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Information Measures with Applications

Message from the Guest Editor

Classical information measures such as entropy, relative entropy (Kullback-Leibler divergence), and mutual information have found numerous applications in storage, compression, transmission, cryptography, statistics, large deviations, gambling, and physics. However, over the years—arquably starting with the pioneering work of Alfréd Rényi (1921-1970)-other information measures were introduced and studied. Those include Rényi Entropy, Rényi Divergence, fdivergence, Arimoto's mutual information, Sibson's information radius, and others. These new measures typically generalize the classical measures and in some applications provide finer results. In recent years they have also found new applications in guessing, hypothesis testing, error exponents, task encoding, large deviations, etc. For this Special Issue we solicit original papers presenting new applications of known information measures and new measures with interesting applications.

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