

## ISIPTA '17: Guidelines for Authors

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### Abstract

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## 1. Major Guidelines for the Camera-Ready Version

The camera-ready version of your ISIPTA '17 paper should be submitted on the [ISIPTA '17 Easy-chair page](#) by May 2nd, 2017. Some major guidelines are reported here below.

- Limit your text, bibliography and appendices included, to **12 pages**.
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- The very preamble of your `.tex` file should be:

```
\documentclass[twoside,11pt]{article}
\usepackage{isipta}
```

- You can find the `isipta.sty` file in the author's kit. Alternatively, get it [here](#). This style file includes the `amssymb`, `natbib` and `graphicx` packages, and defines many common macros, such as `proof` and `example`. Do not include the package `theorem`. If possible,

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Richard	Miles	2

Table 1: A (useless) table.

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- The title of the paper and of the sections should capitalize on the first letter of each word, except for articles, conjunctions, and prepositions. If possible, try to avoid `\subsubsection`.
- Ensure that below each figure and table there is a caption (e.g., see Table 1).
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- For UTF8 encoding (e.g., to quickly write *astéroïde* in your paper), add to the preamble:

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\usepackage[utf8]{inputenc}
\inputencoding{utf8}
```

- Please do not change the size of the fonts, the line spacing, and the margins.

## Appendix A. Proofs

In this appendix we present a random filler.

## References

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