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Message from the Guest Editors

LiDAR sensors onboard different platforms (e.g., terrestrial, airborne, UAV, satellite, backpack, and handheld) have been widely used in various biomes, especially over large and remote areas. So far, one of the main applications of LiDAR data is to provide a reliable estimation of biomass and carbon stock as well as information related to different forest parameters (e.g., diameter at breast height and basal area, tree height, and canopy base height), resulting in significant contributions to sustainable forest management and climate change mitigation.

Recent developments in forest research include the integration of LiDAR with other remote sensing data at different scales, as well as the use of machine learning and deep learning to extract semantic information about different forest attributes.

This Special Issue on "Remote Sensing and LiDAR Data for Forest Monitoring" welcomes papers focusing on remote sensing applications based on LiDAR data for forest ecosystem monitoring.

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