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Use 15-point type for the title, aligned to the center, line space exactly at 17-point with a bold font style and all letters capitalized.

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The line space should be of exactly 11-point with 9-point of font size and the font style set to italic.

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Each paper must have at least one keyword. Keywords should appear justified, with a line space exactly of 11-point, a hanging indent of 2-centimeters, spacing before of 48-point, no spacing after and font size of 9-point.

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Each paper must have an abstract. The abstract should appear justified, with a line space exactly of 11-point, a hanging indent of 2-centimeters, spacing before of 12-point and after of 30-point, and font size of 9-point.

The sentence must end with a period.

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This section must be in two columns.

Each column should be in 7,5-centimeter width with a column spacing of 0,8-centimeter.

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The heading of a section title should be in 13-point bold in all-capitals, aligned to the left with a line space exactly at 15-point, hanging indent of 0,7-centimeter and with an additional spacing of 24-point before (not applicable to the first title section of the paper) and 12-point after.

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Words like “is”, “or”, “then”, etc should not be capitalized unless it is the first word of the subsection title.

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The final sentence of a caption must end with a period.

Table 1: This caption has one line so it is centred.

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The numbers accorded to equations must appear in consecutive order inside each section or within the contribution, with number enclosed in parentheses and set on the right margin, starting with the number 1.

The use of a table with two columns is advisable.

Example:

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| a = b + c | (1) |

**2.3.7 Program Code**

Program listing or program commands in text should be set in typewriter form such as Courier New.

Example of a Computer Program in Pascal:

begin

Writeln('Hello World!!');

End.

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**4 Conclusions**

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