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| # | ARTICLE | IF | CITATIONS |
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| 1 | The worldwide leaf economics spectrum. <i>Nature</i> , 2004, 428, 821-827. | 13.7 | 6,489 |
| 2 | A handbook of protocols for standardised and easy measurement of plant functional traits worldwide. <i>Australian Journal of Botany</i> , 2003, 51, 335. | 0.3 | 3,071 |
| 3 | New handbook for standardised measurement of plant functional traits worldwide. <i>Australian Journal of Botany</i> , 2013, 61, 167. | 0.3 | 2,818 |
| 4 | Causes and consequences of variation in leaf mass per area (LMA): a meta-analysis. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2009, 182, 565-588. | 3.5 | 2,056 |
| 5 | The global spectrum of plant form and function. <i>Nature</i> , 2016, 529, 167-171. | 13.7 | 2,022 |
| 6 | Biomass allocation to leaves, stems and roots: meta-analyses of interspecific variation and environmental control. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2012, 193, 30-50. | 3.5 | 2,012 |
| 7 | TRY – a global database of plant traits. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2011, 17, 2905-2935. | 4.2 | 2,002 |
| 8 | Assessing the generality of global leaf trait relationships. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2005, 166, 485-496. | 3.5 | 1,704 |
| 9 | TRY plant trait database – enhanced coverage and open access. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2020, 26, 119-188. | 4.2 | 1,038 |
| 10 | Inherent Variation in Growth Rate Between Higher Plants: A Search for Physiological Causes and Ecological Consequences. <i>Advances in Ecological Research</i> , 1992, , 187-261. | 1.4 | 956 |
| 11 | Photosynthetic acclimation of plants to growth irradiance: the relative importance of specific leaf area and nitrogen partitioning in maximizing carbon gain. <i>Plant, Cell and Environment</i> , 2001, 24, 755-767. | 2.8 | 945 |
| 12 | Leaf area ratio and net assimilation rate of 24 wild species differing in relative growth rate. <i>Oecologia</i> , 1990, 83, 553-559. | 0.9 | 880 |
| 13 | The effects of phenotypic plasticity and local adaptation on forecasts of species range shifts under climate change. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2014, 17, 1351-1364. | 3.0 | 802 |
| 14 | The role of biomass allocation in the growth response of plants to different levels of light, CO ₂ , nutrients and water: a quantitative review. <i>Functional Plant Biology</i> , 2000, 27, 1191. | 1.1 | 690 |
| 15 | Blue light dose-responses of leaf photosynthesis, morphology, and chemical composition of <i>Cucumis sativus</i> grown under different combinations of red and blue light. <i>Journal of Experimental Botany</i> , 2010, 61, 3107-3117. | 2.4 | 679 |
| 16 | Modulation of leaf economic traits and trait relationships by climate. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2005, 14, 411-421. | 2.7 | 669 |
| 17 | Plant functional traits have globally consistent effects on competition. <i>Nature</i> , 2016, 529, 204-207. | 13.7 | 655 |
| 18 | Interspecific variation in the growth response of plants to an elevated ambient CO ₂ concentration. <i>Plant Ecology</i> , 1993, 104-105, 77-97. | 1.2 | 586 |

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| 19 | Pot size matters: a meta-analysis of the effects of rooting volume on plant growth. <i>Functional Plant Biology</i> , 2012, 39, 839. | 1.1 | 578 |
| 20 | Carbon and Nitrogen Economy of 24 Wild Species Differing in Relative Growth Rate. <i>Plant Physiology</i> , 1990, 94, 621-627. | 2.3 | 540 |
| 21 | Plant growth and competition at elevated CO ₂ : on winners, losers and functional groups. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2003, 157, 175-198. | 3.5 | 522 |
| 22 | Photosynthetic nitrogen-use efficiency of species that differ inherently in specific leaf area. <i>Oecologia</i> , 1998, 116, 26-37. | 0.9 | 476 |
| 23 | Avoiding Bias in Calculations of Relative Growth Rate. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2002, 90, 37-42. | 1.4 | 462 |
| 24 | Plant functional trait change across a warming tundra biome. <i>Nature</i> , 2018, 562, 57-62. | 13.7 | 451 |
| 25 | Physiological and structural tradeoffs underlying the leaf economics spectrum. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2017, 214, 1447-1463. | 3.5 | 412 |
| 26 | The Janus face of ethylene: growth inhibition and stimulation. <i>Trends in Plant Science</i> , 2006, 11, 176-183. | 4.3 | 398 |
