# Domain generalization using gaussian process latent variable model

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- copy, and nonatbib, which will not load the natbib package for you in case of package clash.

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- 30 line numbers to aid review. Please do *not* refer to these line numbers in your paper as they will be
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- 34 The formatting instructions contained in these style files are summarized in Sections 2, 3, and 4
- 35 below.

## **2** General formatting instructions

- 37 The text must be confined within a rectangle 5.5 inches (33 picas) wide and 9 inches (54 picas)
- 38 long. The left margin is 1.5 inch (9 picas). Use 10 point type with a vertical spacing (leading) of
- 39 11 points. Times New Roman is the preferred typeface throughout, and will be selected for you by
- default. Paragraphs are separated by ½ line space (5.5 points), with no indentation.
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- 42 rules. The top rule should be 4 points thick and the bottom rule should be 1 point thick. Allow
- 43 1/4 inch space above and below the title to rules. All pages should start at 1 inch (6 picas) from the
- 44 top of the page.
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- 46 sponding address. The lead author's name is to be listed first (left-most), and the co-authors' names
- 47 (if different address) are set to follow. If there is only one co-author, list both author and co-author
- 48 side by side.
- 49 Please pay special attention to the instructions in Section 4 regarding figures, tables, acknowledg-
- 50 ments, and references.

### 51 3 Headings: first level

- All headings should be lower case (except for first word and proper nouns), flush left, and bold.
- 53 First-level headings should be in 12-point type.

#### 54 3.1 Headings: second level

Second-level headings should be in 10-point type.

#### 56 3.1.1 Headings: third level

- 57 Third-level headings should be in 10-point type.
- 58 **Paragraphs** There is also a \paragraph command available, which sets the heading in bold, flush
- <sup>59</sup> left, and inline with the text, with the heading followed by 1 em of space.

#### 60 4 Citations, figures, tables, references

61 These instructions apply to everyone.

#### 62 4.1 Citations within the text

- 63 The natbib package will be loaded for you by default. Citations may be author/year or numeric, as
- 64 long as you maintain internal consistency. As to the format of the references themselves, any style
- is acceptable as long as it is used consistently.
- 66 The documentation for natbib may be found at
- http://mirrors.ctan.org/macros/latex/contrib/natbib/natnotes.pdf

- 68 Of note is the command \citet, which produces citations appropriate for use in inline text. For example,
- 70 \citet{hasselmo} investigated\dots
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- Hasselmo, et al. (1995) investigated...
- 73 If you wish to load the natbib package with options, you may add the following before loading the 74 nips\_2016 package:
- 75 \PassOptionsToPackage{options}{natbib}
- If natbib clashes with another package you load, you can add the optional argument nonatbib when loading the style file:
- 78 \usepackage[nonatbib] {nips\_2016}
- 79 As submission is double blind, refer to your own published work in the third person. That is, use "In
- 80 the previous work of Jones et al. [4]," not "In our previous work [4]." If you cite your other papers
- that are not widely available (e.g., a journal paper under review), use anonymous author names in
- the citation, e.g., an author of the form "A. Anonymous."

#### 83 4.2 Footnotes

- Footnotes should be used sparingly. If you do require a footnote, indicate footnotes with a number 1
- in the text. Place the footnotes at the bottom of the page on which they appear. Precede the footnote
- with a horizontal rule of 2 inches (12 picas).
- Note that footnotes are properly typeset *after* punctuation marks.<sup>2</sup>

# 38 4.3 Figures

- 89 All artwork must be neat, clean, and legible. Lines should be dark enough for purposes of reproduc-
- 90 tion. The figure number and caption always appear after the figure. Place one line space before the
- 91 figure caption and one line space after the figure. The figure caption should be lower case (except
- for first word and proper nouns); figures are numbered consecutively.
- You may use color figures. However, it is best for the figure captions and the paper body to be legible if the paper is printed in either black/white or in color.

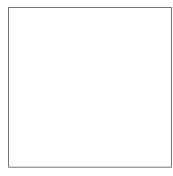


Figure 1: Sample figure caption.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Sample of the first footnote.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>As in this example.

