# Advanced Optimization Methods and Big Data Applications in Energy Demand Forecast

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## Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

The aim of this Special Issue is to gather the latest advancements in energy demand forecast, and in particular with the use of advanced optimization methods and Big Data techniques. Here, by energy, we mean any kind of energy, e.g., electrical, solar, microwave, wind.

We encourage researchers to share their original works in the fields of energy demand forecasting, with a particular emphasis on applications. Topics of primary interest include but are not limited to:

1. Advanced optimization methods for energy demand forecast;
2. Big Data techniques for energy demand forecast;
3. Optimization methods and big data in energy-related time series forecasting;
4. Optimization methods and big data in nonparametric time series approaches;

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