## MANUSCRIPT REQUIREMENTS

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For conciseness, the manuscript should be divided into the following sections:

- Introduction
- Experimental
- · Results and discussion
- Conclusion
- Summary and extended summary

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The Introduction should be as brief as possible, and therefore present only the information essential to the understanding of the matter.

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Preferably, formulas and equations should be presented in a single line, e.g.:  $e^{-a/RT}$  ill exp(-a/RT), a ne  $e^{-\frac{a}{RT}}$ 

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## Physical quantity and units for expressing the composition of the homogeneous mixtures

Physical quantity	Symbol	Definition*	Unit
RATIOS			
mass ratio	ζ	$\zeta_{B,A} = m_B/m_A$	1
volume ratio	$\psi$	$\psi_{B,A} = V_B/V_A$	1
amount of substance ratio	r	$r_{B,A} = n_B/n_A$	1
number ratio**	R	$R_{B,A} = N_B/N_A$	1
FRACTIONS			
mass fraction	W	$W_B = m_B/\Sigma m_i$	1
volume fraction	$\phi$	$\phi_{B} = V_{B}/\Sigma V_{i}$	1
amount of substance fraction	n X	$x_{\rm B} = n_{\rm B}/\Sigma n_{\rm i}$	1
number fraction**	Χ	$X_{\rm B} = N_{\rm B}/\Sigma N_{\rm i}$	1
CONCENTRATIONS			
mass concentration	γ, ρ	$\gamma_{\rm B} = m_{\rm B}/V$	kg m <sup>-3</sup>
volume concentration	$\sigma$	$\sigma_{\rm B} = V_{\rm B}/V$	1
amount of substance conc.	С	$c_B = n_B/V$	mol m <sup>-3</sup>
number concentration	С	$C_B = N_B/V$	m <sup>-3</sup>
MOLALITY			
molality	Ь	$b_{\rm B} = n_{\rm B}/m_{\rm A}$	mol kg <sup>-1</sup>

- \* B. S. Grabarić, B. Tripalo, Iskazivanje fizikalnih veličina u kemiji i biokemiji, Prehrambeno-tehnološka i biotehnološka revija, 1/93
- \* Right subscript A denotes solvent and B dissolved substance
- \*\* Authors proposition according to the analogy for amount (c) and number (C) concentration, although r=R i x=X

#### CONCLUSION

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