Assignment 3: Review/Summary Guidelines

Student Name:

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Fill in the space provided with your responses

Structured summary of the paper you read to critique

Summarize the conference paper you read, responding to the following points (number of words for your answers are specified for each question)

1. Title and authors of the paper you read to critique:

2. Attributes (Key words): (minimum 5 keywords) (not necessarily from the paper itself)

3. Was the abstract clear enough to get a glimpse of the work? What is missing, if any? (50 words):

4. Were introduction and background sufficient and apt enough to describe the problem topic? (100 words)

5. Was the related work in this paper comprehensive enough to cover the history of the topic of research briefly (consider the dates of publication)? Did this section cover recent works sufficiently? (100 words):
6. What was the purpose of this paper? (100 words) (Relevance/scope of the paper to the course):

7. Design/Methodology/Approach (100 words) (What was the method/technique used and? Were the proposed methodology(ies) advanced the field to any extent?):

8. Research Limitations/implications (100 words) What is the contribution by the authors to this technique:
9. Findings (20 words) (Key new knowledge (to the literature) coming out of this paper):

10. Practical Implications (100 words):

11. Social implications, if any (20 words) – Many papers may not put forth the immediate use of the (new) knowledge but would have stated practical implications of the work:

12. Originality/Values (100 words):
13. Did the authors explain the results well? What were the results and what were the new insights inferred from the results about the issue in hand? (100 words):

14. Did the authors achieve the stated goal(s)(possibly stated at the beginning of the paper)? What were the goals and how and why they claim they achieved this goal? (50 words):

15. Were the conclusions well related to the goal? What were the conclusions? (50 words):

16. Your thoughts and your conclusions on this paper: (What did you learn?) (100 words):