

Special Issue

Chemical Activators of the Natural Defences of the Plant

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue is on Chemical Activators of Natural Defences of the Plant, and their potential applications provide a novel sustainable approach to crop protection. The current state of the art of this technology provides promising bioactive molecules for efficient and long-lasting treatments for crop protection against biotic or abiotic stresses. The aim of this Special Issue is to review and discuss the current knowledge of these bioactive molecules, as well as their different modes of action against biotic or abiotic stresses. A better understanding of the mechanisms underlying their positive effect could lead to novel molecules capable of protecting our crops without yield penalty, thereby contributing to the sustainable agriculture needed for the coming challenges of the 21st century.

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