# **Title**

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The abstract should be written in English, 2 pages maximum in the present format, including the references. Page size is A5 with 2 cm margins left and right and 3 cm up and down. Font size is Arial 9-pt, justified alignment and single-space interlined. Please, keep the heading of the different sections.

**Purpose:** The stated purpose should be concise; usually in no more than three sentences. Avoid a long discussion regarding background. Acronyms or abbreviations must be defined.

* The first sentence provides a brief background of the area and gap in knowledge.

 *Example: “Controversy exists regarding the safety of agents that inhibit vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF) in retinopathy of prematurity (ROP).”*

* The second sentence gives a concise goal for the study. It can be to test a hypothesis, explore an area of inquiry, or compare observations to controls.
* *Preclinical example: “We tested the hypothesis that inhibition of VEGF would slow weight gain in newborns using an experimental model of oxygen-induced retinopathy.”*
* *Clinical example: “We performed a retrospective, observational clinical study to learn about changes in the macular structure and visual function in a long-term cohort designed to study the role of anti-oxidant supplements in age-related macular degeneration.”*

**Methods**: Methods should include clear, succinct descriptions of what was done, or experiments performed and should include the controls for experimental conditions.

The following information may be included but is not essential in all cases:

* Inclusion/exclusion criteria
* Species under study
* Age and sex of animals/subjects
* Number of experiments/participants
* Outcome measure
* Data analysis procedures
* Statistical analysis procedures

**Results:** Results should be quantitative data with proper statistical information such as the standard deviation (SD), standard error of the mean (SEM), n- and p-values. You can add an image that is representative of your work; you can choose the dimensions but remember that the space is only two pages. The figure caption goes under the figure and should include a brief description (the figure caption should be centered and in Arial 8-pt). Tables can only be inserted as images and the Table legend goes above the table. In the text, reference numbers should appear between square brackets [1]. Maximum three references.

If a hypothesis is stated in the Purpose, the Results should address the hypothesis.

**Conclusions:** Highlight one or two relevant conclusions of the work.

Do not overstate the results.

The Conclusions should address the question/hypothesis stated in the Purpose section.

**Keywords:** Write 3 keywords

**References** (Use the Vancouver format for references, listed by order of appearance, right-aligned and in 7-pt type.).

[1] Helland M, Horgen G, Kvikstad T et al. Musculoskeletal, visual and psychosocial stress in VDT operators after moving to an ergonomically designed office landscape. Appl Ergon 2008;39:284-295.

[2] Noorden GK. Binocular Vision and Ocular Motility: Theory and Management of Strabismus. St. Louis (MO): Mosby; 1995.