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| 183 papers | 21,357 citations | 76 h-index | 145 g-index |
| 194 ext. papers | 25,478 ext. citations | 6.8 avg, IF | 6.69 L-index |

| # | Paper | IF | Citations |
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| 183 | The number of tree species on Earth.. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2022 , 119, | 11.5 | 6 |
| 182 | Aboveground forest biomass varies across continents, ecological zones and successional stages: refined IPCC default values for tropical and subtropical forests. <i>Environmental Research Letters</i> , 2022 , 17, 014047 | 6.2 | 5 |
| 181 | Small and slow is safe: On the drought tolerance of tropical tree species.. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2022 , | 11.4 | 3 |
| 180 | Stem Trait Spectra Underpin Multiple Functions of Temperate Tree Species.. <i>Frontiers in Plant Science</i> , 2022 , 13, 769551 | 6.2 | 0 |
| 179 | Temperature and soils predict the distribution of plant species along the Himalayan elevational gradient. <i>Journal of Tropical Ecology</i> , 2022 , 38, 58-70 | 1.3 | 0 |
| 178 | Multidimensional tropical forest recovery. <i>Science</i> , 2021 , 374, 1370-1376 | 33.3 | 23 |
| 177 | Functional recovery of secondary tropical forests. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2021 , 118, | 11.5 | 4 |
| 176 | Dead wood diversity promotes fungal diversity. <i>Oikos</i> , 2021 , 130, 2202 | 4 | 4 |
| 175 | Pit and tracheid anatomy explain the hydraulic safety- but not the hydraulic efficiency of 28 conifer species. <i>Journal of Experimental Botany</i> , 2021 , | 7 | 1 |
| 174 | Lianas have more acquisitive traits than trees in a dry but not in a wet forest. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2021 , 109, 2367-2384 | 6 | 4 |
| 173 | Traits, strategies, and niches of liana species in a tropical seasonal rainforest. <i>Oecologia</i> , 2021 , 196, 499-514 | 5.4 | 1 |
| 172 | Forest structure drives changes in light heterogeneity during tropical secondary forest succession. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2021 , 109, 2871-2884 | 6 | 9 |
| 171 | Growth of 19 conifer species is highly sensitive to winter warming, spring frost and summer drought. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2021 , 128, 545-557 | 4.1 | 0 |
| 170 | Above- and Below-ground Cascading Effects of Wild Ungulates in Temperate Forests. <i>Ecosystems</i> , 2021 , 24, 153-167 | 3.9 | 7 |
| 169 | Pantropical variability in tree crown allometry. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2021 , 30, 459-475 | 6.1 | 6 |
| 168 | Edaphic characteristics drive functional traits distribution in Amazonian floodplain forests. <i>Plant Ecology</i> , 2021 , 222, 349-360 | 1.7 | 3 |
| 167 | Temperate forests respond in a non-linear way to a population gradient of wild deer. <i>Forestry</i> , 2021 , 94, 502-511 | 2.2 | 3 |

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| 166 | Taking the pulse of Earth's tropical forests using networks of highly distributed plots. <i>Biological Conservation</i> , 2021 , 260, 108849 | 6.2 | 15 |
| 165 | Long-term thermal sensitivity of Earth's tropical forests. <i>Science</i> , 2020 , 368, 869-874 | 33.3 | 92 |
| 164 | Methodology matters for comparing coarse wood and bark decay rates across tree species. <i>Methods in Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2020 , 11, 828-838 | 7.7 | 4 |
| 163 | Assessing the reliability of predicted plant trait distributions at the global scale. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2020 , 29, 1034-1051 | 6.1 | 11 |
| 162 | Competition influences tree growth, but not mortality, across environmental gradients in Amazonia and tropical Africa. <i>Ecology</i> , 2020 , 101, e03052 | 4.6 | 24 |
| 161 | The global abundance of tree palms. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2020 , 29, 1495-1514 | 6.1 | 21 |
| 160 | Liana species decline in Congo basin contrasts with global patterns. <i>Ecology</i> , 2020 , 101, e03004 | 4.6 | 11 |
| 159 | Fauna Community Convergence During Decomposition of Deadwood Across Tree Species and Forests. <i>Ecosystems</i> , 2020 , 24, 926 | 3.9 | 4 |
| 158 | Tree mode of death and mortality risk factors across Amazon forests. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2020 , 11, 5515 | 17.4 | 24 |
