

Paper Submission Rules for PCAS IJMR Publication

1. General Formatting

- **Paper Size:** A4
 - **Margins:** 1 inch (Top, Bottom, Left, Right)
 - **Columns:** Two columns layout
 - **Font Type:** Times New Roman
 - **Font Sizes:**
 - Title: 24 pt Bold
 - Author names: 10 pt
 - Affiliations: 9 pt
 - Abstract: 10 pt Italic
 - Keywords: 10 pt Italic
 - Main text: 10 pt
 - Section headings: 10 pt Bold
 - **Line Spacing:** Single
 - **Paragraph Alignment:** Justified
 - **No page numbers, no headers or footers.**
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2. Paper Structure

a. Title and Author Details

- Title in **Title Case**, centered.
- Authors listed below title, followed by affiliations (Department, Institution, City, Country).
- Email addresses can be included if desired.

b. Abstract

- Word limit: **150–250 words**.
- No special characters, symbols, or formulas.
- Should briefly state objective, methods, results, and conclusion.

c. Keywords

- **4–6 keywords** separated by commas.
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3. Main Body Sections

- **I. Introduction**
- **II. Methodology**
- **III. Results and Discussion**
- **IV. Conclusion**
- **Acknowledgment** (if any)
- **References**

Use appropriate numbered headings (I, II, III, etc.) and subheadings (A, B, etc.).

4. Figures and Tables

- Place at the **top or bottom of a column**, not in between.
 - **Figures:** Captions below the figure. Refer to figures as “Fig. 1”.
 - **Tables:** Titles above the table.
 - Use high-resolution images (300 dpi minimum).
 - Axis labels must be clear and use words, not just symbols.
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5. Equations

- Centered, with equation numbers aligned right.
- Use standard fonts (Times New Roman, Symbol).
- Example:

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E = mc2          (1)
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- Define all symbols either before or immediately after the equation.
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6. References

- Number references **in order of appearance** [1], [2], [3]...
- Example reference format:

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[1] G. Eason, B. Noble, and I. N. Sneddon, "On certain integrals of
Lipschitz-Hankel type involving products of Bessel functions," Phil.
Trans. Roy. Soc. London, vol. A247, pp. 529-551, April 1955.
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- No “et al.” unless there are more than 6 authors.
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7. Authors' Biography (Optional)

- Short bios (50–100 words) with a **passport-size photo**.
 - Place bios at the end of the paper after references.
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8. Important Notes

- Do not alter margins or style settings.
 - Avoid using hard tabs.
 - Avoid pagination (page numbers).
 - Avoid abbreviations in titles unless absolutely necessary.
 - Abbreviations and acronyms should be defined at first mention.
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⚡ Quick Summary

Section	Required Details
Title	Centered, Bold, Title Case
Authors	Name, Affiliation, Email (optional)
Abstract	150-250 words, no symbols
Keywords	4-6 keywords
Main Text	Sections I to IV
Figures/Tables	At top/bottom of columns
References	Numbered [1], [2]...