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The conference retained its A* rank. It has a h5-index of 48. General chairs and program chairs are top people in the field with h-index>30 and typically around 50. PC members have average h-index ~17 and regularly publish in the conference (e.g., 90 out of the 155 PC members published at this conference in 1 or more years). Almost 50% (205/418) of established researchers publish here. The conference is appearing at number 5 in data mining and analysis google scholar metrics behind KDD, TKDE, AISTATS and WSDM. Acceptance rate is very low (~9% in each of the last three years). The committee noted that the comparator conferences, DCC and PODS, were not ideal comparators. DCC focuses on a much narrower area and PODS is a theoretical conference which accepts a much smaller number of papers.