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ABSTRACT

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1. INTRODUCTION

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– The purpose of these instructions is to ensure the uniformity of the publication.
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– Margin settings: Top, Bottom, Left, and Right all 0.8"(2cm).
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All figures, tables, equations, photos, graphs, etc., must be shown shortly after they are mentioned, placed at the centre of a page.

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Figure 1: The NOISE-CON 2023 logo.

The equations should be referenced as Equation 1, Equation 2, etc. For example: Equation 1, the formula for estimating the mean value, is:

$$\bar{X} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} X_i, \tag{1}$$

where X_i, $= 1, 2, ...N$ denote the N measurements, and $\bar{X}$ denotes the estimated mean value.

The caption for a table should be placed just above the table and the table number should be Table 1, Table 2,.... Tables should be referred to in the text as, e.g., Table 1.

Table 1: Example of values displayed in a table.

Test Number	Variable 1 (m/s)	Distance (m)
1	6	87837
2	7	78
3	545	778

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