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# Notation, Definitions, and

## Abbreviations

#### Notation

 $A \leq B$ 

A is less than or equal to B

#### **Definitions**

Challenge

With respect to video games, a challenge is a set of goals presented to the player that they are tasks with completing; challenges can test a variety of player skills, including accuracy, logical reasoning, and creative problem solving

#### Abbreviations

AI

Artificial intelligence

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# Achievement

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# Chapter 1

### Introduction

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#### 1.1 Objective

#### 1.2 Background

#### 1.3 Problem Statement

# Chapter 2

# Your Chapter Title

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#### 2.1 Referencing

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Table 2.1: A sample table

#### 2.3.1 Long Tables

A sample long table is shown in Appendix B.

#### 2.4 Equations

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$$y = mx + b \tag{2.4.1}$$



(a) Figure 1

Figure 2.2: A Multi-Figure Environment

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# Chapter 3

# Conclusion

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# Appendix A

# Your Appendix

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# Appendix B

# Long Tables

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