

## REQUIREMENTS FOR PREPARING CAMERA-READY PAPERS FOR THE SAMOS WORKSHOP

All the papers accepted for the SAMOS Workshop will be included in the Workshop Proceedings published in the LNCS series by Springer Verlag.

**Springer provides general instructions on the web page below, but read carefully the SAMOS VII specific instructions in the following.**

1. Open <http://www.springer.de/comp/lncs/authors.html> and click on “Information for LNCS Authors”.
2. Download and read [typeinst.pdf](#) for formatting paragraphs, titles, references etc.
3. **The maximum number of pages per paper is 10.** Up to 2 extra pages are allowed. (NOTE: Additional page charges **must** be paid. This should be indicated on the registration form.)
4. Depending on your word processor use appropriate LNCS templates.

### Latex

1. Download llncs2e.zip.
2. Use LNCS style ([llncs.cls](#)).
3. Use LNCS style for references ([splncs.bst](#)). Final submission should also include the bib file for references.
4. For SAMOS VII use the **Times font** (use: `\usepackage{pslatex}`), preferred also in figures. Note that this is the only allowed modification compared to the original LNCS template.
5. Do not modify the margins, line spacing, empty spaces between figures and text or between caption and figure, etc. (especially, do not use `\vspace` outside figures and tables).
6. *Jpg* and *gif* pictures are often problematic in publications. Use vector graphics if possible and preferably in *eps* format.
7. Do not use period in the end of figure or table captions.

### Word

1. Download word.zip
2. Use the *sv-lncs.dot* template. Note that a macro package for formatting is available (run *sv-lncs* and use the toolbar shortcuts for styles). Make sure that the font is Times.

### FrameMaker

1. Download llncsfm.zip
2. Use the *llncs.fm* template. Make sure that the font is Times.

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### In all formats:

1. Avoid footnotes.
2. Authors name must be written in consistent style:  
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*Author1, Author2, and Author3*  
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3. The address has to be written as follows (do not use period in the end of address lines):  
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