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Physiological and Molecular Mechanisms of Plant Resistance to Abiotic Stress

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Abiotic stresses significantly reduce crop quality and yield. To adapt to environmental stimuli, plants have acquired stress resistance mechanisms through long-term evolution. Therefore, elucidating the physiological and molecular mechanisms underlying abiotic stress responses is essential for enhancing crop sustainability and addressing the increasing global demand for food production. This Special Issue aims to highlight regulatory mechanisms in economically important plants, including food crops, horticultural crops, oil crops, and ornamental crops, affected by various abiotic stresses such as salt–alkaline stress, extreme temperature stress (cold/heat), water stress (drought/flooding), heavy metal stress, etc. Studies investigating protein interactions, transcriptional regulatory pathways, splicing factor functions, or root development are particularly encouraged. Submitted manuscripts should be original work that has neither been published previously nor is currently under consideration for publication in other journals.

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