

## The anatomy of a technical paper:

1. Title
2. Abstract
3. Introduction
4. Body
5. Conclusion

NB: the discussion of previous work on the topic can go in the intro, or in the body, or sometimes in a separate section of its own between the intro and the body.

## What's in a paragraph:

- ❖ A topic sentence that states the (single) main idea of that paragraph
- ❖ Followed by  $n$  sentences that elaborate on that topic sentence: background, details, etc.

# Chaos...

Complex behavior, arising in a deterministic nonlinear dynamic system, which exhibits two special properties:

- sensitive dependence on initial conditions
- characteristic structure

