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Recently, we have seen a growing interest in the potential use of sensor networks, which offer new opportunities through the implementation of a sensor network protocol in many different applications. Various optimization methods, e.g., convex optimization, machine learning (ML) and artificial intelligence (AI), have been explored to determine how sensor networks work efficiently in different scenarios, e.g., machine type communications (MTCs) and unmanned aerial vehicles (UAVs).

This Special Issue, therefore, aims to collect together original research and review articles on the recent advances, technologies, solutions, applications and new challenges in the field of sensor network protocol and optimization.

Potential topics include, but are not limited to:

- Multiple access control (MAC) protocols and optimizations;
- Topology control and routing protocols and optimizations;
- Hybrid Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, and Zigbee networks;
- Car-to-car and infrastructure-to-car protocols and optimizations;
- Underwater sensor network protocols and optimizations;
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