Manuscript Preparation Guidelines for ISLH2024

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Abstract

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TABLE I

Font styles and sizes for different menuscript components

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| **Component** | **Style** | **Size** |
| Title | Bold | 22 |
| Authors’ names  | Bold | 10 |
| Authors’ affiliates | Regular | 10 |
| Sections (all levels) | Bold | 11 |
| Content | Regular | 10 |
| Table contents | As appropriate | 9 |
| Captions | Regular | 8 |

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|  | $$a+b=\frac{c}{d}$$ | (1) |
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 Figures could be provided in color or grayscale. When referencing your figures within your paper, use the abbreviation “Fig.” even at the beginning of a sentence.

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Fig. 1. FDTD-computed current waveforms for a 40-cm high conical conductor excited at its base at different vertical distances from the current source. Note that “Fig.” is abbreviated. There is a period after the figure number, followed by two spaces.

Table II

Units for Magnetic Properties

|  |  |  |
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| Symbol | Quantity | Conversion from Gaussian andCGS EMU to SI a |
| Φ | magnetic flux | 1 Mx → 10−8 Wb = 10−8 V·s |
| *B* | magnetic flux density,  magnetic induction | 1 G → 10−4 T = 10−4 Wb/m2 |
| *H* | magnetic field strength | 1 Oe → 103/(4π) A/m |
| μ | permeability | 1 → 4π × 10−7 H/m  = 4π × 10−7 Wb/(A·m) |

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