

Special Issue

Modelling and Estimation of Forest Biomass

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue invites original research articles dedicated to the modeling and estimation of forest biomass. Potential study topics include the following.

- Comparison of empirical and process-based modeling techniques for estimating forest biomass.
- Identifying key factors at the individual tree, stand, and environmental levels that influence allometric relationships in biomass estimation.
- Modeling forest biomasses using machine learning and deep learning approaches.
- Assessing long-term changes in forest biomass dynamics.
- Modeling biomass adjustments following silvicultural treatments.
- Analyzing the impacts of drought, insect pests, and diseases on forest biomass estimation.
- Evaluating changes in forest biomass and structure under environmental stress using remote sensing technologies (e.g., LiDAR and UAV).
- Assessing the effects of wind, hurricanes, and ice damage on tree biomass estimation.
- Investigating how changes in forest structure and composition affect forest biomass estimation.

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