Notes for Contributors

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The Wadden Sea Newsletter is a trilateral periodical to inform scientific, nature management and policy-making institutions in Denmark, Germany and The Netherlands about research projects, their results, management measures and topical news in the Wadden Sea area.

Length and Structure

"Main theme" articles should be about 3 printed pages (about 1500 words with one figure on each page), short contributions of about one page (about 500 word with one figure) and brief notes are also welcome.

The "main theme" articles should include an abstract of 4 - 7 lines in easy English. The body of the article should be organized in sections with headings.

Only a few (2 - 4) recent references should be added to the contributions.

Example: Becker, P.H., S. Thyen & K.R. Schneider, 1998. Monitoring Pollutants in Coastal Bird Eggs. Wadden Sea Ecosystem No. 8, Common Wadden Sea Secretariat, Wilhelmshaven, pp 59 – 101.

Reference in text: (Becker et al. 1998) or (Beukema & Vlas 1979).

Authors are advised to consult this issue of the Newsletter and follow the conventions for section headings, tables, captions, references, addresses, quotation marks and abbreviations. (see also: http://www.waddensea-secretariat.org)

Language

The Wadden Sea Newsletter is published in English.

Format

A hard copy of the text, tables and figures and an electronic copy of the manuscript in WORD or RTF format should be submitted, either as a file attached to an e-mail (preferred) or on a diskette.

With the exception of species names (*italics*) the text should not contain any further formats (e.g. bold, underlined, hyphenation, justified setting).

Photos, Figures, Illustrations, Tables

Photos, figures and illustrations with useful captions and legends are welcome and should be included wherever possible.

Photos should be submitted as slide or photo print. Electronic versions of figures, illustrations and tables should be delivered in black and white and as separate files in the program they have been created with, e.g. Excel, Freehand, CorelDraw or as an Adobe Illustrator format (or another format which can be edited).

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