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Authors’ Instructions for the Preparation   
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**Table 1.** Set of margins at the B5 and A4 size page

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| Page size | Margin | Width [cm] |
| B5 | Left | 3,1 |
| Top | 3,0 |
| Right | 2,9 |
| Bottom | 3,4 |
| A4 | Left | 4,5 |
| Top | 5,0 |
| Right | 4,3 |
| Bottom | 5,4 |

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| Rysunek1.jpg  **Figure 1.** Illustration of the typing area and margins at the A4 size page |

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Headings and subheadings for different sections must be clearly indicated and numbered appropriately (except the References, Appendices, and Acknowledgments).

The first section should be the Introduction. The Introduction section should portray the broad significance of the paper and explain what is new and original.

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| , | (1) |

where:

P*(0,l)* is a value of a cumulative log-nor distribution function for variable *l*,  
*m* and *σ* are the parameters of a log-nor distribution function.

For those equations that must be cited, they should be referred by their number enclosed in the round parentheses, e.g. “hence, from Equation (1), we obtain . . . ”.

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Program listings or program commands in the text are normally set in typewriter font, e.g., Courier or Courier New, 10pt.

Example

Example of ActionScript Code from our Flash CS2 application.

onEnterFrame  
{  
 zgDate = new Date();  
 g = zgDate.getHours();  
 mi = zgDate.getMinutes();  
 God.\_rotation = 30\*g + (mi/2);  
}

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Authors can use an Appendix (or Appendices) and Acknowledgments, which should be included before the References. The Appendices can be numbered as Appendix A, Appendix B, . . . . Appendices may be appropriate, for instance, for mathematical details that interrupt the flow of a paper. An Appendix can also contain a computer program code that is too long to include in the text.

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