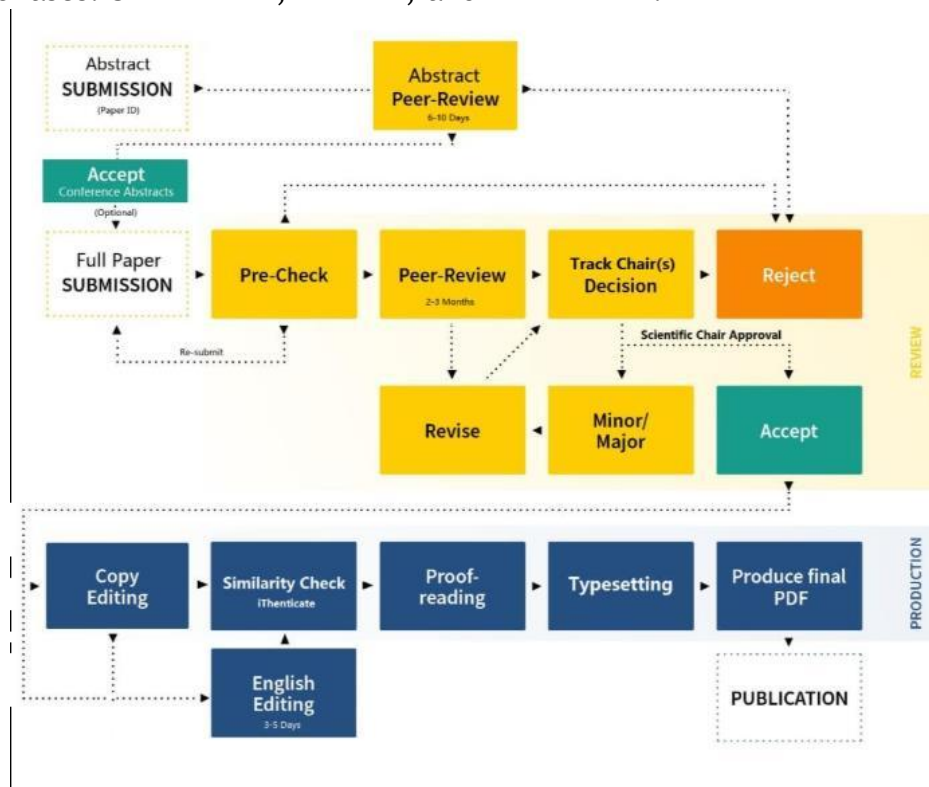


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Paper Submission Process

The diagram illustrates the complete lifecycle of a research manuscript, starting from extended abstract submission to final publication. The process is divided into three major phases: **Submission**, **Review**, and **Production**.



1. Abstract Submission Phase

The process begins with the **submission of an extended abstract** by the author(s), which is assigned a **Paper ID** for tracking purposes.

- After submission, the abstract undergoes an **initial peer review**, typically completed within **10 to 15 days**.
- Based on the reviewers' feedback, the abstract may be:
 - **Accepted** for conference consideration (optional step depending on the event or journal), or
 - **Rejected**, ending the process at this stage.

If the abstract is accepted, the author is invited to proceed with the **full paper submission**.

2. Full Paper Submission and Review Phase

a. Full Paper Submission

Once invited, the author submits the **complete manuscript** for detailed evaluation.

b. Pre-Check

Before peer review, the paper goes through a **pre-check stage**, which ensures:

- Compliance with formatting guidelines
- Completeness of submission
- Adherence to ethical and publication standards

If issues are identified, the manuscript may be returned to the author for **resubmission** after corrections.

c. Peer Review

After clearing the pre-check, the manuscript enters the **peer review stage**, which generally takes **2-3 months**.

- Experts in the relevant field evaluate the manuscript for:
 - Originality
 - Scientific rigor
 - Methodology
 - Relevance and contribution to the field

d. Track Chair(s) Decision

Based on the peer reviewers' reports, the **Track Chair(s)** make one of the following decisions:

- **Reject** the manuscript, or
- Recommend **revision** (minor or major), or
- Recommend **acceptance**, subject to approval.

In the case of revisions:

- Authors are required to **revise the manuscript** according to reviewer comments.
- Revised submissions may undergo further evaluation before a final decision is made.

e. Scientific Chair Approval

Manuscripts recommended for acceptance are forwarded to the **Scientific Chair** for final approval.

- Upon approval, the paper is formally **accepted** for publication. After this author(s) need to submit the **Camera Ready Version** of the manuscript.

3. Production Phase

Once accepted, the manuscript enters the **production stage**, which prepares it for publication.

a. Copy Editing

The manuscript undergoes **copy editing** to improve clarity, consistency, grammar, and formatting.

b. Similarity Check

A **plagiarism/similarity check** (e.g., using Turnitin) is conducted to ensure originality and compliance with ethical standards.

c. English Editing

If required, the paper undergoes **English language editing**, typically completed within **3-5 days**, to enhance readability and academic tone.

d. Proofreading

The edited manuscript is then **proofread** to eliminate typographical and layout errors.

e. Typesetting

The paper is **typeset** according to the journal or conference publication format.

f. Final PDF Production

A **final PDF version** of the manuscript is produced and approved by the publisher.

4. Publication

After completion of all production steps, the manuscript is officially published and made available through the conference proceeding.

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