| 157 | Scaling relationships among functional traits are similar across individuals, species, and communities. <i>Journal of Vegetation Science</i> , 2020 , 31, 571-580 | 3.1 | 3 |
| 156 | Amazonian rainforest tree mortality driven by climate and functional traits. <i>Nature Climate Change</i> , 2019 , 9, 384-388 | 21.4 | 84 |
| 155 | Wet and dry tropical forests show opposite successional pathways in wood density but converge over time. <i>Nature Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2019 , 3, 928-934 | 12.3 | 70 |
| 154 | A 7000-year history of changing plant trait composition in an Amazonian landscape; the role of humans and climate. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2019 , 22, 925-935 | 10 | 17 |
| 153 | Biodiversity recovery of Neotropical secondary forests. <i>Science Advances</i> , 2019 , 5, eaau3114 | 14.3 | 161 |
| 152 | Cattle affect regeneration of the palm species <i>Attalea princeps</i> in a Bolivian forest-savanna mosaic. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2019 , 51, 28-38 | 2.3 | 11 |
| 151 | The hydraulic efficiency-safety trade-off differs between lianas and trees. <i>Ecology</i> , 2019 , 100, e02666 | 4.6 | 23 |
| 150 | Trait divergence and habitat specialization in tropical floodplain forests trees. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2019 , 14, e0213232 | 3.7 | 14 |
| 149 | Estimating aboveground net biomass change for tropical and subtropical forests: Refinement of IPCC default rates using forest plot data. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2019 , 25, 3609-3624 | 11.4 | 44 |

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| 148 | Evolutionary diversity is associated with wood productivity in Amazonian forests. <i>Nature Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2019 , 3, 1754-1761 | 12.3 | 17 |
| 147 | Compositional response of Amazon forests to climate change. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2019 , 25, 39-56 | 11.4 | 158 |
| 146 | Embolism resistance drives the distribution of Amazonian rainforest tree species along hydro-topographic gradients. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2019 , 221, 1457-1465 | 9.8 | 62 |
| 145 | Long-term effects of wild ungulates on the structure, composition and succession of temperate forests. <i>Forest Ecology and Management</i> , 2019 , 432, 478-488 | 3.9 | 25 |
| 144 | Is there a tree economics spectrum of decomposability?. <i>Soil Biology and Biochemistry</i> , 2018 , 119, 135-142 | 7.5 | 14 |
| 143 | Disturbance intensity is a stronger driver of biomass recovery than remaining tree-community attributes in a managed Amazonian forest. <i>Journal of Applied Ecology</i> , 2018 , 55, 1647-1657 | 5.8 | 23 |
| 142 | Phylogenetic classification of the world's tropical forests. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2018 , 115, 1837-1842 | 11.5 | 107 |
| 141 | Relationships between leaf mass per area and nutrient concentrations in 98 Mediterranean woody species are determined by phylogeny, habitat and leaf habit. <i>Trees - Structure and Function</i> , 2018 , 32, 497-510 | 2.6 | 21 |
| 140 | Soil fertility and species traits, but not diversity, drive productivity and biomass stocks in a Guyanese tropical rainforest. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2018 , 32, 461-474 | 5.6 | 57 |
| 139 | Rainfall seasonality and drought performance shape the distribution of tropical tree species in Ghana. <i>Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2018 , 8, 8582-8597 | 2.8 | 11 |
| 138 | Legume abundance along successional and rainfall gradients in Neotropical forests. <i>Nature Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2018 , 2, 1104-1111 | 12.3 | 71 |
| 137 | Near-infrared spectrometry allows fast and extensive predictions of functional traits from dry leaves and branches 2018 , 28, 1157-1167 | | 8 |
| 136 | Effects of wild ungulates on the regeneration, structure and functioning of temperate forests: A semi-quantitative review. <i>Forest Ecology and Management</i> , 2018 , 424, 406-419 | 3.9 | 64 |
| 135 | Can traits predict individual growth performance? A test in a hyperdiverse tropical forest. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2018 , 219, 109-121 | 9.8 | 57 |
| 134 | Carbon uptake by mature Amazon forests has mitigated Amazon nations' carbon emissions. <i>Carbon Balance and Management</i> , 2017 , 12, 1 | 3.6 | 56 |
