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Dear Editor,

Please find enclosed a manuscript entitled: "Audio Melody Extraction: Evaluation and Approaches" which I am submitting for exclusive consideration of publication as an article in IEEE Transactions on Audio, Speech and Language Processing.

The paper evaluates status quo of Audio Melody Extraction task under MIREX (Music Information Retrieval Evaluation eXchange). This paper should be of interest to a broad readership including those interested in polyphonic music information extraction.

Thank you for your consideration of my work. Please address all correspondence concerning this manuscript to me at Georgia Institute of Technology and feel free to correspond with me by e-mail (emdiao@gatech.edu).

Sincerely,

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