APPENDIX A SUMMARY OF RESULTS AND ANALYSES

In this section, we provide detailed results and analyses.

A.1 Experiment Results for RQ1

This section provides a summary of statistics comparing the selected MuOSAs to RS (Table 1) and cases that the selected MuOSAs underperform RS (Table 2).

TABLE 1: Summary of Results for Selected MuOSAs Compared to RS

Metric			Compar	ison		
Metric	Better Number	Better Rate	Equal Number	Equal Rate	Worse Number	Worse Rate
HV	1949	97.45%	9	0.45%	42	2.1%
IGD	1628	81.4%	372	18.6%	0	0%

TABLE 2: Summary of Worse Results Compared to RS for Selected MuOSAs Based on HV

Use Case	Problem	Time Budget	AlgorithmA	AlgorithmB	A12	p-value
AW4	Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	TB020	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	TB030	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	TB040	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
AW4	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB070	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
AW4	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB100	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.05
AW4	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB010	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB020	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB030	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB040	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
AW4	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB050	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB010	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB020	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB030	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB040	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB050	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB060	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB070	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
AW4	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB080	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	TB020	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	TB030	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	TB040	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	TB050	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB040	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB050	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB060	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB070	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB080	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)</i>	TB090	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB020	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB030	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB040	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)</i>	TB050	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)</i>	TB010	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB020	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)</i>	TB030	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB040	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)</i>	TB050	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	<i>Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)</i>	TB060	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB070	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB080	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01

Use Case	Problem	Time Budget	AlgorithmA	AlgorithmB	A12	p-value
GS1	<i>Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)</i>	TB090	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.1	< 0.01
GS1	Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	TB100	SPEA2	SimpleRS	< 0.5	< 0.01

A.2 Experiment Results for RQ2

This section provides, in terms of HV and IGD, the best MuOSA in solving each problem within each time budget for each use case (i.e., Table 3 with HV and Table 4) with IGD. In addition, we provide a summary table (i.e., Table 5) that considers both results of HV and IGD.

TABLE 3: Summary of the Best MuOSA(s) for Each Use Case under Each Problem with Each Time Budget Based on HV

		Time	Budge	et									Time	Budget	:							
UC	Prob.	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	Prob	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
AW1	1	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	6	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	M	M	M	M/S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	N/M	M	M	M	M	N/M	M	M	N/M
AW4		N/S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N/S	N/S		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M/C	M/C
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
AW1	2	S	S	S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	7	N	N	N/S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N	N/S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S		N	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW1	3	S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	8	N/S	N/S	S	N/S	S	S	S	S	N/M/S	S
AW2		N	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		N	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M/C		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
GS		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	N/M	N/M		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	N/M	M
AW1	4	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	9	S	S	S	N/S	S	S	S	N/S	S	N/S
AW2		S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW1	5	N	N	N/S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	10	N/S	N/S	S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		N	N	N	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		N	N/S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N		M	M	M/C	M/C	M/C	С	C	С	С	C
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M

 $^{^{\}ast}$ Note that **Prob.**: Problems, N: NSGA-II, M: MOCell, S: SPEA2, and C: CellDE

TABLE 4: Summary of the Best MuOSA(s) for Each Use Case under Each Problem with Each Time Budget Based on IGD

UC	Prob.	Time Bu	dget									Prob.	Time	Budget	1							
00	1100.	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	1100.	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
AW1	1	N	N	S	N/S	S	S	N/S	N/S	S	S	6	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N/S	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3	ĺ	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N	N/S	S	N/S	N/S	S	S	S	S
AW4	ĺ	S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N/S	N		N	M	M	N/M	N/M	M	M	M	M	M
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N/M	N/M	N/M	N/M	M	M	M	M	N/M
AW1	2	S	S	N/S	N/S	S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	7	N/M	N/M	N	N/S						
AW2		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		ALL	S	ALL		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S							
AW4		S	S	S	S	ALL	S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL		S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N
GS		ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW1	3	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	8	S	S	N/S	N/S	S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	S
AW2		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	ALL	S	S
AW4	[N/M/C	N/M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	N/M		N/M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	N/M	N
GS		N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N		N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
AW1	4	S	S	S	N/S	S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	S	9	S	S	S	N/S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL
AW2	[S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	ALL	ALL	ALL	S	S	S	ALL	S	ALL		ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL
AW4		S	S	S	S	S	S	ALL	ALL	N/S	N/S		S	S	S	S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	N/S	ALL
GS		S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL		ALL	ALL	S	ALL						
AW1	5	N/M	N/M	N	N	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N/S	N/S	10	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		N	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N/S	S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N	N		С	N/M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
GS		S	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL	ALL		N	N	N	N/M	M	N/M	N/M	N/M	N/M	N