| 27 | Pampered inside, pestered outside? Differences and similarities between plants growing in controlled conditions and in the field. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2016, 212, 838-855. | 3.5 | 397 |
| 28 | Specific Leaf Area and Dry Matter Content Estimate Thickness in Laminar Leaves. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2005, 96, 1129-1136. | 1.4 | 374 |
| 29 | A meta-analysis of plant responses to light intensity for 70 traits ranging from molecules to whole plant performance. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2019, 223, 1073-1105. | 3.5 | 307 |
| 30 | A comparison of specific leaf area, chemical composition and leaf construction costs of field plants from 15 habitats differing in productivity. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 1999, 143, 163-176. | 3.5 | 297 |
| 31 | Inherent Variation in Growth Rate Between Higher Plants: A Search for Physiological Causes and Ecological Consequences. <i>Advances in Ecological Research</i> , 2004, , 283-362. | 1.4 | 280 |
| 32 | Root traits as drivers of plant and ecosystem functioning: current understanding, pitfalls and future research needs. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2021, 232, 1123-1158. | 3.5 | 277 |
| 33 | Temperature drives global patterns in forest biomass distribution in leaves, stems, and roots. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2014, 111, 13721-13726. | 3.3 | 249 |
| 34 | How does biomass distribution change with size and differ among species? An analysis for 1200 plant species from five continents. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2015, 208, 736-749. | 3.5 | 239 |
| 35 | The art of growing plants for experimental purposes: a practical guide for the plant biologist. <i>Functional Plant Biology</i> , 2012, 39, 821. | 1.1 | 217 |
| 36 | A starting guide to root ecology: strengthening ecological concepts and standardising root classification, sampling, processing and trait measurements. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2021, 232, 973-1122. | 3.5 | 216 |

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| 37 | The role of biomass allocation in the growth response of plants to different levels of light, CO ₂ , nutrients and water: a quantitative review. <i>Functional Plant Biology</i> , 2000, 27, 595. | 1.1 | 204 |
| 38 | Interspecific variation in the growth response of plants to an elevated ambient CO ₂ concentration. , 1993, , 77-98. | | 204 |
| 39 | Multilevel genomic analysis of the response of transcripts, enzyme activities and metabolites in <i>Arabidopsis</i> rosettes to a progressive decrease of temperature in the non-freezing range. <i>Plant, Cell and Environment</i> , 2008, 31, 518-547. | 2.8 | 191 |
| 40 | The growth response of plants to elevated CO ₂ under non-optimal environmental conditions. <i>Oecologia</i> , 2001, 129, 1-20. | 0.9 | 188 |
| 41 | Respiratory energy requirements of roots vary with the potential growth rate of a plant species. <i>Physiologia Plantarum</i> , 1991, 83, 469-475. | 2.6 | 183 |
| 42 | Construction costs, chemical composition and payback time of high- and low-irradiance leaves. <i>Journal of Experimental Botany</i> , 2006, 57, 355-371. | 2.4 | 181 |
| 43 | Leaf Mass per Area (LMA) and Its Relationship with Leaf Structure and Anatomy in 34 Mediterranean Woody Species along a Water Availability Gradient. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2016, 11, e0148788. | 1.1 | 177 |
| 44 | How do leaf veins influence the worldwide leaf economic spectrum? Review and synthesis. <i>Journal of Experimental Botany</i> , 2013, 64, 4053-4080. | 2.4 | 171 |
| 45 | The Fate of Acquired Carbon in Plants: Chemical Composition and Construction Costs. , 1997, , 39-72. | | 170 |
| 46 | Building a better foundation: improving root trait measurements to understand and model plant and ecosystem processes. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2017, 215, 27-37. | 3.5 | 159 |
| 47 | No evidence for substantial aerobic methane emission by terrestrial plants: a ¹³ C labelling approach. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2007, 175, 29-35. | 3.5 | 158 |
| 48 | An integrated framework of plant form and function: the belowground perspective. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2021, 232, 42-59. | 3.5 | 153 |
| 49 | A method to construct dose-response curves for a wide range of environmental factors and plant traits by means of a meta-analysis of phenotypic data. <i>Journal of Experimental Botany</i> , 2010, 61, 2043-2055. | 2.4 | 151 |
