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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Compulsory REVISION comments	The author has been fascinated by the US conception of foresight, forgetting the conceptual input of the French School of "prospective" Introduction is common knowledge &3.1 is very general and it is difficult to know why it has been introduced in the text Delphi is only one method among numerous other methods 3.2 there is a huge lack of explanations - some text has been introduced between unverifiable equations – it is not enough There is nearly no conclusion The purpose of this text is rather unclear	We would like to thank the reviewer for a critical attitude to our work. Introduction and p.3.1 are required to enter the reader in subject of article, as well as for the description of relevance of the research conducted by authors, namely: - the introduction describes a brief history of the beginning of foresight, as well as its assignment and objective. I would also like to note that, according to Technology Foresight Manual by UNIDO «Technology forecasting first came to prominence in the late 1950s in the United States defence sector and in work by consultants such as the RAND Corporation. The latter were responsible for developing some of the principal tools of technology forecasting, such as the Delphi questionnaire survey and scenario analysis »[p.10, [1]]. 3.1. is intended to show the prevalence of foresight in the world, and briefly describe the foresight research conducted in Ukraine. The first part of 3.1 shows the importance and a demand of foresight programs around the world (Japan, USA, Great Britain, <u>France</u>, Germany), and also shows the methods used to carry it out. The second part describes the foresight research which is carried out in Ukraine,



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		and also its shortcomings revealed by authors. <i>The reviewer is absolutely right, noting that Delphi is just one of the methods of foresight, as shown in paragraph 3.1 in the description of foresight researches of various countries and methods used in this case. However, we would like to note that Ukraine has used this method for the foresight research, as shown in Fig.1 and Fig.2, and the proposed by the authors information technology on the other hand it is not applied (Fig.3, [17 - 19]).</i> <i>This article is the summary in our research, and therefore 3.2 describes a scenario example of application of the offered information technology on the example of determining priorities of development the nanotechnology industry in Ukraine. In this point the short description of the used methods with links to their detail description is given, and also practical application of the specified methods for calculation of necessary values is given. We consider that such description it is quite enough for our article since the purpose of article is to show practical application of the offered information technology by determination the priorities of development of the nanotechnology industry in Ukraine, and also to consider the results received at that.</i> <i>Conclusions were supplemented - all corrections in the article are shown in yellow.</i> <i>We will notice that foresight-researches became,</i>
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		<i>de facto, the international standard for forecasting and planning of scientific and technical, economic, and social development of the countries therefore, we consider that it would be useful for scientific community to learn about the carried-out foresight-researches in Ukraine, and also our notes on some shortcomings and approach for their elimination</i>
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments		
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		