

A few editorial instructions aimed at the authors writing articles to be submitted to the Annals of telecommunications

Typing format

Choose preferably Microsoft WORD program.

Language

The articles submitted for publication in the Annals of telecommunications are accepted in French or English. **Title, abstract and figures' captions will be provided in both French and English.** Title and abstract should be directly usable by documentation bodies such as INSPEC or ISI.

Articles' length

The articles published must comprise **30.000 to 50.000 signs**. If they include figures, their length corresponds to a 15-25 page article in the issue. **The abstract must not exceed 150 words.**

Figures and pictures

Illustrations must be **black and white or shaded grey**. Figures and drawings must be of thickness **greater than 2 points**.

Sections and paragraphs

Sections are numbered in **Roman** and sub-sections in **Arabic numbers**, as follows in the example:

Example :	I.	Introduction
	II.	Modelling
	II.1.	Subsystems
	II.1.1.	...

The Figures are numbered in Arabic numbers. They must be referenced in the article (Figure 1, Figure 2, Figure 3...). All the figures must have a title both in French and in English.

The Tables are numbered in Roman numbers. They must be referenced in the article (Table I, Table II, Table III...) and have a title both in French and English.

References

Bibliography is an important issue in a journal as it is used by ISI (Institute for Scientific Information) to analyze referencing. General recommendations for reference presentation:

- **Avoid as much as possible to list websites** which happen to be valid for a limited time only;
- **Do not reference internal documents or reports** which are not publicly available;
- **List all the authors and check carefully their names spelling**, the year of publication, the number of the volume...

References must be presented as follows: **name of the author, then first name's initial into brackets**, title of the reference, title of the publication or the conference (in italics), reference of the issue (Volume and issue) or date of the congress, page numbering.

Example : [1] HARA (S.), PRASAD (R.), Overview of Multicarrier CDMA, <i>IEEE Communications Magazine</i> , 35 , n° 12, pp. 126-133, Dec. 1997. [2] JACKES (W.C.), Microwave Mobile Communications, <i>Wiley</i> , New-York, 1974.
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