



# Retraction Note: A-COA: an adaptive cuckoo optimization algorithm for continuous and combinatorial optimization

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The Editor-in-Chief and the publisher have retracted this article. The article was submitted to be part of a guest-edited issue. An investigation by the publisher found a number of articles, including this one, with a number of concerns, including but not limited to compromised editorial handling and peer review process, inappropriate or irrelevant references or not being in scope of the journal or guest-edited issue. Based on the investigation's findings the Editor-in-Chief therefore no longer has confidence in the results and conclusions of this article.

The author M. Elhoseny disagrees with this retraction. The Publisher has not been able to obtain a current email address for author H. R. Boveiri.

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