Peer-Review Statements

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1. REVIEW PROCEDURE

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4. Editor sent the manuscript to the reviewer along with the review form (blind review);
5. Reviewer sent back his review form to Editor (with a revised manuscript if necessary);
6. Editor's decision (rejected, requires major revision, needs minor revision, or accepted);
7. Confirmation to the Author.
8. For any revisions, the author revised the manuscript, and should be returned to the editor without delay. Returned later than one month will be considered withdrawn.

In addition, all of the articles have been checked for textual overlap in an effort to detect possible signs of plagiarism by the publisher.

3. KEY METRICS

Total submissions	50
Number of articles sent for peer review	35
Number of accepted articles	20
Acceptance rate	49%
Number of reviewers	5

4. COMPETING INTERESTS

Neither the Editor-in-Chief nor any member of the Scientific Committee declares any competing interest.

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