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The entire document should be in Times New Roman or Times font. Other font types may be used if needed for special purposes.

Recommended font sizes are shown in Table 1.

1. Title and Author Details

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TABLE I
Font Sizes for Papers

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| **Font Size** | 1. **Appearance (in Time New Roman or Times)**
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| **Regular** | **Bold** | **Italic** |
| 8 | table caption (in Small Caps),figure caption,reference item |  | reference item (partial) |
| 9 | author email address (in Courier),cell in a table | abstract body | abstract heading (also in Bold) |

1. *Section Headings*

No more than 3 levels of headings should be used. All headings must be in 10pt font. Every word in a heading must be capitalized except for short minor words as listed in Section III-B.

*Level-1 Heading*: A level-1 heading must be in Small Caps, centered and numbered using uppercase Roman numerals. For example, see heading “III. Page Style” of this document. The two level-1 headings which must not be numbered are “Acknowledgment” and “References”.

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Figures must be numbered using Arabic numerals. Figure captions must be in 8 pt Regular font. Captions of a single line must be centered whereas multi-line captions must be justified. Captions with figure numbers must be placed after their associated figures

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