# How to Prepare Manuscript for Aerospace Technology Japan

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$$A+B=C, \qquad (1)$$

and

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$$St_{n} = \frac{f_{n}L}{U_{\infty}} = \frac{n}{\left[\beta M_{\infty} \left(1 + \frac{\gamma - 1}{2} M_{\infty}^{2}\right)^{-1/2} + \frac{1}{K}\right]}$$
(3)  
$$n = 1, 2, 3, \cdots$$

and another one is differential equation

$$\left\langle \nabla^2 \boldsymbol{\phi} \right\rangle_i = \frac{2d}{\lambda n^0} \sum_{j \neq i} \left[ \left( \boldsymbol{\phi}_j - \boldsymbol{\phi}_i \right) w \left( \left| \boldsymbol{r}_j - \boldsymbol{r}_i \right| \right) \right], \tag{4}$$

where

$$\lambda = \frac{\sum_{j \neq i} |\mathbf{r}_j - \mathbf{r}_i|^2 w(|\mathbf{r}_j - \mathbf{r}_i|)}{\sum_{j \neq i} w(|\mathbf{r}_j - \mathbf{r}_i|)}.$$
(5)

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