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Highlights

- We propose a heuristic algorithm for stowage planning problem of a container ship
- Our algorithm is time efficient, and can generate good solutions
- Our algorithm performs better than the one proposed by Avriel et al (1998)

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