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## Preface

We are honored and happy to be able to make available this *Springer Handbook of Computational Intelligence*, a large and comprehensive account of both the state-of-the-art of the research discipline, complemented with some historical remarks, main challenges, and perspectives of the future. To follow a predominant tradition, we have divided this Springer Handbook into parts that correspond to main fields that are meant to constitute the area of computational intelligence, that is, fuzzy sets theory and fuzzy logic, rough sets, evolutionary computation, neural networks, hybrid approaches and systems, all of them complemented with a thorough coverage of some foundational issues, methodologies, tools, and techniques.

We hope that the handbook will serve as an indispensable and useful source of information for all readers interested in both the theory and various applications of computational intelligence. The formula of the Springer Handbook as a convenient single-volume publication project should help the potential readers find a proper tool or technique for solving their problems just by simply browsing through a clearly composed and well-indexed contents. The authors of the particular chapters, who are the best known specialists in their respective fields worldwide, are the best assurance for the handbook to serve as an excellent and timely reference.

On behalf of the entire computational intelligence community, we wish to express sincere thanks, first of all, to the Part Editors responsible for the scope, authors, and composition of the particular parts for their great job to arrange the most appropriate topics, their coverage, and identify expert authors. Second, we wish to thank all the authors for their great contributions in the sense of clarity, comprehensiveness, novelty, vision, and – above all – understanding of the real needs of readers of diverse interests.

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## List of Abbreviations

### Symbols

1-D	one-dimensional	ANOVA	analysis of variance
2-D	two-dimensional	ANYA	Angelov–Yager
3-CNF-SAT	three variables/clause-conjunctive normal form-satisfiability	AP	alternating-position crossover
3-D	three-dimensional	AP	automatic programming
		APA	affine projection algorithm
		API	application programming interface
		APS	aggregation pheromone system
		APSD	auto power spectral density
		AR	approximate reasoning
		AR	average ranking
		ARD	automatic relevance determination
		ARGOT	adaptive representation genetic optimization technique
		ARMOGA	adaptive range MOGA
		ASIC	application-specific integrated circuit
		ASP	answer-set programming
		ATP	adenosine triphosphate
		AUC	area under curve
		AUC	area under ROC curve
		AVITEWRITE	adaptive vector integration to endpoint handwriting
<b>A</b>		<b>B</b>	
A2A	all-to-all	BBB	blood brain barrier
AaaS	analytics-as-a-service	BCI	brain–computer interface
AANN	auto-associative neural network	BCO	bee colony optimization
ABC	artificial bee colony	BDAS	Berkeley data analytics stack
ACC	anterior cingulate cortex	BER	bit error rate
ACO	ant colony optimization	BeRoSH	behavior-based multiple robot system with host for object manipulation
ACP	active categorical perception	BFA	basic fuzzy algebra
ACS	action-centered subsystem	BG	basal ganglia
ACS	ant colony system	BIC	Bayesian information criterion
ACT-R	adaptive control of thought-rational	BINCSP	binary constraint satisfaction problem
AD	anomaly detection	BioHEL	bioinformatics-oriented hierarchical evolutionary learning
ADC	analog digital converter	BKS	Bandler–Kohout subproduct
ADF	additively decomposable function	BLB	bag of little bootstrap
ADF	automatically defined function	BMA	Bayes model averaging
ADGLIB	adaptive genetic algorithm optimization library	BMDA	bivariate marginal distribution algorithm
AER	address event representation	BMF	binary matrix factorization
AFPGA	adaptive full POD genetic algorithm	BMI	brain–machine interface
AFSA	artificial fish swarm algorithm	BnB	branch and bound
AI	anomaly identification	BOA	Bayesian optimization algorithm
AI	artificial intelligence	BP	bereitschafts potential
AIC	Akaike information criterion		
AICOMP	comparable based AI model		
AIGEN	generative AI model		
ALCS	anticipatory learning classifier system		
ALD	approximate linear dependency		
ALM	asset–liability management		
ALU	arithmetic logic unit		
ALU	arithmetic unit		
AM	amplitude modulation		
amBOA	adaptive variant of mBOA		
AMPGA	adaptive mixed-flow POD genetic algorithm		
AMS	anticipated mean shift		
AMT	active media technology		
ANN	artificial neural network		

