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# Evaluation form for reviewers of articles submitted for publication in the "Original Articles" section

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·	Subject to minor amendments	
	Subject to major amendments	
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	Quality of contribution inadequate	
	Quality of writing inadequate	

## I. General comments

Please check the boxes for each of the criteria. If certain criteria do not apply, you can leave the boxes blank. In section II, you will be able to provide further details about the different aspects of the article you have evaluated

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1.	Relevance to the theme of the issue				
2.	Title in line with the content				
3.	Interest of the research question				
4.	Originality of the research problem				
5.	Appropriateness of the literature for the objectives				
6.	Quality of the use of literature				
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8.	Originality of the results				
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Εv	aluation of form	Yes	No
1.	Compliance with the "author guidelines" document		
2.	Compliance with bibliographical and referencing standards		
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6.	Writing of varying quality, some parts require rewriting (specify which ones in your comments for the authors in section II)		
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Please provide the editorial committee with your comments and suggestions, be they about the form or content of the article.

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