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All supplemental materials including codes, data and videos are available in the GitHub repository ( <a href="https://github.com/0AnonymousSite0/A-multi-objective-window-placement-approach-using-BIM-and-surrogate-model">https://github.com/0AnonymousSite0/A-multi-objective-window-placement-approach-using-BIM-and-surrogate-model</a> ).