BP	back-propagation	CNGM	computational neuro-genetic modeling
BPTT	back-propagation through time	CNN	cellular neural network
BSB	base system builder	CNS	central nervous system
BSD	bipolar satisfaction degree	COA	center of area
BSS	blind source separation	COG	center of gravity
BYY	Bayesian Yin-Yang	COGIN	coverage-based genetic induction
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<b>C</b>			
c-granule	complex granule	cos	center of set
CA	cellular automata	COW	cluster of workstations
CA	classification accuracy	CP	constraint programming
CA	complete $F$ -transform-based fusion algorithm	CP	contrapositive symmetry
CAD	computer-aided design	CP net	conditional preference network
CAE	contrastive auto-encoder	CPF	centralized Pareto front
CAM	computer-assisted manufacturing	CPG	central pattern generator
CART	classification analysis and regression tree	CPSD	cross power spectral density
CBLS	constraint-based local search	CPT	cummulative prospect theory
CBR	case-based reasoner	CPU	central processing unit
CBR	case-based reasoning	CR	commonsense reasoning
CC	coherence criterion	CR	control register
CCF	cross correlation function	CRA	chemical reaction algorithm
CCG	controlling crossed genes	CRI	compositional rule of inference
CD	contrastive divergence	CS	cell saving
CEA	cellular evolutionary algorithm	CS1	cognitive system
CEBOT	cellular robot	CSA	contractual service agreement
CF	collaborative filtering	CSA	cumulative step-size adaptation
CF	compact flash	CSM	covariate shift minimization
cf	convergence factor	CSP	common spatial pattern
CFD	computational fluid dynamics	CST	constraint satisfaction problem
CFG	context-free grammar	CST	class-shape transformation
CFS	correlation feature selection	CTMC	corticospinal tract
CG	center of gravity	CUDA	continuous-time finite Markov chain
CG	Cohen–Grossberg	CW	compute unified device architecture
cGA	compact genetic algorithm	CW	computing with words
CGP	Cartesian GP	CWW	control word
CI	computational intelligence	CX	computing with words
CIP	cross information potential	<hr/>	
CIS	Computational Intelligence Society	<hr/>	
CLB	configurable logic block	DA	dopamine
clk	clock	DACE	design and analysis of computer experiments
CLM	component level model	DAE	denoising auto-encoder
CMA	cingulate motor area	DAG	directed acyclic graph
CMA	covariance matrix adaptation	DAL	logic for data analysis
CML	coupled map lattice	DB	database
cMOEA	cellular MOEA	DBN	deep belief network
CMOS	complementary metal-oxide-semiconductor	dBOA	decision-graph BOA
CNF	conjunctive normal form		

