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## Instructions to Authors

### **1- Scope and general notes**

Suez Canal Veterinary Medicine Journal (SCVMJ) publishes researches in all fields of veterinary, animal biology and biomedical sciences.

#### **1.1. Scientific ethics and ethics for using laboratory animals**

The paper offered for publication should be accepted from the scientific committee of the specialized Department. In research required animal experimentations, authors are required to give assurance that the animals were cared for in accordance with the principles of guide to the care and use experimental animals (The Guide is available in the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Suez Canal University). In such case, the manuscript must be assured by certificate from a council of animal care.

#### **1.2. Subdivision - numbered sections**

Divide your article into clearly defined and numbered sections. Subsections should be numbered 1.1 (then 1.1.1, 1.1.2, etc.), 1.2, etc.

### **2. Manuscript preparation**

#### **2.1. General format and style**

##### **2.1.1. Layout and media**

- Your main document should be in .DOC format
- Every page of the manuscript, including the title page, references, tables, etc. should be numbered at the bottom center.
- Manuscript should be double-spaced throughout, using Times New Roman, and font size should be 14 pt. The margin should be 4 cm.

- Figures (photographs, graphs, and other line art drawings) should be in .JPEG or .TIFF format only.
- Abbreviations, nomenclature, and symbol for units of measurements should conform to international recommendations.

### **2.1.2. Style and language**

Please write your text in good English (American or British usage is accepted, but not a mixture of these). Spelling should be following that of Webster's dictionary or the Oxford English dictionary. Authors are responsible for consistency in spelling.

The articles must include an Arabic summary.

All abbreviations may be used after first mention with complete spelling. Arabic numerals should be used except when a number begins a sentence, in which case it should be spelled out in full.

## **2.2. Detailed layout (Article structure)**

### **2.2.1 Title Page**

Give complete information about each author (i.e., full name, graduate degree(s), affiliation, and the name of the institution in which the work was done). Clearly identify the corresponding author and provide the author's mailing address (include phone number, fax number, and email address).

### **2.2.2 Abstracts**

An abstract is usually presented separately from the article, so it must be able to stand alone. The abstract should state briefly problem addressed the objective of the research, the principal results and major conclusions. The references and standard or uncommon abbreviations should be avoided. It should not exceed 300 words.

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All the manuscripts should contain the following sequential sections: Title page; Abstract and Key words; Introduction; Materials and methods; Results; Discussion; Acknowledgements (if any); Sources and manufacturers (if any); References; Tables

(if any); Figure legends (if any). Introduction and Discussion should not contain any subheads.

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Example; Bre´ard, E., Sailleau, C., Hamblin, C., Zientara, S. (2005) Bluetongue virus in the French island of reunion. *Vet. Microbiol.* 106, 157–165.

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Three hard copies of the manuscript (printed on A4 paper) and a soft copy are required for the submission. Submission of an article is understood to imply that the article is original and is not being considered for publication elsewhere. Submission also implies that all authors have approved the paper for release and are in agreement with its content.

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