| 50 | Interspecific Variation in the Growth Response of Plants to Elevated CO ₂ : A Search for Functional Types. , 1996, , 375-412. | | 148 |
| 51 | Plant growth analysis: towards a synthesis of the classical and the functional approach. <i>Physiologia Plantarum</i> , 1989, 75, 237-244. | 2.6 | 146 |
| 52 | Carbon gain in a multispecies canopy: the role of specific leaf area and photosynthetic nitrogen-use efficiency in the tragedy of the commons. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 1999, 143, 201-211. | 3.5 | 140 |
| 53 | Testing differences in relative growth rate: A method avoiding curve fitting and pairing. <i>Physiologia Plantarum</i> , 1986, 67, 223-226. | 2.6 | 139 |
| 54 | The anatomical and compositional basis of leaf mass per area. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2017, 20, 412-425. | 3.0 | 139 |

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| 55 | The effect of an elevated atmospheric CO ₂ concentration on growth, photosynthesis and respiration of <i>Plantago major</i> . <i>Physiologia Plantarum</i> , 1988, 73, 553-559. | 2.6 | 135 |
| 56 | Trait correlation networks: a whole-plant perspective on the recently criticized leaf economic spectrum. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2014, 201, 378-382. | 3.5 | 131 |
| 57 | Differences in construction costs and chemical composition between deciduous and evergreen woody species are small as compared to differences among families. <i>Plant, Cell and Environment</i> , 2006, 29, 1629-1643. | 2.8 | 117 |
| 58 | Towards a thesaurus of plant characteristics: an ecological contribution. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2017, 105, 298-309. | 1.9 | 114 |
| 59 | Pitfalls and Possibilities in the Analysis of Biomass Allocation Patterns in Plants. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2012, 3, 259. | 1.7 | 113 |
| 60 | Measures for interoperability of phenotypic data: minimum information requirements and formatting. <i>Plant Methods</i> , 2016, 12, 44. | 1.9 | 109 |
| 61 | Phenotyping plants: genes, phenes and machines. <i>Functional Plant Biology</i> , 2012, 39, 813. | 1.1 | 106 |
| 62 | Interactive effects of water table and precipitation on net CO ₂ assimilation of three co-occurring <i>Sphagnum</i> mosses differing in distribution above the water table. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2009, 15, 680-691. | 4.2 | 104 |
| 63 | Do slow-growing species and nutrient-stressed plants respond relatively strongly to elevated CO ₂ ? <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 1998, 4, 693-697. | 4.2 | 101 |
| 64 | Exploring variation in leaf mass per area (LMA) from leaf to cell: An anatomical analysis of 26 woody species. <i>American Journal of Botany</i> , 2013, 100, 1969-1980. | 0.8 | 96 |
| 65 | Ecological Significance of Inherent Variation in Relative Growth Rate and Its Components. , 2007, , 67-100. | | 96 |
| 66 | Global root traits (GRooT) database. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2021, 30, 25-37. | 2.7 | 90 |
| 67 | Growth and carbon economy of a fast-growing and a slow-growing grass species as dependent on ontogeny. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 1992, 120, 159-166. | 3.5 | 88 |
| 68 | Growth and carbon economy of a fast-growing and a slow-growing grass species as dependent on nitrate supply. <i>Plant and Soil</i> , 1995, 171, 217-227. | 1.8 | 84 |
| 69 | Connecting the Green and Brown Worlds. <i>Advances in Ecological Research</i> , 2013, 49, 69-175. | 1.4 | 84 |
| 70 | Enabling reusability of plant phenomic datasets with MIAPPE 1.1. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2020, 227, 260-273. | 3.5 | 84 |
| 71 | Plant growth analysis: an evaluation of experimental design and computational methods. <i>Journal of Experimental Botany</i> , 1996, 47, 1343-1351. | 2.4 | 83 |
| 72 | Physiological mechanisms in plant growth models: do we need a supra-cellular systems biology approach?. <i>Plant, Cell and Environment</i> , 2013, 36, 1673-1690. | 2.8 | 79 |

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| 73 | Ethylene Insensitivity Does Not Increase Leaf Area or Relative Growth Rate in <i>Arabidopsis</i> , <i>Nicotiana tabacum</i> , and <i>Petunia x hybrida</i> . <i>Plant Physiology</i> , 2004, 134, 1803-1812. | 2.3 | 70 |
| 74 | Ethylene Insensitivity Results in Down-Regulation of Rubisco Expression and Photosynthetic Capacity in Tobacco. <i>Plant Physiology</i> , 2007, 144, 1305-1315. | 2.3 | 70 |
