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Message from the Guest Editors

The sustainable management of the environment is one of the major challenges of the modern era, with the goal of a wise use of the resources, while preserving ecosystems integrity. A deep understanding of the status of the environment and an accurate monitoring of its dynamics, especially in response to anthropogenic actions, are crucial to develop a correct management strategy. In this context, Remote Sensing techniques can provide a major contribution. Indeed, the increasing number of satellite platforms and the enhanced performances of the imaging sensors have been making available an unprecedented amount of information about land and ocean surfaces. In this perspective, research efforts are needed to develop methods and tools for the integration of platforms and sensors with different spectral, spatial and temporal resolutions. This integration is essential to expand the capabilities of a multi-scale monitoring of the environment and enlarge the number of applications that may benefit from remote sensing data. Furthermore, the development of best practices to validate the results and predict the accuracy of the proposed approaches is another crucial aspect.

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