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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Comparison of Support Vector Machine and Extreme Gradient Boosting for predicting daily global solar radiation using temperature and precipitation in humid subtropical climates: A case study in China. <i>Energy Conversion and Management</i> , 2018, 164, 102-111.	9.2	396
2	Evaluation of SVM, ELM and four tree-based ensemble models for predicting daily reference evapotranspiration using limited meteorological data in different climates of China. <i>Agricultural and Forest Meteorology</i> , 2018, 263, 225-241.	4.8	327
3	Empirical and machine learning models for predicting daily global solar radiation from sunshine duration: A review and case study in China. <i>Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews</i> , 2019, 100, 186-212.	16.4	207
4	The Effects of Mulch and Nitrogen Fertilizer on the Soil Environment of Crop Plants. <i>Advances in Agronomy</i> , 2019, , 121-173.	5.2	168
5	Light Gradient Boosting Machine: An efficient soft computing model for estimating daily reference evapotranspiration with local and external meteorological data. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2019, 225, 105758.	5.6	160
6	Coupling effects of water and fertilizer on yield, water and fertilizer use efficiency of drip-fertigated cotton in northern Xinjiang, China. <i>Field Crops Research</i> , 2018, 219, 169-179.	5.1	157
7	Climate change effects on reference crop evapotranspiration across different climatic zones of China during 1956–2015. <i>Journal of Hydrology</i> , 2016, 542, 923-937.	5.4	143
8	Hybrid support vector machines with heuristic algorithms for prediction of daily diffuse solar radiation in air-polluted regions. <i>Renewable Energy</i> , 2020, 145, 2034-2045.	8.9	129
9	Evaluation and development of empirical models for estimating daily and monthly mean daily diffuse horizontal solar radiation for different climatic regions of China. <i>Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews</i> , 2019, 105, 168-186.	16.4	119
10	New combined models for estimating daily global solar radiation based on sunshine duration in humid regions: A case study in South China. <i>Energy Conversion and Management</i> , 2018, 156, 618-625.	9.2	116
11	Evaluation and development of temperature-based empirical models for estimating daily global solar radiation in humid regions. <i>Energy</i> , 2018, 144, 903-914.	8.8	115
12	Optimization of drip irrigation and fertilization regimes for high grain yield, crop water productivity and economic benefits of spring maize in Northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2020, 230, 105986.	5.6	102
13	Estimation of daily maize transpiration using support vector machines, extreme gradient boosting, artificial and deep neural networks models. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 245, 106547.	5.6	100
14	Daily reference evapotranspiration prediction based on hybridized extreme learning machine model with bio-inspired optimization algorithms: Application in contrasting climates of China. <i>Journal of Hydrology</i> , 2019, 577, 123960.	5.4	99
15	Potential of kernel-based nonlinear extension of Arps decline model and gradient boosting with categorical features support for predicting daily global solar radiation in humid regions. <i>Energy Conversion and Management</i> , 2019, 183, 280-295.	9.2	95
16	Rainfall partitioning into throughfall, stemflow and interception loss by maize canopy on the semi-arid Loess Plateau of China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2018, 195, 25-36.	5.6	91
17	Daily pan evaporation modeling from local and cross-station data using three tree-based machine learning models. <i>Journal of Hydrology</i> , 2018, 566, 668-684.	5.4	86
18	Multi-objective optimization of water and fertilizer management for potato production in sandy areas of northern China based on TOPSIS. <i>Field Crops Research</i> , 2019, 240, 55-68.	5.1	85

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19	Evaluating the effect of air pollution on global and diffuse solar radiation prediction using support vector machine modeling based on sunshine duration and air temperature. <i>Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews</i> , 2018, 94, 732-747.	16.4	83
