# Author's Guidelines on formatting contributions\*

Font (text) Times New Roman

**Contribution title** Format template: *Contribution title* 

**Author's name(s)** First name / s and surname / s in normal text; format template:

Author's name

Author's address(es) One Author

Institution / Company, Place / Country · email address; format

template: Address.

Several Authors

First, the last name in the author line, numbered starting with a superscript "1". Then, the first address lines, again starting with a

superscript "1", likewise numbered.

Institution / Company, Place / Country · email address (1st Author); Institution / Company, Place / Country (other Authors); format templates: *Address 2* (1st line, 2nd line ...); *Address* (last

line).

**Titles / headlines** Use the format templates *Heading1*, *Heading2* and *Heading3*.

Reference numbering before headings are not automatically generated and must therefore be added. Insert tab between such

numbers and text.

All headings are to be left aligned; if they run to more than a single

line, please make sure they are logically separated.

If two headings follow one another, the second one is to use a prior

indent of 0 pt.

**Abstract** Format template: *Abstract*.

**Keywords** Maximum: **five** keywords; Format template: *Keywords*.

**Illustrations** These are to be integrated in the text. To ensure optimal

reproduction, use high resolution. All standard formats (including

PostScript) may be used.

Use the Graphics template to format graphics / illustrations. Use a

**0 pt** prior indent for those sited at the beginning of a page.

Do not use positioning frames.

Use the *Graphics sub-text* template for text below illustrations.

Illustration numbering is to be in bold type (Fig. 1:).

If illustrations inserted into the text, which are less than half the area width (< 6.5 cm), the figure captions should be placed next to the picture. This can be achieved most easily with a table (without

gridlines).

<sup>\*</sup> These author's guidelines refer to the example text supplied with them, which includes the individual format templates

### **Tables**

No special templates are provided for formatting these. They should be in frames (width ½ pt) and left-aligned; do not use type smaller than 9 pt.

Table titles / headings are to be formatted using the *Table heading* template. Use **bold** type for numbering in headings (Table 1:). Insert a single tab between numbering and following text.

Use a prior indent for tables beginning at the margin of **0 pt**.

Space between text passages after tables is to be set using the Paragraph after tables template.

#### Lists

Lists in the text are to be separated from the remaining text by an indent before and after of 6 pt. Paragraph formatting is to be 0.63 cm, hanging.

# Titles / headings

The first page with the contribution title appears without heading text; the journal's name is to be shown in odd-numbered and author's name (only the first letter of the first name) and the abbreviated title (if necessary, please shorten the text) in evennumbered page headings.

Several authors: After the first author's name follows "et al.".

# Page numbering is not required.

### Formulae

Smaller formulae not referred to elsewhere in the text can be integrated in the text. Use the WinWord formula editor to create formulae.

All other formulae to have a 1 cm left indent.

Space before and after must be 6 pt.

Insert a right-aligned tab after formulae and serially number them.

Use this as reference in the text.

Use italics for variables, Greek letters, etc. in text as in the formulae editor.

### **Bibliography**

Use small capitals for author names when making references in text (without first name / s).

The bibliography is to be written as for normal text format; template: bibliography text.

The method /s to be used is / are shown in the example text.

Internet references must include the date of the last access, e.g. http://www.nature.org/media/pa/pa energy assessment report.pdf (07.12.2020).

## Footnote text

This is to be as specified in the footnote template. Set a tab between footnote symbol / number and text.