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DC	direct current	<b>E</b>	
DC/AD	change/activate-deactivate	EA	evolutionary algorithm
DCA	de-correlated component analysis	EAPR	early access partial reconfiguration
DE	differential evolution	EBNA	estimation of Bayesian network
dEA	distributed evolutionary algorithm		algorithm
DENFIS	dynamic neuro-fuzzy inference system	EC	embodied cognition
deSNN	dynamic eSNN	EC	evolutionary computation
DEUM	density estimation using Markov random fields algorithm	EC	evolutionary computing
DEUM	distribution estimation using Markov random fields	ECGA	extended compact genetic algorithm
DGA	direct genetic algorithm	ECGP	extended compact genetic programming
DIC	deviance information criterion	ECJ	Java evolutionary computation
DL	deep learning	ECoG	electrocorticography
DLPFC	dorsolateral prefrontal cortex	ECOS	evolving connectionist system
DLR	German Aerospace Center	EDA	estimation of distribution algorithm
DLS	dynamic local search	EDP	estimation of distribution programming
DM	displacement mutation operator	EEG	electroencephalogram
DM	decision maker	EFRBS	electroencephalography
DMA	direct memory access	EFuNN	evolutionary FRBS
dMOEA	distributed MOEA	EGA	evolving fuzzy neural network
DNA	deoxyribonucleic acid	EGNA	equilibrium genetic algorithm
DNF	disjunctive normal form	EGO	estimation of Gaussian networks
DNN	deep neural network	EHBSA	algorithm
DOE	design of experiment	EHM	efficient global optimization
DOF	degree of freedom	EI	edge histogram based sampling algorithm
DP	dynamic programming	EKM	edge histogram matrix
DPF	distributed Pareto front	EKMANI	expected improvement
DPLL	Davis–Putnam–Logemann–Loveland	ELSA	enhanced KM
DPR	dynamic partial reconfiguration	EM	enhanced Karnik–Mendel algorithm with
DRC	domain relational calculus	EM	new initialization
DREAM	distributed resource evolutionary	EMG	evolutionary local selection algorithm
	algorithm machine	EMNA	
DRRS	dynamically reconfigurable robotic	EMO	exchange mutation operator
	system	EMOA	expectation maximization
DRS	dominance resistant solution	EMSE	electromyography
DRSA	dominance-based rough set approach	EODS	estimation of multivariate normal
DSA	data space adaptation	EP	algorithm
DSMGA	dependency-structure matrix genetic	EP	evolutionary multiobjective optimization
	algorithm	EPTV	evolutionary multiobjective algorithm
DSP	digital signal processing	ER	excess mean square error
DSP	digital signal processor	ERA	enhanced opposite directions searching
DSS	decision support system	ERA	evolutionary programming
dtEDA	dependency-tree EDA	EP	exchange property
DTI	diffusion tensor imaging	EPTV	extended possibilistic truth value
DTLZ	Deb–Thiele–Laumanns–Zitzler	ER	edge recombination
DTRS	decision-theoretic rough set	ERA	epigenetic robotics architecture
DW	data word	ERA	Excellence in Research for Australia
		ERD	event-related desynchronization
		ERM	empirical risk minimization
		ERS	event-related synchronization
		ES	embedding system
		ES	evolution strategy

ESA	enhanced simple algorithm	FOU	footprint of uncertainty		
ESN	echo state network	FPGA	field programmable gate array		
eSNN	evolving spiking neural network	FPGA	full POD genetic algorithm		
ESOM	evolving self-organized map	FPID	fuzzy PID		
ETS	evolving Takagi–Sugeno system	FPM	fractal prediction machine		
EV	extreme value	FPSO	fuzzy particle swarm optimization		
EvoStar	Main European Events on Evolutionary Computation	FPU	floating point unit		
EvoWorkshops	European Workshops on Applications of Evolutionary Computation	FQL	fuzzy query language		
EW-KRLS	exponentially weighted KRLS	FRB	fuzzy rule-based		
EX-KRLS	extended kernel recursive least square	FRBCS	fuzzy rule-based classification systems		
<b>F</b>					
FA	factor analysis	FRBS	fuzzy rule-based system		
FA	firefly algorithm	FRC	fuzzy-rule based classifier		
FA	fractional anisotropy	FRI	fuzzy relational inference		
FA-DP	fitness assignment and diversity preservation	FS	fuzzy set		
FATI	first aggregation then inference	FS	fuzzy system		
FB-KRLS	fixed-budget KRLS	FSVM	fuzzy support vector machine		
FCA	formal concept analysis	FTR	<i>F</i> -transform image compression		
FCM	fuzzy <i>c</i> -means algorithm	FURIA	unordered fuzzy rule induction algorithm		
FDA	factorized distribution algorithm	FX	foreign exchange		
FDRC	fuzzy domain relational calculus	<b>G</b>			
FDT	fuzzy decision tree	GA	general achievement		
FEMO	fair evolutionary multi-objective optimizer	GA	genetic algorithm		
FGA	fuzzy generic algorithm	GABA	gamma-aminobutyric acid		
FIM	fuzzy inference mechanism	GACV	generalized approximate cross-validation		
FIM	fuzzy instance based model	GAGRAD	genetic algorithm gradient		
FIR	finite impulse response	GAOT	genetic algorithm optimization toolbox		
FIS	fuzzy inference system	GC	granular computing		
FIS1	type-1 fuzzy inference system	GCP	graph coloring problem		
FIS2	type-2 fuzzy inference system	GE	grammatical evolution		
FITA	first inference then aggregation	GECCO	Genetic and Evolutionary Computation Conference		
FL	fuzzy logic	GEFRED	generalized fuzzy relational database		
FLC	fuzzy logic controller	GFP	green fluorescent protein		
FlexCo	flexible coprocessor	GFS	genetic fuzzy system		
FLP	fuzzy linear programming	GGA	grouping genetic algorithm		
FLS	fuzzy logic system	GGP	grammar-based genetic programming		
FM	fuzzy modeling	GM	gray matter		
FMG	full multi-grid	GMP	generalized modus ponens		
FMM	finite mixture model	GMPE	grammar model-based program evolution		
FMM	fuzzy mathematical morphology	GP	genetic algorithm		
fMRI	functional magneto-resonance imaging	GP	genetic programming		
FNN	fuzzy neural network	GP	Gaussian process		
FNN	fuzzy nearest neighbor	GPCR	g-protein coupled receptor		
FOM	full-order model	GPGPU	general-purpose GPU		
		GPi	globus pallidus		
		GPIO	general-purpose input/output interface		
		GPS	genetic pattern search		
		GPU	graphics processing unit		

