

CAMERA-READY INSTRUCTIONS (LAAR)

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Abstract— These instructions are presented to assist authors in preparing a typescript which is suitable for direct photo-offset reproduction. The abstract should not exceed 200, 150 and 50 words for Review Papers, Articles and Notes respectively.

Keywords— Up to five keywords should be provided.

I. INTRODUCTION

The authors are fully responsible for the printing quality of their papers, and are kindly requested to observe carefully the following instructions for the preparation of their manuscripts. This document is itself an example of the desired layout for camera-ready papers.

There is no limit to the length of the paper. However, it is recommended that Review Papers, Articles and Notes do not exceed 10, 8, and 4 pages, respectively. The publisher will charge a mandatory page charge of US\$ 75 per page for each page in excess of 10, 8 or 4 depending on the type of contributions.

II. METHODS

A. Typing Instructions

Manuscripts must be typed in a two column format within a box of 165 mm × 245 mm. Column width should be 80 mm with a 5 mm space between both columns. Authors should send to the Editorial Board a high quality hard copy (laser printers or letter quality printers should be used) and an electronic version (in *.pdf or *.ps files) of their revised final version.

B. Font Size and Spacing Lines

Manuscripts must be typed with single line spacing. Increase line spacing only when necessary for subscripts and/or superscripts. Font size in text and any drawings should be, at least, of approximately 2 mm high. The minimum font size for the body of the text is 10 point (1 point=0.35 mm).

C. Illustrative Materials

Illustrations must be originals or photographic prints of originals. Arrange them throughout the paper and

do not group them together at the end. Figure captions must be typed beneath each figure.

Tables can be typed directly onto the sheets. Table headings should be as brief as possible and typed directly above the table.

The words “Figure” and “Equation” should be shortened to “Fig.” and “Eq.” whenever they occur within a sentence. They should, however, be written in full when they appear at the beginning of a sentence. Equations, figures and tables must be numbered in Arabic numbers. The number of the equation should be aligned to the right margin

$$\dot{x} = f_1(x_1, t) + \alpha x_2 \sin(\theta) \quad (1)$$

and the equation itself should be centered.

D. Format of References

Within the text, the references should be quoted by author's surname and year. Use both authors' surname if two, first author and “*et al.*” when more than two. Depending on sense, either the year only is placed in parentheses, or the author's surname and year separated by a comma are placed together in parentheses as shown below. For example: “Komatsue (1977a) discovered...”. “Recent results (Arnikar *et al.*, 1970; Holland, 1981) indicate...”. “Komatsue (1977a, b) found...”. “Early investigators (Komatsue and Simand, 1987) thought...”. The list of references should be typed in *alphabetical order* and follow the general style given below as an example.

III. CONCLUSIONS

It is important to adhere to these “rules” so that the volume can be produced quickly, efficiently and in a fully appealing readable form.

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