Table 1: Comparison of our model and previous methods

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- All tables must be centered, neat, clean and legible. The table number and title always appear before the table. See Table 1.
- Place one line space before the table title, one line space after the table title, and one line space after the table. The table title must be lower case (except for first word and proper nouns); tables are
- 100 numbered consecutively.
- Note that publication-quality tables *do not contain vertical rules*. We strongly suggest the use of the booktabs package, which allows for typesetting high-quality, professional tables:
  - https://www.ctan.org/pkg/booktabs
- 104 This package was used to typeset Table 1.

#### 105 5 Final instructions

Do not change any aspects of the formatting parameters in the style files. In particular, do not modify the width or length of the rectangle the text should fit into, and do not change font sizes (except perhaps in the **References** section; see below). Please note that pages should be numbered.

#### 109 6 Preparing PDF files

- 110 Please prepare submission files with paper size "US Letter," and not, for example, "A4."
- Fonts were the main cause of problems in the past years. Your PDF file must only contain Type 1 or Embedded TrueType fonts. Here are a few instructions to achieve this.
  - You should directly generate PDF files using pdflatex.
  - You can check which fonts a PDF files uses. In Acrobat Reader, select the menu Files>Document Properties>Fonts and select Show All Fonts. You can also use the program pdffonts which comes with xpdf and is available out-of-the-box on most Linux machines.
  - **IEEE PDF** • The files has recommendations for generating whose fonts are also acceptable for NIPS. Please see http://www.emfield.org/icuwb2010/downloads/IEEE-PDF-SpecV32.pdf
  - xfig "patterned" shapes are implemented with bitmap fonts. Use "solid" shapes instead.
  - The \bbold package almost always uses bitmap fonts. You should use the equivalent AMS Fonts:

\usepackage{amsfonts}

followed by, e.g.,  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$ , or  $\mathbb{R}$ ,  $\mathbb{R}$  or  $\mathbb{R}$ . You can also use the following workaround for reals, natural and complex:

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\newcommand{\RR}{I\!\!R} %real numbers
\newcommand{\Nat}{I\!\!N} %natural numbers
\newcommand{\CC}{I\!\!\!!C} %complex numbers
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Note that amsfonts is automatically loaded by the amssymb package.

If your file contains type 3 fonts or non embedded TrueType fonts, we will ask you to fix it.

#### 6.1 Margins in LATEX

- 133 Most of the margin problems come from figures positioned by hand using \special or other com-
- mands. We suggest using the command \includegraphics from the graphicx package. Always
- specify the figure width as a multiple of the line width as in the example below:
- \usepackage[pdftex]{graphicx} ...
  \includegraphics[width=0.8\linewidth]{myfile.pdf}
- See Section 4.4 in the graphics bundle documentation (http://mirrors.ctan.org/macros/latex/required/graphics/
- A number of width problems arise when LATEX cannot properly hyphenate a line. Please give LaTeX
- 140 hyphenation hints using the \- command when necessary.

#### 141 Acknowledgments

- 142 Use unnumbered third level headings for the acknowledgments. All acknowledgments go at the
- end of the paper. Do not include acknowledgments in the anonymized submission, only in the final
- 144 paper.

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#### 145 References

- References follow the acknowledgments. Use unnumbered first-level heading for the references.
- Any choice of citation style is acceptable as long as you are consistent. It is permissible to reduce
- the font size to small (9 point) when listing the references. Remember that you can use a ninth
- page as long as it contains only cited references.
- 150 [1] Alexander, J.A. & Mozer, M.C. (1995) Template-based algorithms for connectionist rule extraction. In
- 151 G. Tesauro, D.S. Touretzky and T.K. Leen (eds.), Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems 7, pp.
- 152 609-616. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.
- 153 [2] Bower, J.M. & Beeman, D. (1995) The Book of GENESIS: Exploring Realistic Neural Models with the
- 154 GEneral NEural SImulation System. New York: TELOS/Springer-Verlag.
- 155 [3] Hasselmo, M.E., Schnell, E. & Barkai, E. (1995) Dynamics of learning and recall at excitatory recurrent
- 156 synapses and cholinergic modulation in rat hippocampal region CA3. Journal of Neuroscience 15(7):5249-
- 157 5262.