



Innovation in Detection and Management of Diseases of Vegetables and Fruits

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Dear colleagues,

The scope of this special issue is to provide an update on innovative detection and management tools for pathogens of vegetables and fruits. Reviews and original research articles dealing with innovative strategies for the management of well-known diseases or addressing new diseases with specific protection tools fit the scope of this issue.

This Issue will be released during the International Year of Plant Health (IYPH) and will help rising awareness of the importance of plant health for a sustainable development of farming systems. Integrated disease management intends to manage plant diseases by assembling innovative prevention, detection and control tools. Healthy seed or propagation material is an effective tool. Rapid diagnostic methods allow for a rational use of plant protection products. Innovative biobased products permit an environmentally sustainable approach to disease management.

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