20	Effects of water and fertilizer management on grain filling characteristics, grain weight and productivity of drip-fertigated winter wheat. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2019, 213, 983-995.	5.6	79
21	Optimizing biochar application to improve soil physical and hydraulic properties in saline-alkali soils. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2021, 771, 144802.	8.0	76
22	Determining irrigation amount and fertilization rate to simultaneously optimize grain yield, grain nitrogen accumulation and economic benefit of drip-fertigated spring maize in northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 243, 106440.	5.6	74
23	Optimal drip fertigation management improves yield, quality, water and nitrogen use efficiency of greenhouse cucumber. <i>Scientia Horticulturae</i> , 2019, 243, 357-366.	3.6	73
24	Nitrogen fertilizer management effects on soil nitrate leaching, grain yield and economic benefit of summer maize in Northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 247, 106739.	5.6	72
25	Benefits of CO ₂ enrichment on crop plants are modified by soil water status. <i>Plant and Soil</i> , 2002, 238, 69-77.	3.7	68
26	Effects of plastic mulch and nitrogen fertilizer on the soil microbial community, enzymatic activity and yield performance in a dryland maize cropping system. <i>European Journal of Soil Science</i> , 2021, 72, 400-412.	3.9	67
27	Interactive effects of mulching practice and nitrogen rate on grain yield, water productivity, fertilizer use efficiency and greenhouse gas emissions of rainfed summer maize in northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 248, 106778.	5.6	65
28	Mulching mode and planting density affect canopy interception loss of rainfall and water use efficiency of dryland maize on the Loess Plateau of China. <i>Journal of Arid Land</i> , 2018, 10, 794-808.	2.3	59
29	Predicting daily diffuse horizontal solar radiation in various climatic regions of China using support vector machine and tree-based soft computing models with local and extrinsic climatic data. <i>Journal of Cleaner Production</i> , 2020, 248, 119264.	9.3	57
30	Blending urea and slow-release nitrogen fertilizer increases dryland maize yield and nitrogen use efficiency while mitigating ammonia volatilization. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2021, 790, 148058.	8.0	54
31	Responses of growth, fruit yield, quality and water productivity of greenhouse tomato to deficit drip irrigation. <i>Scientia Horticulturae</i> , 2021, 275, 109710.	3.6	53
32	Water-use efficiency and physiological responses of maize under partial root-zone irrigation. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2010, 97, 1156-1164.	5.6	52
33	Simulation of cotton growth and soil water content under film-mulched drip irrigation using modified CSM-CROPGRO-cotton model. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2019, 218, 124-138.	5.6	52
34	Effects of alternate partial root-zone irrigation on soil microorganism and maize growth. <i>Plant and Soil</i> , 2008, 302, 45-52.	3.7	49
35	Evapotranspiration partitioning and water productivity of rainfed maize under contrasting mulching conditions in Northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 243, 106473.	5.6	49
36	Throughfall and stemflow heterogeneity under the maize canopy and its effect on soil water distribution at the row scale. <i>Science of the Total Environment</i> , 2019, 660, 1367-1382.	8.0	44

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37	Maize yield, rainwater and nitrogen use efficiency as affected by maize genotypes and nitrogen rates on the Loess Plateau of China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2019, 213, 996-1003.	5.6	40
38	Dynamic change and accumulation of grain macronutrient (N, P and K) concentrations in winter wheat under different drip fertigation regimes. <i>Field Crops Research</i> , 2020, 250, 107767.	5.1	40
39	Wheat straw mulching with nitrification inhibitor application improves grain yield and economic benefit while mitigating gaseous emissions from a dryland maize field in northwest China. <i>Field Crops Research</i> , 2021, 265, 108125.	5.1	40
40	Optimization of water and fertilizer management improves yield, water, nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium uptake and use efficiency of cotton under drip fertigation. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 245, 106662.	5.6	38
