

Instructions to Authors

Manuscripts submitted to *Tunisian Journal of Plant Protection* (TJPP) should be emailed on Microsoft Word. They should be typed on one side page (A4 format) in 1.5 space (Times New Roman, 12), starting by the title in the center, followed by authors' names, their addresses, the corresponding author and his email address. Three abstracts are required: English, Arabic and French. The two latter come at the end of the manuscript. When necessary, TJPP may translate the English abstract into Arabic and/or French.

Abstracts start with the title of the manuscript and finish by the keywords with seven words at most, cited in an alphabetic order. The other sections of the manuscript are: Introduction, Materials and Methods, Results, Discussion, Acknowledgement (if necessary), French and Arabic abstracts, and Literature Cited. Review articles and not divided Short communications and First reports, are also published.

Tables should be cited in numeric order in the manuscript. They must be intelligible without reference to the text. The title should summarize the information presented in the table. Subheadings should be brief. Abbreviations are accepted but those which are not standard must be explained in footnotes.

Figures should also be presented in numeric order. Captions should describe the contents, so each illustration is understandable when considered apart from the text.

References in the text should be cited by the author name followed by the year, without comma. With more than one, references must be cited in their alphabetical order regardless their year order, separated by semicolon. Self-citation must not exceed 15% of the total citations. Manuscripts with at least 50% of their references from impacted papers are better considered. Regarding the plagiarism, manuscripts with more than 15% similarity are not accepted.

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Article in a journal:

Haddar, T. 1989. Check list of weeds naturally infesting agricultural fields in northern Tunisia. *Arab Journal of Plant Protection* 7: 174-178.

Chapter in a book:

Nasraoui, B., and Lepoivre, P. 2003. Les champignons phytopathogènes. Pages 111-143. In: *Phytopathologie, bases moléculaires et biologiques des pathosystèmes et fondements des stratégies de lutte*. P. Lepoivre, Ed. Editions De Boeck Université, Belgium.

Proceedings:

Medini, M., Hamza, S., Harrabi, M., and Lamari, L. 2003. Virulence of *Mycosphaerella graminicola* from Tunisia, Algeria and Canada. Pages 14-44. In: *Proceedings of the 6th International Symposium on Septoria and Stagonospora Diseases of Cereals*. December 8-12, 2003, Tunis, Tunisia.

Book:

Jarraya, A. 2003. Principaux nuisibles des plantes cultivées et des denrées stockées en Afrique du Nord: leur biologie, leurs ennemis naturels, leurs dégâts et leur contrôle. Maghreb Editions, Tunisia, 415 pp.

Thesis:

Chekali, S. 2015. Impact of the cultural techniques on the development of the root and crown Fusarium disease of cereals. Doctorate Thesis in Agronomic Sciences (Phytiatry), Institut National Agronomique de Tunisie, Université de Carthage, Tunisia, 130 pp.