

## Literature Review Matrix

Authors: |

Year: |

Title: |

1) Read the title, abstract, and introduction. 2) Read the sub-headings. 3) Read the conclusion. 4) Skim the references for familiar papers.

<b>1st PASS (5 minutes)</b>	<b>Category:</b>		<b>Is this paper useful?</b>
	<b>Context:</b>		
	<b>Correctness:</b>		
	<b>Contributions:</b>		
	<b>Clarity:</b>		

<b>2nd PASS (1 hour)</b>	<i>What does it do?</i>	<b>Rationale:</b>	
		<b>Aims:</b>	
		<b>Hypothesis:</b>	
	<i>How does it do it?</i>	<b>Participants:</b>	
		<b>Method:</b>	
	<i>What did it find?</i>	<b>Findings:</b>	
		<b>Implications:</b>	
		<b>Falsifiable:</b>	
<b>Limitations:</b>			

<b>3rd PASS (2+ hours)</b>	<i>Weaknesses</i>	<b>Implicit Assumptions:</b>	
		<b>Experimental &amp; Analytical Errors:</b>	
		<b>Missing Citations:</b>	
	<i>Strengths</i>	<b>Presentation Technique:</b>	
		<b>Support for conclusion:</b>	
		<b>Internal efficacy:</b>	

Ref: Keshav, S. (2007). *How to read a paper*. ACM CCR, 37(3), 83-84. <http://blizzard.cs.uwaterloo.ca/keshav/home/Papers/data/07/paper-reading.pdf>