

Special Issue

Application of Machine Learning Techniques to Improve Industrial Energy Efficiency

Message from the Guest Editors

With the increasing demand for energy efficiency and sustainability in industrial operations, the application of Machine Learning (ML) techniques has gained significant attention across engineering and manufacturing sectors. ML enables data-driven insights, pattern recognition, and adaptive control strategies that can lead to substantial improvements in energy performance. This Special Issue aims to highlight recent developments in the use of ML to optimize energy consumption, reduce waste, and support decision-making in industrial processes. Potential topics include, but are not limited to, methods and/or applications in the following areas:

- Predictive maintenance and fault detection;
- Process modeling and optimization;
- Energy demand forecasting;
- Intelligent control systems;
- Integration of ML with digital twins, IoT;
- Anomaly detection in energy systems;
- Case studies on real-world industrial implementations;
- Techno-economic analysis of ML-driven energy solutions.

We welcome contributions that present innovative methodologies, interdisciplinary approaches, and practical applications that demonstrate the potential of ML to transform industrial energy management.

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