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This Special Issue welcomes theoretical papers, methodological studies, and empirical researches (or combinations thereof) on time synchronization mechanisms in industrial applications, industrial internet of things, wireless sensor networks, reliability and availability, protocols, algorithms, and scheduling mechanisms to fulfil the timing and reliability requirements dictated by industrial applications. The topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

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- Time synchronization mechanisms
- Real-time indoor localization systems
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- Software-Defined Networking (SDN)
- Cloud and Fog computing in future factories
- Real-time communication standards
- Deterministic medium access schemes and real-time scheduling
- In-vehicle real-time communications
- Cooperating robot sensor networks

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