



Information Theoretic Methods for Future Communication Systems

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Message from the Guest Editors

It is anticipated that future communication systems will involve new technologies that will require high-speed computations using large amounts of data in order to take advantage of data-driven methods for improving services and providing reliability and other benefits. In many cases, information theory can provide a fundamental understanding of the limits on reliability, robustness, secrecy, privacy, resiliency, and latency of such systems. The aim of this Special Issue is to develop a collection of top information and coding theoretic results that provide such insights for future communication systems. Topics of interest include, but are not limited to, information and coding theory for:

- Semantic and goal-oriented communications;
- Joint communication and sensing;
- Provable security and privacy;
- Machine learning for communications;
- Distributed function computation;
- Feedback communication systems;
- Intelligent communication environments;
- THz communications;
- Identification via channels.





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