



The Impact of Vavilov's Concept of the Centres of Crop Origin and Diversity on Research, Conservation, and Utilization of Plant Genetic Resources Today—A Review on the Occasion of Vavilov's 135th Anniversary

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We invite the submission of papers reflecting on the relevance of the concepts of N.I. Vavilov with an emphasis on the impact on research, conservation, and utilization of plant genetic resources for food and agriculture. We aim to collect many perspectives, including historical and contemporary and visionary approaches that relate to the subject Vavilov had dedicated his life to. Views on past, present, and future applications of the concepts proposed by Vavilov are invited as well as revisions and additions to these concepts and reviews of germplasm holdings in modern genebanks that trace back to the collections made by Vavilov.

Submissions will be peer-reviewed according to the standard procedures for all papers submitted to *Plants*. In addition, submissions must indicate that they are intended for inclusion in the “Vavilov Special Issue”. Contributions can be made in the form of a review, research paper, short communication, or opinion paper.





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