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MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES OPERATIONAL RESEARCH

Doctoral Theses

BASIRZADEH (Mashaallh) Modelling and Allocation Problems in Software Reliability and Marketing. Supervisors : Prof P. K. Kapur and Dr. O. Singh Th 16743

Abstract

Discussed few new reliability growth models; these models have been established by working out parameter estimation for different types of failure data sets. Power functioms are not limited to the software reliability, but they can also used for the mathematical modelling in other areas like marketing etc. Deals with the concept of Modelling in Software Reliability Growth and Marketing. Attempts to incorporate the concept of artificial neural-network, stochastic differential equation, marketing and Genetic Algorithm and developing models under distributed environment. The accuracy and predictability of work included here has been validates and verified on different real software failure/removal data sets.

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1. Introduction. 2. Artificial natural network based software reliability growth models. 3. Testing effort and stochastic differential equation based software reliability growth models (SRGM). 4. Instructions executed dependent software reliability growth modelling for open source software by considering change-point. 5. Determing adoption pattern with pricing using two dimensional innovation diffusion model. 6. Genetic algorithm based optimization problems based in software reliability and marketing. 7. Conclusion and direction for future research. References.

425. DEEPAK KUMAR Modelling and Optimization Problems in Software Reliability. Supervisor : Dr. P. C. Jha Th 16744

Abstract

Focuses on software reliability growth models and optimization problems in software reliability. The performances of the proposed models are validated on real life data sets existing in software reliability literature. Various optimization problems viz resource allocation problems and optimal component selection for COTS based software systems are studied along with their solution methodology.

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VERMA (Mona) **Strategic Inventory Analysis and Optimization in Supply Chain.** Supervisors : Dr. Chandra K. Jaggi and Dr. K. K. Aggarwal <u>Th 16742</u>

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Abstract

Provides optimum strategies to deal with inventory models having various realistic situations such as trade credit (full/partial), deterioration, bullwhip effect, credit linked demand, in a supply chain context. Presents various inventory models in a supply chain environment e.g. causes of Bullwhip effect such as rationing, capacity allocation, multi-item deteriorating demand, credit linked demand, trade credit (full or partial).

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