

### General rules

1. Articles, messages and other materials for publication in the journal should not exceed 15 pages, not more than 5 authors.

Materials submitted to the editorial board should correspond to the scope of the scientific and technical journal (problems of sonar system and integrated sonar system designing, acoustic field formation and research, problems of sonar signal secondary processing and etc.).

Reviews characterizing state-of-the-art of research guidelines in the field of hydroacoustics, announcements of scientific - technical conferences, reports of their results, as well as materials on the history of hydroacoustics are also published.

2. Manuscripts are submitted as electronic documents (in Word) on any electronic carrier and one printed copy, format A4, on one side of the sheet. Numbers of pages are to be put on the back of sheets. On the back of the last sheet there should be also signatures of authors with surname interpretations.

Files of drawings in one of standard graphic formats are submitted in addition to the article file. It is necessary to attach to the manuscript expert judgement on the publication right.

### Text publication standards

Page format – A 4, margins – 2.0 cm three sides, on the left – 2.5 cm, indentation – 1.0 cm

At typesetting use standard Times New Roman font, font size of 12 points, in footnotes, captions and references – font size of 10 points. Surnames of authors in the references are typed with spacing (format, font, interval sparse).

Line spacing – single.

Formulas and symbols in the text should be typed in equation editor Math Type or Microsoft Equation, having defined the following sizes of elements (equation editor – size – define): regular – 12 pt, large index – 8 pt, small index – 5 pt, large symbol – 16 pt, small symbol – 10 pt.

Writing of Russian and Greek letters, mathematical operations and functions – **direct**, writing of Latin letters – *italic*. It is recommended to use through numbering of formulas which is put by a sheet right edge in parentheses. Formulas are not numbered if there are no references to them in the text. Pay attention that in decimal fractions it is necessary to use a **dot** and not a comma: 5.135. Tables and drawings should be located in the text where they are mentioned. Inscriptions and numbering in the field of drawing – not less than font size of 8 points.

Article headline should look the same as the headlines of articles published in the journal. After the article title there should be a summary (5-6 lines) and keywords (up to 10 words) all in Russian and English.

In the references the name of each quoted source is given in Russian and English. If there is no title in English the author carries out transliteration, i.e. writing of Russian title in Latin letters using a transliteration table given in the Russian text.

Detailed data about authors (first name, last name in full, organization, position, scientific degree, academic status, contact phone and mail box, e-mail) should be printed in the end of article in italics, font size of 8 points.

Surnames of authors in articles are given in alphabetic order.

All manuscript should be in a docx format.

Editorial board reserves the right for minor stylistic editing of the text which do not influence the content and order of the material presentation, without agreement with the author.

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