GPX	greedy partition crossover	IEEE	Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers
GRASP	greedy randomized adaptive search procedure	IF	intuitionistic fuzzy
GRBM	Gaussian RBM	IFA	independent factor analysis
GRN	gene/protein regulatory network	IFVS	interval valued fuzzy set
GRN	gene regulatory network	IG	iterated greedy
GT2	generalized T2FS	IGR	interactive granular computing
GWAS	genome-wide association studies	IHA	iterative heuristic algorithm
GWT	global workspace theory	ILS	iterated local search
<b>H</b>			
H-PIPE	hierarchical probabilistic incremental program evolution	INCF	International Neuroinformatics Coordinating Facility
hBOA	hierarchical BOA	IO-HMM	input/output hidden Markov model
HCF	hyper-cube framework	IOB	input/output block
HCwL	hill climbing with learning	IoT	internet of things
HDL	hardware description language	IP	identity principle
HFB	higher frequency band	IP	inductive programming
HH	Hodgkin–Huxley	IPIF	intellectual property
HM	health management	IPL	intellectual property interface
HMM	hidden Markov model	IPOP	inferior parietal lobe
HPC	high-performance computing	IRGC	increasing population size
HS	Hilbert space	IRLS	interactive rough granular computing
HSS	heuristic space search	IRSA	iteratively re-weighted least squares
HT	Hough transform	ISE	indiscernibility-based rough set approach
HW	hardware	ISI	Integrated Synthesis Environment
HWICAP	hardware internal configuration access point	ISM	inter-spike interval
<b>I</b>			
i.i.d.	independent, identically distributed	IT2	insertion mutation operator
IASC	iterative algorithm with stop condition	IT2FC	interval type-2
IB	indicator based	IT2FS	interval T2FC
IBEA	indicator-based evolutionary algorithm	ITAE	interval T2FS
iBOA	incremental Bayesian optimization algorithm	ITL	information theoretic learning
IC	intelligent controller	IUMDA	incremental univariate marginal distribution algorithm
IC	interrupt controller	IVM	inversion mutation operator
ICA	independent component analysis	<b>J</b>	
ICAP	internal configuration access point	JDEAL	Java distributed evolutionary algorithms library
ICE	induced chromosome element exchanger	JEGA	John Eddy genetic algorithm
ICML	International Conference on Machine Learning	JMAF	java multi-criteria and multi-attribute analysis framework
IDA	intelligent distribution agent	<b>K</b>	
IDEA	iterated density estimation evolutionary algorithm	KAF	kernel adaptive filter
IE	inference engine	KAPA	kernel affine projection algorithm
		KB	knowledge base
		KDD	knowledge discovery and data mining

