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Figure 2 Picture floated over text



Figure 3 Alignment of pictures in „line with the text“

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| 1,23 | 345,23 | 984,12 |

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Figure 4 Arrangement of tables

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