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Abbreviations

AC	Alternating Current
AFM	Atomic Force Microscopy/Microscope
<i>etc.</i>	<i>etc.</i>

Symbols

$\hat{\rho}$	Density operator
<i>etc.</i>	<i>etc.</i>

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Appendix C

Example of Code

C.1 Find the greatest number from a list of numbers in *Python*

```
a=[1,2,3,4,6,7,99,88,999]
max= 0
for i in a:
    if i > max:
        max=i
print(max)
```


Appendix D

Example of Equations

$$E = mc^2 \tag{D.1}$$

$$a = b + c \tag{D.2}$$

$$x = y + z \tag{D.3}$$

$$a = b + c \\ + d + e$$

$$\sin x + \cos x = 1 \tag{D.4}$$

Appendix E

Example of Figures



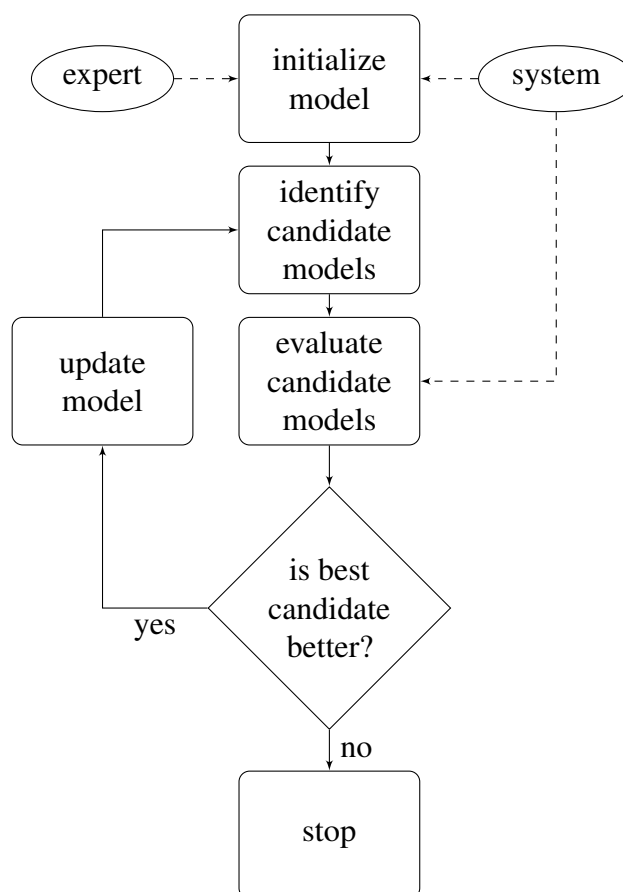
Figure E.1: The University Of Queensland

The Figure E.1 represents beauty of the UQ campus.

Appendix F

Example of Flow Charts

Figure F.1: Flow Chart



Flow chart F.1 is a simple example.

Appendix G

Example of Tables

Here is a really simple table G.1.

Table G.1: Name of the Australian Cities

Number	Name
1	Brisbane
2	Sydney
3	Melbourne
4	Canberra
5	Perth
6	Adelaide
7	Hobart
8	Darwin

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