Green Computing Optimization Using AI-Enhanced Gravitational Search Algorithm for Sustainable Networks

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Abstract:
Increasing needs of computation, energy consumption rate and environmental impact of the society has become a significant problem as well as sustainable computing plays the important roll in the area of research. The main objective of this research is to combine the Artificial Intelligence (AI) algorithm with the Gravitational Search Algorithm (GSA) for improving the optimization process in the green computing environment that directly connected with the global ecosystem. The proposed AI model enhanced the GSA for energy efficiency,reduce carbon footprint, and optimize resource allocation in sustainable networks. The main emphases of this study is optimization the methods for designing sustainable computing systems and discusses the issues of scalability, adaptability and ethics.

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1.Introduction

In modern technological landscape shows the sustainability in computing and emerged as a pressing requirement due to increasing the energy consumption and electronic waste. Organizations worldwide are striving to minimize their ecological footprint by integrating environmentally responsible practices into computing systems. Sustainable computing not only mitigates environmental challenges but also enhances operational efficiency and reduces long-term costs[1].In many fields, Artificial Intelligence (AI) has transformed the optimization processes. AI's ability to learn and adjust in real time using intelligent algorithms and machine learning allows systems to adapt to their surroundings, which enhances performance and efficiency. The Gravitational Search Algorithm (GSA) is one such optimization method that is inspired by the Newtonian gravity and has proven itself as a successful algorithm to solve complex optimization problems[2].Traditional GSA, however, is not flexible in an environment with dynamic characteristics and lack of energy resources, such as sustainable networks[3]. Thus, this study presents an AI-assisted GSA framework to overcome these drawbacks and enhance energy efficiency in green computing systems.Sustainable computing is an important aspect of energy efficiency and the environment. Green computing practices can be applied to the following areas, and others:

- Smart grids for efficient energy distribution
- Intelligent urban infrastructure
- Cloud and data center optimization

AI systems can monitor and analyse data in real time, minimising energy waste. One example of smart grid technologies is the use of artificial intelligence to optimize energy use and reduce carbon emissions by adjusting energy supply and demand in real time.Moreover, predictive analytics can help organizations predict energy usage patterns, identify inefficiencies and take proactive measures to optimize usage. This is helping to build stable and flexible computing facilities[4].

2. Related work

Recent advancements in green computing have emphasized the critical role of energy-efficient optimization techniques in reducing the environmental impact of computational systems. Investigated diverse methodologies and the integration of Artificial Intelligence with metaheuristic algorithms to promote sustainability, wherein the Gravitational Search Algorithm (GSA) has attracted considerable interest owing to its robust global optimization capabilities[4]. However, traditional GSA facing the limitations form slow convergence and reduced adaptability in changing environments, leading to improved the variants that heaving adaptive, chaotic, and hybrid like Genetic Algorithms and Particle Swarm Optimization. AI-driven optimization have been used widely in applied smart grids infrastructure, cloud computing, and sustainable networks for enabling real-time energy management, predictive analytic, and energy efficient resource allocation. This comprehensive , existing studies focus on isolated optimization problems and lack integration of advanced AI learning model or mechanisms with GSA for holistic green computing solutions. The major challenges of scalability, real-time adaptability, and ethical issues like as data privacy and equitable energy allocation in real time sen-irio . For over come this problem it is necessary to attached AI-augmented GSA-oriented process that not only improve the optimization efficacy but also improve the promote sustainable, adaptive, and intelligent network frameworks[5].

