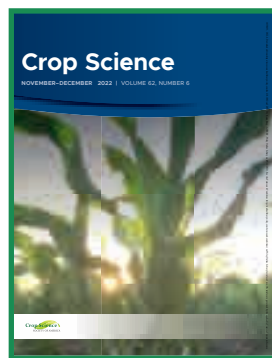


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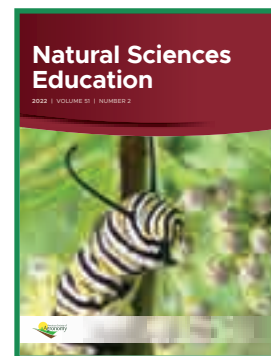
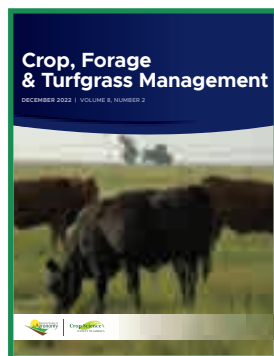
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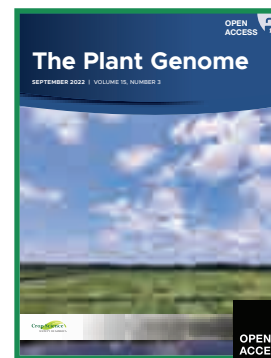
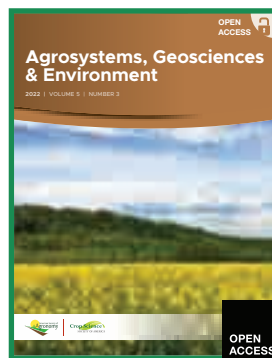
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Year Founded	1907	1961	1936	1972
2023 Editor	Dr. Silvia Pampana	Dr. Paul Scott	Dr. Will Horwath	Dr. Douglas Smith
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Journal Brief Overview	<p><i>Agronomy Journal</i> publishes original research in agriculture, natural resource sciences, soil science, crop science, agroclimatology, agronomic, production agriculture, and instrumentation. Original articles provide novel findings that advance the field. Forum papers deal with current agronomic issues and questions in a brief and thought-provoking form.</p>	<p><i>Crop Science</i> is a top international journal in the fields of crop breeding and genetics, crop physiology, and crop production and is a critical outlet for articles describing plant germplasm collections and their use. The articles featured are of interest to researchers, policy makers, educators, and practitioners and include original research, review, and interpretive articles.</p>	<p><i>Soil Science Society of America Journal</i> publishes basic and applied soil research in soil chemistry, soil physics, soil pedology, and hydrology in agricultural, forest, wetlands, and urban settings. The journal is a venue for interdisciplinary soil scientists, biogeochemists, and agronomists.</p>	<p><i>Journal of Environmental Quality</i> publishes original research, reviews and analyses, and perspectives articles that address anthropogenic impacts on water, soil, and the atmosphere and pertain to some aspect of environmental quality in natural and agricultural ecosystems.</p>
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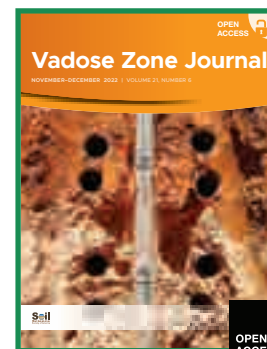
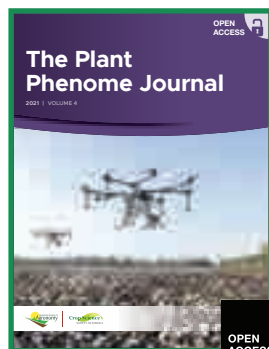
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Year Founded	2015	2007	1972
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Journal Brief Overview	<p><i>Crop, Forage & Turfgrass Management</i> covers all aspects of applied crop, forage, and grazing lands, and turfgrass management. The journal publishes research, briefs, reviews, perspectives, and diagnostic and management guides that are useful to researchers, practitioners, educators, and industry representatives.</p>	<p><i>Journal of Plant Registrations</i> publishes research describing new and novel plant cultivars, germplasms, parental lines, genetic stock, and genomic mapping populations. The premier international venue for plant breeders, geneticists, and genome biologists, the journal audience also serves policy makers, humanitarian organizations, and all facets of food, feed, fiber, bioenergy, and shelter industries.</p>	<p><i>Natural Sciences Education</i> articles are written by and for educators in the areas of plant science, natural resources, animal science, ecology, the environment, entomology, and more. The journal includes articles related to extension, universities, industry, administration, and grades K-12.</p>
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2022 Total Citations	N/A	846	N/A
2022 Median Days to First Decision	49	47	54

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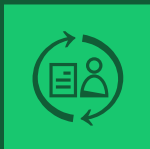
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	2023 Editor	Dr. Michael Gore	Dr. John Taylor	Dr. Venkataraman Lakshmi
	2023 Editor Affiliation	Cornell University, USA	University of Rhode Island, USA	University of Virginia, USA
Journal Brief Overview	<p><i>The Plant Phenome Journal</i> is a transdisciplinary, fully open access journal that focuses on original research, interpretations, and datasets investigating all aspects of plant phenomics. The journal is a forum that combines engineering, remote sensing, computer science or data science with plant science, breeding, genetics, or agronomy.</p>		<p><i>Urban Agriculture & Regional Food Systems</i> is a multidisciplinary open access journal that publishes original research and reviews on urban and peri-urban agricultural production for food and other human-related services. By focusing on the full range of dimensions related to urban and regional agriculture (production, ecological, social, and cultural), the journal aims to explore, analyze, and critically reflect upon these activities through a range of spatial contexts and relations.</p>	
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	2022 Median Days to First Decision	40	13	43



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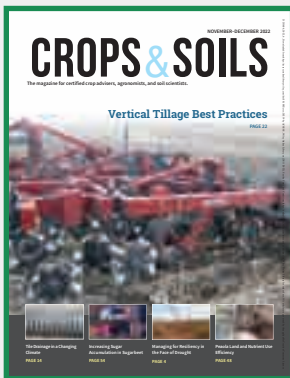
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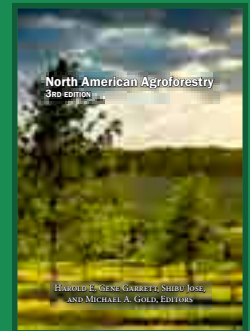
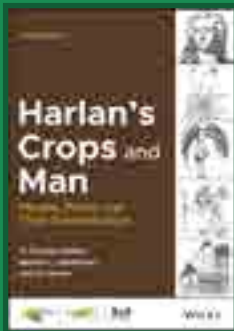
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