

Special Issue

Analysis, Design and Optimization of Electromechanical and Electromagnetic Devices

Message from the Guest Editor

Electromechanical and electromagnetic devices use low-frequency electromagnetic fields for their operation. Some examples of those devices are synchronous generators in power plants, power and distribution transformers, electrical motors, and actuators. It is clear that they play a vital role in electrical power generation and distribution, industry, automotive and aerospace applications, consumer products, and beyond. Analytical calculations, equivalent circuits or finite element methods are used for their analysis and design, often including a multiphysics approach. Optimization methods are used when the requirements and specifications are challenging to meet and to ensure that material utilization reaches its full potential. Innovative solutions and novel topologies are pushing the boundaries of science and technology. Research areas may include (but are not limited to) the following:

- synchronous and asynchronous machines;
- permanent magnet machines;
- power and distribution transformers;
- switched reluctance machines;
- electrical actuators;
- coils, chokes and shunt reactors;
- multiphysics analysis;
- design optimization.

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