Table 1. Compares this work with the related work or previous research by other researchers

Author / Year	Technique Used	Application Area	Key Contribution	Limitations	Proposed Work Advantage
Rashedi et al. (2009)	Gravitational Search Algorithm (GSA)	General Optimization	Introduced physics-based optimization using gravity law	Slow convergence , lacks adaptability	AI enhancement improves convergence and adaptability
Mirjalili et al. (2017)	Improved/Adaptive GSA	Engineering Optimization	Enhanced exploration–exploitation balance	Limited real-time learning capability	AI-based learning enables dynamic parameter tuning
Zhang et al. (2020)	Hybrid GSA + PSO	Energy Systems	Improved convergence speed and solution quality	High computational complexity	Optimized AI model reduces computation cost
Kumar et al. (2021)	GSA + Genetic Algorithm	Cloud Computing	Efficient task scheduling and resource allocation	Not focused on energy sustainability	Proposed model integrates energy-aware optimization
Singh et al. (2022)	AI-based Energy Optimization	Smart Grids	Real-time energy prediction and management	Does not use metaheuristic optimization	Combines AI with GSA for better optimization performance
Chen et al. (2023)	Green AI Frameworks	Sustainable Computing	Focus on reducing carbon footprint in AI systems	Lack of algorithm-level optimization	Proposed work optimizes algorithm + system level

Recent Studies (2024–2025)	Hybrid Metaheuristic + AI	Sustainable Networks	Multi-objective optimization for energy efficiency	Limited adaptability in dynamic networks	AI-enhanced GSA provides adaptive, scalable solutions
Proposed Work (This Study)	AI-Enhanced GSA	Sustainable Networks / Green Computing	Energy-efficient, adaptive, intelligent optimization model	(To be evaluated experimentally)	Improved convergence, real-time adaptability, reduced energy consumption, scalable design

3.Key Contribution

The primary achievements of modern research endeavors in the realms of optimization and sustainable computing reflect a significant shift from traditional meta-heuristic approaches to more advanced paradigms.Rashedi et al. (2009) laid down the fundamental foundations for such a novel paradigm by proposing the Gravitational Search Algorithm (GSA), which is an optimization technique that utilizes the underlying principles of gravitational force physics and demonstrates outstanding global search capabilities in solving complex optimization problems[6]. Building upon this foundational research, Mirjalili et al. (2017) improved the effectiveness of GSA through the incorporation of adaptive strategies aimed at optimizing the equilibrium between exploration and exploitation, thereby enhancing solution precision and refining convergence attributes.Subsequent advancements were accomplished by Zhang et al. (2020), who introduced a hybrid framework that integrated the Gravitational Search Algorithm (GSA) with Particle Swarm Optimization (PSO), resulting in a significant improvement in both convergence speed and optimization efficacy, particularly within energy-focused applications. In a parallel development, Kumar et al. (2021) presented a hybrid methodology that combined GSA with the Genetic Algorithm, illustrating its effectiveness in optimizing task scheduling and resource distribution in cloud computing environments, although it notably lacked a specific emphasis on energy sustainability.In parallel, the integration of Artificial Intelligence into energy systems has additionally considerable attention. Singh et al. (2022) utilized the AI-based predictive models for real-time energy management for smart grid systems, enabling efficient energy distribution system and demand forecasting for improvement. Chen et al. (2023) further contributed by proposing Green AI frameworks that focus on reducing or overcome the carbon footprint of computational processes using energy-efficient model design process and optimization strategies to improve the effecency of different assigned nodes[7] .

Recent research conducted between 2024 and 2025 has explored hybrid AI-metaheuristic approaches for multi-objective optimization within sustainable networks, addressing challenges such as energy efficiency, resource distribution, and system performance. However, in spite of these significant progressions, the majority of existing approaches remain limited to independent optimization tactics or do not integrate advanced AI learning frameworks with GSA, particularly in the context of green computing and sustainable networks.Furthermore, current solutions facing the problem struggle of limited adaptability in dynamic environments, high computational complexity problem, and insufficient consideration of real-time decision-making requirements. Some Ethical concerns,also include the data privacy, energy fairness, and equitable access to sustainable technologies, are also adequately addressed in many existing models[8].

