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Multi- and Hyper-Spectral Imaging Technologies for Crop Monitoring—2nd Edition

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As the global population proliferates, greater pressure is placed on modern agriculture to produce more food. However, crops face various threats from abiotic and biotic stresses, including drought, salt, freezing, diseases, insects, weeds, etc. Accurately monitoring the growing status of crops in a timely manner under various stresses is crucial to crop cultivation, protection, phenotyping, and seed breeding. Optical sensing technology has been explored extensively for crop monitoring, with multi-/hyper-spectral imaging technologies that can provide both spectral and imaging information playing a vital role. This Special Issue focuses on the development and application of multiand hyper-spectral imaging technologies and advanced analyzing algorithms in crop monitoring in the field or in greenhouses. This Special Issue will fully embrace interand trans-disciplinary studies from multiple domains (e.g., agricultural sciences, agricultural engineering, and optical engineering) in the co-construction of knowledge for sustainable agriculture. All types of articles, such as original research and review papers, are welcome.

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