| 133 | Abiotic and biotic drivers of biomass change in a Neotropical forest. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2017 , 105, 1223-1234 | 6.23 | 80 |
| 132 | Biodiversity in species, traits, and structure determines carbon stocks and uptake in tropical forests. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2017 , 49, 593-603 | 2.3 | 32 |
| 131 | The integration of empirical, remote sensing and modelling approaches enhances insight in the role of biodiversity in climate change mitigation by tropical forests. <i>Current Opinion in Environmental Sustainability</i> , 2017 , 26-27, 69-76 | 7.2 | 9 |

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| 130 | Unleached Prosopis litter inhibits germination but leached stimulates seedling growth of dry woodland species. <i>Journal of Arid Environments</i> , 2017 , 138, 44-50 | 2.5 | 8 |
| 129 | Demographic drivers of functional composition dynamics. <i>Ecology</i> , 2017 , 98, 2743-2750 | 4.6 | 18 |
| 128 | Biodiversity and climate determine the functioning of Neotropical forests. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2017 , 26, 1423-1434 | 6.1 | 110 |
| 127 | Allometric equations for integrating remote sensing imagery into forest monitoring programmes. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2017 , 23, 177-190 | 11.4 | 160 |
| 126 | Resilience of Amazon forests emerges from plant trait diversity. <i>Nature Climate Change</i> , 2016 , 6, 1032-1036 | 10.4 | 142 |
| 125 | The importance of biodiversity and dominance for multiple ecosystem functions in a human-modified tropical landscape. <i>Ecology</i> , 2016 , 97, 2772-2779 | 4.6 | 93 |
| 124 | Carbon sequestration potential of second-growth forest regeneration in the Latin American tropics. <i>Science Advances</i> , 2016 , 2, e1501639 | 14.3 | 289 |
| 123 | Land-use intensification effects on functional properties in tropical plant communities. <i>Ecological Applications</i> , 2016 , 26, 174-89 | 4.9 | 28 |
| 122 | Variation in stem mortality rates determines patterns of above-ground biomass in Amazonian forests: implications for dynamic global vegetation models. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2016 , 22, 3996-4013 | 11.4 | 99 |
| 121 | Testing for functional convergence of temperate rainforest tree assemblages in Chile and New Zealand. <i>New Zealand Journal of Botany</i> , 2016 , 54, 175-203 | 1 | 8 |
| 120 | Old-growth Neotropical forests are shifting in species and trait composition. <i>Ecological Monographs</i> , 2016 , 86, 228-243 | 9 | 49 |
| 119 | Biomass resilience of Neotropical secondary forests. <i>Nature</i> , 2016 , 530, 211-4 | 50.4 | 557 |
| 118 | Plant functional traits have globally consistent effects on competition. <i>Nature</i> , 2016 , 529, 204-7 | 50.4 | 453 |
| 117 | Improved representation of plant functional types and physiology in the Joint UK Land Environment Simulator (JULES v4.2) using plant trait information 2016 , | | 2 |
| 116 | Improved representation of plant functional types and physiology in the Joint UK Land Environment Simulator (JULES v4.2) using plant trait information. <i>Geoscientific Model Development</i> , 2016 , 9, 2415-2440 | 6.3 | 79 |
| 115 | Conservative species drive biomass productivity in tropical dry forests. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2016 , 104, 817-827 | 6 | 123 |
| 114 | Faunal community consequence of interspecific bark trait dissimilarity in early-stage decomposing logs. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2016 , 30, 1957-1966 | 5.6 | 18 |
| 113 | Evolutionary heritage influences Amazon tree ecology. <i>Proceedings of the Royal Society B: Biological Sciences</i> , 2016 , 283, | 4.4 | 29 |

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| 112 | Functional traits shape size-dependent growth and mortality rates of dry forest tree species. <i>Journal of Plant Ecology</i> , 2016 , rtw103 | 1.7 | 4 |
| 111 | Nutrient resorption is associated with leaf vein density and growth performance of dipterocarp tree species. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2015 , 103, 541-549 | 6 | 28 |
| 110 | Effects of Amazonian Dark Earths on growth and leaf nutrient balance of tropical tree seedlings. <i>Plant and Soil</i> , 2015 , 396, 241-255 | 4.2 | 6 |
