

Plagiarism Policy

NeelLex has zero tolerance for plagiarism.

The following practices are unacceptable:

- Direct plagiarism
- Self-plagiarism
- Mosaic plagiarism
- Improper citation
- Image plagiarism
- Data plagiarism

Submitted manuscripts may undergo similarity assessment before publication.

Duplicate Submission and Redundant Publication

Authors must not submit the same manuscript simultaneously to multiple publishers or journals. Previously published material should not be republished without appropriate permission and disclosure.

Data Availability

Authors should maintain accurate research records and be prepared to provide supporting data if requested during editorial evaluation.

Conflicts of Interest

Authors, editors, and reviewers should disclose any financial, professional, or personal relationships that may influence their work.

Copyright and Intellectual Property

Authors are responsible for ensuring that:

- Copyright permissions have been obtained.
- Third-party material is appropriately acknowledged.
- Intellectual property rights are respected.

Policy on the Use of Artificial Intelligence (AI)

NeelLex recognizes the growing role of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in research and academic publishing. AI tools may be used responsibly for language enhancement, grammar correction, coding assistance, literature organization, and research workflow support.

However, AI must not replace human intellectual contribution.

AI tools must **not** be used to:

- Generate complete scholarly manuscripts without substantial human authorship.
- Fabricate or manipulate research data.
- Create misleading scientific conclusions.
- Produce false references or citations.
- Manipulate scientific images or research figures.
- Replace the responsibilities of authors or editors.

Authors must disclose the use of AI tools wherever applicable and remain fully responsible for the originality, accuracy, and integrity of their work.

AI systems cannot be listed as authors.

Editorial Misconduct

NeelLex investigates allegations involving:

- Plagiarism
- Data fabrication
- Data falsification
- Citation manipulation
- Ethical violations
- Undisclosed conflicts of interest
- Copyright infringement

Where misconduct is confirmed, appropriate editorial action may include revision requests, rejection, correction, or withdrawal of the publication.

Corrections, Retractions and Withdrawals

NeelLex is committed to preserving the accuracy, transparency, and integrity of the scholarly record. If significant errors or ethical concerns are identified before or after publication, appropriate editorial action may be taken following a fair and transparent evaluation.

Corrections

A correction may be issued when a published work contains minor errors that do not affect the overall scientific validity, interpretation, or conclusions of the publication.

Examples include:

- Typographical or formatting errors
- Incorrect author affiliation
- Minor reference corrections
- Errors in figure or table numbering

- Metadata updates

Where appropriate, an official correction notice will accompany the publication.

Retractions

A publication may be retracted when substantial evidence indicates that the published work is unreliable or violates accepted standards of publication ethics.

Retraction may be considered in cases such as:

- Plagiarism
- Fabricated or falsified data
- Duplicate publication
- Copyright infringement
- Serious ethical violations
- Unauthorized use of third-party material
- Major scientific errors that invalidate the findings

A retraction notice will clearly state the reason for the retraction while preserving the integrity of the scholarly record.

Editorial Decisions

All decisions regarding corrections, withdrawals, or retractions are made by the Editorial Board after careful evaluation of the available evidence and, where appropriate, consultation with the authors or editors.

Our Commitment

NeelLex Innovation & Publication is dedicated to fostering an ethical, transparent, and responsible publishing environment that supports high-quality academic scholarship and contributes to the advancement of knowledge.

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