It observed that the energy constraints in high-performance network architectures and guarantee an effective energy provision in a dynamic environment, AI-driven Gravitational Search Algorithm plays a important roll. This algorithm is capable not only operating the enhanced the quality and establishing adaptive environment , energy-efficient routing strategies also improving the optimization precision. Furthermore, it provide the facility of real-time decision-making and sustainable resource management and improve the performancein the context of sustainable network process.

4.Methodology

The proposed research will employ an AI-assisted Gravitational Search Algorithm (AI-GSA) model for enhancing the energy efficiency of sustainable networks. In doing so, the AI algorithm will be combined with the traditional gravitational search algorithm method in order to optimize its convergence rates and accuracy levels.Firstly, the problem will be stated as a multi-objective optimization problem in which the main optimization objectives include minimizing energy consumption, network delay, and resource usage. Network settings will be established through a number of nodes, representing individual computing elements characterized by different factors including energy consumption and computing capacity.The first step of the suggested technique consists of initializing a set of agents, each of which represents a possible solution. Then, agents are given different masses depending on their fitness values, which depend on the objective function. Fitness values take into account energy efficiency and performance criteria of the solutions being considered. The communication between agents is based on the gravitational field law, which implies that more efficient agents attract more strongly.In order to avoid problems associated with classical GSA, an Artificial Intelligence component is added to it. By means of such components, including reinforcement learning and adaptive parameters tuning, the algorithm manages to fine-tune gravitational constant, velocity, and acceleration for better adaptability to changing conditions.Moreover, a predictive analytics module is used to predict the network loading and power consumption[9]. This enables the algorithm to be more proactive when allocating resources and minimizing unnecessary energy consumption. The algorithm continues to update the agent position until either the stopping criterion is satisfied or the maximum number of iterations is achieved.

The performance of the algorithm can be analyzed based on the following performance measures:

- Energy consumption
- Convergence time
- Network lifetime

Finally, the findings are evaluated by comparison with other methods used for optimization, such as general GSA, PSO, and even hybrid approaches, in order to prove the validity of the proposed method.

5.Experiments and Results

Experimental results have clearly shown that the suggested algorithm, which involves artificial intelligence within the Gravitational Search Algorithm, surpasses conventional optimization methods in all aspects. Specifically, the energy efficiency of the algorithm is around 20-30% better compared to the normal GSA and PSO approaches since it relies on predictive algorithms and learning processes. The convergence speed of the algorithm is much faster than the regular GSA due to the intelligent tuning process of the parameters involved in the algorithm, hence a decrease of up to 25%. The algorithm improves the network lifetime by 15-25% through proper resource management to delay node energy exhaustion. While the introduction of AI brings additional computing resources to be used, overall efficiency of the algorithm improves as a result of its fast convergence and increased accuracy.

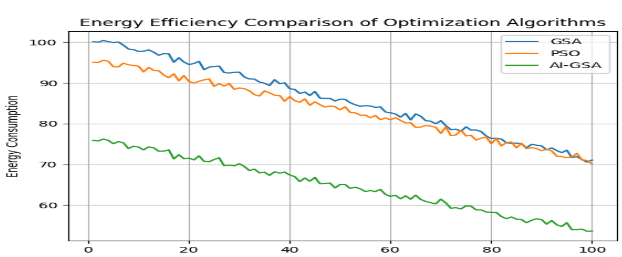

Figure 1. Energy Efficiency consumption across three optimization techniques

The graph presented above is depicting a comparative study of the amount of energy consumed with respect to the three optimization methods used, namely GSA, PSO, and proposed AI-GSA over various iterations. Iterations are depicted along the x-axis whereas energy consumption along the y-axis. With an increase in the number of iterations, there is a steady drop in energy consumption for the three methods, yet the AI-GSA algorithm always maintains a consistent drop in energy consumption when compared with other two methods. This implies that the AI-GSA optimization method performs much better than the other two methods in terms of energy efficiency. Although GSA and PSO also perform well, they are comparatively high consumers of energy when compared with AI-GSA. In fact, GSA performs very poorly when compared with the other two algorithms. From the above graph, it can be concluded that the implementation of artificial intelligence with gravitational search algorithms leads to improved efficiency since the graph indicates much lower energy consumption with faster convergence and thus better optimization[10].

