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Special issue on
Efficiency Analysis for Manufacturing and Engineered Systems

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Over the last decade, there have been significant technological advancements in manufacturing (e.g., three-D printing, automation) and engineering (e.g., autonomous vehicles). These technological advancements have changed the way we understand, design and improve manufacturing and engineered systems. Additionally, there are social, organizational, behavioral, and decision making issues that are coupled with the technological advancements. This suggests that manufacturing and engineering systems are complex socio-technical systems. The efficiency measurement paradigm can provide a basis not only to evaluate past performance but more importantly to provide an ex-ante (predictive) view of the consequences of technological advancements that are coupled with the social, organizational, behavioral, and decision making realities. We invite high quality papers on the interface between efficiency measurement and manufacturing and engineered systems for consideration for publication in a special issue of the *DEA Journal* on efficiency analysis for manufacturing and engineered systems. The aim of this special issue is to publish state-of-the-art analytical and empirical research using the DEA methodology in conjunction with other approaches to address a variety of societal problems and issues that manufacturing and engineering systems provide solutions for. New formulations and approaches that integrate across disciplines as well as innovative applications are welcome.

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