# INSTRUCTIONS TO PREPARE THE FULL PAPER FOR THE FIRST INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON DAMAGE TOLERANCE OF AIRCRAFT STRUCTURES (DTAS2007)

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**Abstract.** *This document provides information and instructions for preparing a paper to be included in the Proceedings of the DTAS2007 conference. The paper can be written in Latex or Word following the format instructions. All the instructions as well as the example files for LateX or Word can be found on the web page of the conference.*

## 1 INTRODUCTION

The proceedings will be published in a book, including the texts and figures, using PDF. Authors of accepted papers should submit their paper electronically through the web page of the conference, www.dtas2007.nl before July 20, 2007. The paper should be written following the format of the Latex and Word macros that can be found at the conference website under instructions for authors. The file has to be translated to PDF before submission through the conference website. The organizers do not commit themselves to include in the Proceedings any paper received later than the above-mentioned deadline. At least one of the authors must register and pay his registration fee before July 20, 2007 for the paper to be included in the proceedings of the conference.

## 2 GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

The paper must be written in English within a printing box of 16cm x 21cm, centered in the page. The paper including figures, tables and references must have a minimum length of 4 pages and must not exceed 10 pages. Maximum file size is 6 MB.

## 3 TITLE, AUTHORS, AFFILIATION

The first page must contain the Title, Author(s), Affiliation(s), Key words and the Abstract. The Introduction must begin immediately after the Abstract, following the format of this template.

## 3.1 Title

The title should be written centered, in 14pt, boldface Roman, all capital letters. It should be single spaced if the title is more than one line long.

## 3.2 Author

The author's name should include first name, middle initial and surname. It should be written centered, in 12pt boldface Roman, 12pt below the title.

## 3.3 Affiliation

Author's affiliation should be written centered, in 11pt Roman, 12pt below the list of authors. A 12pt space should separate two different affiliations.

## 3.4 Abstract

Use 12pt Italic Roman for the abstract. The word **Abstract** must be set in boldface, not italicized, at the beginning of the first line. The abstract text should be justified and separated 12pt from the key words, as shown in the first page of these instructions. The abstract should neither be too short nor exceed the first page.

# 4 HEADINGS

## 4.1 Main headings

The main headings should be written left aligned, in 12pt, boldface and all capital Roman letters. There should be a 12pt space before and 6pt after the main headings.

## 4.2 Secondary headings

Secondary headings should be written left aligned, 12 pt, boldface Roman, with an initial capital for first word only. There should be a 12pt space before and 6pt after the secondary headings.

# 5 EDITORIAL HEADING

The first page will include the Editorial Heading, as shown in the first page of these instructions. In addition, successive pages will include the name of the authors. The Editorial Heading must be included in the paper by the authors.

# 6 TEXT

The normal text should be written single-spaced, justified, using 12pt (Times New) Roman in one column. The first line of each paragraph must be indented 0.5cm. There is not inter-paragraph spacing.

## 7   PAGE NUMBERS

A paper will be found in the book by the authors name or using the paper title. Do not use page numbering; this will be done by the publisher!!

## 8   FIGURES

All figures should be numbered consecutively and captioned. The caption title should be written centered, in 10pt Roman, with upper and lower case letters.



Figure 1: Molecular Dynamics simulations of the evolution of surface morphology.

A 6pt space should separate the figure from the caption, and a 12pt space should separate the upper part of the figure and the bottom of the caption from the surrounding text.
Figures may be included in the text or added at the bottom of the paper.

## 9   EQUATIONS

A displayed equation is numbered, using Arabic numbers in parentheses. It should be centered, leaving a 6pt space above and below to separate it from the surrounding text.
The following example is a single line equation:

$$Ax = b \tag{1}$$

The next example is a multi-line equation:

$$Ax = b \tag{2}$$
$$Ax = b$$

## 10   TABLES

All tables should be numbered consecutively and captioned, the caption should be 10pt Roman, upper and lower case letters.
A 6pt space should separate the table from the caption, and a 12pt space should separate the table from the surrounding text.

## 11   FORMAT OF REFERENCES

References should be quoted in the text by superscript numbers[1,2], and grouped together at the end of the paper in numerical order as shown in these instructions.

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| C31 | C32 | C33 |
| C41 | C42 | C43 |
| C51 | C52 | C53 |

Table 1: Example of the construction of one table

## 12 CONCLUSIONS

- Papers should be submitted electronically via the web page of the conference, underlinewww.dtas2007.nl.

- Papers should be written following the format of the Latex and Word macros for submission that can be found in the address:www.dtas2007.nl.

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## REFERENCES

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