Special Issue

Finite-Length Information Theory

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims at collecting recent results in finite-length information theory and its intersection with neighboring fields. Possible topics include, but are not limited to:

- One-shot information theory and information spectrum methods.
- Nonasymptotic performance bounds for point-to-point and multiterminal communication systems.
- Refined asymptotics: error exponents, dispersion, and moderate deviations analysis.
- Error-correcting codes: design guidelines and performance analysis in the finite-length regime.
- Lossless and lossy data compression at finite blocklengths.
- Delay-constrained joint source-channel coding.
- Exploiting channel feedback in code design to improve complexity-delay-reliability tradeoffs.
- Receiver design: constellation, quantization, and iterative decoding.
- Information theory for the control of dynamical systems.

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