**Instructions, examples, and checklist on   
how to cite the references using JESTEC unique style**

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**Examples of How to cite the following types of references in the Reference list:**

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| **Proceedings/Presented Conference papers: [5]**  **Author(s). (Year). Title. *Full information on the conference*. Location of the conference City, Country, Page number(s).** |
| **Textbooks: [6]**  **Author(s). (Year). *Title*. Full details of the publisher.** |
| **Theses/Dissertations: [7]**  **Author(s). (Year). *Title*. Type of thesis. Full details of the University or the institution.** |
| **Reports: [8]**  **Author(s). (Year). Title. *Full details of the report*.** |
| **Electronic references / Internet Sources: [9]**  **Author(s). (Year). Title. Full details of the source. Retrieved Month Date, Year, from Link** |

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| **No.** | **Item** | **Yes** | **No** | **NA** |
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|  | All references should be numbered in the order in which they appear in the text. **Examples (1)** |  |  |  |
|  | References should be cited in the text by placing sequential numbers in square brackets. **Examples (2)** |  |  |  |
|  | If a cited reference in the text has one author, use the surname of the author **Example (2), 2.1** |  |  |  |
|  | If a cited reference in the text has two authors, use the surnames of the first author and the second author separated by and. **Example (2), 2.2** |  |  |  |
|  | If a cited reference in the text has more than two authors, use the surname of the first author only, followed by et al. **Example (2), 2.3 and 2.4** |  |  |  |

**In the Reference list**

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|  | All references mentioned in the Reference list must be cited in the text. **Examples (3)** |  |  |  |
|  | A J**ournal article** reference consists of:  Author(s). (Year). Title. *Full name of the Journal*, Volume(Issue), Page number(s). **[1-3]** |  |  |  |
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|  | A **textbook** reference consists of:  Author(s). (Year). *Title*. Full details of the publisher. **[6]** |  |  |  |
|  | A **Thesis/Dissertation** reference consists of:  Author(s). (Year). *Title*. Type of thesis. Full details of the University or the institution. **[7]** |  |  |  |
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|  | The surname and the initials are separated by a comma. **[1-9]** |  |  |  |
|  | The names of authors are separated by semicolons, except the last two authors’ names are separated by a semicolon followed by the word and before the surname of the last author’s name. **[1-9]** |  |  |  |
|  | The initials of the author’s name should be as one word with a period following each initial. There must be no space between the initials. **[1-9]** |  |  |  |
|  | The first letter of the surname and initials of the author's name should be written in capital, other letters should be in lowercase. **[1-9]** |  |  |  |
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|  | All the names of the authors must be written in the Reference list. **[1-3]** |  |  |  |
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|  | The journal and conference names are written in the full names and in the italic mode in the Reference list. No abbreviated notation is allowed. **[1-3, 5]** |  |  |  |
|  | Journal name is written in italic mode with capitalising each word except words like in, of, on, etc. **[1-3]** |  |  |  |
|  | The textbook titles, thesis titles, and full details of a report are written in the full name and in the italic mode in the Reference list. No abbreviated notation is allowed. **[6, 7]** |  |  |  |
|  | All symbols wherever exist must be written in italic mode, this is not applicable to chemical elements and formulae, and non-dimensional numbers such as Re, Ma, etc. **Example (4)** |  |  |  |
|  | Use MS-Word Equation Editor to write the equations with its number. **Example (5)** |  |  |  |
|  | Use 3-6 keywords after the Abstract arranged in alphabetical order. **Example (6)** |  |  |  |

**More Explanation with Examples**

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| **Examples** |
| 1. **All references should be numbered in the order in which they appear in the text.**   Al-Obaidi [1] derived an equation to calculate the power of the system. This equation, however, is updated for accurate estimation of the power [2].  Mike et al. [3] and Yunis and Malik [4] developed another algorithm for this purpose. Comparing the results, it was found that the equation derived by Al-Obaidi [1] was more accurate than the one derived using the new algorithm [4]. |
| 1. **References should be cited in the text by placing sequential numbers in square brackets.**    1. **One reference:**   An equation is derived to calculate the power of the system [1].   * 1. **Two successive references (separated by a comma):**   Two equations are derived to calculate the power of the system [1, 2].   * 1. **Three successive references (separated by a comma):**   Three equations are derived to calculate the power of the system [1-3].   * 1. **More than on reference with random numbers (separated by a comma and dash as required):**   Many equations are derived to calculate the power of the system [1, 3, 6-10]. |
| 1. **All references mentioned in the Reference list are cited in the text.**   In the case of **one author** only,   * 1. **If the citation comes at the beginning of a sentence, just write the surname of the author followed by the reference number in square brackets.**   Al-Obaidi [1] derived an equation to calculate the power of the system.   * 1. **If the citation comes at the end of a sentence, just write the reference number in square brackets.**   An equation is derived to calculate the power of the system [1].  In the case of **two authors**,   * 1. **If the citation comes at the beginning of a sentence, just write the surnames of the first and second authors followed by the reference number in square brackets.**   Al-Obaidi and Lee [2] derived an equation to calculate the power of the system.   * 1. **If the citation comes at the end of a sentence, just write the reference number in square brackets.**   An equation is derived to calculate the power of the system [2].  In the case of **more than two authors**,   * 1. **If the citation comes at the beginning of a sentence, just write the surname of the first author followed et al. followed by the reference number in square brackets.**   Al-Obaidi et al. [3] derived an equation to calculate the power of the system.   * 1. **If the citation comes at the end of a sentence, just write the reference number in square brackets.**   An equation is derived to calculate the power of the system [3]. |
| 1. Al-Obaidi [1] studied the effects of wingspan, *b*, taper ratio, *l*, and Reynolds number, Re on the lift, *CL*, and the drag, *CD* coefficients. 2. The lift force is calculated using Eq. (4):   (4)   1. Keywords: Aspect ratio, Drag, Lift, Turbulent flow, Wing span |