| 75 | Differences in relative growth rate in 11 grasses correlate with differences in chemical composition as determined by pyrolysis mass spectrometry. <i>Oecologia</i> , 1992, 89, 567-573. | 0.9 | 68 |
| 76 | Dividing the pie: A quantitative review on plant density responses. <i>Plant, Cell and Environment</i> , 2021, 44, 1072-1094. | 2.8 | 67 |
| 77 | The limits to leaf and root plasticity: what is so special about specific root length?. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2015, 206, 1188-1190. | 3.5 | 64 |
| 78 | Energizing marginal soils – The establishment of the energy crop <i>Sida hermaphrodita</i> as dependent on digestate fertilization, NPK, and legume intercropping. <i>Biomass and Bioenergy</i> , 2016, 87, 9-16. | 2.9 | 64 |
| 79 | Root traits explain plant species distributions along climatic gradients yet challenge the nature of ecological trade-offs. <i>Nature Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2021, 5, 1123-1134. | 3.4 | 62 |
| 80 | Morphological Plant Modeling: Unleashing Geometric and Topological Potential within the Plant Sciences. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2017, 8, 900. | 1.7 | 61 |
| 81 | A meta-analysis of responses of C ₃ plants to atmospheric CO ₂ : dose-response curves for 85 traits ranging from the molecular to the whole-plant level. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2022, 233, 1560-1596. | 3.5 | 55 |
| 82 | Endogenous Abscisic Acid as a Key Switch for Natural Variation in Flooding-Induced Shoot Elongation. <i>Plant Physiology</i> , 2010, 154, 969-977. | 2.3 | 50 |
| 83 | Plasticity as a plastic response: how submergence-induced leaf elongation in <i>Rumex palustris</i> depends on light and nutrient availability in its early life stage. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2012, 194, 572-582. | 3.5 | 50 |
| 84 | Computational aspects underlying genome to phenome analysis in plants. <i>Plant Journal</i> , 2019, 97, 182-198. | 2.8 | 50 |
| 85 | Corrections for rooting volume and plant size reveal negative effects of neighbour presence on root allocation in pea. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2015, 29, 1383-1391. | 1.7 | 48 |
| 86 | Resource limitation, tolerance, and the future of ecological plant classification. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2012, 3, 246. | 1.7 | 45 |
| 87 | Growth and competitive ability of a highly plastic and a marginally plastic genotype of <i>Plantago major</i> in a fluctuating environment. <i>Physiologia Plantarum</i> , 1986, 67, 217-222. | 2.6 | 44 |
| 88 | Global patterns of biomass allocation in woody species with different tolerances of shade and drought: evidence for multiple strategies. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2021, 229, 308-322. | 3.5 | 43 |
| 89 | A genetic analysis of relative growth rate and underlying components in <i>Hordeum spontaneum</i> . <i>Oecologia</i> , 2005, 142, 360-377. | 0.9 | 42 |
| 90 | Xeml Lab: a tool that supports the design of experiments at a graphical interface and generates computer-readable metadata files, which capture information about genotypes, growth conditions, environmental perturbations and sampling strategy. <i>Plant, Cell and Environment</i> , 2009, 32, 1185-1200. | 2.8 | 42 |

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| 91 | Effects of digestate fertilization on <i>Sida hermaphrodita</i> : Boosting biomass yields on marginal soils by increasing soil fertility. <i>Biomass and Bioenergy</i> , 2017, 107, 207-213. | 2.9 | 41 |
| 92 | Growth characteristics in <i>Hordeum spontaneum</i> populations from different habitats. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2000, 146, 471-481. | 3.5 | 37 |
| 93 | The Importance of Being First: Exploring Priority and Diversity Effects in a Grassland Field Experiment. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2016, 7, 2008. | 1.7 | 37 |
| 94 | Is Interspecific Variation in Relative Growth Rate Positively Correlated with Biomass Allocation to the Leaves?. <i>American Naturalist</i> , 1991, 138, 1264-1268. | 1.0 | 36 |
| 95 | Fame, glory and neglect in meta-analyses. <i>Trends in Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2011, 26, 493-494. | 4.2 | 36 |
| 96 | Intraspecific variation in the magnitude and pattern of flooding-induced shoot elongation in <i>Rumex palustris</i> . <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2009, 104, 1057-1067. | 1.4 | 33 |
