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Title: Short and specific

Keywords: at least 8 words that are complementary to the title. They are NOT in the title!

Abstract: max 250-300 words, the first sentence is the most important, should include at least one sentence for each of the following: research problem, objective, methodology, results, audience.

Abstract Content:

Background: context of the problem, overview of most relevant work, definition of the problem

Objective: purpose of the paper,

Significance: what is new or original, why is this paper important or significant,

Method and Results Overview: basic description on how the objective is achieved, and what are the main results, what are the implications of the results, again what the significance of the results is.

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