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Nonstructural Carbohydrates, Water Status, and Hydraulic Dynamics in Plants

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Abiotic (water scarcity, heat) and/or biotic factors (pathogens, interspecific competition) may severely affect plants' water status, hydraulic efficiency, as well as nonstructural carbohydrate synthesis and storage. Although many of the consequences of plant decline are readily apparent in several biomes, our current knowledge of multiple physiological mechanisms and their interactions/feedbacks triggering species survival or mortality is still limited.

This Special Issue aims at collecting original studies and reviews dealing with the effects of stressors (abiotic, biotic or their combination) on plant water status, hydraulics, and nonstructural carbohydrate content. Specific focus on physiological responses enabling plants to cope with challenging environments and promoting their adaptation to stressors is encouraged. Studies conducted on crops, trees, and herbaceous species and under both field or controlled conditions are welcome, [...]

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