

## INSTRUCTIONS TO AUTHORS

### A. General

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### 2. Formulae

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single underlining:	small letter
double underlining:	capital letter
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yellow:	upright (abbreviations e.g. Re, Im, log, sin, ord, id, lim, sup, etc.)
red:	Greek
blue:	Gothic
green:	Script
violet:	the numeral 1, and zero (to distinguish them from the small letter $l$ and the capital letter $O$ )

The following are frequently confused:

$\cup, \mathbf{u}, \bigcup, U; \circ, o, O, 0; \times, x, X, \kappa; \vee, v, \nu; \theta, \Theta, \phi, \phi, \Phi, \emptyset; \psi, \Psi; \varepsilon, \epsilon;$

$a', a^1;$  the symbol  $a$  and the indefinite article  $a$ ;

also the handwritten Roman letters:

$c, C; e, l; I, J; k, K; o, O; p, P; s, S; *u, U; v, V; w, W; x, X; z, Z;$

Please take care to distinguish them in some way.

## C. Examples

### 1. Special alphabets or typefaces

Script	<i>A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z</i> <i>a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z</i>
Sanserif	<b>A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z</b> <b>a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z</b>
Gothic	<b>A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z</b> <b>a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z</b>
Boldface	<b>A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z</b> <b>a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z</b>
Special Roman	<b>A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y, Z, 1</b>
Greek	$\Gamma, \Delta, \Theta, \Lambda, \Xi, \Pi, \Sigma, \Phi, \Psi, \Omega$ $\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta, \varepsilon, \zeta, \eta, \theta, \vartheta, \iota, \kappa, \lambda, \mu, \nu, \xi, \omicron, \pi, \rho, \sigma, \tau, \upsilon, \varphi, \phi, \chi, \psi, \omega$

### 2. Notations

preferred form	instead of	preferred form	instead of
$A^*, b^{\sim}, \gamma', \nu$	$\bar{A}, \bar{b}, \bar{\gamma}, \bar{\nu}$	$f: A \rightarrow B$	$A \xrightarrow{f} B$
lim sup, lim inf	$\overline{\lim}, \underline{\lim}$	$\cos(1/x)$	$\cos \frac{1}{x}$
inj lim, proj lim	$\overline{\lim}, \underline{\lim}$	$\frac{\cos(1/x)}{(a+b/x)^{1/2}}$	$\sqrt{a + \frac{b}{x}}$
$\exp(-(x^2+y^2)/a^2)$	$e^{-\frac{x^2+y^2}{a^2}}$		
$f^{-1}$	$f^{-1}$		

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