| 109 | Hyperdominance in Amazonian forest carbon cycling. <i>Nature Communications</i> , 2015 , 6, 6857 | 17.4 | 157 |
| 108 | Long-term decline of the Amazon carbon sink. <i>Nature</i> , 2015 , 519, 344-8 | 50.4 | 583 |
| 107 | BAAD: a Biomass And Allometry Database for woody plants. <i>Ecology</i> , 2015 , 96, 1445-1445 | 4.6 | 89 |
| 106 | The potential of secondary forests. <i>Science</i> , 2015 , 348, 642-3 | 33.3 | 31 |
| 105 | Globally, functional traits are weak predictors of juvenile tree growth, and we do not know why. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2015 , 103, 978-989 | 6 | 99 |
| 104 | Does functional trait diversity predict above-ground biomass and productivity of tropical forests? Testing three alternative hypotheses. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2015 , 103, 191-201 | 6 | 194 |
| 103 | Biomass is the main driver of changes in ecosystem process rates during tropical forest succession. <i>Ecology</i> , 2015 , 96, 1242-52 | 4.6 | 139 |
| 102 | Structure and composition of the liana assemblage of a mixed rain forest in the Congo Basin. <i>Plant Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2015 , 148, 29-42 | 1.6 | 7 |
| 101 | Diversity enhances carbon storage in tropical forests. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2015 , 24, 1314-1328 | 24.5 | |
| 100 | The effects of drought and shade on the performance, morphology and physiology of Ghanaian tree species. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2015 , 10, e0121004 | 3.7 | 19 |
| 99 | Land-use intensification effects on functional properties in tropical plant communities 2015 , 150521083605001 | | |
| 98 | An estimate of the number of tropical tree species. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2015 , 112, 7472-7 | 11.5 | 258 |
| 97 | Amazonian Dark Earth Shapes the Understory Plant Community in a Bolivian Forest. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2015 , 47, 152-161 | 2.3 | 14 |
| 96 | Leaf and stem economics spectra drive diversity of functional plant traits in a dynamic global vegetation model. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2015 , 21, 2711-2725 | 11.4 | 111 |
| 95 | Global variability in leaf respiration in relation to climate, plant functional types and leaf traits. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2015 , 206, 614-36 | 9.8 | 244 |

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| 94 | Changing drivers of species dominance during tropical forest succession. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2014 , 28, 1052-1058 | 5.6 | 84 |
| 93 | Relative growth rate variation of evergreen and deciduous savanna tree species is driven by different traits. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2014 , 114, 315-24 | 4.1 | 30 |
| 92 | Sapling performance along resource gradients drives tree species distributions within and across tropical forests. <i>Ecology</i> , 2014 , 95, 2514-2525 | 4.6 | 46 |
| 91 | Linking size-dependent growth and mortality with architectural traits across 145 co-occurring tropical tree species. <i>Ecology</i> , 2014 , 95, 353-63 | 4.6 | 68 |
| 90 | Monodominance of <i>Parashorea chinensis</i> on fertile soils in a Chinese tropical rain forest. <i>Journal of Tropical Ecology</i> , 2014 , 30, 311-322 | 1.3 | 10 |
| 89 | Functional trait strategies of trees in dry and wet tropical forests are similar but differ in their consequences for succession. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2014 , 10, e0123741 | 3.7 | 69 |
| 88 | Rainfall and temperature affect tree species distribution in Ghana. <i>Journal of Tropical Ecology</i> , 2014 , 30, 435-446 | 1.3 | 27 |
| 87 | Leaf vein length per unit area is not intrinsically dependent on image magnification: avoiding measurement artifacts for accuracy and precision. <i>Plant Physiology</i> , 2014 , 166, 829-38 | 6.6 | 35 |
| 86 | Markedly divergent estimates of Amazon forest carbon density from ground plots and satellites. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2014 , 23, 935-946 | 6.1 | 205 |
| 85 | Bark traits and life-history strategies of tropical dry- and moist forest trees. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2014 , 28, 232-242 | 5.6 | 46 |
| 84 | Functional traits predict drought performance and distribution of Mediterranean woody species. <i>Acta Oecologica</i> , 2014 , 56, 10-18 | 1.7 | 60 |
