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The 4th Annual International Conference on Combinatorial
 Optimization and Applications (COCOA 2010) took place in Big Island,
 Hawaii, USA, December 18–20, 2010. Past COCOA conferences were
 held in Xi'an, China (2007), Newfoundland, Canada (2008) and
 Huangshan, China (2009).

COCOA2010 provided a forum for researchers working in the areas of com-
 binatorial optimization and its applications. In addition to theoretical
 results, the conference also included recent works on experimental and
 applied research of general algorithmic interest. The Program
 Committee received 108 submissions from more than 23 countries and
 regions, including Australia, Austria, Canada, China, Denmark, France,
 Germany, Hong Kong, India, Italy, Japan, Korea, Mexico, New Zealand,
 Poland, Slovak Republic, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Taiwan, UK, USA,
 Vietnam, etc. Among the 108 submissions, 49 regular papers were
 selected for presentation at the conference and are included in this
 volume. Some of these papers will be selected for publication in a
 special issue of the Journal of Combinatorial Optimization, a special
 issue of Theoretical Computer Science, a special issue of Optimization
 Letters, and a special issue of Discrete Mathematics, Algorithms and
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