

Min-Max vs. Min-Sum Vehicle Routing: A Worst-Case Analysis

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Both minimizing the sum of lengths of all routes and minimizing the length of the longest route are important objectives for Vehicle Routing Problems. We perform a worst-case study to show that the optimal solution with respect to one objective can be very poor in terms of the other one.

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