ACCEPTABLE SOFTWARE FOR TEXT, TABLES, AND EQUATIONS
Your text must be completed using only Microsoft Word and/or LaTeX. These instructions are for preparation using Microsoft Word. If you are using LaTeX, please contact your Editorial Assistant for appropriate instructions and to obtain the appropriate LaTeX style files.

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Equations: should be provided in MSWord or MathType.

MANUSCRIPT SIZE
The contracted manuscript length is the basis for cost and revenue projections for your book; therefore it is essential that you adhere to the agreed-upon length. If you determine that the length of your manuscript will be 10% more or fewer than the number cited in your contract, contact your Acquisitions Editor immediately so the best course of action can be determined.

PREPARING YOUR ELECTRONIC FILES IN WORD
Your final submission files must include:

- Microsoft Word file of each chapter
- Individual electronic figure files for each chapter
- If your book/chapter is equation heavy, a hardcopy is highly encouraged. While rare, conversion issues within equations can occur and your hardcopy will serve as a reference tool during copyediting to confirm that no errors have taken place and will be used for any necessary corrections.

Basic tips:
- Do not format the chapters as if it were the final book. All will be typeset and formatted during the production process to match the template chosen for your book.
- Do not include layout formatting such as styles, borders, shading, etc.
- Double space and use 1” margins.
- Place a hard return at the end of each paragraph instead of indenting.
- Allow the computer to “wrap” your text. Don’t hit “enter” to insert a return at the end of every line.
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- Don’t use end-of-line hyphens.
- Be consistent in use of special characters (Greek letters, mathematical symbols, etc.), abbreviations, and spacing (at ends of sentences, paragraph indents, bulleted material, reference lists, etc.).
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YOUR TEXT:
- A complete Table of Contents is required. Please include full book title, author names and affiliations. If applicable, a preface, acknowledgment, author biography, and Contributor List (with contact information and affiliations) should follow.
- Chapters must be submitted as separate files, clearly labeled by chapter number. Do not label by chapter title or author name.
- Each chapter must contain call outs within the text for all numbered table/figures. (A call out is a reference to that figure/table within the text and is used by the typesetter to place the appropriate table/figure correctly. An
example of a call out within text would be, “Table 6.6 shows results of parking lot reconnaissance; Figure 2.3 illustrates a police line-up.”

- All references, tables, and all table/figure captions must be provided. Captions may be placed at the end of each chapter or within the text to serve as a notation for placement.
- All appropriate source lines for any previously published material must be included in the figure/table captions.
- Do not use capital letters or bold type for words that are to be emphasized – these should be written in italic type. Please remember that italic is most effective when used sparingly.

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- Do not place any artwork files within your text. All artwork must be provided separately,
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- Do not scan any tables that are to be included, all text tables must be provided in editable format rather than as image files.
- Tables can be placed within the chapter text, it is not necessary to submit them separately.

**FIGURE/TABLE/EQUATION NUMBERING**

- Use only a double-numbering system for figures, equations, and tables (chapter number + figure number, e.g., Figure 4.1 is the first figure in Chapter 4).
- Do not use sectional numbering (e.g., Eq. 4.2.1) for figures, tables, or equations as our typesetting structure does not allow for this.
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Roman Numeral Outline Format
I. First Level Heading
   A. Second Level Heading
      1. Third Level Heading
         a. Fourth Level Heading

Decimal Outline Format
1.1 First Level Heading
   1.1.1 Second Level Heading
      1.1.1.1 Third Level Heading
         1.1.1.1 Fourth Level Heading (Sometimes run in with text)

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• Use a slash for simple fractions, adding the necessary parentheses.
• If braces and brackets are required, use built-up fractions.
• Avoid double superiors and inferiors as they are difficult to typeset/read.
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• Equations should be numbered in parentheses at the right-hand margin.
• All equations should appear in the manuscript where you want them to appear in the finished book.
• If confusion can arise about a symbol, such as 1 (the numeral) and l (the lower case letter), 0 (zero) and O (capital letter), or x (the letter) and × (multiplication symbol), label it.
• Review mathematical symbols (+, −, ≤, ≠, =, for example) to be sure they appear correctly.
• If a lengthy equation must be “wrapped” onto the next line, break it in a logical place.
• Make sure superscript symbols appear above the line and subscript symbols appear below the line. All parentheses and brackets should be closed.

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TABLES AND FIGURES
The table number and caption should appear above each table, without punctuation; the figure number and caption should appear below each figure, with punctuation. Example of a properly formatted table is below:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Table 6.6 Number of cars in parking lot</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>9 a.m.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Red</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Blue</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Green</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Silver</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>White</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Table formatting:
• All text tables must be provided in editable format, do not scan these or provide them as image files.
• When typing entries in a table, put one tab between columns and a return for each new row. Because it is disconcerting to see the table unaligned this way, we encourage the use of MS Word’s Table dropdown menu (Table→Convert text to table) to get a better visual.
• Include a heading for each column of data.
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• Indicate units of measure in parentheses in the heading for each column. Do not change the unit of measure within a column.
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Table References: If a reference citation in a table could be confused with data, enclose the reference in parentheses and insert it on the line with table data, as in 10 × 127 (15). If you plan to include more than three references in a table, it may be advisable to devote a column to references. That will enhance clarity and eliminate the need for superscript numbers and parentheses.

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