



Peer-Review Statements

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1 Review Procedure

The reviews were double blind. Each submission was examined by at least two reviewer(s) independently.

Only the submissions whose similarity index were lower than 15% were accepted and first screened by editors for generic quality and suitability. After the initial screening, they were sent for peer review by matching each paper's topic with the reviewers' expertise, taking into account any competing interests. A paper could only be considered for acceptance if it had received favourable recommendations from the two reviewers.

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2 Quality Criteria

Reviewers were instructed to assess the quality of submissions solely based on the academic merit of their content along the following dimensions

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1. Pertinence of the article's content to the scope and themes of the conference;
2. Clear demonstration of originality, novelty, and timeliness of the research;
3. Soundness of the methods, analyses, and results;
4. Adherence to the ethical standards and codes of conduct relevant to the research field;
5. Clarity, cohesion, and accuracy in language and other modes of expression, including figures and tables.

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3 Key Metrics

Total submissions	105
Number of articles sent for peer review	80
Number of accepted articles	62
Acceptance rate	59%
Number of reviewers	13

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