

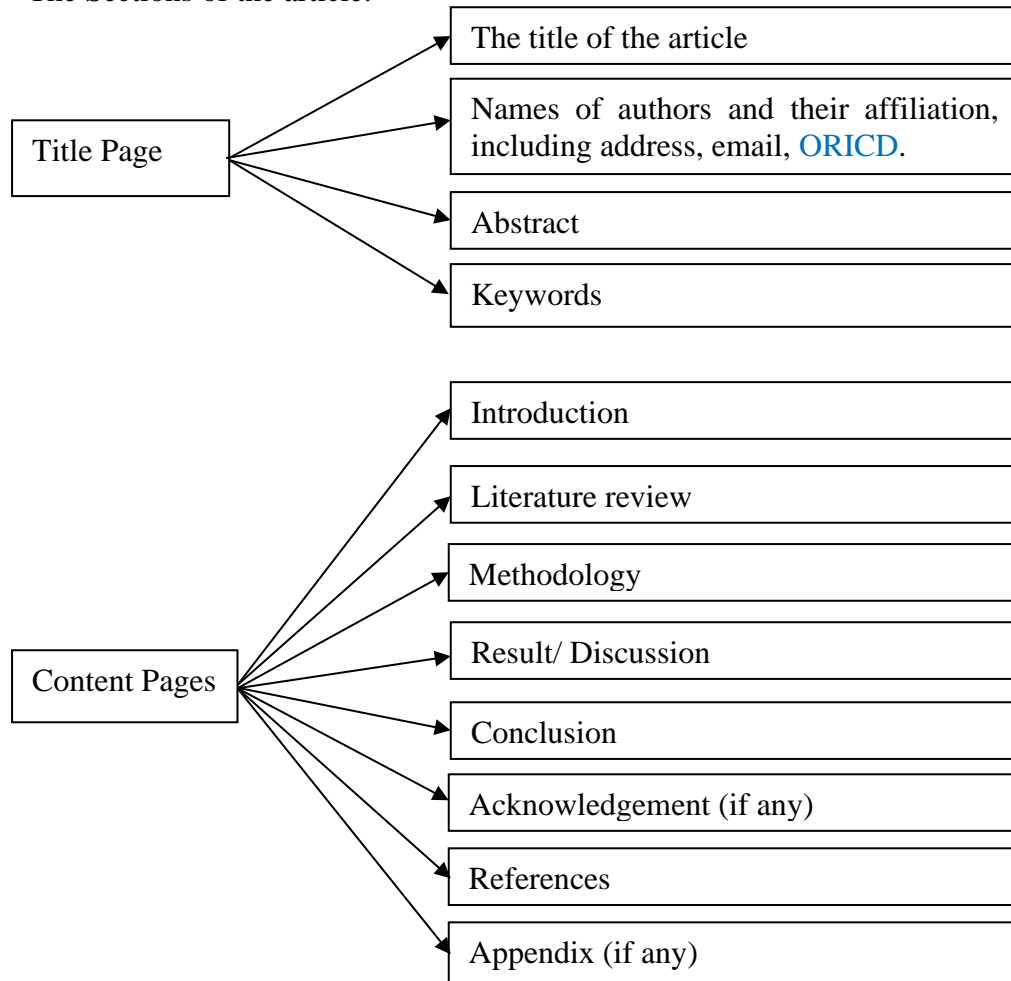
## FORMATTING INTRODUCTIONS FOR AN ARTICLE

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**Figure 1. Example of the title page**

## **1. INTRODUCTION (LEVEL 1)**

In this section, the authors should discuss the aim of this study.

### **1.1. Subheading (Level 2)**

*1.1.1. Subheading (Level 3)*

*1.1.2. Subheading (Level 3)*

- Subheading (Level 4)

### **1.2. Subheading (Level 2)**

## **2. LITERATURE REVIEW**

### **2.1. Subheading (Level 2)**

## **3. METHODOLOGY**

In this section, the authors should present materials, methods, survey, questionnaire, etc used for the study.

## **4. RESULT/DISCUSSION**

In this section, the author should present the data, the facts – what you found, calculated, discovered, observed, etc.

## **5. CONCLUSION**

In this section, the author should provide logical, and scientific analysis of findings of the study.

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

The author should present a list of acknowledgements at the end. Any financial or nonfinancial support for the study should be acknowledged.

## **REFERENCES**

The author must ensure that all citations are appropriately cited, and that they are listed in the references. The author is required to make citations in the APA (The American Psychological Association reference style) 7<sup>th</sup> format.

## **APPENDIX**

### **Appendix A**

**Figure 2. Example of the content**

## II. DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS

### 1. Title page

#### 1.1. Title of the paper (Use style “Page Title” in the template)

- Font style: Bold; All capitalize;
- Size: 14;
- Alignment: Center.

Example:

**THE TITLE OF THE ARTICLE**

#### 1.2. Author’s names (Use style “Author” in the template)

Please write your Vietnamese name following Vietnamese order with the tone marks.

- Font style: Bold;
- Size: 10;
- Alignment: Center.

Example:

**Nguyễn Văn A<sup>a\*</sup>, Trần Văn B<sup>b</sup>, Ngô Thị C<sup>a</sup>**

#### 1.3. Author’s affiliations (Use style “Affiliation” in the template)

Please provide the information about your affiliation, address, city/province, nation and provide email of the corresponding author.