| 97 | The effect of irradiance on the carbon balance and tissue characteristics of five herbaceous species differing in shade-tolerance. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2014, 5, 12. | 1.7 | 30 |
| 98 | Photosynthesis: ancient, essential, complex, diverse and in need of improvement in a changing world. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2017, 213, 43-47. | 3.5 | 30 |
| 99 | Root traits of herbaceous crops: Pre-adaptation to cultivation or evolution under domestication?. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2019, 33, 273-285. | 1.7 | 29 |
| 100 | The role of ethylene perception in the control of photosynthesis. <i>Plant Signaling and Behavior</i> , 2008, 3, 108-109. | 1.2 | 27 |
| 101 | Leaf mass per area is independent of vein length per area: avoiding pitfalls when modelling phenotypic integration (reply to Blonder et al. 2014). <i>Journal of Experimental Botany</i> , 2014, 65, 5115-5123. | 2.4 | 26 |
| 102 | Interactive effects of growth-limiting N supply and elevated atmospheric CO ₂ concentration on growth and carbon balance of <i>Plantago major</i> . <i>Physiologia Plantarum</i> , 1998, 103, 451-460. | 2.6 | 22 |
| 103 | How are nitrogen availability, fine-root mass, and nitrogen uptake related empirically? Implications for models and theory. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2019, 25, 885-899. | 4.2 | 22 |
| 104 | A reporting format for leaf-level gas exchange data and metadata. <i>Ecological Informatics</i> , 2021, 61, 101232. | 2.3 | 22 |
| 105 | Using log-log scaling slope analysis for determining the contributions to variability in biological variables such as leaf mass per area: why it works, when it works and how it can be extended. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2011, 190, 5-8. | 3.5 | 21 |
| 106 | Variation in biomass expansion factors for China's forests in relation to forest type, climate, and stand development. <i>Annals of Forest Science</i> , 2013, 70, 589-599. | 0.8 | 21 |
| 107 | Differential chemical allocation and plant adaptation: A Py-MS Study of 24 species differing in relative growth rate. <i>Plant and Soil</i> , 1995, 175, 275-289. | 1.8 | 19 |
| 108 | Coming Late for Dinner: Localized Digestate Depot Fertilization for Extensive Cultivation of Marginal Soil With <i>Sida hermaphrodita</i> . <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2018, 9, 1095. | 1.7 | 19 |

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| 109 | Growth and root nodule nitrogenase activity of <i>Pisum sativum</i> as influenced by transpiration. <i>Physiologia Plantarum</i> , 1984, 61, 637-642. | 2.6 | 16 |
| 110 | Association of Shoot and Root Responses to Water Deficit in Young Faba Bean (<i>Vicia faba</i> L.) Plants. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2019, 10, 1063. | 1.7 | 15 |
| 111 | How Does Water Availability Affect the Allocation to Bark in a Mediterranean Conifer?. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2019, 10, 607. | 1.7 | 14 |
| 112 | The analysis of plant root responses to nutrient concentration, soil volume and neighbour presence: Different statistical approaches reflect different underlying basic questions. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2020, 34, 2210-2217. | 1.7 | 12 |
| 113 | Leaf nitrogen productivity is the major factor behind the growth reduction induced by long-term salt stress. <i>Tree Physiology</i> , 2011, 31, 92-101. | 1.4 | 11 |
| 114 | Carbon balance of the oldest and most shaded leaves in a vegetation: a litmus test for canopy models. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2009, 183, 1-3. | 3.5 | 10 |
| 115 | Growth and Growth-Related Traits for a Range of <i>Quercus</i> Species Grown as Seedlings Under Controlled Conditions and for Adult Plants from the Field. <i>Tree Physiology</i> , 2017, , 393-417. | 0.9 | 9 |
| 116 | Applying the economic concept of profitability to leaves. <i>Scientific Reports</i> , 2021, 11, 49. | 1.6 | 7 |
| 117 | Ecological Significance of Inherent Variation in Relative Growth Rate and Its Components. <i>Books in Soils, Plants, and the Environment</i> , 2007, , . | 0.1 | 3 |
| 118 | The effects of nutrient fertilization on growth, biomass allocation, and anatomy of maize plants. <i>Journal of Biological Education</i> , 1996, 30, 67-72. | 0.8 | 1 |
| 119 | Ethylene and Plant Growth. , 2006, , 35-49. | | 1 |
| 120 | MetaPhenomics: quantifying the many ways plants respond to their abiotic environment, using light intensity as an example. <i>Plant and Soil</i> , 2022, 476, 421-454. | 1.8 | 1 |