
Review: Paper Title

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of the paper*

1.1 General

1. **Is it an original/novel contribution?** ((tbd))
2. **Is it a significant contribution?** ((tbd))
3. **Is it the right amount of work for one paper?** ((tbd))
4. **Not too much overlap with authors' previous work?** ((tbd))
5. **Is the approach appropriate for the problem?** ((tbd))
6. **Does it consider current research?** ((tbd))
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8. **Is it written in correct, clear and concise English?** ((tbd))
9. **Are abbreviations and symbols explained?** ((tbd))
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1.2 Title

- 11. Does it reflect the content of the paper? ((tbd))
- 12. Is it specific? ((tbd))

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1.3 Abstract

- 13. Is it informative and comprehensive? ((tbd))
- 14. Does it properly reflect the paper's content? ((tbd))
- 15. Does it mention purpose/problem, methods, results, conclusions and significance? ((tbd))
- 16. Is it brief and concise? ((tbd))

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1.4 Introduction

- 17. Is it long enough? Is it not too long? ((tbd))
- 18. Does it fit the audience? ((tbd))
- 19. Does it cite work by others than the authors? ((tbd))
- 20. Does it motivate what follows? ((tbd))

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1.5 Main text body

- 21. Is the approach clearly and concisely described? ((tbd))
- 22. Are there sufficient/not too many details? ((tbd))
- 23. Can others reproduce the experiment? ((tbd))
- 24. Are all parts necessary? ((tbd))

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1.6 Conclusions

- 25. Is no new material introduced? ((tbd))
- 26. Is the focus only on the authors results? ((tbd))
- 27. Do the results support the conclusions? ((tbd))

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1.7 References

- 28. Are recent references cited? ((tbd))
- 29. Are references by others than the authors cited? ((tbd))
- 30. Are important references cited? ((tbd))
- 50 31. Are reference details correct? ((tbd))
- 32. Do the references state what the authors claim? ((tbd))
- 33. Are all references used in the text? ((tbd))

1.8 Figures and Tables

- 34. Is each figure/table necessary? ((tbd))
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- 41. Write in a constructive, clear and explicit way ((tbd))
- 65 42. Cite where necessary to backup your critique ((tbd))
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- 47. **Importance of research question** ((tbd))
- 48. **Originality/novelty of work** ((tbd))
- 49. **Appropriateness and priority for publication** ((tbd))
- 50. **Writing style, quality of figures/tables** ((tbd)) 75
- 51. **Strengths/weaknesses of approach, data and implementation** ((tbd))
- 52. **Thoroughness** ((tbd))
- 53. **Timeliness** ((tbd))
- 54. **Constructive criticism backed by references** ((tbd))
- 55. **Objectivity** ((tbd)) 80