
FOREWORD

Special Section on Foundations of Computer Science — Algorithm, Theory of Computation, and their Applications —

We are happy to publish this Special Section on Foundations of Computer Science. This is the sixteenth section of this title. The main goal of this section is to review and to promote recent progress in the field of foundations of computer science. This year we received seventeen submissions from Japan and other Asian countries. After careful and strict review process, nine papers and two letters were accepted for publication. Those cover various topics in the foundation of computer science. We would like to thank all of the authors for submitting their research work. We deeply appreciate the anonymous reviewers for their voluntary work. Finally, as the Guest Editor-in-Chief of this special section, I would like to express my deep thanks to the Guest Editors for their hard work.

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