



## Research on Fruit Viruses and Phytoplasmas

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Dear Colleagues,

Fruit crops remain in their habitats for several years (often decades) and are progressively attacked by various pathogens, including viruses and phytoplasmas. These pathogens cannot be eliminated from plants under field conditions, making the infection a lifelong problem. In addition to the disease and damage, the diseased plant serves as a source of infection. Using molecular techniques such as next-generation sequencing, new viral species are widely discovered. However, their biological significance is often unknown. This Special Issue of Research on Fruit Viruses is therefore devoted not only to the description of new viral and phytoplasma agents, but also to the biological properties of new and known pathogens, the study of their vectors, distribution and economic harmfulness.





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