Paper Critique Assignment
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You should write a short paper critique (at least 800 words but not more than 1200 words) of the paper you are presenting, or another paper of your choice (of course, the paper should be in the general areas of Programming languages, Compilers, and Software engineering, ideally in Program analysis).

Your critique should contain two parts. First, a summary in your own words of the technical and scientific contribution of the paper, and second, your own view of the positive and negative aspects of the work (e.g., is the argument incorrect or incomplete, what would be interesting future research that could be done to continue this paper, how did the paper have impact on academic research or industry, etc.).

You have to think carefully in order to write a concise, yet thorough assessment of the article. Your summary should not just paraphrase the abstract, but rather give your view of the actual research ideas. Writing shorter critiques is harder than writing longer ones.

Requirements: The writeup should be at least 800 words but not more than 1200 words. Please submit a Word file.