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Education

M.Sc. in Industrial Engineering – Systems Optimization

Iran-Tehran 2022-2024

Kharazmi University

• **Thesis:** Novel Approaches for Portfolio Optimization and Index Tracking Problems Under Cardinality Constraints.

• **GPA**: (18.91/20) – (3.88/4)

B.Sc. in Industrial Engineering

Iran-Tehran 2016-2021

Iran University of Science and Technology

• **Thesis**: A New User-Friendly Decision-Making Website for Multi-Criteria Decision-Making for Experts and Regular Users.

• **GPA**: (15.97/20) – (3.28/4) Last Two Years: (17.41) – (3.65)

Research Interests

- Operations Research
- Optimization
- Decision Making Under Uncertainty
- Data Mining and Machine Learning
- Data-Driven Decision Making
- Supply Chain and Logistics
- Healthcare
- Heuristics and Soft Computing

Publications

- Ramezani, Danial. "Data-Driven Team Selection in Fantasy Premier League Using Integer Programming and Predictive Modeling Approach." Operational Research – Under Review. https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2505.02170
- Ramezani, Danial; Abouei Ardakan, Mostafa; Dehghani Ahmadabad, Mohammadreza." A Novel Robust Mixed Integer Linear Programming Model for Index Tracking Problem Under No Rebalancing: Heuristic Optimization Approach." Soft Computing Under Review.
- *Ramezani, Danial; Abouei Ardakan Mostafa.* "Fast-converging and extensive search strategies for evolutionary algorithms in large-scale portfolio optimization under cardinality constraint." *Optimization and Engineering* Under Review.
- Ramezani, Danial; Abouei Ardakan, Mostafa; Dehghani Ahmadabad, Mohammadreza. "A Novel Mathematical Model and Heuristic for Tracking Tehran Stock Exchange (TSE) Index," Financial Research Journal Under Review (In Persian).

Professional and Teaching Experiences

Research Assistant	Iran-Tehran 2022-2024
• Assistant to <i>Dr. M. Abouei Ardakan</i> , researching optimization problems and co-reviewing manuscripts under supervision.	2022-2024
Teaching Assistant – Simulation and Modeling Course	Iran-Tehran
 Assistant to Dr. H. Izadbakhsh, coding examples, teaching Python, and organizing projects. GitHub repository related to the course: https://github.com/danialramezani/Simulation-via-python 	2023
Quality Control Engineer–Intern	Iran-Rasht
 ZAM-ZAM corporations. 	2021
Languages	
• English: Fluent (IELTS 7.5: Listening=8, Reading=7, Writing=7, Speaking= 7.5)	2025

Academic Projects and Theses

- Master's Thesis. Novel fast-converging approaches for evolutionary algorithms are proposed and implemented on a Non-Dominated Sorting Genetic Algorithm (NSGA-II) for the portfolio optimization problem that can approximate better results compared to regular NSGA-II in a shorter time. In the second part, a novel, robust mixed-integer programming model and a new hybrid algorithm are proposed. This approach achieves a lower tracking error during the out-of-sample period compared to state-of-the-art formulations and outperforms commercial solvers. Master's Thesis, Dr. M. Abouei Ardakan, M. Dehghani Ahmadabad; 2024.
- Blockchain in Agri-Food Supply Chains: Adoption, Opportunities, and Challenges. Supply Chain and Logistics Course, Dr. A. H. Gholam Saryazdi; 2023.
- Application of Clustering in Multi-Objective Pareto Fronts Using K-Means and Fuzzy C-Means. Data Mining: Applications and Algorithms Course, Dr. M. V. Sebt; 2023.
- Analyzing and Improving the Optimization Model of "Vehicle Routing Problems with Drones Considering Time Windows" (GAMS). Integer Programming Course, Dr. A. Mozdgir; 2023.
- Reliability Optimization with the Water Cycle Algorithm and Simulated Annealing. Combinatorial Optimization Course, Dr. M. Abouei Ardakan; 2022.
- Reviewing Bitcoin Queuing System. Queueing Theory Course, Dr. A. Mirzazadeh; 2022
- A New User-Friendly Decision-Making Website for Experts and Regular Users. Currently deployed at "de-decision" (React JS, JavaScript). *Bachelor's Thesis, Dr. A. Makui; 2021.*
- Jet Fan Production Design. Planning Industrial Units Course, Dr. M. S. Jabalameli; 2020.
- Reviewing Phone Use Effects on the Human Body. Ergonomics Course, Dr. R. Ghousi; 2020.
- Comparison of Common BPMS. System Analysis Course, Dr. M. S. Pishvaee; 2020.
- Analysis of Iran's Economy. Macroeconomics Course, Dr. S. Mirzamohammadi; 2019.

Self-Motivated Projects and Research

- Generating Data for Drug Response Dataset Using Variational Autoencoder. PyTorch; 2025.
- Decoding Risk Factors in Heart Failure: An Explainable Approach. PyTorch; 2025.
- Investigating Optimizers' Impact on Deep Learning Models. UCI Heart Disease Dataset; 2025.
- Explaining CNN Decisions in Classifying Fashion Clothing. FashionMNIST dataset; 2025.
- Predicting Diabetes Using Neural Networks. Pima Indians Diabetes dataset; 2025.
- Application of Autoencoders in Image Processing. Exploring autoencoder variants (denoising, compressing, generating, convolution) for MNIST digit recognition, Tensorflow; 2024.

- A Mathematical Formulation for Pairs Trading. Assigning optimal long-short portfolios; 2024.
- Reinforcement Learning for Cryptocurrency Trading. TensorFlow and Open AI gym; 2024.
- A Machine Learning Framework for Technical Trading. A Random Forest model predicts long/short trade success using custom features, achieving ~75% accuracy; 2024.
- Ranking Web Development Programming Languages Using MADM Methods; 2021.

Skills

• **Programming Skills**Python, GAMS, JavaScript

• Software and Libraries

Pyomo, CXVPY, TensorFlow, PyTorch, LaTeX, SciPy, Scikit-learn, Statsmodels, SHAP, Microsoft Office, Weka, Minitab, React, Node.js

Other skills

Academic Writing, Predictive Modeling, Critical Thinking, Independent Research, Problem-Solving, Feature Engineering, Analyzing Stock (Fundamental, Technical)

Related Certificates

• Game Theory-Stanford University

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