July, 2021

Dear Editors,

We are submitting our manuscript titled "A Class of Two-Timescale Stochastic EM Algorithms for Nonconvex Latent Variable Models" to Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics. An extended abstract has appeared in the Proceedings of the 2021 IEEE International Symposium on Information Theory (ISIT), which is 5 pages in the standard IEEE conference format.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Belhal Karimi and Ping Li

Cognitive Compuing Lab Baidu Research 10900 NE 8th St. Bellevue, WA 98004, USA