APPENDIX B. LITERATURE CITED
Spell out all words in the Literature Cited (i.e., do not use abbreviations). However, the following 3 exceptions are allowed in author and publisher locations: 1) Washington, D.C., 2) U.S. (e.g., U.S. Forest Service), and 3) USA.

Alphabetize by authors’ surname(s), regardless of the number of multiple authors for the same publication. Within alphabetical order the sequence is chronological (e.g., Benton 1980, Benton 1991, Benton and Madison 1979).

Use sentence-case letters for all names in Literature Cited, and place a comma between all names, even if there are only 2 (e.g., Schmidt, B. R, and J. Pellet). Use 2 initials (where appropriate) with one space between each initial. Only reverse the name order of the first author (e.g., Thogmartin, W. E., J. R. Sauer, and M. G. Knutson).

For serial publications, show the issue number only if the pages of each issue are numbered separately. As in the text, spell out ordinal numbers (e.g., Third edition). Do not include words such as Publishing, Inc., or Company.

Use the word Thesis to denote Master of Science (M.S.) or Master of Arts (M.A.), and use the word Dissertation for Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.). Do not write the total page number of books at the end of the citation. For foreign language publications, note the language of publication at the end of the citation in brackets (e.g., [In Spanish.]).

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Please review the following examples.

Book: General Format


Note: Do not write the total page number of books at the end of citations.

Book: More Than 1 Edition
Book: More Than 1 Volume

Book: Editor as Author

Note: If the state (or province) appears in the publisher or agency name, it need not be repeated after the city.

Book: Chapter

Foreign Language Publication
Angulo, E. 2003. Factores que afectan a la distribución y abundancia del conejo en Andalucía. Dissertation, Complutense University, Madrid, Spain. [In Spanish.]

Government Publication

Government Publication: Part of a Numbered Series

Government Publication: Agency as Author

Note: Cite in text as National Research Council (1977) or parenthetically as (National Research Council 1977). For additional examples, see the Literature Cited section of this manuscript.

Journals: General Format


Note: Issue numbers are included only if the pages of each issue are numbered separately.

Journals in Press: Year and Volume Known
Journals in Press: Year and Volume Unknown

Software Package

Note: For statistical software, only include the software in Literature Cited if you are referencing the software manual.

Symposia and Proceedings: Complete Volume

Symposia and Proceedings: Individual Article

Theses or Dissertations


Web Citation: Professional Site

Web Citation: Article in an Electronic Journal (ejournal)

Web Citation: Government Publication

Newspaper, Newsletter, and Magazine Articles


*Note:* Citing from newspapers, newsletters, and magazines is discouraged and is only acceptable in certain rare circumstance (e.g., in papers dealing with public perceptions).

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Cite complete title and year of case in text only