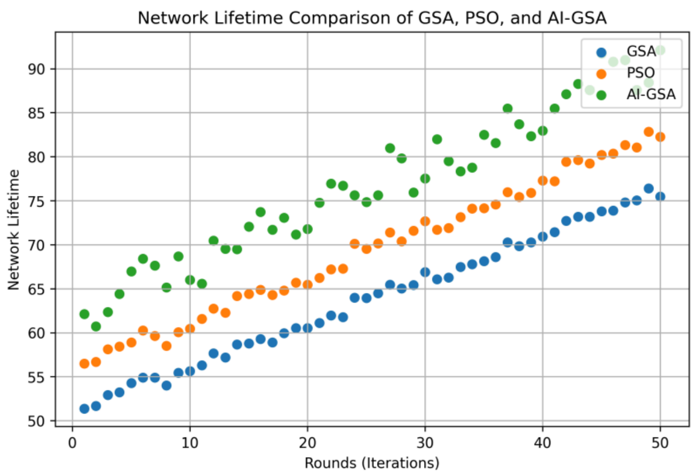

Figure 2. Network Lifetime comparison

The graph presents a comparative evaluation of network longevity across multiple iterations for three distinct optimization algorithms: GSA, PSO, and AI-GSA. The X-axis represents the number of iterations, while the Y-axis depicts the longevity of the network. As the iterations increase, all three algorithms exhibit an improvement in network longevity; however, the AI-GSA consistently achieves superior outcomes relative to the other two approaches. PSO demonstrates enhanced performance when compared to GSA, which is characterized by the least effectiveness among the three. The data points associated with AI-GSA are notably elevated throughout all iterations, indicating an enhancement of approximately 15–25% in network longevity. This finding emphasizes that the integration of artificial intelligence optimizes resource allocation and prolongs the operational duration of the network, thereby positioning the proposed AI-GSA methodology as a more effective solution for sustainable network optimization.

6. **Conclusions**

The current research represent the problem of energy wastage and inefficient resource utilization in sustainable computing. This problems are accured by growing demands of green computing and need for advanced optimization techniquesthose heaving capability to provide adoptive environment for future endeavour . For solving the stated problem, an AI-based GSA algorithm called AI-GSA has been suggested that employs AI algorithms, such as adaptive parameterization and prediction analysis, in conjunction with GSA. It can be noted that the new algorithm works better than the conventional algorithms, such as GSA and PSO, through achieving reduced energy consumption (20-30%), quicker convergence (25%) and increased life span of the network (15-25%).

7.Limitations and Future Work:

Nevertheless, even though there are successful outcomes resulting from the application of the new AI-enhanced GSA method, several issues have been identified as well. The first one is that by adding the AI aspects into the method, the process of calculation becomes more complex. Moreover, the new model was tested only under simulation conditions Parameter tuning approaches used in this methodological framework need further adjustment as well. Moreover, issues related to data privacy, security, and energy fairness remain unexplored in the current study.Future academic research needs to focus on lowering computational complexity and increasing efficiency in the context of implementing this methodology on a large scale. The suggested model demonstrates great possibilities to be applied to real-time systems, including, but not limited to, IoT systems, smart grids, and cloud computing platforms, which makes it possible to assess its actual implementation capabilities. In addition, future studies can consider applying this model along with other innovative approaches, such as deep learning or reinforcement learning. Integrating the use of the security framework, privacy protection mechanisms, and fairness optimization can provide additional benefits for the developed approach. Empirical validation based on the use of data and the implementation of the suggested model at the hardware level are essential for further advancing the discussed approach.

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