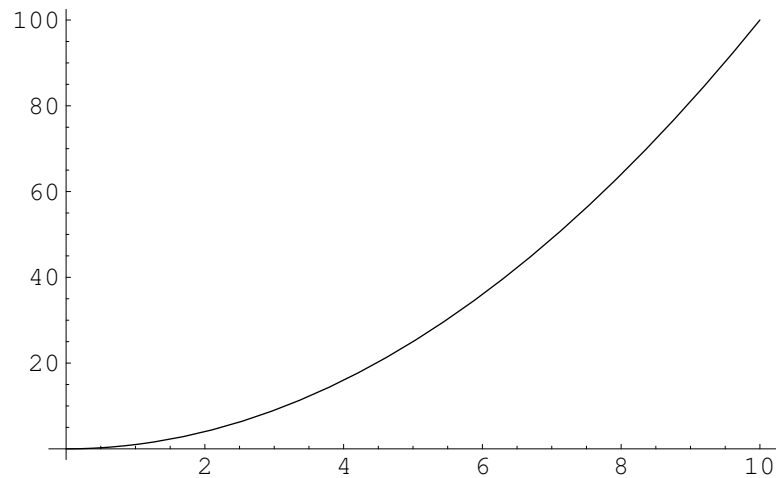


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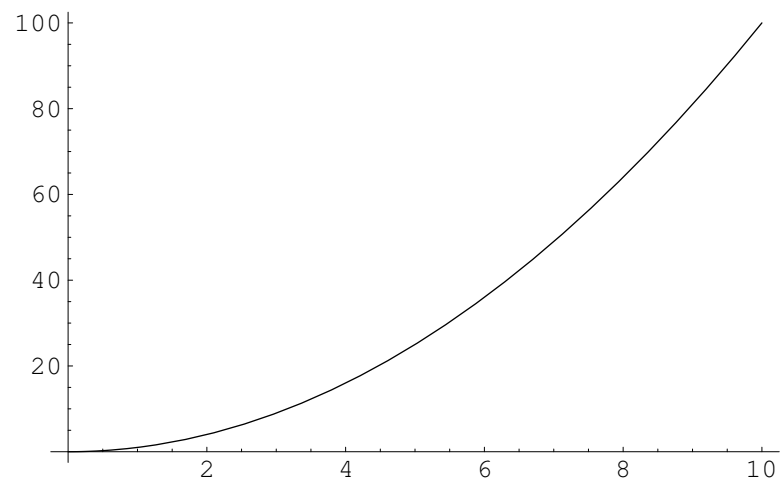


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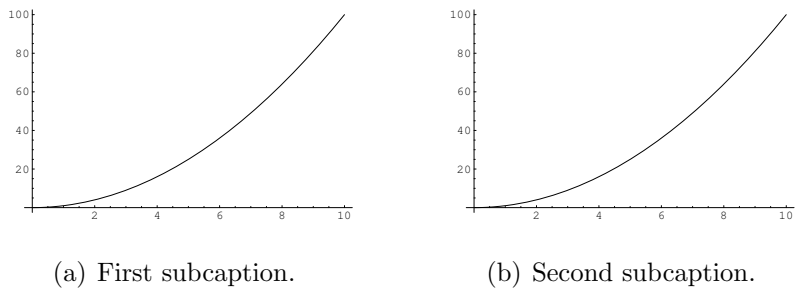
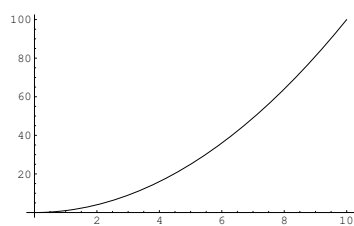
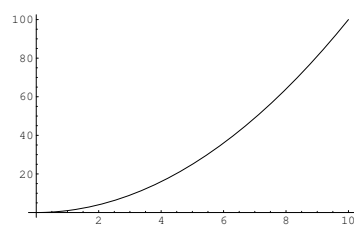


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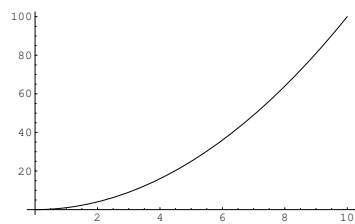
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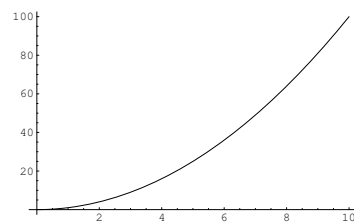
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(c) Third subcaption.



