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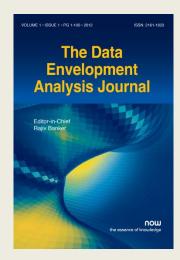
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15 January 2012 → Submission Deadline

(early submission recommended, referee process starts once the paper received)

15 July 2012 → Notification of review outcome

15 October 2012 → Revised manuscripts resubmitted for review

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15 January 2013 → Final version of paper submitted

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