41	Grain yield and greenhouse gas emissions from maize and wheat fields under plastic film and straw mulching: A meta-analysis. <i>Field Crops Research</i> , 2021, 270, 108210.	5.1	38
42	A simulation model of water dynamics in winter wheat field and its application in a semiarid region. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2001, 49, 115-129.	5.6	35
43	A global meta-analysis of yield and water use efficiency of crops, vegetables and fruits under full, deficit and alternate partial root-zone irrigation. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 248, 106771.	5.6	35
44	Crop yield and water productivity under salty water irrigation: A global meta-analysis. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 256, 107105.	5.6	35
45	Optimization of irrigation amount and fertilization rate of drip-fertigated potato based on Analytic Hierarchy Process and Fuzzy Comprehensive Evaluation methods. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 256, 107130.	5.6	34
46	Effects of plant density, nitrogen rate and supplemental irrigation on photosynthesis, root growth, seed yield and water-nitrogen use efficiency of soybean under ridge-furrow plastic mulching. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 268, 107688.	5.6	34
47	Effect of different drip irrigation methods and fertilization on growth, physiology and water use of young apple tree. <i>Scientia Horticulturae</i> , 2011, 129, 119-126.	3.6	33
48	Evaluation of Drip Fertigation Uniformity Affected by Injector Type, Pressure Difference and Lateral Layout. <i>Irrigation and Drainage</i> , 2017, 66, 520-529.	1.7	33
49	Effects of nitrogen supply on tomato yield, water use efficiency and fruit quality: A global meta-analysis. <i>Scientia Horticulturae</i> , 2021, 290, 110553.	3.6	33
50	Ridge-furrow plastic mulching with a suitable planting density enhances rainwater productivity, grain yield and economic benefit of rainfed maize. <i>Journal of Arid Land</i> , 2020, 12, 181-198.	2.3	32
51	Effects of Soil Water Deficit at Different Growth Stages on Maize Growth, Yield, and Water Use Efficiency under Alternate Partial Root-Zone Irrigation. <i>Water (Switzerland)</i> , 2021, 13, 148.	2.7	32
52	Combined effects of irrigation level and fertilization practice on yield, economic benefit and water-nitrogen use efficiency of drip-irrigated greenhouse tomato. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 262, 107401.	5.6	31
53	Yield and water productivity of crops, vegetables and fruits under subsurface drip irrigation: A global meta-analysis. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 269, 107645.	5.6	31
54	Effects of farming practices on yield and crop water productivity of wheat, maize and potato in China: A meta-analysis. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 243, 106444.	5.6	30

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55	Water productivity and seed cotton yield in response to deficit irrigation: A global meta-analysis. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 255, 107027.	5.6	30
56	A sustainable strategy of managing irrigation based on water productivity and residual soil nitrate in a no-tillage maize system. <i>Journal of Cleaner Production</i> , 2020, 262, 121279.	9.3	29
57	Optimal irrigation amount and nitrogen rate improved seed cotton yield while maintaining fiber quality of drip-fertigated cotton in northwest China. <i>Industrial Crops and Products</i> , 2021, 170, 113710.	5.2	29
58	Hydraulic conductivity and water-use efficiency of young pear tree under alternate drip irrigation. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2013, 119, 80-88.	5.6	28
59	Responses of yield, quality and water-nitrogen use efficiency of greenhouse sweet pepper to different drip fertigation regimes in Northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 260, 107279.	5.6	28
60	Optimizing irrigation amount and potassium rate to simultaneously improve tuber yield, water productivity and plant potassium accumulation of drip-fertigated potato in northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 264, 107493.	5.6	28
61	Nitrogen Fertilization on Uptake of Soil Inorganic Phosphorus Fractions in the Wheat Root Zone. <i>Soil Science Society of America Journal</i> , 2004, 68, 1890-1895.	2.2	26
62	Medium-range forecasting of daily reference evapotranspiration across China using numerical weather prediction outputs downscaled by extreme gradient boosting. <i>Journal of Hydrology</i> , 2021, 601, 126664.	5.4	26