| 83 | Large trees drive forest aboveground biomass variation in moist lowland forests across the tropics. <i>Global Ecology and Biogeography</i> , 2013 , 22, 1261-1271 | 6.1 | 280 |
| 82 | Are functional traits good predictors of species performance in restoration plantings in tropical abandoned pastures?. <i>Forest Ecology and Management</i> , 2013 , 303, 35-45 | 3.9 | 91 |
| 81 | Successional changes in functional composition contrast for dry and wet tropical forest. <i>Ecology</i> , 2013 , 94, 1211-6 | 4.6 | 180 |
| 80 | Ecological impact of <i>Prosopis</i> species invasion in Turkwel riverine forest, Kenya. <i>Journal of Arid Environments</i> , 2013 , 92, 89-97 | 2.5 | 27 |
| 79 | Are lianas more drought-tolerant than trees? A test for the role of hydraulic architecture and other stem and leaf traits. <i>Oecologia</i> , 2013 , 172, 961-72 | 2.9 | 41 |
| 78 | New handbook for standardised measurement of plant functional traits worldwide. <i>Australian Journal of Botany</i> , 2013 , 61, 167 | 1.2 | 1983 |
| 77 | Leaf adaptations of evergreen and deciduous trees of semi-arid and humid savannas on three continents. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2013 , 101, 430-440 | 6 | 80 |

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| 76 | Effects of ENSO and temporal rainfall variation on the dynamics of successional communities in old-field succession of a tropical dry forest. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013 , 8, e82040 | 3.7 | 50 |
| 75 | Driving factors of forest growth: a reply to Ferry et al. (2012). <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2012 , 100, 1069-1073 | 6 | 2 |
| 74 | Soil Effects on Forest Structure and Diversity in a Moist and a Dry Tropical Forest. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2012 , 44, 276-283 | 2.3 | 65 |
| 73 | Effects of disturbance intensity on species and functional diversity in a tropical forest. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2012 , 100, 1453-1463 | 6 | 105 |
| 72 | Productive leaf functional traits of Chinese savanna species. <i>Plant Ecology</i> , 2012 , 213, 1449-1460 | 1.7 | 14 |
| 71 | Functional diversity changes during tropical forest succession. <i>Perspectives in Plant Ecology, Evolution and Systematics</i> , 2012 , 14, 89-96 | 3 | 80 |
| 70 | Ecosystem services research in Latin America: The state of the art. <i>Ecosystem Services</i> , 2012 , 2, 56-70 | 6.1 | 139 |
| 69 | Controls on coarse wood decay in temperate tree species: birth of the LOGLIFE experiment. <i>Ambio</i> , 2012 , 41 Suppl 3, 231-45 | 6.5 | 76 |
| 68 | Architecture of Iberian canopy tree species in relation to wood density, shade tolerance and climate. <i>Plant Ecology</i> , 2012 , 213, 707-722 | 1.7 | 52 |
| 67 | Distribution patterns of tropical woody species in response to climatic and edaphic gradients. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2012 , 100, 253-263 | 6 | 98 |
| 66 | Wood density explains architectural differentiation across 145 co-occurring tropical tree species. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2012 , 26, 274-282 | 5.6 | 75 |
| 65 | Photosynthetic thermotolerance of woody savanna species in China is correlated with leaf life span. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2012 , 110, 1027-33 | 4.1 | 19 |
| 64 | Climate and soil drive forest structure in Bolivian lowland forests. <i>Journal of Tropical Ecology</i> , 2011 , 27, 333-345 | 1.3 | 23 |
| 63 | Global patterns of leaf mechanical properties. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2011 , 14, 301-12 | 10 | 314 |
| 62 | Ecological differentiation in xylem cavitation resistance is associated with stem and leaf structural traits. <i>Plant, Cell and Environment</i> , 2011 , 34, 137-48 | 8.4 | 231 |
| 61 | Leaf economics traits predict litter decomposition of tropical plants and differ among land use types. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2011 , 25, 473-483 | 5.6 | 99 |
| 60 | Tree architecture and life-history strategies across 200 co-occurring tropical tree species. <i>Functional Ecology</i> , 2011 , 25, 1260-1268 | 5.6 | 69 |
| 59 | TRY is a global database of plant traits. <i>Global Change Biology</i> , 2011 , 17, 2905-2935 | 11.4 | 1623 |

