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## **Abstract**

This is the abstract. It's probably the only part people will actually read.

## **Acknowledgements**

This is where your acknowledgements go, because it's important to be nice. Usually thanking people like your supervisor, family, and those who read through your work is a good idea.

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# 1 Background Chapter

This is chapter 1, which cites Chalmers (2012).

## 1.1 A section

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### 1.1.1 A subsection

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Equation example:

$$P(1|\theta, \phi) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp[-1.702 \cdot (\alpha_1 \theta_1 + \alpha_2 \theta_2 + \beta)]} \quad (1.1)$$

As can be seen in (1.1)...blah blah blah.

Alternatively, one can use L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X macros to render equations with shorthand notation (define it in one location, but reference it globally). The below equation is generated simply by opening a

math environment and typing `\twoPL`.

$$\frac{\exp(\alpha + \beta\theta)}{1 + \exp(\alpha + \beta\theta)}$$

This correctly renders the equation in L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, and puts the macro in with the standard L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X format (view the source code panel with **View -> Source Pane**). The macro itself was defined in an external file called `custom_macros`, and allows equations and such to be reused by other documents in the future. No more copy-and-pasting! Macros can also have optional and required inputs, like so  $\frac{\exp(\alpha)^{20}}{1+\exp(\beta)^{30}}$ , where the required inputs were left blank when first defined.

## 2 New Material Chapter

This is chapter 2, which also references Equation 1.1. References carry across documents because the master file (*york-thesis.lyx*) has two children: *chapter-1.lyx* and *chapter-2.lyx*.

Include figures and tables by placing them in “floating environments”. So for a figure, use Insert -> Float -> Figure, and then inside the generated box point to your external figure files with Insert -> Graphics. Labels are added with Insert -> Label and are references with Insert -> Cross-Reference.



Figure 2.1: My figure title

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Table 2.1: My table



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