63	Effects of shallow water table on capillary contribution, evapotranspiration, and crop coefficient of maize and winter wheat in a semi-arid region. <i>Australian Journal of Agricultural Research</i> , 2001, 52, 317.	1.5	25
64	Estimation of rainfed maize transpiration under various mulching methods using modified Jarvis-Stewart model and hybrid support vector machine model with whale optimization algorithm. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 249, 106799.	5.6	25
65	Evaluation of cotton N nutrition status based on critical N dilution curve, N uptake and residual under different drip fertigation regimes in Southern Xinjiang of China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 256, 107134.	5.6	24
66	Optimizing irrigation amount and fertilization rate of drip-fertigated spring maize in northwest China based on multi-level fuzzy comprehensive evaluation model. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 257, 107157.	5.6	24
67	Response of yield, yield components and water-nitrogen use efficiency of winter wheat to different drip fertigation regimes in Northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 255, 107034.	5.6	23
68	Spatiotemporal trends of temperature and precipitation extremes across contrasting climatic zones of China during 1956–2015. <i>Theoretical and Applied Climatology</i> , 2019, 138, 1877-1897.	2.8	22
69	Determining water use and crop coefficients of drip-irrigated cotton in south Xinjiang of China under various irrigation amounts. <i>Industrial Crops and Products</i> , 2022, 176, 114376.	5.2	21
70	Coupling effects of irrigation amount and nitrogen fertilizer type on grain yield, water productivity and nitrogen use efficiency of drip-irrigated maize. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 261, 107389.	5.6	21
71	Ridge-furrow plastic film mulching enhances grain yield and yield stability of rainfed maize by improving resources capture and use efficiency in a semi-humid drought-prone region. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 269, 107654.	5.6	21
72	Estimating Temperature Effects on Water Flow in Variably Saturated Soils using Activation Energy. <i>Soil Science Society of America Journal</i> , 2003, 67, 1327-1333.	2.2	17

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73	Maize leaf functional responses to blending urea and slow-release nitrogen fertilizer under various drip irrigation regimes. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 262, 107396.	5.6	16
74	Interactive effects of plant density and nitrogen rate on grain yield, economic benefit, water productivity and nitrogen use efficiency of drip-fertigated maize in northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 263, 107453.	5.6	16
75	Optimization of drip irrigation and fertilization regimes to enhance winter wheat grain yield by improving post-anthesis dry matter accumulation and translocation in northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 271, 107782.	5.6	16
76	Combined effects of urea type and placement depth on grain yield, water productivity and nitrogen use efficiency of rain-fed spring maize in northern China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 262, 107442.	5.6	15
77	Spatial distribution and variability of soil salinity in film-mulched cotton fields under various drip irrigation regimes in southern Xinjiang of China. <i>Soil and Tillage Research</i> , 2022, 223, 105470.	5.6	15
78	Interactive Effects of Water and Fertilizer on Yield, Soil Water and Nitrate Dynamics of Young Apple Tree in Semiarid Region of Northwest China. <i>Agronomy</i> , 2019, 9, 360.	3.0	13
79	Effect of Irrigation Level and Irrigation Frequency on the Growth of Mini Chinese Cabbage and Residual Soil Nitrate Nitrogen. <i>Sustainability</i> , 2019, 11, 111.	3.2	13
80	Modification of CSM-CROPGRO-Cotton model for simulating cotton growth and yield under various deficit irrigation strategies. <i>Computers and Electronics in Agriculture</i> , 2020, 179, 105843.	7.7	13
81	Optimization of irrigation and nitrogen fertilization increases ash salt accumulation and ions absorption of drip-fertigated sugar beet in saline-alkali soils. <i>Field Crops Research</i> , 2021, 271, 108247.	5.1	13
