

CNBC Experimental Report Guidelines

The experimental reports should be considered **extended abstracts** rather than short papers. It should provide a brief description of the project with the main results.

Report Length

The minimum requirement for a report is an abstract that describes the project and provides a concise description of the main result shown in a single figure.

If you wish to produce a longer report with more text and figures, you may do so. However, the experimental reports are not intended to be burdensome requirement. These reports are not peer-reviewed and should not replace formal publication of your results.

Combining Reports

You may combine results from multiple beam time allocations from the same proposal into a single report if you wish.

Text and File Format

If your report contains no special characters or character formatting (e.g. subscripts, or superscripts), you may simply submit the text by email.

If you require special characters or character formatting (e.g. subscripts, or superscripts), please submit the report in pdf or a commercial word processing format (e.g. Word), but we will try to accommodate other formats if necessary. If you use a word processor, there is no need to spend time on formatting the text, because we will copy the text into a pre-existing template which will change the format.

Figures

Figures may be in colour or greyscale. Medium to high-resolution figures (150pi to 300dpi) are preferred. We may ask you to provide original files used to create figures in the manuscript if needed. For example, if you created a figure using Excel, you can send us the spreadsheet file as well.

If your plotting software has the option to export or save the file in an encapsulated postscript format (*.eps), please use it. We can use the .eps file to achieve the required resolution because it is vector-based. Note: Origen has an export to .eps function.

Submission

Electronic submission is required. You may send the reports by email to Daniel.Banks@nrc-cnrc.gc.ca.

Questions?

Your local contact at CNBC will be happy to answer questions about analyzing or interpreting your experimental data taken at CNBC. In some cases, your local contact may be able to assist in producing the experimental report as well.

For questions on the these guidelines and submission of the report, please contact Daniel Banks at 613-584-8298 or Daniel.Banks@nrc-cnrc.gc.ca.