

Special Issue

Optimization Models for Supply Chain, Planning and Scheduling

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This Special Issue is devoted to recent research, current developments, and applications of mathematical methods applied to supply chain processes (planning and scheduling). This includes the principles and practice of the design, implementation, and analysis of exact and approximate optimization methods. The topics of interest include but are not limited to the following:

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- Exact algorithms (branch and bounds, dynamic programming, etc.);
- Different scheduling and planning applications (timetabling, network routing, crew scheduling, production scheduling, resource-constrained project scheduling, route planning, etc.);
- Energy-efficient or multiobjective planning and scheduling problems;
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