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Overview

This special volume collects papers describing cutting edge research on optimization methods and models for logistics and transportation. Papers involving theory, methods, algorithms, and case studies are sought.

Topics

Papers are sought on all areas of optimization applied to logistics and transportation, including, but not limited to the following:

- TSP and all variants
- VRP and all variants
- Combining inventory and transportation
- Multi-modal transportation
- Combining manufacturing and transportation
- Transportation choice modeling
- Stochastic programming
- Meta-heuristics
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- Exact methods

Procedures

High quality papers are sought from all researchers in these fields, particularly those who participate in the LOT conference held in Molde, Norway, to honor the memory of Professor Arne Løkketangen on September 1 and September 2, 2014. All papers will be rigorously refereed by experts selected by the editors. The submission deadline is December 31, 2014. **Instructions for authors can be found at:**

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