(d) Fourth subcaption.

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## C. DEMONSTRATE MATHEMATICS

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%      TeX uses $$ to open and close a displayed math environment.
%      In LaTeX, this may occasionally cause problems.  Don't do it.
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$$E = mc^2$$


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    E = mc^2
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$$E = mc^2 \tag{C.2}$$


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  a &= {}& b + c \\
  x &= {}& y + z
\end{align}
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$$x = y + z \quad (\text{C.5})$$


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  Z = \left(
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      c & d
    \end{array}
  \right)
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    {}& + d + e
  \end{split}
\end{equation}

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 &+ d + e
 \end{aligned}
 \tag{C.6}$$

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$$(\cos x)^2 + (\sin x)^2 = 1 \tag{C.7}$$

If  $X = \cos x$  and  $Y = \sin x$  then  $X^2 + Y^2 = 1$ .

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## E. DEMONSTRATE TABLES

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American Presidents

Number	Name
1	George Washington
2	John Adams
3	Thomas Jefferson

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Table E.2  
American Presidents with 2pt vertical space after heading

Number	Name
1	George Washington
2	John Adams
3	Thomas Jefferson

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Table E.3  
American Presidents with horizontal and vertical lines

#	Name
1	George Washington
2	John Adams
3	Thomas Jefferson

Here is a more complicated table.

Table E.4  
C Bitwise Operators

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Table E.5  
American Presidents using `\halign`

<b>Number</b>	<b>Name</b>
1	George Washington
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3	Thomas Jefferson

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Table E.6: State Abbreviations

State	Abbreviation
Alabama	AL
Alaska	AK
Arizona	AZ
Arkansas	AR
California	CA
Colorado	CO
Connecticut	CT
Delaware	DE
Florida	FL
Georgia	GA
Hawaii	HI
Idaho	ID
Illinois	IL
Indiana	IN
Iowa	IA
Kansas	KS
Kentucky	KY
Louisiana	LA
Maine	ME
Maryland	MD
Massachusetts	MA
Michigan	MI
Minnesota	MN
Mississippi	MS
Missouri	MO
Montana	MT
Nebraska	NE
Nevada	NV
New Hampshire	NH
New Jersey	NJ
New Mexico	NM
New York	NY
North Carolina	NC
North Dakota	ND
Ohio	OH
Oklahoma	OK
Oregon	OR
Pennsylvania	PA
Rhode Island	RI
South Carolina	SC

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Table E.6: *continued*

State	Abbreviation
South Dakota	SD
Tennessee	TN
Texas	TX
Utah	UT
Vermont	VT
Virginia	VA
Washington	WA
West Virginia	WV
Wisconsin	WI
Wyoming	WY

Table E.7  
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Number	Name
1	George Washington
2	John Adams
3	Thomas Jefferson

Table E.8  
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Number	Name
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3	Thomas Jefferson



## F. DEMONSTRATE TEXT

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\begin{quote}

1 In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth.  
 2 The earth was without form,  
 and void;  
 and darkness was on the face of the deep.  
 And the Spirit of God was hovering over the face of the waters.

3 Then God said, ‘‘Let there be light’’;  
 and there was light.  
 4 And God saw the light,  
 that it was good;  
 and God divided the light from the darkness.

5 God called the light Day,  
 and the darkness He called Night.

So the evening and the morning were the first day.

\end{quote}

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5 God called the light Day, and the darkness He called Night. So the evening and the morning were the first day.

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\begin{description}
  \item[apple]
    A red fruit.
  \item[banana]
    A yellow fruit.
    This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens.
    This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens.
  \item[cherry]
    A red fruit.
\end{description}

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**apple** A red fruit.

**banana** A yellow fruit. This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens. This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens.

**cherry** A red fruit.

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  \item apple
  \item banana
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    This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens.
  \item cherry
\end{enumerate}

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1. apple
  2. banana This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens.  
This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens.
  3. cherry
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  \item apple
  \item banana
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    This sentence is to make the entry longer so you can see what happens.
  \item cherry
\end{itemize}
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  - cherry
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