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Machine Intelligence for Sustainable Precision Farming

Message from the Guest Editors

Precision Farming (PF) is a concept for precisely managing inputs and actions via precision technology. In modern farming, precision management is becoming increasingly supported by machines that are operated via machine intelligence. Machine intelligence plays a crucial role in the development of economically and ecologically sustainable farming. This Special Issue focuses on machine intelligence that forms the connection between sensing and actuation in Precision Farming. The scope includes the following aspects:

- Mathematical and statistical methods for observation, prediction, and control under uncertainty and disturbances, such as adaptive modelling, state identification/recognition, machine learning, control engineering, and data assimilation.
- Improvement of sustainability with respect to animal health, economics, ecology, and resource efficiency.
- (Possible) application to a farming system—this may be any system designed for primary food production.

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