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ESEC/FSE is currently ranked at A* and the committee checked if the A* rank is still justified. ESEC/FSE is listed as a comparator of ASE.

The committee discussed this conference and agreed that the rank should remain A*.

The quality of the submission data was generally good.

In the past three years:

The number of submitted papers is high - 303, 295, and 295, with an acceptance rate around 21-24%. These numbers are very good.

The Program Chairs h-indices are 77-31, 50-44, and 39-40.

Senior PC members moderate to high h index - 34/44, which is a bit low for A*.

ESEC/FSE is among top 20 Software systems venues as per Google Scholar metrics (h5=43, #4 in the sub-category).

WPP is very good - conference was published at 67 times by 20 of 32 experts in the last 5 years.