

Review of: "Reconfigurable Intelligent Surface Constructing 6G Near-field Networks"

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The author(s) of this manuscript claimed to have conducted a systematic/technical review of RIS-driven near-field technologies. In my opinion, the paper has several drawbacks.

- It looks like a book chapter simply explained in textual form, which makes it more tedious/monotonous for reviewers and readers to read such large texts. Many sections and their explanations can be mapped into figures/diagrams to show the effectiveness of the explanation. For example, how to establish pervasive nearfield wireless propagation environments through RIS? This should be well presented with diagrams and justified using suitable methods.
- If it is supposed to be a systematic review, then the steps of systematic reviews have not been reflected in the paper.
- Literature reviews and related studies in relation to the proposed study are not sufficient.
- It provides some suggestions to overcome the challenges, including mobility issues in near-field communication, but the unjustifiable suggestions do not guarantee to overcome the issues.
- I suggest the authors to massively review the work and present it with justification, or if it is a position paper, they need to provide limitations and a future study plan to clarify the proposed work.