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1	Improving intercropping: a synthesis of research in agronomy, plant physiology and ecology. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2015, 206, 107-117.	7.3	805
2	Managing soil fertility in organic farming systems. <i>Soil Use and Management</i> , 2002, 18, 239-247.	4.9	324
3	The potential role of arbuscular mycorrhizal (AM) fungi in the bioprotection of plants against soil-borne pathogens in organic and/or other sustainable farming systems. <i>Pest Management Science</i> , 2004, 60, 149-157.	3.4	266
4	Controls on soil nitrogen cycling and microbial community composition across land use and incubation temperature. <i>Soil Biology and Biochemistry</i> , 2007, 39, 744-756.	8.8	253
5	Agronomic and environmental implications of organic farming systems. <i>Advances in Agronomy</i> , 2001, 70, 261-327.	5.2	247
6	The Role of Uncomposted Materials, Composts, Manures, and Compost Extracts in Reducing Pest and Disease Incidence and Severity in Sustainable Temperate Agricultural and Horticultural Crop Production—A Review. <i>Critical Reviews in Plant Sciences</i> , 2004, 23, 453-479.	5.7	213
7	The role of plants and land management in sequestering soil carbon in temperate arable and grassland ecosystems. <i>Geoderma</i> , 2005, 128, 130-154.	5.1	187
8	Grain Legume Production and Use in European Agricultural Systems. <i>Advances in Agronomy</i> , 2017, , 235-303.	5.2	176
9	The role of crop rotations in determining soil structure and crop growth conditions. <i>Canadian Journal of Soil Science</i> , 2005, 85, 557-577.	1.2	168
10	Risks and opportunities of increasing yields in organic farming. A review. <i>Agronomy for Sustainable Development</i> , 2018, 38, 1.	5.3	149
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12	A review of farm-scale nutrient budgets for organic farms as a tool for management of soil fertility. <i>Soil Use and Management</i> , 2002, 18, 264-273.	4.9	134
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14	Models of biological nitrogen fixation of legumes. A review. <i>Agronomy for Sustainable Development</i> , 2011, 31, 155-172.	5.3	129
15	The fate of nitrogen from incorporated cover crop and green manure residues. <i>Nutrient Cycling in Agroecosystems</i> , 2000, 56, 153-163.	2.2	125
16	A cropping system assessment framework—Evaluating effects of introducing legumes into crop rotations. <i>European Journal of Agronomy</i> , 2016, 76, 186-197.	4.1	123
17	Influences of Root Diameter, Tree Age, Soil Depth and Season on Fine Root Survivorship in <i>Prunus avium</i> . <i>Plant and Soil</i> , 2005, 276, 15-22.	3.7	119
18	Trade-Offs between Economic and Environmental Impacts of Introducing Legumes into Cropping Systems. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2016, 7, 669.	3.6	111

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20	Nitrous oxide emissions from European agriculture – an analysis of variability and drivers of emissions from field experiments. Biogeosciences, 2013, 10, 2671-2682.	3.3	108
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37	Seasonal nitrous oxide emissions from field soils under reduced tillage, compost application or organic farming. <i>Agriculture, Ecosystems and Environment</i> , 2014, 189, 171-180.	5.3	41
38	Polysaccharides and monosaccharides in the hyphosphere of the arbuscular mycorrhizal fungi <i>Glomus E3</i> and <i>Glomus tenue</i> . <i>Soil Biology and Biochemistry</i> , 2007, 39, 680-683.	8.8	40
39	Nitrous oxide emissions, cereal growth, N recovery and soil nitrogen status after ploughing organically managed grass/clover swards. <i>Soil Use and Management</i> , 2007, 23, 145-155.	4.9	37
40	Influence of organic ley arable management and afforestation in sandy loam to clay loam soils on fluxes of N ₂ O and CH ₄ in Scotland. <i>Agriculture, Ecosystems and Environment</i> , 2002, 90, 305-317.	5.3	36
41	Farmer perceptions of legumes and their functions in smallholder farming systems in east Africa. <i>International Journal of Agricultural Sustainability</i> , 2019, 17, 205-218.	3.5	35
42	A framework of connections between soil and people can help improve sustainability of the food system and soil functions. <i>Ambio</i> , 2018, 47, 269-283.	5.5	34
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44	Biological indicators of soil quality in organic farming systems. <i>Renewable Agriculture and Food Systems</i> , 2009, 24, 308-318.	1.8	33
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46	Re-designing organic grain legume cropping systems using systems agronomy. <i>European Journal of Agronomy</i> , 2020, 112, 125951.	4.1	32
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49	The influence of arbuscular mycorrhizal colonization and environment on root development in soil. <i>European Journal of Soil Science</i> , 2003, 54, 751-757.	3.9	30
50	Micronutrient concentrations in common and novel forage species and varieties grown on two contrasting soils. <i>Grass and Forage Science</i> , 2013, 68, 427-436.	2.9	29
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52	Prospects, advantages and limitations of future crop production systems dependent upon the management of soil processes. <i>Annals of Applied Biology</i> , 2005, 146, 203-215.	2.5	26
53	Changes in soil C and N stocks and C:N stoichiometry 21 years after land use change on an arable mineral topsoil. <i>Geoderma</i> , 2017, 303, 19-26.	5.1	26
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56	Soil physical fertility, soil structure and rooting conditions after ploughing organically managed grass/clover swards. <i>Soil Use and Management</i> , 2007, 23, 20-27.	4.9	24
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60	Root development in the Mediterranean shrub <i>Pistacia lentiscus</i> as affected by nursery treatments. <i>Journal of Arid Environments</i> , 2005, 61, 1-12.	2.4	19
61	Supporting wild pollinators in agricultural landscapes through targeted legume mixtures. <i>Agriculture, Ecosystems and Environment</i> , 2022, 323, 107648.	5.3	19
62	Revisiting herbage sample collection and preparation procedures to minimise risks of trace element contamination. <i>European Journal of Agronomy</i> , 2012, 43, 33-39.	4.1	18
63	N, P and K on organic farms: herbage and cereal production, purchases and sales. <i>Journal of Agricultural Science</i> , 1993, 120, 353-360.	1.3	17
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71	Disease suppressive soils vary in resilience to stress. <i>Applied Soil Ecology</i> , 2020, 149, 103482.	4.3	13
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73	Micronutrient concentrations in relation to phenological development of red clover (<i>Trifolium pratense</i> L.), perennial ryegrass (<i>Lolium perenne</i> L.) Tj ETQq1 1 0.784314 rgBT/Overlock Forage Science, 2014, 69, 276-284.	2.9	12
74	Socio-ecological factors determine crop performance in agricultural systems. Scientific Reports, 2020, 10, 4232.	3.3	12
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85	The environmental impact of intensive systems of animal production in the lowlands. Animal Science, 1996, 63, 353-361.	1.3	5
86	Measuring household legume cultivation intensity in sub-Saharan Africa. International Journal of Agricultural Sustainability, 2021, 19, 319-334.	3.5	5
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92	Investigating the Use of Silage Effluent to Improve Available Phosphorus from Gafsa Phosphate Rock. Communications in Soil Science and Plant Analysis, 2014, 45, 332-346.	1.4	1
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