

Special Issue

Cooperative Perception for Modern Transportation

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to explore the modeling theories and methods for UAV and self-driving vehicles (SDVs) in intelligent transportation systems. The efficiency of traffic management can be greatly improved by leveraging the high-altitude monitoring and rapid response capabilities of drones, combined with the big data analysis and real-time monitoring technology of intelligent transportation systems. Simultaneously, it can also be applied to the field of public safety and logistics distribution, improving the overall benefit to society and human quality of life. Collaborative perception processes and integrates data collected by multiple collaborative sensors to produce more accurate and complete perceptual results. It solves the two main problems of remote occlusion and sparse data in single perception. It usually involves algorithms and technologies such as data processing, distributed computing, and artificial intelligence. These greatly improve the ability of the drones to integrate information with the existing sensors in the intelligent transportation system.

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