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Heuristic Optimization Algorithms for Logistics

Message from the Guest Editors

Heuristic optimization algorithms have gained significant attention due to their ability to efficiently find near-optimal solutions for complex logistics problems. Logistics, encompassing the management of the flow of goods, services, requires robust optimization techniques to improve overall performance. Heuristics offer practical and computationally efficient solutions for tackling intricate logistics challenges. These algorithms leverage simple rules and iterative processes to explore solution spaces effectively, making them well-suited for real-world logistics applications. This Special Issue aims to bring together cutting-edge research and innovative applications of heuristic optimization algorithms in logistics. Topics of interest include algorithmic developments, case studies, and experimental validations that demonstrate the effectiveness of heuristics in optimizing various aspects of logistics. Overall, this Special Issue seeks to contribute to the development of practical and scalable solutions that address the evolving challenges in the dynamic and complex field of logistics.

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