KGA	Kriging-driven genetic algorithm	LT	linguistic term
KKT	Karush–Kuhn–Tucker	LUT	look-up table
KL	Kullback–Leibler	LV	linguistic variable
KLMS	kernel least mean square	LVT	linguistic-variable-term
KM	Karnik–Mendel	LWPR	locally-weighted projection regression
KMC	kernel Maximum Correntropy		algorithm
KNN	$k$ nearest neighbor	LZ	leading zero
KPCA	kernel principal component analysis		
KRLS	kernel recursive least square		
KUR	Kurswae		

## L

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LAN	local network
LASSO	least absolute shrinkage and selection operator
LB	logic block
LCS	learning classifier system
LDA	latent Dirichlet allocation
LDA	linear discriminant analysis
LDS	limited discrepancy search
LED	light emitting diode
LEM	learning from examples module
LERS	learning from examples using rough sets
LFA	local factor analysis
LFB	lower frequency band
LFDA	learning FDA
LFM	linguistic fuzzy modeling
LFP	local field potential
LGP	linear GP
LHS	latin hypercube sampling
LI	law of importation
LIFM	leaky integrate-and-fire
LLE	liquid–liquid equilibrium
LMI	linear matrix inequalities
LMS	least mean square
LNS	large neighborhood search
LO	leading one
LOCVAL	locational value
LOO	leave-one-out
LOOCV	leave-one-out cross-validation
LOTZ	leading ones trailing zeroes
LP	logic programming
LQR	linear-quadratic regulator
LR	logistic regression
LRP	lateralized readiness potential
LS	least square
LS	local search
LSM	liquid state machine
LSTM	long short term memory

## M

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M1	motor cortex
M2M	machine-to-machine
MA	Markovian agent
MA	memetic algorithm
MAE	mean of the absolute error
MAFRA	Java mimetic algorithms framework
MAM	Markovian agent model
MAMP	multiple algorithms, multiple problems
MAMS	multiple algorithms and multiple problem instances
MAP	maximum a posteriori
MARS	multivariate adaptive regression splines
MASP	multiple algorithms and one single problem
mBOA	mixed Bayesian optimization algorithm
MCA	minor component analysis
MCDA	multi-criteria decision analysis
MCDA	multiple criteria decision aiding
MCDM	multiple criteria decision-making
MCS	maximum cardinality search
MCS	meta-cognitive subsystem
MDL	minimum description length
MDP	Markov decision process
MDS	multidimensional scaling
MEG	magnetoencephalogram
MEG	magnetoencephalography
MEL	minimal epistemic logic
MF	membership function
MG	Mackey–Glass
MG	morphological gradient
MH	metaheuristic
MIL	multi-instance learning
MIMIC	mutual information maximizing input clustering
MIML	multi-instance, multi-label learning
MISO	multiple inputs-single output
MKL	multiple kernel learning
ML	machine learning
ML	maximum likelihood
MLEM2	modified LEM2 algorithm

