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# Medicinal and Aromatic Plants (MAPs): The Connection between Cultivation Practices and Biological Properties

### Message from the Guest Editors

Cultivation management is essential to balance the fundamental parameters for medicinal and aromatic plants (MAPs) as biomass and the production of highquality essential oils and extracts with remarkable properties. Medicinal plants and their essential oils and other extracts comprise more than just a modern fad. Apart from being a source of food, many MAP species are used as non-food industrial products, pharmaceuticals, herbal health products, cosmetics, plant protection products, etc. For their industrialization, cultivations should be standardized in a way to produce material that exhibits repeatable attributes and components. Shis Special Issue will cover research aspects related to the cultivation practices of medicinal and aromatic plants and how they can affect the biomass production, nutritional value, and biological properties of various medicinal plant extracts. Research on the effects on essential oil quality and quantity is also welcome.

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