

# PROJECT REPORT

## A molecular dynamics simulation report

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### ABSTRACT

This template is for authors who are preparing a report for the course "Molecular Mechanics and Multiscale Modelling of Materials" using L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X document preparation system and the `interact` class file.

### KEYWORDS

simulation; atoms; NVE; potentials;

## 1. Introduction & Motivation

Here you can explain what is the motivation behind the project ...

## 2. Methods & Materials

Here you explain how was the model created, what are the requirements etc.

### 2.1. Lists

Numbered lists are produced using the `enumerate` environment, which will number each list item with arabic numerals by default. For example,

- (1) first item
- (2) second item
- (3) third item

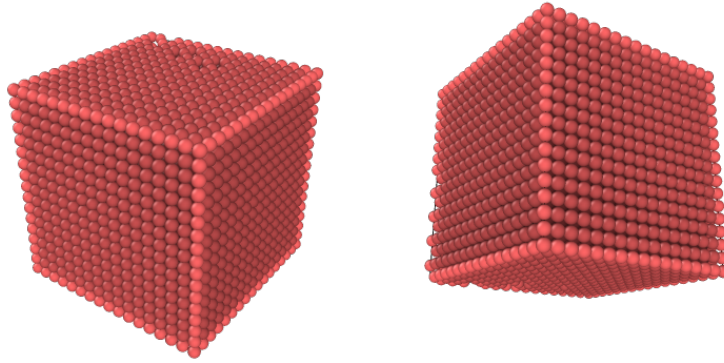
was produced by

```
\begin{enumerate}
  \item first item
  \item second item
  \item third item
\end{enumerate}
```

Alternative numbering styles can be achieved by inserting an optional argument in square brackets to each `item`, e.g. `\item[(i)] first item` to create a list numbered with roman numerals at level one.

Bulleted lists are produced using the `itemize` environment. For example,

- First bulleted item



(a) An example of an individual figure sub-caption. (b) A slightly shorter sub-caption.

**Figure 1.** Example of a two-part figure with individual sub-captions showing that captions are flush left and justified if greater than one line of text.

- Second bulleted item
- Third bulleted item

was produced by

```
\begin{itemize}
  \item First bulleted item
  \item Second bulleted item
  \item Third bulleted item
\end{itemize}
```

## 2.2. Figures

The `interact` class file will deal with positioning your figures in the same way as standard  $\text{\LaTeX}$ . It should not normally be necessary to use the optional `[htb]` location specifiers of the `figure` environment in your manuscript; you may, however, find the `[p]` placement option or the `endfloat` package useful if a journal insists on the need to separate figures from the text.

Figure captions appear below the figures themselves, therefore the `\caption` command should appear after the body of the figure. For example, Figure 1 with caption and sub-captions is produced using the following commands:

```
\begin{figure}
\centering
\subfigure[An example of an individual figure sub-caption.]{%
\resizebox*{5cm}{!}{\includegraphics{example1.png}}}\hspace{5pt}
\subfigure[A slightly shorter sub-caption.]{%
\resizebox*{5cm}{!}{\includegraphics{example2.png}}}
\caption{Example of a two-part figure with individual sub-captions
showing that captions are flush left and justified if greater
than one line of text.} \label{sample-figure}
\end{figure}
```

To ensure that figures are correctly numbered automatically, the `\label` command should be included just after the `\caption` command, or in its argument.

**Table 1.** Example of a table showing that its caption is as wide as the table itself and justified.

Class	Type					
	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six
Alpha <sup>a</sup>	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6
Beta	B2	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6
Gamma	C2	C2	C3	C4	C5	C6

<sup>a</sup>This footnote shows how to include footnotes to a table if required.

## 2.3. Tables

The `interact` class file will deal with positioning your tables in the same way as standard  $\text{\LaTeX}$ . It should not normally be necessary to use the optional `[htb]` location specifiers of the `table` environment in your report.

The `tabular` environment can be used as shown to create tables with single horizontal rules at the head, foot and elsewhere as appropriate. The captions appear above the tables in the `Interact` style, therefore the `\tbl` command should be used before the body of the table. For example, Table 1 is produced using the following commands:

```
\begin{table}
\tbl{Example of a table showing that its caption is as wide as
the table itself and justified.}
{\begin{tabular}{lcccccc} \toprule
& \multicolumn{2}{l}{Type} \\ \cmidrule{2-7}
Class & One & Two & Three & Four & Five & Six \\ \midrule
Alpha\textsuperscript{a} & A1 & A2 & A3 & A4 & A5 & A6 \\
Beta & B2 & B2 & B3 & B4 & B5 & B6 \\
Gamma & C2 & C2 & C3 & C4 & C5 & C6 \\ \bottomrule
\end{tabular}}
\tabnote{\textsuperscript{a}This footnote shows how to include
footnotes to a table if required.}
\label{sample-table}
\end{table}
```

To ensure that tables are correctly numbered automatically, the `\label` command should be included just before `\end{table}`.

