



Synergy and Redundancy Measures: Theory and Applications to Characterize Complex Systems and Shape Neural Network Representations

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- Advances in the estimation of information-theoretic quantities from high-dimensional data sets;
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