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Space–Air–Ground Integrated Networks for 6G

Message from the Guest Editors

Space–air–ground integrated networks (SAGINs) have been an important research direction for 6G. Terrestrial networks are insufficient for fulfilling Internet service demand, and there are 3 billion people all over the world living without Internet access. Satellite communication makes up for the shortage of terrestrial networks, with its advantages including wide coverage and support for massive access services. With the fast development of low-Earth-orbit (LEO) satellite constellations, e.g., Starlink and OneWeb, satellite communication has become an indispensable part of space–air–ground integrated networks. Prospective authors with original research articles and reviews are invited to submit articles on topics related to “Space–Air–Ground Integrated Networks for 6G”. We look forward to receiving your contributions.

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