

# The Heritage: INFORMS' Mission

## VISION

INFORMS is a Learned Academic, Not for Profit Society. INFORMS is recognized as the premier organization for advancing the profession, practice and science of operations research and management science.

## MISSION

**INFORMS will advance the practice, research, methods and applications of OR/MS by:**

- Encouraging, facilitating and rewarding excellence.
- Communicating every aspect of OR/MS to all appropriate audiences through journals, conferences, magazines, the internet and other appropriate media.
- Promoting the achievements and capabilities of OR/MS professionals to managers and executives, policy makers and the general public.
- Providing life-long education and career development opportunities to OR/MS professionals.
- Attracting the best people to the field of OR/MS and attracting those in the field to INFORMS.

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# Publications

## Publications: 12 Journals

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- *Flagship* Operations Research
- *Flagship* Management Science
- Decision Analysis
- Information Systems Research
- INFORMS Journal on Computing
- Interfaces
- Manufacturing & Service Operations Management
- Marketing Science
- Mathematics of Operations Research
- Organization Science
- Transportation Science
- INFORMS Transactions on Education

# INFORMS Journals

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- Peer Reviewed
- Article Acceptance Ratio of 8% - 12%
- Well ranked by Journal Citation Reports (JCR)/ISI
- Available online and in print
- Articles in Advance
- Legacy Archives
- Online to libraries via HighWire (Stanford University)

# INFORMS Journals: Disciplines Covered

1. Management
2. Production and Operations Management
3. Applied Mathematics
4. Game Theory
5. Supply Chain
6. Optimization
7. Economics
8. Marketing
9. Finance
10. Information Systems
11. Computer Systems

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12. Transportation Logistics
13. Operations Research
14. Business Analytics
15. Statistical Studies
16. Decision Analysis
17. International Management
18. Transportation Management and Engineering
19. Organizational Management
20. E-Commerce
21. Information and Library Sciences
22. Executive Education
23. Risk Management

## Journal Rankings in their field:

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1. *Flagship* Operations Research - # 7
2. *Flagship* Management Science - # 3
3. Information Systems Research - # 3
4. INFORMS Journal on Computing - # 20
5. Marketing Science - # 3
6. Mathematics of Operations Research - # 21
7. Organization Science - # 4
8. Transportation Science - # 8
9. Decision Analysis (New Journal - Not Yet Ranked)
10. Manufacturing & Service Operations Management (New Journal - Not Yet Ranked)



## Business School Related Rankings

- Financial Times ranked 40 top academic journals. INFORMS has **five** on the list:  
 Management Science, Operations Research, Information Systems Research,  
 Organization Science, and Marketing Science
- Business Week ranked 20 top academic journals. INFORMS has **three** on the list:  
 Management Science, Operations Research, and Information  
 Systems Research
- University of Texas – Dallas ranked 30 top academic journals for accreditation purposes.  
 INFORMS has **seven** on the list:  
 Management Science, Operations Research, Information Systems Research,  
 Organization Science, Marketing Science, INFORMS Journal on Computing, and  
 Manufacturing & Service Operations Management



# INFORMS Flagship Journals

## Operations Research topics covered:

1. Computing and Information Technologies
2. Decision Analysis
3. Environment, Energy, and Natural Resources
4. Financial Engineering
5. Marketing Science
6. Military and Homeland Security
7. Operations Research
8. Optimization
9. Policy Modeling
10. Public Sector OR
11. Revenue Management
12. Simulation
13. Stochastic Models
14. Supply Chain Operations
15. Telecommunications and Networking
16. Transportation



# INFORMS Flagship Journals



## Management Science topics covered:

1. Business Strategy
2. Decision Analysis
3. Entrepreneurship
4. Management Science
5. Operations
6. Optimization and Modeling
7. Produce Development
8. Simulation
9. Social Networks
10. Stochastic Models
11. Supply Chain Management



# INFORMS Journals

## Marketing Science topics covered:

1. Advertising
2. Buyer Behavior
3. Channels
4. Competitive Strategy
5. Forecasting
6. Marketing
7. Marketing Research
8. New Product Development
9. Pricing
10. Promotions
11. Sales Force Management
12. Segmentation
13. Services Marketing
14. Targetability



# INFORMS Journals



## **Information Systems Research** topics covered:

1. Computer-Mediated Communication
2. Data Communications
3. Decision Support Systems
4. E-learning
5. Electronic Commerce
6. Information Systems Research
7. Information Technology
8. IT Diffusion and Adoption
9. Knowledge Management
10. Network Economics
11. Outsourcing
12. Software Development Methodologies
13. Systems Design and Implementation
14. Virtual Teams
15. Workflow and Process Management





# INFORMS Journals

## **Interfaces** topics covered:

1. Education
2. Finance
3. Management Sciences
4. Marketing
5. Military
6. MIS
7. Novel Applications
8. Operations Management
9. Operations Research
10. Public Sector
11. Quality
12. Strategy
13. Supply Chain Management



