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Cyberphysical systems, analysis and design of networked embedded control systems, with applications to sensor actuators networks

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New frontiers in unconventional analog computing techniques using silicon and hybrid substrates, fundamental limits of energy efficiency, sensing and resolution by exploiting computational and adaptation primitives inherent in the physics of devices

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Statistical signal processing, machine learning, imaging, biomedicine

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Information theory, statistical signal processing, imaging science with applications in medicine and security, and recognition theory and systems

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Quantum mechanical systems, bilinear and nonlinear systems, robotics and automation, life science automation

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Industrial automation, robotics and mechatronics, product design and development with design-for-manufacturability emphasis, prototyping, manufacturing
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Signal processing applications implemented on a variety of platforms, including ASIC, FPGA, DSP, microcontroller and desktop computers

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Ultrasound imaging, diffuse optical tomography, image-guided therapy, ultrasonic temperature imaging

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Probability and stochastic processes, stochastic ordinary and partial differential equations, financial mathematics

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