

Special Issue

Biodiversity of Invertebrates

Message from the Guest Editors

Invertebrates display a high biodiversity worldwide. Each year, new species are described in various climatic zones. Despite significant efforts to study biodiversity, many data are still not published. This hinders the analysis of species distribution, the analysis of variability in species ranges and species abundance, as well as the analysis of the alpha diversity of regions and the identification of “biodiversity hotspots”. Datasets, databases, networks, and data infrastructures have been used in recent years to understand species distribution. A “data paper” provides a description of research data sets (one dataset per article). Preparing, processing and describing such data requires effort. Data papers provide recognition for these efforts through peer-reviewed publication. The described datasets should be publicly available prior to publication, preferably under an open-access license, to allow other users to re-use the dataset. The document must provide a URL to the public version of the dataset. The lower threshold for the number of occurrences is 2000 occurrences.

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