

Guidelines for preparation and display of Poster in 14th ASC-2019

Poster presentation permits the presenter to provide a visual summary of their research to be displayed for sharing with conference delegates. Dedicated time will be allocated in the conference program for poster viewing by delegates during specific session and also an opportunity for poster presenters to be available to discuss their work with conference delegates on an individual basis. A poster should be self-contained and self-explanatory, which would assist different viewers to proceed on their own while the author can supplement or discuss particular points raised during interaction.

Poster format guidelines

- Posters should be a single sheet of A0 size paper [**84 x 119 cm (or 33 x 47 inches)**] which can be rolled for carrying and subsequent pasting on the poster display panel in portrait format. The poster display platform area will be approximately one square meter which can accommodate A0 size poster.
- Times new roman font with different font sizes should be used without mixing different fonts. To highlight text use underlined text, bold face or italics or any two combinations to emphasize words and phrases.
- In composing the poster, use of long sentences should be avoided and bullet summaries can be utilized in some or most cases.
- The language of the poster should be in English and content should be well labelled and headlines can be legible from a distance up to 2 meters. Proof reading of the poster should be done before final printing to avoid grammatical errors. There is no printing facility of posters during the Agricultural Science Congress.

Schematic diagram of poster template

Abstract Number: Please mention abstract number at **top, right corner of the poster** in **Font Size (FS) 36**.

Poster Title: The title of a poster should use the same words as written in your accepted submission. The Title should be very prominent and legible from a distance of up to 2 meters. It should be in at least FS 72 Times or Ariel, Center aligned. Use title case and avoid uppercase letters

Authors and affiliations: Center aligned

Authors FS 28

Affiliations FS 20

E-mail address FS 20

Besides this a passport size photo may be printed as shown in the poster template

Participants of the Congress may be interested in the reported work and would note the E-mail ID for future correspondence and may be for further collaborative research.

It will be preferred if the poster is made in two columns for following sections.

Introduction: Title should be left aligned in FS28; body in FS24.

Materials and Methods: Title should be left aligned in FS28; body in FS24. One to two paragraphs, align left or justify. Include citations where appropriate. Body is align left or justify.

Results and Discussion: Title should be left aligned in FS28; body in 24 FS. Figures and/or Tables are included here:

Table and Figure titles should be FS24 with Table and Figure titles usually at the top of the table and figure. The contents of the tables and figures should be FS20 or 24. Figures/ graphs are more desirable than Tables.

Conclusion: Title should be left aligned in FS28; body in 24 FS.

References: Title should be left aligned in FS 24, body in 20 FS.

Acknowledgment (optional): Title should be left aligned in FS24, body in FS20.

Mounting and dismounting of posters

Designated poster boards with poster ID (which will be e-mailed to delegates) will be available at the venue of ASC-2019, in which the delegate will stick the poster during the session and after the session is over the poster will be dismantled giving access to other delegates of succeeding session to stick their posters. Conference organizing staff in the poster area will help you to locate your poster board and provide the double sided glue tape to fix the poster at the venue.

Miscellaneous Suggestions

- ***Simplicity is the key.*** Attempt should be to keep to the point, and not to try to cover too many things and provide enough data to support conclusions.
- Before the poster preparation, first a list of the visuals should be prepared which could have been used if presented with only the visuals. Subsequently, the text should be written after you finalizing the list of visuals.
- Before the poster session, rehearse a brief summary of the project. Many viewers will be in a hurry and will want a quick "*guided tour*" of your poster. Don't be afraid to point out uncertainties in your work; this is where you may get useful feedback.
- The XIV ASC logo can be downloaded from the website (<http://14agricongress2019.in>)
- Poster Help Desk will be there at the venue for providing necessary materials and other help required.