MLP	multilayer perceptron	MSE	mean square error
MLR	multiple linear regression	MSG	max-set of Gaussian landscape generator
MLR	multi-response linear regression	msMOEA	master-slave MOEA
MM	mathematical morphology	MT	medial temporal
MMA	multimemetic algorithm	MTFL	multi-task feature learning
MMAS	MAX-MIN ant system	MTL	multi-task learning
MMEA	model-based multiobjective evolutionary algorithm	MV	maximum value
MMLD	man-machine learning dilemma	MWRA	minimum-weight rooted arborescence
MN-EDA	Markov network EDA	<b>N</b>	
MNN	memristor-based neural network	NACS	non-action-centered subsystem
MNN	modular neural network	NASA	National Aeronautics and Space Administration
MOAMO	multiobjectivization-assisted multimodal optimization	NC	neural computation
MOE	multiobjective evolutionary	NC	novelty criterion
MoE	mixture of experts	NC	numerical control
MOEA	multiobjective evolutionary algorithm	NCL	negative correlation learning
MOEA/D	multiobjective evolutionary algorithm based on decomposition	NDS	nonlinear dynamical systems
MOGA	multiobjective genetic algorithm	NEAT	neuro-evolution of augmenting topologies
MoGFS	multiobjective genetic fuzzy system	NES	natural evolution strategy
MOM	mean of maxima	NeuN	neuronal nuclei antibody
MOMGA	multi-objective messy GA	NFA	non-Gaussian factor analysis
MOO	multi-objective optimization	NFI	neuro-fuzzy inference system
MOP	many-objective optimization problem	NFL	no free lunch
MOP	multiobjective problem	NHBSA	node histogram based sampling algorithm
MOP	multiobjective optimization problem	NIL	nondeterministic information logic
MOPSO	multiobjective particle swarm optimization	NIPS	neural information processing system
MOSAIC	modular selection and identification for control	NLMS	normalized LMS
MOSES	meta-optimizing semantic evolutionary search	NLPCA	nonlinear principal components
MOT	movement time	NMF	negative matrix and tensor factorization
MPE	mean percentage error	NMF	nonnegative matrix factorization
MPE	most probable explanation	NN	neural network
MPGA	mixed-flow POD genetic algorithm	NOW	networks of workstation
MPI	message passing interface	NP	neutrality principle
MPM	marginal product model	NP	nondeterministic polynomial-time
MPP	massively parallel machine	NPV	net present value
MPS	multiprocessor system	NR	noise reduction
MR	maximum ranking	NS	negative slope
MRCP	movement-related cortical potentials	NSGA	nondominated sorting genetic algorithm
MRI	magnetic resonance imaging	NSPSO	nondominated sorting particle swarm optimization
mRMR	minimal-redundancy-maximal-relevance	NURBS	nonuniform rational B-spline
mRNA	messenger RNA	<b>O</b>	
MRNN	memristor-based recurrent neural network	ODE	ordinary differential equation
MS	master/slave	OEM	original equipment manufacturer
MS	motivational subsystem		
MSA	minor subspace analysis		

OKL	online kernel learning	PLA	programmable logic array
OLAP	online analytical processing	PLB	processor local bus
OM	operational momentum	PLS	partial least square
OMA	ordered modular average	pLSA	probabilistic latent semantic analysis
OP	ordering property	PLV	phase lock value
OPB	on-chip peripheral bus	PM	parallel model
OPL	open programming language	PMBGA	probabilistic model-building genetic algorithm
OR	operations research	PMC	premotor cortex
OR	operational research	PMI	partial mutual information
OS	overshoot	PMX	partially-mapped crossover
OWA	ordered weighted average	PN	pyramidal neuron
OWMax	ordered weighted maximum	PNS	peripheral nervous system
OX1	order crossover	POD	proper orthogonal decomposition
OX2	order-based crossover	PoE	product of experts
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<b>P</b>			
PAC	probably approximately correct	POR	preference order relation
PAES	Pareto-archived evolution strategy	POS	position-based crossover
PAR	place and route	PP	parallel platform
PBC	perception-based computing	PPSN	parallel problem solving in nature
PBIL	population-based incremental learning	PR	partial reconfiguration
PbO	programming by optimization	PRAS	polynomial-time randomized approximation scheme
PC	probabilistic computing	PRM	partially reconfigurable module
PC-SAFT	perturbed chain statistical associating fluid theory	PRODIGY	program distribution estimation with grammar model
PCA	principal component analysis	PRR	partially reconfigurable region
PCVM	probabilistic classifier vector machine	PS	pattern search
PD	Parkinson disease	PSA	principal subspace analysis
PD	proportional-differential	PSCM	problem-space computational model
PDDL	planning domain definition language	PSD	power spectral density
PDE	partial differential equation	PSD	predictive sparse decomposition
pdf	probability density function	PSEA	Pareto sorting evolutionary algorithm
PDGP	parallel and distributed GP	PSNR	peak signal-to-noise ratio
PEEL	program evolution with explicit learning	PSO	particle swarm optimization
PERT	program evaluation and review technique	PSS	problem space search
PESA	Pareto-envelope based selection algorithm	PSTH	peri-stimulus-time histogram
PET	positron emission tomography	PTT	pursuit-tracking task
PFC	Pareto front computation	PV	principal value
PFC	prefrontal cortex	PVS	persistent vegetative state
PFM	precise fuzzy modeling	PWM	pulse width modulation
PHM	prognostics and health management	<hr/>	
PIC	peripheral interface controller	<b>Q</b>	
PID	proportional-integral-derivative	Q-Q	quantile–quantile
PII	probabilistic iterative improvement	QAP	quadratic assignment problem
PIPE	probabilistic incremental program evolution	QeSNN	quantum-inspired eSNN
		QIP	quadratic information potential
		QKLMs	quantized KLMS
		QP	quadratic programming

