

## Special Issue

# An Information-Theoretical Perspective on Complex Dynamical Systems

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- Building suitable unambiguous mathematical models for statistical/stochastic prediction, parameter estimation, and uncertainty quantification;
- Improved understanding of model-based ensemble forecast using information theory and judicious comprehensive mathematical tools;
- New data-driven and machine learning strategies to characterize the dynamical and statistical features of high-dimensional complex systems;
- Emerging development of multiscale algorithms for filtering/data assimilation and state estimation for complex systems and real-world applications;
- Information barriers and improving the skill with model errors for state estimation and prediction.

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