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Novel Applications of Optical Sensors and Machine Learning in Agricultural Monitoring

Message from the Guest Editors

Advances in optical images and machine learning have attracted widespread attention, but we call for more highly flexible solutions for various agriculture study applications. We believe that sensors, artificial intelligence, and machine learning are not simply scientific experiments, but opportunities to make our agricultural production management more efficient and cost-effective, further contributing to the healthy development of natural-human systems. This Topic seeks to compile the latest research on optical sensors and machine learning in agricultural monitoring. The following provides a general (but not exhaustive) overview of topics that might be relevant to this Research Topic:

- Machine learning approaches for crop health, growth, and yield monitoring.
- Combined multisource/multi-sensor data to improve the crop parameters mapping.
- Crop-related growth models, artificial intelligence models, algorithms, and precision management.
- Farmland environmental monitoring and management.
- Ground, air, and space platforms application in precision agriculture.
- Development and application of field robotics.
- High-throughput field information survey.
- Phenological monitoring.

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