**R**

r.k.	reproducing kernel
RAF	representable aggregation function
RAM	random access memory
RANS	Reynolds-averaged Navier–Stokes
RB	rule base
RBF	radial basis function
RBM	Boltzmann machine
rBOA	real-coded BOA
RECCo	robust evolving cloud-based controller
RecNN	recursive neural network
REGAL	relational genetic algorithm learner
REML	restricted maximum likelihood estimator
RET	relevancy transformation
RFID	radio frequency identification
RFP	red fluorescent protein
RGB	red-green-blue
RGN	random generation number
RHT	randomized Hough transform
RII	randomized iterative improvement
RISC	reduced instruction set computer
RKHS	reproducing kernel Hilbert space
RL	reinforcement learning
RLP	randomized linear programming
RLS	randomized local search
RLS	recursive least square
RM-MEDA	regularity model based multiobjective EDA
RMI	remote method invocation
RMSE	root-mean-square error
RMSEP	root-mean-square error of prediction
RMTL	regularized multi-task learning
RN	regularization network
RNA	ribonucleic acid
RNN	recurrent neural network
ROC	receiver operating characteristic
ROI	region of interest
ROM	read only memory
ROM	reduced-order model
ROS	robot operating system
RP	readiness potential
RPC	remote procedure call
RPCL	rival penalized competitive learning
RS	rough set
rst	reset
RT	reaction time
RT	real-time
RTL	register transfer logic
RTRL	real-time recurrent learning

RUL  
RWSremaining useful life  
roulette wheel selection**S**

S-ACO	simple ant colony optimization
S-bit	section-bit
S3VM	semi-supervised support vector machine
SA	simple $F$ -transform-based fusion algorithm
SA	simulated annealing
SAE	sparse auto-encoder
SAMP	one single algorithm and multiple problems
SARSA	state-action-reward-state-action
SASP	one single algorithm and one single problem
SAT	satisfiability
SBF	subspace-based function
SBO	surrogate-based optimization
SBR	similarity based reasoning
SBS	sequential backward selection
SBSO	surrogate based shape optimization
SBX	simulated binary crossover
SC	soft computing
SC	surprise criterion
SCH	school
SCNG	sparse coding neural gas
SD	structured data
SDE	stochastic differential equation
SDPE	standard deviation percentage error
SEAL	simulated evolution and learning
SEMO	simple evolutionary multi-objective optimizer
SF	scaling factor
SFS	sequential forward selection
SG-GP	stochastic grammar-based genetic programming
SHCLVND	stochastic hill climbing with learning by vectors of normal distribution
SI	swarm intelligence
SIM	simple-inversion mutation operator
SISO	single input single output
SLAM	simultaneous localization and mapping
SLF	superior longitudinal fasciculus
SLS	stochastic local search
SM	scramble mutation operator
SM	surrogate model
SMA	supplementary motor area