82	Combined effects of ridge-furrow ratio and urea type on grain yield and water productivity of rainfed winter wheat on the Loess Plateau of China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 261, 107340.	5.6	13
83	Combined application of soluble organic and chemical fertilizers in drip fertigation improves nitrogen use efficiency and enhances tomato yield and quality. <i>Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture</i> , 2020, 100, 5422-5433.	3.5	12
84	Alternate Application of Osmotic and Nitrogen Stresses to Partial Root System: Effects on Root Growth and Nitrogen Use Efficiency. <i>Journal of Plant Nutrition</i> , 2006, 29, 2079-2092.	1.9	11
85	Interactive effects of irrigation frequency and nitrogen addition on growth and water use of <i>Jatropha curcas</i> . <i>Biomass and Bioenergy</i> , 2013, 59, 234-242.	5.7	11
86	Salt Leaching with Brackish Water during Growing Season Improves Cotton Growth and Productivity, Water Use Efficiency and Soil Sustainability in Southern Xinjiang. <i>Water (Switzerland)</i> , 2021, 13, 2602.	2.7	9
87	Sustainable high grain yield, nitrogen use efficiency and water productivity can be achieved in wheat-maize rotation system by changing irrigation and fertilization strategy. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2021, 258, 107177.	5.6	9
88	Source-sink relationship and yield stability of two maize cultivars in response to water and fertilizer inputs in northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 262, 107332.	5.6	9
89	Deep placement of mixed controlled-release and conventional urea improves grain yield, nitrogen use efficiency of rainfed spring maize. <i>Archives of Agronomy and Soil Science</i> , 2020, , 1-11.	2.6	8
90	Response Mechanism of Cotton Growth to Water and Nutrients under Drip Irrigation with Plastic Mulch in Southern Xinjiang. <i>Journal of Sensors</i> , 2020, 2020, 1-16.	1.1	8

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91	Quantifying grain yield, protein, nutrient uptake and utilization of winter wheat under various drip fertigation regimes. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 261, 107380.	5.6	8
92	Quantifying source-sink relationships of drip-fertigated potato under various water and potassium supplies. <i>Field Crops Research</i> , 2022, 285, 108604.	5.1	8
93	Severity and duration of osmotic stress on partial root system: effects on root hydraulic conductance and root growth. <i>Plant Growth Regulation</i> , 2016, 79, 177-186.	3.4	7
94	The root nitrogen uptake response to partial nitrogen stress is related to previous nutritional status. <i>Plant Growth Regulation</i> , 2019, 87, 55-67.	3.4	7
95	Nitrogen application affects grain yield by altering the soil moisture and nitrate-N of maize/wheat cropping system in dryland areas of northwest China*. <i>Irrigation and Drainage</i> , 2021, 70, 16-26.	1.7	7
96	Effects of nitrogen type on rainfed maize nutrient uptake and grain yield. <i>Agronomy Journal</i> , 2021, 113, 5454-5471.	1.8	7
97	Quantifying nutrient stoichiometry and radiation use efficiency of two maize cultivars under various water and fertilizer management practices in northwest China. <i>Agricultural Water Management</i> , 2022, 271, 107772.	5.6	7
98	Growth, grain yield, water and nitrogen use efficiency of rainfed maize in response to straw mulching and urea blended with slow-release nitrogen fertilizer: A two-year field study. <i>Archives of Agronomy and Soil Science</i> , 2022, 68, 1554-1567.	2.6	6
99	Splitting and Length of Years for Improving Tree-Based Models to Predict Reference Crop Evapotranspiration in the Humid Regions of China. <i>Water (Switzerland)</i> , 2021, 13, 3478.	2.7	5
100	Effects of Soil Water Regulation on the Cotton Yield, Fiber Quality and Soil Salt Accumulation under Mulched Drip Irrigation in Southern Xinjiang, China. <i>Agronomy</i> , 2022, 12, 1246.	3.0	5
101	Optimization of Controlled Water and Nitrogen Fertigation on Greenhouse Culture of <i>Capsicum annum</i> . <i>Scientific World Journal</i> , The, 2018, 2018, 1-11.	2.1	4
102	Synchronizing nitrogen supply and uptake by rainfed maize using mixed urea and slow-release nitrogen fertilizer. <i>Nutrient Cycling in Agroecosystems</i> , 2022, 122, 157-171.	2.2	4
103	Ridge-furrow plastic mulching with a suitable planting density enhances rainwater productivity, grain yield and economic benefit of rainfed maize. <i>Journal of Arid Land</i> , 2019, , 1.	2.3	2