 $^{^{\}star}$ Note that **Prob.**: Problems, **N**: NSGA-II, **M**: MOCell, **S**: SPEA2, **C**: CellDE, and **ALL**: N/M/S/C

TABLE 5: Summary of the Best MuOSA(s) for Each Use Case under Each Problem with Each Time Budget Based on HV and IGD

***		Time	Budge	t								. .	Time	Budge	t							
UC	Prob.	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	Prob.	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100
AW1	1	N	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	6	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	M/S	M	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	N	M/S	S	M/S	M/S	S	S	S	S
AW4		S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N/S	N		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
AW1	2	S	S	S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	7	N	N	N	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S		S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N/S
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW1	3	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	8	S	S	S	N/S	S	S	S	S	N/M/S	S
AW2		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
GS		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	N	N		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	N	M
AW1	4	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	9	S	S	S	N/S	S	S	S	N/S	S	N/S
AW2		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	N/S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW1	5	N	N	N	N	S	S	S	N	S	S	10	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW2		N	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		S	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW3		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		N	N	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S
AW4		S	S	S	S	N/S	N/S	N/S	N	N	N		С	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M
GS		S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S	S		M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M	M

^{*} Note that **Prob**.: Problems, **N**: NSGA-II, **M**: MOCell, **S**: SPEA2, and **C**: CellDE

A.3 Experiment Results for RQ3

This section provides detailed p-values of applying the Spearman Correlation Coefficient between various time budgets and ANOU with the best MuOSA(s) for each problem on all case studies.

TABLE 6: Results of the Spearman Correlation Coefficient between various time budgets and *ANOU* with the best MuOSA(s) for each problem on all case studies

Problem	ρ	AW1 p-value	ρ	AW2 p-value	ρ	AW3 p-value	ρ	AW4 p -value	ρ	GS1 p-value
Prob.1 f(PET,PTR,AUM)	0.58	< 0.01	0.93	< 0.01	-0.25	< 0.01	0.99	< 0.01	0.96	< 0.01
Prob.2 f(PET,PTR,PUS)	0.96	< 0.01	0.94	< 0.01	-0.12	< 0.01	0.99	< 0.01	0.99	< 0.01
Prob.3 f(PET,PTR,ANU)	0.96	< 0.01	0.98	< 0.01	-0.95	< 0.01	0.04	< 0.01	-0.06	< 0.01
Prob.4 f(PET,PTR,PUU)	0.96	< 0.01	0.94	< 0.01	-0.18	< 0.01	0.99	< 0.01	0.98	< 0.01
<i>Prob.5 f(PET,PTR,AUM,PUS)</i>	0.41	< 0.01	0.89	< 0.01	-0.21	< 0.01	0.99	< 0.01	0.96	< 0.01
Prob.6 f(PET,PTR,AUM,ANU)	0.26	< 0.01	0.45	< 0.01	-0.52	< 0.01	-0.01	< 0.01	-0.06	< 0.01
Prob.7 f(PET,PTR,AUM,PUU)	0.50	< 0.01	0.89	< 0.01	-0.20	< 0.01	0.99	< 0.01	0.95	< 0.01
Prob.8 f(PET,PTR,PUS,ANU)	0.96	< 0.01	0.97	< 0.01	-0.96	< 0.01	0.07	< 0.01	0.00	0.23
Prob.9 f(PET,PTR,PUS,PUU)	0.96	< 0.01	0.94	< 0.01	-0.09	< 0.01	0.99	< 0.01	0.98	< 0.01
Prob.10 f(PET,PTR,ANU,PUU)	0.96	< 0.01	0.98	< 0.01	-0.95	< 0.01	0.03	< 0.01	-0.08	< 0.01

^{*} Note that an underlined <u>value</u> means that the correlation is not statistically significant (i.e., *p*-value > 0.05); otherwise, significant (i.e., *p*-value < 0.05).