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Tobamoviruses 2023

Message from the Guest Editor

Tobamovirus are ancient, likely existing before the major angiosperm groups that evolved 120–140 million years ago. Some cause enormous damage to agriculture, and new damaging species spill over from wild plant communities every few years to sweep across important crops. Tobamoviruses are a highly successful group, having eschewed the arthropod vectors that most plant viruses rely on for transmission, instead hijacking their host's reproductive system to spread in pollen and seed, and by direct contact. This Special Issue examines the latest research on the diversity of tobamoviruses, their molecular biology, and their impact on global food security.

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