

# *SOC 4930/5050: Week 11 LaTeX Commands*

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## *Packages*

- `xcolor`

## *Formula Construction*

### *Math Mode*

`$ a = b+2 $`

### *Summation Notation*

`\sum_{i = val}^{n}`

### *Bar Over Letter*

`\bar{letter}`

### *Subscript*

`{mainText}_{subScript}`

### *Superscript*

`{mainText}^{superScript}`

### *Fraction*

`\frac{numerator}{denominator}`

### *Square Root*

`\sqrt{value}`

*Greek Letters**mu* ( $\mu$ )`\mu`*sigma* ( $\sigma$ )`\sigma`*Numbered Equations*`\begin{equation}``% insert equation here``\end{equation}`*Bespoke Tables**Left-justified Table Cells*`\begin{tabular}{lll}`<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Use c for centered text and r for right-justified text. Include a letter for each column.

*Centering a Single Cell*`\multicolumn{1}{c}{text}`<sup>2</sup>

<sup>2</sup> The 1 indicates that these changes should span a single cell, and c stands for center. This same command can be used to create header cells of varying widths if you want to further customize tables.

*“Invisible” Negative Sign*`{\color{color} $-}$value`*Superscript Asterisks*`$ value^{\ast} $`