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ABSTRACT

As a unifying voice for non-professional SETI research throughout the world, The SETI League receives a large number of submissions each year for Conference presentation and Proceedings publication on a wide variety of topics related to the search for life in space. We are pleased to be able to include many of these submissions as presentations at our annual SETICon technical symposium, for publication in our Proceedings and Newsletter, and for posting to our extensive website. In fact, our members' submissions have made The SETI League a prominent forum for open exploration of a variety of research topics, both traditional and unconventional. All we ask is that submitters adhere to the high standards of professionalism and scientific rigor that dedicated amateurs have long demonstrated. Our peer review process helps to ensure that these standards are met, without in any way inhibiting the free flow of ideas.