

Evolutionary Computation Theory and Application

Assignment 2: Traveling Salesman Problem

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1 Solution

Parameter	Value
Population size	100
Crossover Rates	0.01, 0.1, 0.99, 0.98
Mutation Rates	0.01, 0.1, 0.99, 0.25
Repetitions	30
Generations	1000
Average best fitness	58.8038
Best fitness	53.6009

Table 1: Parameters for Experiments

Parameter	Value
Population size	100
Fitness	50.7048
Generations	3000
Crossover rate	0.99
Mutation rate	0.1

Table 2: Parameters for Absolute best result

2 Results



Figure 1: Absolute best map

2.1 Different mutation rates

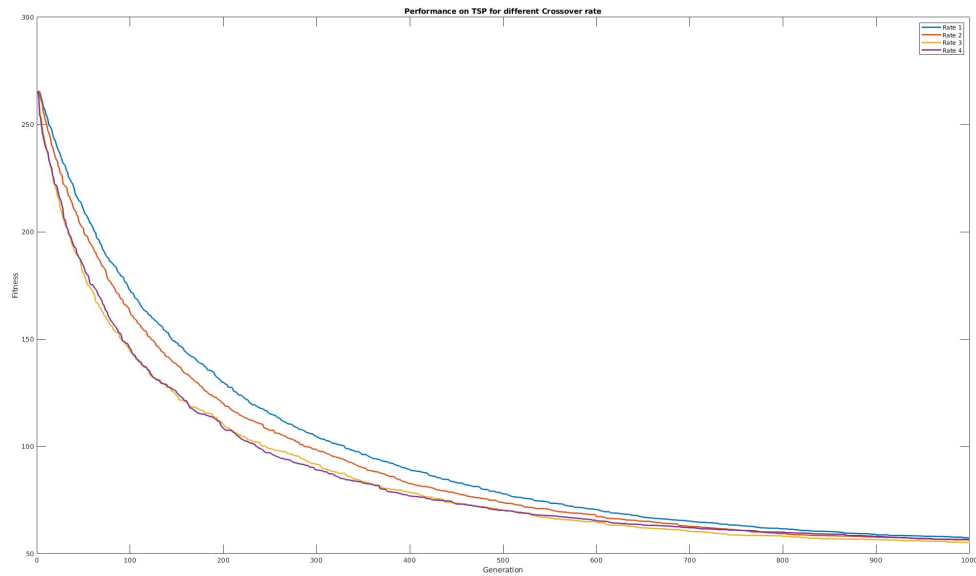


Figure 2: Crossover rate comparison

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2.2 Different crossover rates

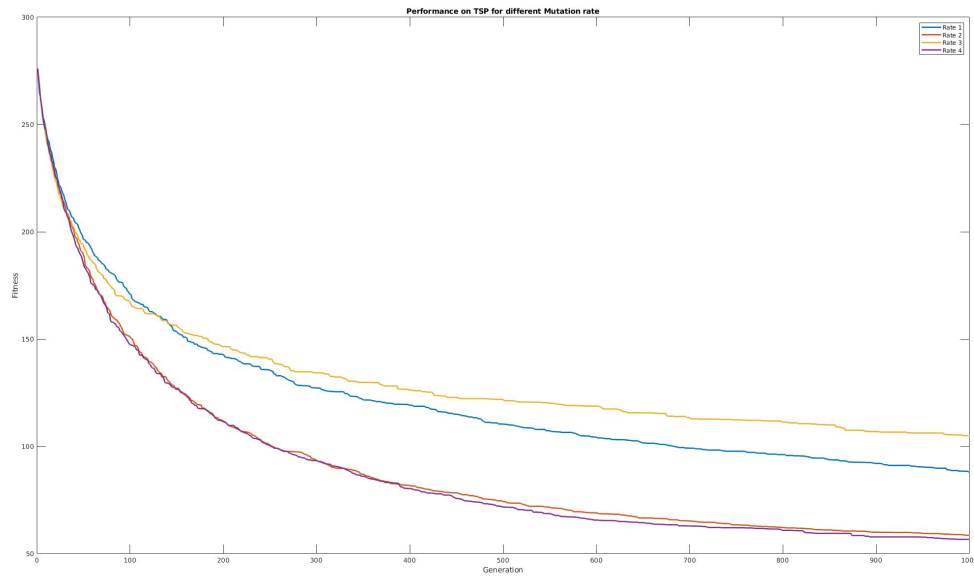


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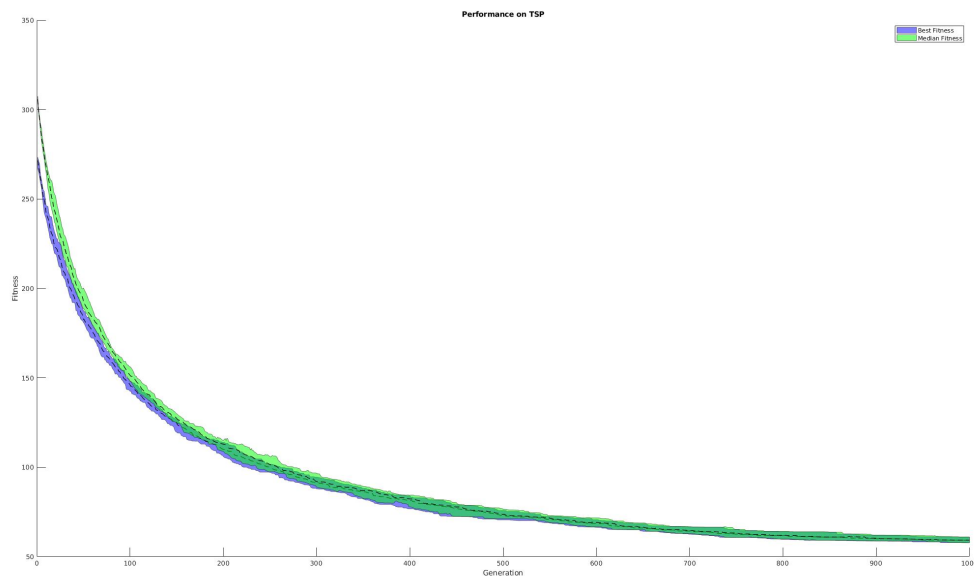


Figure 4: Best and median fitness over 30 Experiments