

Special Issue

Cotton Pest Management

Message from the Guest Editors

Upland cotton (*Gossypium hirsutum*) is the principal source of natural fiber in the cotton industry, and is also a source of products such as linter and seeds, which contribute to its extensive cultivation. Cotton is a plant that takes a long time to develop, with up to six months elapsing between sowing and harvesting; as a result, it can become infested with a variety of arthropod pests, some of which are common worldwide, while others are particularly significant in specific regions, necessitating both common and specialized pest management strategies. Cotton IPM has evolved through the use of biotechnologies to improve plant resistance to pests, the introduction of novel insecticides and biological control agents, and methods of mitigating pests' resistance to these management tools. Therefore, we invite authors to submit research and review articles to this Special Issue of *Insects* on different levels of cotton IPM for dealing with arthropod pests.

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