This computer code accompanies the paper:

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- This code uses the solver "Linkern" which is freely downloadable from the website: http://www.math.uwaterloo.ca/tsp/concorde.html
- The executable code of the solver should be put in a place where it can be accessed
- Computing times are provided by the linux command: \$\text{ time -p ./exec}\$
- The running time of Linkern is given by an internal procedure

Results:

- The best configuration is located in binary matrix a_best[][]
- The number of 1-blocks in a_best[][] is numbcos_best
- Data files a1 to h5 are given in directory Data

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