

# Instructions for Contributors

## Manuscript Guidelines

Key words: should be 5 words, or less, and be arranged in alphabetical order: capitalize the first letter of the first word.

Abstract: up to 250 words.

Scientific names: should be italicized.

Unit: the metric system is required for all measurements. SI units are preferred.

Examples of units are:

Length	m, km, dm, cm, mm, $\mu\text{m}$ , nm
Area	$\text{m}^2$ , $\text{km}^2$ , $\text{dm}^2$ , $\text{cm}^2$ , $\text{mm}^2$ , ha, a
Volume	ml, l
Time	day(s), hr, min, sec
Frequency	rpm, Hz
Mass	t, kg, g, mg, $\mu\text{g}$ , ng, pg
Pressure	Pa, bar, mbar, atm, mmHg, Torr, cm H <sub>2</sub> O, pF
Temperature	K, °C
Work, Calory	J, cal, kcal
Electricity	A, mA, V, mV, $\Omega$ , S, mS, W, kW
Light	lx, klx, lm, cd
Mass concentration	mol, mmol, mol $\cdot$ liter <sup>-1</sup> (=M), mM, $\mu\text{M}$ , N, me <sup>-1</sup> $\cdot$ liter
Radioactivity	Bq, Ci, mCi, Gy, rad, krad, R, kR, dpm
Miscellaneous	Xg, pH, Eh, cpm, %, mg/100g, ppm, ppb, RH(%)

Footnotes: should be indicated using asterisks, as \*, \*<sup>1</sup>, \*<sup>2</sup>.

Figures and Tables:

- (i) Figures should be higher resolution enough for phototype processing.
- (ii) Titles should be written above tables, and explanations written below. The titles and explanations of figures should be written below the figures.
- (iii) The scale of figures should be indicated, if necessary.
- (iv) Sample formats are shown in the template file.

References

Text references should be indicated in alphabetical order. For the style of references, consult the following examples and the latest issue of the journal.

1. Flach, M. 1993 Problems and prospects of present sago palm development. Sago Palm 1: 8-17.
2. Kozlowski, T. T. and S. G. Pallardy 1984 Effect of flooding on water, carbohydrate, and mineral relations. *In*: Flooding and Plant Growth. (Kozlowski, T. T. ed.) Academic Press Inc. (New York) 165-193.

3. Ohtsuka, R. 1983 Oriomo Papuan. Univ. of Tokyo Press (Tokyo) pp.197.