

# BVM2025 Author checklist

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| Adhere to heading hierarchy, no empty chapters or sub-chapters  | <code>\section{...}</code><br><code>\subsubsection{...}</code>   | 3.7.2 |
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| Use side caption for small images and tables  | <code>\begin{SCfigure}</code><br><code>\begin{SCTable}</code>  | 3.8   |
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