Authors' Instructions for Preparation of the Full Paper Contributions for the ECCOMAS Multibody Dynamics 2017

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Abstract

In this document, you will find short instructions how to prepare a Full Paper contribution for the ECCOMAS Multibody Dynamics 2017 Conference Proceedings. The abstract part of the Full Paper should be formatted as one paragraph not longer than 250 words and it should fit to the title page. The abstract begins with the “Abstract” header and contains a short description of your contribution and with simple formatting, preferably without equations, figures or references. Submission of PDF files with your contributions is organized through the Conference Management System.

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1. Introduction

This document presents basic instructions for preparation of your Full Paper contribution for the *ECCOMAS Thematic Conference on Multibody Dynamics 2017* using Microsoft Word. On the Conference website you will find the necessary files [http://multibody2017.cz]. You can use this document as a template for your contribution. If you are familiar with LaTeX system, please use LaTeX2e class file with accompanying instructions provided in separate zip archive that can be found on the Conference website.

1. Text Formatting Instructions

Contribution for Full Paper should be written in English on minimum 4 pages and maximum 10 pages with A4 size. The template margins must be followed. The paper used should have the size 210 x 297 mm, which is the European A4 size. It is suggested to use styles for formatting, automatic reference and figure numbering to avoid editorial errors. To avoid compatibility problems it is advised to use only the Latin alphabet and underscore character in the file name.

It should contain, beside the list of the authors, their organizations with addresses and e-mails. The reference marks can be omitted if all authors are from the same affiliation.

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Table 1: Font sizes and styles

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| *style element* | *Example* | *size and style* | *Style name* |
| normal text, list of authors' institutions, list of reference, caption | normal text | normal, size 10pt | MBD17\_Text |
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| list of authors | Firstname Lastname | normal, size 12pt | MBD17\_Authors |
| headings (1st level) | Abstract, References | bold, size 12pt | MBD17\_Headding |
| headings (1st level, numbered) | 3. Introduction | bold, size 12pt | MBD17\_Headding\_1 |
| headings (2nd level, numbered) |  **2.1. Subchapter** | bold, size 12pt | MBD17\_Headding\_2 |

Line drawings, if in raster format, should have a resolution of at least 600 dpi. Raster color pictures should have at least 300 dpi. Figures should be numbered and should have a caption preferably positioned under the figures, in contrast to the caption belonging to a table, which should appear above the table. In this case, please center the figures or your tabular material as well as captions. Alternatively, in order to make more efficient layout, captions can be placed on the side. It is also possible to put figures (or figures and tables) side-by-side.

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Figure 1: Example figure, presenting a scheme of benchmark [1]

Equations or formulas should be centered and set in a separate line with extra space above and below and should be numbered for reference. The equation numbers should be consecutive within your contribution and should be written in parentheses on the right margin, like for example equation (1).

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| $$\left[\begin{matrix}M&Φ^{T}\\Φ&0\end{matrix}\right]\left[\begin{matrix}\ddot{s}\\-λ\end{matrix}\right]=\left[\begin{matrix}p\_{1}\\p\_{2}\end{matrix}\right]$$ | (1) |

* 1. Citations

Reference entries should be printed in order of citation. Each reference can be cited in the body of the abstract with its list number in the square brackets, like for example [2] or [3]. Examples are given at the end of this article to present the general style for references.

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1. Conclusion

We very much look forward to welcoming you in Prague! Best wishes and the warmest regards from the Organizing Committee of the ECCOMAS Thematic Conference on Multibody Dynamics 2017.

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For Acknowledgments, Abstract and References the heading should be treated as a section heading and should not be assigned a number, see in Table 1.

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