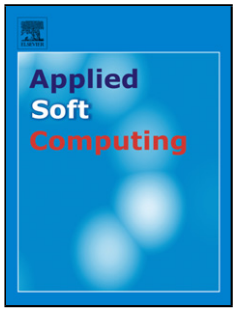

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Highlights:

- A novel feature selection approach based on binary Salp Swarm Algorithm (SSA) is proposed.
- Asynchronous updating rules and leadership structure were used to adapt the salps' positions.
- The number of leaders in the social organization of the artificial salp chain is well studied.
- The salp chain is divided into several sub-chains.
- The salps in each sub-chain can follow a different strategy to adaptively update their locations.