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1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

During the year of 2020 there were no research and technological activities taking place in the framework of the Lisbon Pole of ISR, nor were financed through ISR (NIF 502 854 227). All the research activities were carried out in the context of the research unit ISR/IST where all contracts and activities took place at Instituto Superior Técnico.

For informative purposes only, we describe the scientific publications and doctoral theses that were produced by the research group hosted at the Instituto Superior Técnico, in spite of the fact that none of these activities were developed in the context the Lisbon Pole of ISR.

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