

Abstract for the CECAM Workshop on Gel Rheology

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Here we describe the format and preparation of submissions for the International CECAM Workshop on Gel Rheology in Lyon, June 2017. All participants wishing to give a talk or poster presentation are asked to submit a *one-page* abstract prepared in L^AT_EX via the conference web site, no later than **April 21, 2017**. The programme committee will decide on the talk/poster assignment end of April 2017.

Abstracts will be typeset in a format that closely follows that of Physical Review Letters. The maximum length is one full page (size DIN A4 with text dimensions 260 mm × 170 mm).

To prepare the abstract, download the template files from <https://gel2017.sciencesconf.org/>. This includes this sample file, which you can examine to figure out the L^AT_EX commands being used. Below are some remarks on what you should keep in mind when preparing the abstract. As a rule, follow the Physical Review guidelines. Do not change the document class v14 used in the template; this is simply a wrapper around RevTeX 4.1 which you will need to have installed. It is part of the major L^AT_EX-distributions that we know of. If in doubt, consult the RevTeX home page, <https://authors.aps.org/revtex4/>. You will need to do the following:

- Replace the sample title by your own, in the `\title` command.
- Replace the author list, by adding each author with her or his own `\author` command, followed by `\affiliation` to give an affiliation address. If several authors share the same affiliation, either just give `\affiliation` after the last author, or repeat the same `\affiliation` command after every author.
- After the first, or in general after the corresponding author, include a `\correspondingauthor` command and give as its parameter the corresponding e-mail address.
- Replace this sample text! You may include figures, equations as you desire. Also, we explicitly ask you to include references, in particular to recent relevant work of yours, but also to general literature that is relevant for your topic.

Figures can be included using the `graphicx` package; for references to figures use the format Fig. 1. If you are using standard `latex` to compile the template, use encapsulated PostScript (EPS) figure files. You can also use `pdflatex` to produce PDF output, in which case you can include PDF, PNG, and JPEG

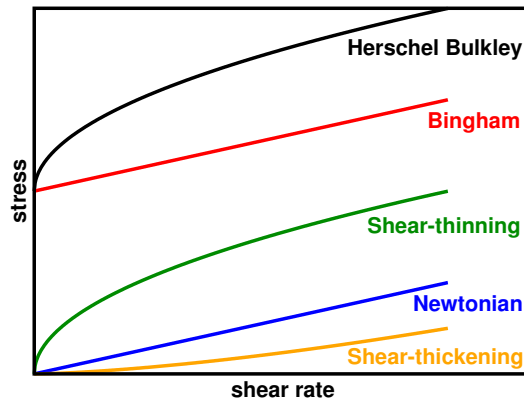


FIG. 1. This box demonstrates the inclusion of figures. Note that in the `\includegraphics` command, the file name should be given just as the base name, without a `.eps`, `.pdf`, `.png`, or `.jpg` ending. Make sure that your figure file names have these suffixes, in lower-case letters.

images. Use EPS/PDF for all line-art graphics and diagrams, and PNG/JPEG only for photographs or graphics that don't need to be scaled. The programme committee may decide to reject talk applications if the abstract contains unclear or unreadable figures.

Equations can be typeset as in standard RevTeX,

$$\phi(\omega) = \int e^{i\omega t} \phi(t) dt. \quad (1)$$

References to equations use the format Eq. (1).

Include citations into the L^AT_EX file as demonstrated below. The style should match the one used in Physical Review Letters for articles [1], books [2], proceedings articles [3]. If you want to use BibTeX to keep track of references, you need to include the resulting `.bbl` file into this `.tex` file at the end and make sure that running L^AT_EX on the `.tex` file alone produces the desired result.

You can submit your finished abstract file online under <https://gel2017.sciencesconf.org/> following the instructions given there. Deadline for the submission of abstracts is **April 21, 2017**.

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