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Aims and Scope

Many areas of modern knowledge encounter problems, whose solution is impossible without applying advanced mathematical techniques as well as computational intelligence based methods. Moreover, the interaction and interplay between mathematical techniques and computational technologies is fundamental for the adequate approach of the research of such problems. Among the most important mathematical tools for this interaction are fuzzy logic based mathematical technologies as well as rough sets based methodologies. These technologies and specifically their interplay allow addressing different challenges of the present technological age. This special issue will include the last advances in both fields, mathematics and computational intelligence, and the synergies among them, in order to solve diverse tempting theoretical and real-world important problems.

It will be composed of the reviewed extensions of the best papers submitted to the 11th European Symposium on Computational Intelligence and Mathematics (ESCIM 2019). Other great contributions will be welcome.

Relevance to this journal

The scope of ESCIM 2019 is related to the main topics of IJCIS, such as, autonomous reasoning, data science, data mining, data visualization, decision support systems, intelligent information retrieval, pattern recognition, prediction systems, process and system control, real-time systems, signal and image processing, system modelling and optimization, time series prediction, warning systems, web intelligence, deep learning, etc.

Therefore, this special issue will contain the best papers in fundamental topics of IJCIS.

Main topics and quality control

The papers will mainly on aggregation functions; aggregations for extensions of fuzzy sets; data mining and knowledge discovery; formal concept analysis; fuzzy control; fuzzy decision analysis, decision making, optimization and design; fuzzy databases and information retrieval; fuzzy measures and integrals; fuzzy sets and fuzzy logic; general operators in Computer Science; interval-valued fuzzy sets; knowledge extraction, representation, and modelling; Learning, adaptive,





and evolvable fuzzy systems; logic programming; mathematical foundations of fuzzy sets and fuzzy systems; rough set theory; applications of Computational Intelligent Systems, etc.

Full papers will be subject to a strict review procedure for final selection to this special issue based on the following criteria:

- 1. Quality, originality and relevance in theory and methodology of Mathematics and Computational Intelligence;
- 2. Extended papers must contain at least 40% new material (qualitative) relative to the conference paper.

Important Dates

Submission of papers:20 November 2019Notification of review results:15 January 2020Submission of revised papers:15 March 2020Notification of final review results:15 April 2020

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Introduction of the Guest Editor(s)

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