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NEW TEMPLATE FILE FOR REVIEW PAPERS

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For the first time in about 20 years, the journal staff has decided to make a new and specific template file. This file is intended to make the publication of **review manuscripts** more homogeneous. The journal staff is aware that there are several ways to present a review manuscript, and it is not claiming that this is the best format, just that it is a suitable format and allows the readers to have a reasonable understanding of how the authors conducted the review research. The new file was included in the compressed file that the authors downloaded to access the template and the cover letter, and its use will be mandatory for the review papers in the second semester of 2022. The Tchê Química journal is following the updates on the Southern Journal of Sciences, that is the head of this template project.

The new abstract section, with some new sample text highlighted in yellow. In addition, it has a tip with a link to the Abstract Maker Tool.

The materials and methods section was simplified to just methods (section 2). Some **sample** text was introduced to assist the authors in the description of where the research was conducted, how long it took, how it was conducted. In addition, a suggestion was introduced to present the inclusion and exclusion criteria for the manuscripts.

The section Results and Discussion have also received some sample text to make it easier for the authors to present the research results. The suggested tables in Figure 3 turn the expression of the results straightforward (section 3.1). It is recommended that the section "**Literature review**" to be included as a subsection of the "**Results**" section since the review of the literature is a research result.

And section 3.2, the **discussion** section, can receive a great amount of content and the authors' review notes regarding the results.

This new template format will evolve in the next couple of months to provide a better publication experience for the authors. At the same time, it provides a more robust environment for the review papers. Suggestions and comments on this new template can be addressed to the responsible journal e-mail at southbchem@gmail.com.