

# Elsevier L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X template<sup>☆</sup>

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## Abstract

This template helps you to create a properly formatted L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X manuscript.

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## 1. The Elsevier article class

*Installation.* If the document class *elsarticle* is not available on your computer, you can download and install the system package *texlive-publishers* (Linux) or install the L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X package *elsarticle* using the package manager of your T<sub>E</sub>X installation, which is typically T<sub>E</sub>X Live or MikT<sub>E</sub>X.

*Usage.* Once the package is properly installed, you can use the document class *elsarticle* to create a manuscript. Please make sure that your manuscript follows the guidelines in the Guide for Authors of the relevant journal. It is not necessary to typeset your manuscript in exactly the same way as an article, unless you are submitting to a camera-ready copy (CRC) journal.

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<sup>☆</sup>Fully documented templates are available in the *elsarticle* package on CTAN.

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*Functionality.* The Elsevier article class is based on the standard article class and supports almost all of the functionality of that class. In addition, it features commands and options to format the

- document style
- baselineskip
- front matter
- keywords and MSC codes
- theorems, definitions and proofs
- labels of enumerations
- citation style and labeling.

## **2. Front matter**

The author names and affiliations could be formatted in two ways:

- (1) Group the authors per affiliation.
- (2) Use footnotes to indicate the affiliations.

See the front matter of this document for examples. You are recommended to conform your choice to the journal you are submitting to.

## **3. Bibliography styles**

There are various bibliography styles available. You can select the style of your choice in the preamble of this document. These styles are Elsevier styles based on standard styles like Harvard and Vancouver. Please use BibTeX to generate your bibliography and include DOIs whenever available.

Here are two sample references: [0, 0].

## 4. Introduction

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## 5. other

This section is used testing that the packages perform as expected regardless of the template in hand.

### 5.1. General

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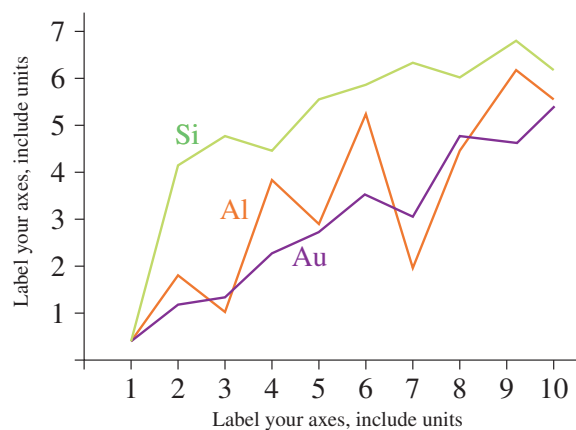


Figure 1: Simulation Results

## 5.2. Acronyms

Example showing how plurals are easily handled:

first time: Acronym Beautifully Crafted (ABC) [? ]

second time: ABC

short: ABC

alternative: ABC

first again: Acronym Beautifully Crafted (ABC) [? ]

long: Acronym Beautifully Crafted

short plural: ABCAsBC

long plural: Acronym Beautifully CraftedAcronyms Beautifully Crafteds

Here is an example of this acro package using nested declarations and macro-acronyms calls, taken from [stackoverflow](#).

### *nested acronyms example 1*

Deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) is a very important molecule. The virus xyz contains double-stranded DNA (dsDNA). Apart from that, DNA exists in almost all cells of the body. In most cases it is dsDNA.

*nested acronyms example 2*

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