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The above manuscript, entitled "Mapping the Computer Science Research in SAARC Countries" has been submitted to IETE Technical Review.

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MANUSCRIPT DETAILS

TITLE: Mapping the Computer Science Research in SAARC Countries

ABSTRACT:

This paper presents a scientometric and network-theoretic analysis of research work done in the discipline of Computer Science (CS) in the SAARC region during the last 25 years. We have performed a detailed computational analysis of bibliographic and textual data for publications originating from SAARC countries indexed in Scopus. Our analysis measures and present findings on total CS research output of the SAARC countries, global share and rank, growth trends and impact, collaboration levels with-in and out-of SAARC countries, top ranking institutions and individuals in the region, most preferred journals in the region, and a text-based research topic trend. The analytical results generate a useful mapping of CS research work being done in SAARC countries. The results are correlated with other demographic and economic indicators of the SAARC countries, and present inferences useful for determining funding patterns and policy formulation for scientific research.