

Authors' Guidelines for Journal of JIMA English Issue on L^AT_EX 2_ε

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Abstract: This document is a guideline to producing a camera-ready manuscript to be submitted in English to the Journal of JIMA. The source file, sample-ejima.tex, and the style file, ejima.cls, should be used for document style based on the Japanese L^AT_EX 2_ε system. We suggest that you read this document carefully before you begin preparing your paper. Authors may use the sample, sample-ejima.tex, as a base for their own manuscript. This space is where your abstract would be located.

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1 INTRODUCTION

This document introduces how to write your paper using our template files, and provides some useful information to the authors of papers.

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4.1 Section/Subsection

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Table 1 Example of table

Line		
1	2	3
1,1	1,2	1,3
2,1	2,2	2,3
3,1	3,2	3,3

Step A Step A is ...
 Step AA Step AA is ...
 Step AAA Step AAA is ...

- (1) Numbered Item
- (2) Numbered Item

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For in-line formulas, use `\(\)` or `$ $`. Avoid built-up constructions; for example, fractions and matrices in in-line formulas. Fractions in in-line formulas can be typed with a solidus, e.g. $z = x/y$.

For numbered display formulas, use “equation” or “eqnarray.” Equation (1) is produced using “eqnarray.”

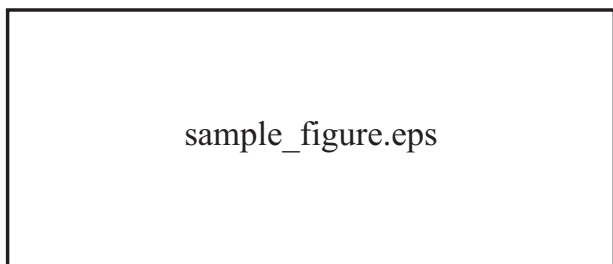


Fig. 1 Example of figure

$$S = \sum_{k=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=k+1}^n \operatorname{sgn}(x_j - x_k) \tag{1}$$

$$\operatorname{sgn}(\theta) = \begin{cases} 1 & \theta > 0 \\ 0 & \theta = 0 \\ -1 & \theta < 0 \end{cases},$$

where n is the number of data.

Please write Eq. (1) in the sentence. However, it is recommended that you do not number an equation if it will not be cited in your paper.

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¹This is a sample of footnote text.

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APPENDIX

1. Section of Appendix

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