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Development, Management and Application of Models and Databases in Agriculture

Message from the Guest Editors

Crop models and biogeochemical models are widely used to quantify crop yield, net primary production, plant nutrient requirement, soil organic carbon and greenhouse gas emission of croplands and systems' performance due to environmental changes. The development of new methods and the evaluation of existing models against empirical data are crucial steps toward providing useful tools for the agricultural sector. These models are driven by environmental data (most of all meteorological and soil information), while quantification of management plays a major role in the calculations.

We welcome both original research articles and review papers focused on the following topics:

Application of models for agricultural production, for major but even more for minor crops; Development and evaluation of models and procedures, sensitivity and uncertainty assessment;

Creating databases for testing models or parameterizing models;

Model calibration, verification and validation backed up with quantitative results;

Model comparison;

Model development;

Ensemble modeling;

Gridded modeling;

Providing solutions for any crop-modeling-related problems.

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