The `\toprule`, `\midrule`, `\bottomrule` and `\cmidrule` commands are those used by `booktabs.sty`, which is called by the `interact` class file and included in the `Interact`  $\text{\LaTeX}$  bundle for convenience. Tables produced using the standard commands of the `tabular` environment are also compatible with the `interact` class file.

## 2.4. Mathematics

### 2.4.1. Displayed mathematics

The `interact` class file will set displayed mathematical formulas centred on the page without equation numbers if you use the `displaymath` environment or the equivalent `\[...\]` construction. For example, the equation

$$\hat{\theta}_{w_i} = \hat{\theta}(s(t, \mathcal{U}_{w_i}))$$

was typeset using the commands

```
\[
\hat{\theta}_{w_i} = \hat{\theta}(s(t,\mathcal{U}_{w_i}))
\]
```

For those of your equations that you wish to be automatically numbered sequentially throughout the text for future reference, use the `equation` environment, e.g.

$$\hat{\theta}_{w_i} = \hat{\theta}(s(t, \mathcal{U}_{w_i})) \quad (1)$$

was typeset using the commands

```
\begin{equation}
\hat{\theta}_{w_i} = \hat{\theta}(s(t,\mathcal{U}_{w_i}))
\end{equation}
```

Part numbers for sets of equations may be generated using the `subequations` environment, e.g.

$$\varepsilon \rho w_{tt}(s, t) = N[w_s(s, t), w_{st}(s, t)]_s, \quad (2a)$$

$$w_{tt}(1, t) + N[w_s(1, t), w_{st}(1, t)] = 0, \quad (2b)$$

which was typeset using the commands

```
\begin{subequations} \label{subeqnexample}
\begin{equation}
\varepsilon \rho w_{tt}(s, t) = N[w_s(s, t), w_{st}(s, t)]_s,
\label{subeqnparta}
\end{equation}
\begin{equation}
w_{tt}(1, t) + N[w_s(1, t), w_{st}(1, t)] = 0, \quad \label{subeqnpartb}
\end{equation}
\end{subequations}
```

This is made possible by the `amsmath` package, which is called by the class file. If you put a `\label` just after the `\begin{subequations}` command, references can be made to the collection of equations, i.e. ‘(2)’ in the example above. Or, as the example also shows, you can label and refer to each equation individually – i.e. ‘(2a)’ and ‘(2b)’.

Displayed mathematics should be given end-of-line punctuation appropriate to the running text sentence of which it forms a part, if required.

### 3. Results

### 4. Discussion

## 5. References

The following list shows some sample references:

### References

Rapaport, Dennis C., and Dennis C. Rapaport Rapaport. 2004. The art of molecular dynamics simulation. Cambridge university press.

Humphrey, William, Andrew Dalke, and Klaus Schulten. 1996. "VMD: visual molecular dynamics." Journal of molecular graphics 14, no. 1 (1996): 33-38.

This was produced by typing:

```
\begin{thebibliography}{}
\bibitem[Rapaport and Dennis C.(2004)]{RD04}
Rapaport, Dennis C., and Dennis C. Rapaport Rapaport. 2004.
The art of molecular dynamics simulation.
Cambridge university press.

\bibitem[Humphrey, William, Andrew Dalke, and Klaus Schulten.(1996)]{HWA96}
Humphrey, William, Andrew Dalke, and Klaus Schulten. 1996.
"VMD: visual molecular dynamics."
Journal of molecular graphics 14, no. 1 (1996): 33-38.

\end{thebibliography}
```

Each entry takes the form:

```
\bibitem[authors' names(date of publication)]{key}
Bibliography entry
```

where 'authors' names' is the list of names to appear where the `\bibitem` is cited in the text, and 'key' is the tag that is to be used as an argument for the `\cite{}` commands in the text of the article. 'Bibliography entry' is the material that is to appear in the list of references, suitably formatted. The commands

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\usepackage{natbib}
\bibpunct[, ]{({})}{;}{a}{}{,}
\renewcommand\bibfont{\fontsize{10}{12}\selectfont}
```

need to be included in the preamble of your .tex file in order to generate the citations and bibliography as described above.