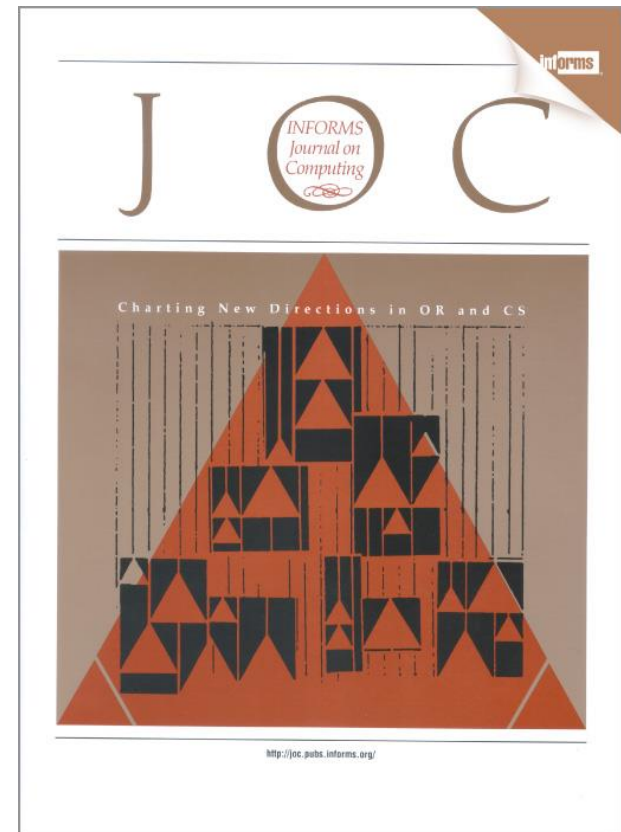


# INFORMS Journals

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## **INFORMS Journal on Computing** topics covered:

1. Computational Biology and Medical Applications
2. Computational Probability and Analysis
3. Computer Science
4. Computing
5. Constraint Programming and Optimization
6. Design and Analysis of Algorithms
7. Heuristic Search and Learning
8. Knowledge and Data Management
9. Modeling: Methods and Analysis
10. Simulation
11. Telecommunications and E-Commerce



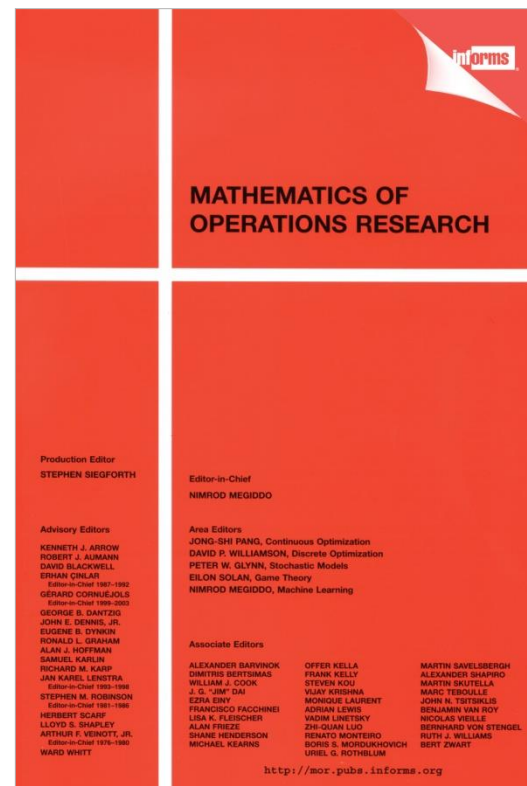


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## *Mathematics of Operations Research* topics covered:

1. Continuous Optimization
2. Discrete Optimization
3. Game Theory
4. Machine Learning
5. Mathematical Programming
6. Operations Research
7. Stochastic Models



# INFORMS Journals



## Organization Science topics covered:

1. Organization Theory
2. Strategic Management
3. Sociology
4. Economics
5. Political Science
6. History
7. Information Science
8. Systems Theory
9. Communication Theory
10. Artificial Intelligence
11. Psychology



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## Transportation Science topics covered:

1. Bidding Systems
2. Fleet Management
3. Inventory Routing
4. Logistics
5. Risk Pooling
6. Transportation Planning
7. Transportation Science
8. Transportation Systems
9. Transportation Systems Design
10. Vehicle Routing
11. Waiting Strategies

