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4 **Abstract.** The abstract should summarize the contents of the paper 4  
5 using at least 70 and at most 150 words. It will be set in 9-point font 5  
6 size and be inset 1.0 cm from the right and left margins. There will be 6  
7 two blank lines before and after the Abstract. 7

8 **1 Introduction** 8

9 Please follow the steps outlined below when submitting your manuscript<sup>1</sup>. 9

10 **1.1 Language** 10

11 All manuscripts must be in English. 11

12 **1.2 Paper length** 12

13 **The maximum allowed paper length is 10 pages without references and 12 pages** 13  
14 **with references.** For example, a paper with 11 pages text and 1 page references 14  
15 exceeds the paper length while a paper with 9 pages text and 3 pages references is 15  
16 within the limits. Overlength papers exceeding 10 pages text (without references) 16  
17 or 12 pages with references will simply not be reviewed. This includes papers 17  
18 where the margins and formatting are deemed to have been significantly altered 18  
19 from those laid down by this style guide. 19

20 **1.3 Submission and Paper ID** 20

21 The paper needs to be submitted via Microsoft CMT before the deadline. After 21  
22 the registration of a paper in the CMT, you will receive a paper ID. The paper 22  
23 ID needs to added to the paper by editing 23

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26 terial (file names, titles, ...). 26

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30	which contains significant overlap with the contributions of this paper either	30
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36	body of your paper why your GCPR paper is nontrivially different from these	36
37	concurrent submissions, and (3) include anonymized versions of those papers in	37
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40	Authors may optionally upload supplemental material. Typically, this mate-	40
41	rial might include result videos that cannot be included in the main paper,	41
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45	of the supplemental material should be referred to appropriately in the paper,	45
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49	plemental material well before the main paper deadline, or after the main paper	49
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51	<b>1.6 Line numbering</b>	51
52	All lines should be numbered, as in this example document. This makes reviewing	52
53	more efficient, because reviewers can refer to a line on a page.	53
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56	reviewing more efficient. Also, it is important for readers to be able to refer to	56
57	any particular equation. Just because you didn't refer to it in the text doesn't	57
58	mean some future reader might not need to refer to it. It is cumbersome to have	58
59	to use circumlocutions like “the equation second from the top of page 3 column	59
60	1”. (Note that the line numbering will not be present in the final copy, so is not	60
61	an alternative to equation numbers).	61

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63 Many authors misunderstand the concept of anonymizing for blind 63  
 64 review does not mean that one must remove citations to one’s own work – in fact 64  
 65 it is often impossible to review a paper unless the previous citations are known 65  
 66 and available. Blind review means that you do not use the words “my” or “our” 66  
 67 when citing previous work. That is all. (But see below for technical reports). 67

68 Saying “this builds on the work of Lucy Smith [1]” does not say that you 68  
 69 are Lucy Smith, it says that you are building on her work. If you are Smith and 69  
 70 Jones, do not say “as we show in [7]”, say “as Smith and Jones show in [7]” and 70  
 71 at the end of the paper, include reference 7 as you would any other cited work. 71

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73 *In this paper we present a performance analysis of our previous 73*  
 74 *paper [1], and show it to be inferior to all previously known methods. 74*  
 75 *Why the previous paper was accepted without this analysis is beyond 75*  
 76 *me. [1] Removed for blind review 76*

77 – An example of a paper well prepared for blind review: 77

78 *In this paper we present a performance analysis of the paper of 78*  
 79 *Smith [1], and show it to be inferior to all previously known meth- 79*  
 80 *ods. Why the previous paper was accepted without this analysis is 80*  
 81 *beyond me. [1] Smith, L and Jones, C. “The frobnicatable foo filter, 81*  
 82 *a fundamental contribution to human knowledge”. Nature 381(12), 82*  
 83 *1-213. 83*

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 86 submission in order to explain the differences, just as you would if you had 86  
 87 previously published related work. In such cases, include the anonymized parallel 87  
 88 submission [5] as additional material and cite it as 88

89 *1. Authors. “The frobnicatable foo filter”, FOOBAR Conference 2015 89*  
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91 Finally, you may feel you need to tell the reader that more details can be 91  
 92 found elsewhere, and refer them to a technical report. For conference submis- 92  
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 94 a technical report for further details. Thus, you may say in the body of the 94  
 95 paper “further details may be found in [6]”. Then submit the technical report 95  
 96 as additional material. Again, you may not assume the reviewers will read this 96  
 97 material. 97

98 Sometimes your paper is about a problem which you tested using a tool which 98  
 99 is widely known to be restricted to a single institution. For example, let’s say 99  
 100 it’s 1969, you have solved a key problem on the Apollo lander, and you believe 100  
 101 that the GCPR audience would like to hear about your solution. The work is a 101  
 102 development of your celebrated 1968 paper entitled “Zero-g frobnication: How 102  
 103 being the only people in the world with access to the Apollo lander source code 103

104 makes us a wow at parties”, by Zeus. You can handle this paper like any other. 104  
 105 Don’t write “We show how to improve our previous work [Anonymous, 1968]. 105  
 106 This time we tested the algorithm on a lunar lander [name of lander removed for 106  
 107 blind review]”. That would be silly, and would immediately identify the authors. 107  
 108 Instead write the following: 108

109 *We describe a system for Zero-g frobnication. This system is new 109*  
 110 *because it handles the following cases: A, B. Previous systems [Zeus et 110*  
 111 *al. 1968] didn’t handle case B properly. Ours handles it by including a foo 111*  
 112 *term in the bar integral. . . . The proposed system was integrated with the 112*  
 113 *Apollo lunar lander, and went all the way to the moon, don’t you know. 113*  
 114 *It displayed the following behaviours which show how well we solved cases 114*  
 115 *A and B: . . .* 115

116 As you can see, the above text follows standard scientific convention, reads better 116  
 117 than the first version, and does not explicitly name you as the authors. A reviewer 117  
 118 might think it is likely that the new paper was written by Zeus, but cannot make 118  
 119 any decision based on that guess. He or she would have to be sure that no other 119  
 120 authors could have been contracted to solve problem B. 120

121 Since acknowledgements are not relevant for reviewing and violate blind re- 121  
 122 view, please **omit acknowledgements**. The acknowledgements can be added 122  
 123 to the final copy. 123

## 124 **3 Manuscript Preparation** 124

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 128 file `lncs.cls`. We would like to stress that the class/style files and the tem- 128  
 129 plate should not be manipulated and that the guidelines regarding font sizes 129  
 130 and format should be adhered to. This is to ensure that the end product is as 130  
 131 homogeneous as possible. 131

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133 The printing area is 122 mm  $\times$  193 mm. The text should be justified to occupy 133  
 134 the full line width, so that the right margin is not ragged, with words hyphenated 134  
 135 as appropriate. Please fill pages so that the length of the text is no less than 135  
 136 180 mm. 136

### 137 **3.2 Layout, Typeface, Font Sizes, and Numbering** 137

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 139 address(es) and the abstract. For the main text, please use 10-point type and 139

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140 single-line spacing. We recommend using Computer Modern Roman (CM) fonts, 140  
 141 Times, or one of the similar typefaces widely used in photo-typesetting. (In these 141  
 142 typefaces the letters have serifs, i.e., short endstrokes at the head and the foot 142  
 143 of letters.) Italic type may be used to emphasize words in running text. Bold 143  
 144 type and underlining should be avoided. With these sizes, the interline distance 144  
 145 should be set so that some 45 lines occur on a full-text page. 145

146 **Headings.** Headings should be capitalized (i.e., nouns, verbs, and all other 146  
 147 words except articles, prepositions, and conjunctions should be set with an initial 147  
 148 capital) and should, with the exception of the title, be aligned to the left. Only 148  
 149 the first two levels of section headings should be numbered, as shown in Table 1. 149  
 150 The respective font sizes are also given in Table 1. Kindly refrain from using “0” 150  
 151 when numbering your section headings. Words joined by a hyphen are subject 151  
 152 to a special rule. If the first word can stand alone, the second word should be 152  
 153 capitalized. 153

**Table 1.** Font sizes of headings. Table captions should always be positioned *above* the tables.

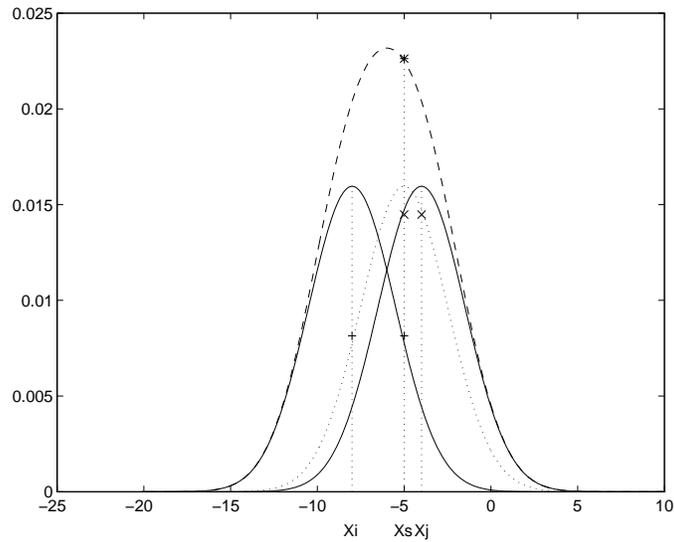
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Title (centered)	<b>Lecture Notes . . .</b>	14 point, bold
1st-level heading	<b>1 Introduction</b>	12 point, bold
2nd-level heading	<b>2.1 Printing Area</b>	10 point, bold
3rd-level heading	<b>Headings.</b> Text follows . . .	10 point, bold
4th-level heading	<i>Remark.</i> Text follows . . .	10 point, italic

154 Here are some examples of headings: “Criteria to Disprove Context-Freeness 154  
 155 of Collage Languages”, “On Correcting the Intrusion of Tracing Non-deterministic 155  
 156 Programs by Software”, “A User-Friendly and Extendable Data Distribution 156  
 157 System”, “Multi-flip Networks: Parallelizing GenSAT”, “Self-determinations of 157  
 158 Man”. 158

159 **Lemmas, Propositions, and Theorems.** The numbers accorded to lemmas, 159  
 160 propositions, and theorems etc. should appear in consecutive order, starting with 160  
 161 Lemma 1. Please do not include section counters in the numbering like “Theorem 161  
 162 1.1”. 162

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 165 file. Integrate images by using the package `graphicx` or the style files `psfig` 165  
 166 or `epsf` and define figures as floating objects. Please avoid using the location 166  
 167 parameter “h” for “here”. 167

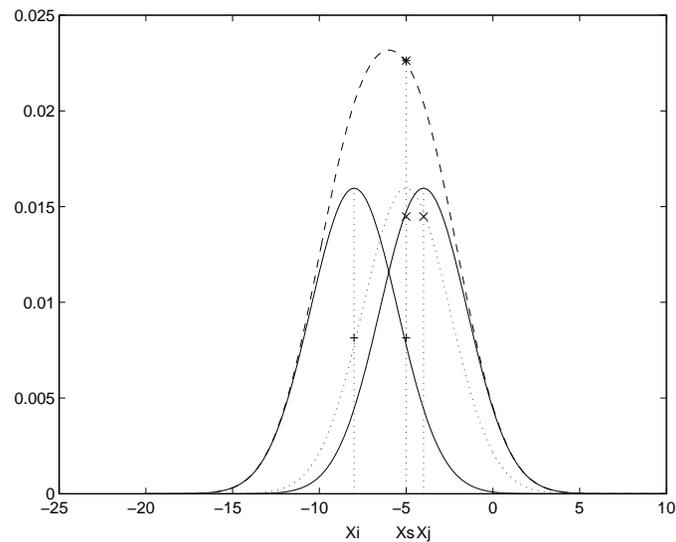


**Fig. 1.** One kernel at  $x_s$  (*dotted kernel*) or two kernels at  $x_i$  and  $x_j$  (*left and right*) lead to the same summed estimate at  $x_s$ . This shows a figure consisting of different types of lines. Elements of the figure described in the caption should be set in italics, in parentheses, as shown in this sample caption.

168 It is essential that all illustrations are clear and legible. Vector graphics 168  
 169 (rather than rasterized images) should be used for diagrams and schemas when- 169  
 170 ever possible. Please check that the lines in line drawings are not interrupted 170  
 171 and have a constant width. Grids and details within the figures must be clearly 171  
 172 legible and may not be written one on top of the other. Line drawings are to 172  
 173 have a resolution of at least 800 dpi (preferably 1200 dpi). The lettering in figures 173  
 174 should not use font sizes smaller than 6 pt (2 mm character height). Figures are 174  
 175 to be numbered and to have a caption which should always be positioned under 175  
 176 the figures, in contrast to the caption belonging to a table, which should always 176  
 177 appear above the table. Captions are set in 9-point type. If they are short, they 177  
 178 are centered between the margins. Longer captions, covering more than one line, 178  
 179 are justified (Fig. 1 and Fig. 2 show examples). Captions that do not constitute 179  
 180 a full sentence, do not have a period. Text fragments of fewer than four lines 180  
 181 should not appear at the tops or bottoms of pages, following a table or figure. In 181  
 182 such cases, it is better to set the figures right at the top or right at the bottom 182  
 183 of the page. 183

### 184 3.4 Formulas 184

185 Displayed equations or formulas are centered and set on a separate line (with 185  
 186 an extra line or half line space above and below). Displayed expressions should 186  
 187 be numbered for reference. The numbers should be consecutive within the con- 187



**Fig. 2.** One kernel at  $x_s$  (dotted kernel) or two kernels at  $x_i$  and  $x_j$  (left and right)

188 tribution, with numbers enclosed in parentheses and set on the right margin. 188  
 189 Please do not include section counters in the numbering. 189

$$\psi(u) = \int_0^T \left[ \frac{1}{2} (A_o^{-1}u, u) + N^*(-u) \right] dt. \quad (1)$$

190 Equations should be punctuated in the same way as ordinary text but with a 190  
 191 small space before the end punctuation mark. 191

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193 Program listings or program commands in the text are normally set in typewriter 193  
 194 font, e.g., CMTT10 or Courier. *Example of a Computer Program* 194

**Listing 1.1.** Example from Jensen K., Wirth N. (1991) Pascal user manual and report.  
 Springer, New York

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195 program Inflation (Output) 195
196   {Assuming annual inflation rates of 7%, 8%, and 10%,... 196
197   years}; 197
198   const 198
199     MaxYears = 10; 199
200   var 200
201     Year: 0..MaxYears; 201
202     Factor1, Factor2, Factor3: Real; 202
203   begin 203
  
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204     Year := 0;
205     Factor1 := 1.0; Factor2 := 1.0; Factor3 := 1.0;
206     WriteLn('Year 7% 8% 10%'); WriteLn;
207     repeat
208         Year := Year + 1;
209         Factor1 := Factor1 * 1.07;
210         Factor2 := Factor2 * 1.08;
211         Factor3 := Factor3 * 1.10;
212         WriteLn(Year:5, Factor1:7:3, Factor2:7:3, Factor3:7:3)
213     until Year = MaxYears
214 end.

```

### 215 3.6 Footnotes 215

216 The superscript numeral used to refer to a footnote appears in the text either 216  
217 directly after the word to be discussed or – in relation to a phrase or a sentence 217  
218 – following the punctuation sign (comma, semicolon, or period).<sup>3</sup> 218

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222 numbers. The numbers in the bibliography section are without square brackets. 222  
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232 *of PDF-Based Characteristics from Diffusion MR Signal. In: MIC-* 232  
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 241 Do not include references to pieces of work that are not connected with your 241  
 242 paper. In the references are examples for a journal article [7], an LNCS chapter 242  
 243 [11], a book [8], a paper in a proceeding without editors [9], a technical report 243  
 244 [10], as well as a URL [1]. Please note that proceedings published in LNCS are 244  
 245 not cited with their full titles, but with their acronyms. 245

### 246 3.8 Plagiarism 246

247 Plagiarism is a serious violation of the submission guidelines. Even in the very 247  
 248 unlikely case that plagiarism is not discovered during the reviewing process, 248  
 249 the paper will be retracted at any time in case of plagiarism. If an author has 249  
 250 copied from another author or has used parts of another author’s work (text, 250  
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