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- Size: 10;
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Example:

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#### 1.4. Abstract (Use style “Abstract” in the template)

An abstract is a brief, comprehensive summary of the contents of the article including purpose (mandatory), design/methodology/approach (mandatory), findings (mandatory), research limitations/implications (if applicable), practical implications (if applicable), social implications (if applicable), and originality/value (mandatory) of the study. The abstract should not be more than 300 words.

- Font style: Italic;
- Size: 10;
- Alignment: Justify.

Example:

#### **Abstract**

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### 1.5. *Keywords (Use style “Keywords” in the template)*

Type your keywords here (3 to 6 keywords), separated by semicolons, arranged keywords in alphabetical order.

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- Size: 10;
- Alignment: Justify.

Example:

**Keywords:** DLU Journal; Journal of Sciene; Science.

## 2. **Content pages**

### 2.1. *Text of the content (Use style “Content” in the template)*

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- Size: 12;
- Index: 1.27;
- Alignment: Justify.

Example:

The Dalat University Journal of Science is a peer-reviewed multidisciplinary academic journal sponsored by Dalat University. The journal serves as a forum for lecturers and scientists to publish and exchange the results of their scientific research.

### 2.2. *Heading/Subheading*

#### - *Heading Level 1 (Use style “Level 1” in the template)*

- Font style: Bold; All capitalize
- Size: 12;
- Alignment: Justify.

Example:

## **1. INTRODUCTION**

#### - *Subheading Level 2 (Use style “Level 2” in the template)*

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- Size: 12;
- Alignment: Justify.

Example:

### **1.1. Subheading (Level 2)**

#### - *Subheading Level 3 (Use style “Level 3” in the template)*

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- Index: 1.27;

Example:

*1.1.1. Subheading (Level 3)*

- *Subheading Level 4 (Use style “Level 4” in the template)*

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- Use: Bullete.

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2.3. *Footnotes*

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- Example:

<sup>1</sup> The Dalat University Journal of Science was accepted in February, 2020 as a member of Crossref – An official registration agency of the International Digital Object Identifier Foundation (IDF).
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2.4. *Table*

- The title: (*Use style “Table” in the template*)

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- Index: 1.27;
- Alignment: Centered.

- The content of the table: (*Use style “Table’s content” in the template*)

- Font style: Regular;
- Size: 10;
- Alignment: Left.

- Example:

<b>Table 1. Name of the Table</b>		
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Line 1	1	2
Line 2	3	4
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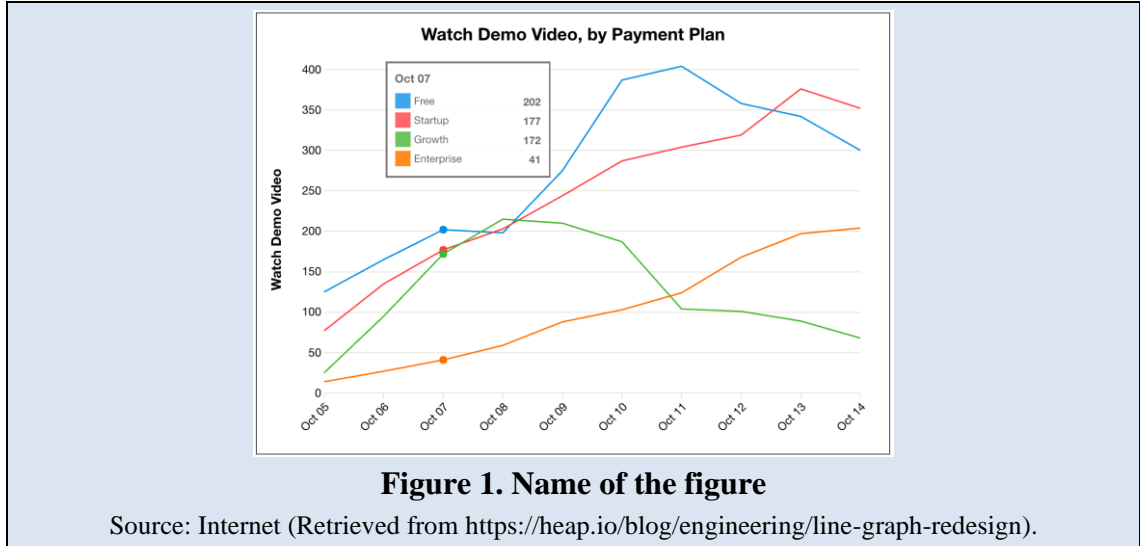
All drawings, pictures, boxes, diagrams, charts, maps, flowcharts, algorithms (not pseudo-code) ... must be presented as figures. (**Quality of pictures:  $\geq 300$  DPI or  $3000 \times 2400$  pixel**)

- Alignment of Figures: Center.

- The title of the Figure: The title of the figure should be placed below the figure (Use style “Figure Note or Figure No Note” in the template)

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- Example:



## 2.6. Note/ Source\* (Use style “Soure” in the template)

\* Use for both Note/ Souce of Tables and Figures. Need to cite source (according to APA 7<sup>th</sup>) when necessary.

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## 2.7. Equation

Equations must be compiled using the Insert / Object / Microsoft Equation 3.0 function in Microsoft Word (or add-ins with features similar to MathType);

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- Example:

$$V = \sum_{t=1}^{n_1} \frac{CF_t}{(1+k)^t} + \sum_{t=n_1+1}^{n_2} \frac{CF_t}{(1+k)^t} + \frac{CF_{n_2+1}}{(k-g)(1+k)^n}$$

(4)

## 2.8. Refence and Citation (Use style “Reference” in the template)

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