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Advances and Challenges in Robotic Manipulation

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The Special Issue "Advances and Challenges in Robotic Manipulation" aims to summarize the latest developments and emerging trends in this field. It provides an international platform for researchers, academics, and industry professionals to discuss key challenges, share knowledge and open-source tools, and highlight high-impact applications of robotic manipulation. By showcasing recent breakthroughs and future opportunities, this Special Issue seeks to advance the state of the art and inspire further innovation in robotic manipulation. We welcome submissions from all related topics in academic research and industry, including, but not limited to, the following:

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- Planning and perception for robotic grasping and dexterous manipulation;
- Learning-based approaches for robotic manipulation;
- Manipulation in dynamic and unstructured environments;
- Robotic handling of deformable and soft objects;
- Safety, robustness, and human-robot interaction in manipulation;
- Sim-to-real transfer in robotic manipulation;
- Industrial and real-world applications of robotic manipulation.

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