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SMO	sequential minimum optimization	T	
SMP	symmetric multiprocessor	T1	type-1
SMR	sensorimotor rhythm	T1FC	type-1 fuzzy controller
sMRI	structural magnetic resonance imaging	T1FS	type-1 fuzzy set
SMS-EMOA	S-metric selection evolutionary multiobjective algorithm	T2	type-2
SNARC	spatial-numerical association of response code	T2FC	type-2 fuzzy controller
SNE	stochastic neighborhood embedding	T2FS	type-2 fuzzy set
SNP	single nucleotide polymorphism	T2IC	type-2 intelligent controller
SNR	signal-noise-ratio	T2MF	type-2 membership function
SOC	self-organized criticality	TAG3P	tree adjoining grammar-guided genetic programming
SOFM	self-organized feature maps	TD	temporal difference
SOFNN	self-organizing fuzzy neural network	TDNN	time delay neural network
SOGA	single-objective genetic algorithm	TET	total experiment time
SOM	self-organizing map	TFA	temporal factor analysis
SPAM	set preference algorithm for multiobjective optimization	TGBF	truncated generalized Bell function
SPAN	spike pattern association neuron	TN	thalamus
SPD	strictly positive definite	TOGA	target objective genetic algorithm
SPEA	strength Pareto evolutionary algorithm	TR	type reducer
SPOT	sequential parameter optimization toolbox	TRC	tuple relational calculus
SPR	static partial reconfiguration	TS	tabu search
SQL	structured query language	TS	time saving
SR	stochastic resonance	TSK	Takagi–Sugeno–Kang
SR	symbolic regression	TSP	traveling salesman problem
SRD	standard reference dataset	TTGA	trainable threshold gate array
SRF	strength raw fitness	TWNFI	transductive weighted neuro-fuzzy inference system
SRM	spike response model	U	
SRM	structural risk minimization	UART	universal asynchronous receiver/transmitter
SRN	simple recurrent network	UAV	unmanned aerial vehicle
SRT	serial reaction time	UCF	user constraint file
SSM	state-space model	UCS	supervised classifier system
SSOCF	subset size-oriented common features	UCX	uniform cycle crossover
SSSP	single-source shortest path problem	UMDA	univariate marginal distribution algorithm
StdGP	standard GP	UML	universal modeling language
STDP	spike-timing dependent plasticity	UPMOPSO	user-preference multiobjective PSO
STDP	spike-timing dependent learning	US EPA	United States Environmental Protection Agency
STGP	strongly typed GP	UW	underwriter
SU	single unit	V	
SURE-REACH	sensorimotor, unsupervised, redundancy-resolving control architecture	VB	variational Bayes
SUS	stochastic universal sampling	VC	Vapnik–Chervonenkis
SVaR	simplified value at risk	VC	variable consistency
SVC	support vector classification	VCR	variance ratio criterion
SVD	singular value decomposition	VEGA	vector-evaluated GA
SVM	support vector machine		
SW	software		
SW-KRLS	sliding window KRLS		

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VHDL	VHSIC hardware description language	WM	working memory
VHS	virtual heading system	WSN	wireless sensor network
VHSIC	very high speed integrated circuit	WT	Wu–Tan
VLNS	very large neighborhood search	WTA	winner-take-all
VLPFC	ventrolateral prefrontal cortex	WWKNN	weighted-weighted nearest neighbor
VLSI	very large scale integration		
VND	variable neighborhood descent		
VNS	variable neighborhood search		
VPRSM	variable precision rough set model		
VQ	vector quantization		
VQRS	vaguely quantified rough set		
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<b>W</b>			
W2T	wisdom web of things	XACS	x-anticipatory classifier system
WAN	wide area network	XB	Xie–Beni cluster validity index
WC	Wilson–Cowan	XCS	X classifier system
WEP	weight error power	XCSF	XCS for function approximation
WFG	walking fish group	xNES	exponential natural evolution strategy
WisTech	Wisdom Technology	XPS	Xilinx platform studio
WM	white matter	XSG	Xilinx system generator
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<b>Z</b>			
ZCS	zeroth level classifier system		
ZDT	Zitzler–Deb–Thiele		
ZEN	Zonal Euler–Navier–Stokes		

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