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An Example Project

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Abstract

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Chapter 1

Introduction

5 pages long

1.1 Motivation / Context

Explain the background and pretense of the work how it fits or deals with a particular problem

Consider putting an intuitive example - to high light or illustrate the problem

Supporting statistics of the problem - to create a case for support

1.2 Research Questions

General or overarching research question for the work A few specific research questions that need to be addressed

- Question one: ? explain the reasons for asking this question.

Objectives: what do you want to achieve or accomplish

1.3 Summary of the Contributions

Applications or Systems developed as part of the work Particular Novel findings from the results
Creation of datasets, code, etc Methodologically: suggesting a new process or way to do things ?

1.4 The Structure or Outline of the Report

Chapter 2

Related Work or Background

Summarising a paper: (1) Context, (2) Problem, (3) Solution, (4) Evaluation, (5) Impact.

Places to go: ACM Portal, Google Scholar, Citeseer

Journals: IPM, JIR, ACM TOIS Conferences: ACM SIGIR, ACM CHI, ACM CIKM, European Conference in IR (ECIR), Information Interaction in Context (IIiX), etc.

Types or Styles of Papers: Theoretical, Empirical, Conceptual, Applications Based.

It is your job to add value and show how the background work relates to your project

- What is it about?
- Why would i read it? What is of value in it?
- What are the main contributions in the paper?
- What are the main issues in the paper?
- What are the advantages and disadvantages of the approach/solution proposed?
- What are the limitations of the work?
- What does the paper claims does the paper make? And are they supported?
- What do other people think of the paper? Who has caned it?
- Consider whether the paper is seminal or delta?
- What did you learn from this paper?
- Who else has done work in this area?
- How does this work stand out?
- How does it relate to the research questions?

Chapter 3

Methodology

Chapter 4

Results and Analysis

Chapter 5

Discussion and Conclusion

5.1 Acknowledgements

I would like to thank ...