

Homework Assignment #12, Everything Else

This assignment consists of five parts. Be sure to submit all five parts by the November 20 deadline.

Part 1: Technical Abstract. Write a technical abstract for your senior thesis. The audience for this abstract is specialists in your area of research. Be sure to include all elements of an abstract. (You may wish to review Celia's [abstract rant](#).) The abstract should be <200 words (about five sentences).

Part 2: Nontechnical Abstract. Write a nontechnical abstract for your senior thesis, suitable for a general audience. (Explain the importance of your work in terms that a Congressman who wants to cut the NSF budget could understand.) Again, be sure to include all elements of an abstract. This abstract should also be <200 words.

Part 3: References. Provide the complete references section of your thesis. Use the referencing style required for *Physical Review Letters*.

Part 4: Acknowledgments. Write the acknowledgments section of your thesis. (Get it spelled right.) Review the November 13 lecture on acknowledgments. Include funding information (including grant numbers) and required disclaimers.

Part 5: Title. Write the final concise, descriptive, [effective title](#) for your thesis.

Due: **Friday, November 20, 9:00 PM.** This assignment is not eligible for rewrite points. Assignments submitted after the deadline will be subject to a 5-points/day late penalty.

Total—100 points

Notes/Questions to Ask: