



INSTRUCTIONS FOR AUTHORS

About the Journal

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Articles for publishing are classified into these categories:

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- Short communications;
- Reviews;
- Professional papers.

The authors propose the category for their articles, reviewers recommend it, and the journal's Editorial Board decides on their categorization.

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Short communications contain significant scientific results that require urgent publishing (the first findings of research)

Review papers outline specific problems based on previously published texts, which are analyzed and discussed in the review.

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Manuscript Preparation

Articles are written in one of the three official languages of BiH (Bosnian/Serbian/Croatian) or English. Template for papers is available on <https://agriconference.ppf.unsa.ba/>

Articles of scientific character should follow the common structure of a scientific paper: summary, introduction, literature review (which may also be given in the introduction), material and methods, results of research, discussion (which may be integrated with the results of research), conclusions, and bibliography.

Summary, respectively, may have a maximum of 250 words, with mandatory enlisting of up to five keywords.

Only authors and papers mentioned in the text should be provided in the bibliography list.

The Latin names of plants, animals, and microorganisms should be in italics.

Tables, graphs, and pictures must have their titles and, if they are numerous, their numbers. The number and title of the table are written in the same row above the table, while the number and title of the graph, drawing, and picture are written below them.

Graphs and drawings should be high-quality, visible, and clear enough. Pictures and graphic illustrations should also be high-quality.

As a rule, papers should not be over 12 typed pages (with supplementary materials).

The author is responsible for the contents of the article. Before their publishing, articles are reviewed under the "double-blind" principle by two independent reviewers. The Editorial Board, in consultation with the authors, keeps the right to minor editorial and linguistic corrections in the articles.

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