Formatting Guide for Fundamental Research Contributions

Types	Research Articles	Reviews	Perspectives	Research Highlights	Commentaries	News & Views	Letters
Definition	Publish the latest research results with innovation and important scientific significance	Review and comment on the research situation, important achievements and existing problems in a certain research field, look forward to the future development direction and propose suggestions	Briefly introduce the outstanding progress and the latest achievements in a rapidly developing research field, evaluate its innovation and scientific significance, and demonstrate its foresight.	Briefly introduce the highlights of achievements in basic research fields domestic and abroad, evaluate their innovations and enlightenments to this field.	Comment on the important scientific achievements, scientific problems, scientific events, academic views, scientific research management policies, etc.	Introduce or comment on recent publications in Fundamental Research or basic research that have major influence on science community. Authors may express personal viewpoints, introduce significant recent scientific achievements, and offer evaluations or insights.	Report novel findings that have an immediate major impact on current basic research.
Words and	7000-8000 words	10000-12000words	1000-2000 words	1000-2000 words		1000-1500 words	1000-1500 words
Pages	(about 10 pages)	(about 15 pages)	(2-3 pages)	(2-3 pages)		(2-3 pages)	(2-3 pages)
Figures and Tables	No more than 10	No more than 12	One to three	One to three		No more than 1	No more than 1
References	No more than 50	No more than 80	No more than 10	No more than 10		No more than 15	No more than 10
Abstract	No more than 300 words	No more than 300 words	No more than 250 words	Don't need		Don't need	Don't need
Key words	5-8	5-8	5-8	Don't need		Don't need	Don't need
Author profile	Personal profile of the first author and corresponding author. The profile no more than 100 words. (Maximum 4 authors for each article)						
Optional picture for journal cover	1-2, recommended by the author. It must be of high quality and selected the best as the journal cover of the current issue.						
Other requirements	1. The Conflict of interest should be included in the manuscript. 2. The chart structure and figure color must be beautiful and clear, and the references conform to the format of English scientific papers. 3. It must represent the top-level of the author (especially the corresponding author). After receiving, peer review will be carried out to strictly control the quality.						