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SSBSE requested to be ranked at A.

Comparator conferences given were ATVA, SAS, ICECCS, ICSSP, ECOOP.

The number of submitted papers is 22, 24, and 26 in the recent three years, with an acceptance rate 41%, 38%, and 27%, respectively. These numbers are not good for an A conference.

The average PC h-index is around 15. This conference was published at 14 times by 7 of 11 experts in the last 5 years. These numbers are OK for B ranked but not A.

SSBSE is NOT among the top 20 evolutionary computation venues according to Google Scholar. The conference has a GS h5 of 15, which is not very strong.

Compared to comparators, SSBSE compares favourably to ECOOP, ICECCS.

It is similar to SAS, ICSSP and seems less strong indicators than ATVA.

The committee members discussed this conference and agreed that this conference should be at rank B.