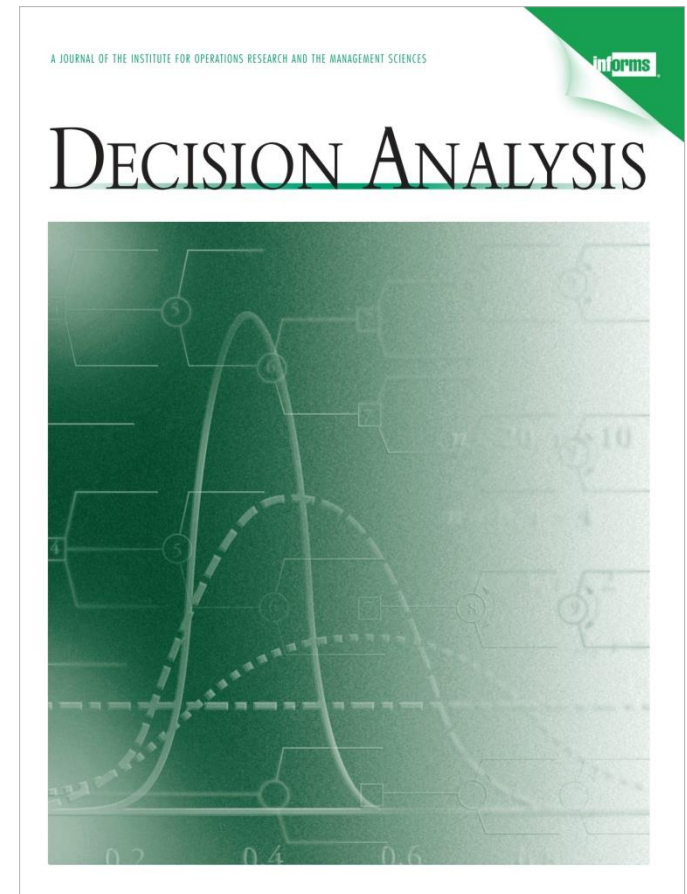


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## *Decision Analysis* topics covered:

1. Behavioral Decision Theory
2. Behavioral Finance
3. Consumer Behavior
4. Decision Analysis
5. Decision Theory
6. Experimental Economics
7. Game Theory
8. Neuro-Economics
9. Operational Decision Making



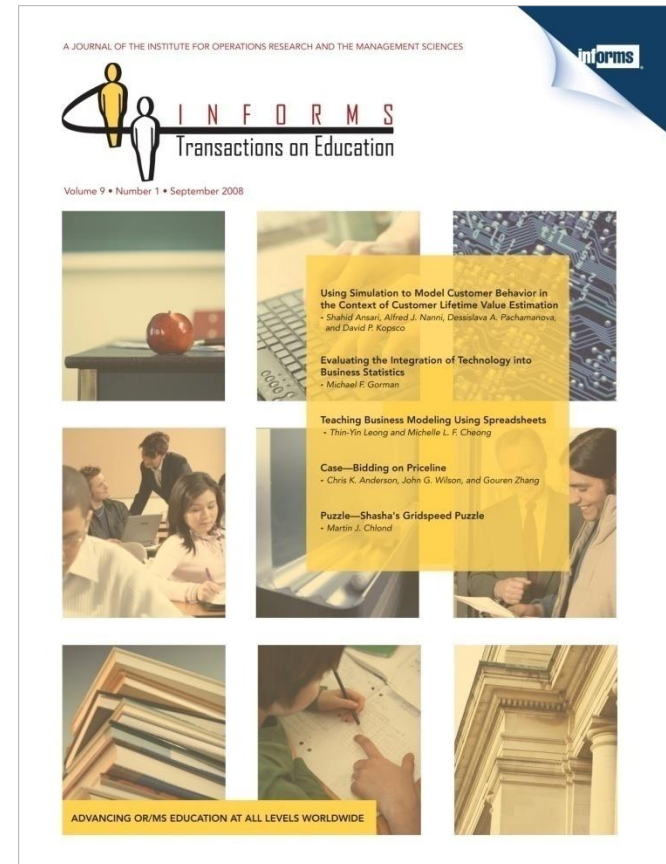


# INFORMS Journals



## ***INFORMS Transaction on Education*** topics covered:

1. OR/MS: Cases
2. Spreadsheet Applications
3. Review and Opinion Articles
4. Resource Reviews
5. Impacts of New Technologies
6. New Methods of Assessment in OR/MS Education



# OR/MS Today

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- INFORMS' news magazine
- Bi-monthly
- Contains current news, items of professional interest, announcements for upcoming meetings and events, other useful information

# INFORMS Archives

- 1952-1997
- Covers nine journals
- 197 cumulative volumes
- 17,000 + Articles
- Complete, consistent XML tagging
- Backed up by an independent dark archive



# Journals Covered

- Operations Research – 1952
- Management Science – 1954
- Transportation Science – 1967
- Interfaces – 1970
- Mathematics of Operations Research – 1976
- Marketing Science – 1982
- INFORMS Journal on Computing – 1989
- Information Systems Research – 1990
- Organization Science - 1990

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