**Manuscript writing instruction for Tohoku Journal of NDS**

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1. **Introduction**

This document describes the prescribed format of manuscript for the Tohoku Journal of Natural Disaster Science. The submission deadline, which is found in the website of Tohoku NDS, should be strictly observed.

1. **Format instructions**

The abstract has to be written on A4 sheet and is limited within 6 pages. The upper and bottom margins are 31mm and 34mm, respectively, and the side margins are 24mm.

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The main body text should be typed single-spaced, justified with an indent. Use a Times New Roman 11 point typeface.

1. **Submission**

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