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| 58 | Climate is a stronger driver of tree and forest growth rates than soil and disturbance. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2011 , 99, 254-264 | 6 | 151 |
| 57 | Functional traits shape ontogenetic growth trajectories of rain forest tree species. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2011 , 99, 1431-1440 | 6 | 134 |
| 56 | Hydraulics and life history of tropical dry forest tree species: coordination of species drought and shade tolerance. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2011 , 191, 480-495 | 9.8 | 201 |
| 55 | Patterns and Determinants of Floristic Variation across Lowland Forests of Bolivia. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2011 , 43, 405-413 | 2.3 | 37 |
| 54 | Plant Functional Traits and the Distribution of West African Rain Forest Trees along the Rainfall Gradient. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2011 , 43, 552-561 | 2.3 | 38 |
| 53 | Is spatial structure the key to promote plant diversity in Mediterranean forest plantations?. <i>Basic and Applied Ecology</i> , 2011 , 12, 251-259 | 3.2 | 27 |
| 52 | Predicting Acacia invasive success in South Africa on the basis of functional traits, native climatic niche and human use. <i>Biodiversity and Conservation</i> , 2011 , 20, 2729-2743 | 3.4 | 10 |
| 51 | Functional traits determine trade-offs and niches in a tropical forest community. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2011 , 108, 20627-32 | 11.5 | 158 |
| 50 | Linking functional diversity and social actor strategies in a framework for interdisciplinary analysis of nature's benefits to society. <i>Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America</i> , 2011 , 108, 895-902 | 11.5 | 172 |
| 49 | Environmental changes during secondary succession in a tropical dry forest in Mexico. <i>Journal of Tropical Ecology</i> , 2011 , 27, 477-489 | 1.3 | 135 |
| 48 | The importance of wood traits and hydraulic conductance for the performance and life history strategies of 42 rainforest tree species. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2010 , 185, 481-92 | 9.8 | 359 |
| 47 | Tissue-level leaf toughness, but not lamina thickness, predicts sapling leaf lifespan and shade tolerance of tropical tree species. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2010 , 186, 708-21 | 9.8 | 188 |
| 46 | Decoupled leaf and stem economics in rain forest trees. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2010 , 13, 1338-47 | 10 | 248 |
| 45 | Seasonal variation in soil and plant water potentials in a Bolivian tropical moist and dry forest. <i>Journal of Tropical Ecology</i> , 2010 , 26, 497-508 | 1.3 | 47 |
| 44 | Resprouting as a persistence strategy of tropical forest trees: relations with carbohydrate storage and shade tolerance. <i>Ecology</i> , 2010 , 91, 2613-27 | 4.6 | 77 |
| 43 | Pathways, mechanisms and predictability of vegetation change during tropical dry forest succession. <i>Perspectives in Plant Ecology, Evolution and Systematics</i> , 2010 , 12, 267-275 | 3 | 91 |
| 42 | Functional traits and environmental filtering drive community assembly in a species-rich tropical system. <i>Ecology</i> , 2010 , 91, 386-98 | 4.6 | 349 |
| 41 | The trait contribution to wood decomposition rates of 15 Neotropical tree species. <i>Ecology</i> , 2010 , 91, 3686-97 | 4.6 | 60 |

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| 40 | Seedling root morphology and biomass allocation of 62 tropical tree species in relation to drought- and shade-tolerance. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2009 , 97, 311-325 | 6 | 281 |
| 39 | Decomposition in tropical forests: a pan-tropical study of the effects of litter type, litter placement and mesofaunal exclusion across a precipitation gradient. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2009 , 97, 801-811 | 6 | 204 |
| 38 | The intermediate disturbance hypothesis applies to tropical forests, but disturbance contributes little to tree diversity. <i>Ecology Letters</i> , 2009 , 12, 798-805 | 10 | 152 |
| 37 | Leaf traits show different relationships with shade tolerance in moist versus dry tropical forests. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2009 , 181, 890-900 | 9.8 | 124 |
| 36 | Causes and consequences of variation in leaf mass per area (LMA): a meta-analysis. <i>New Phytologist</i> , 2009 , 182, 565-588 | 9.8 | 1547 |
| 35 | Maximum size distributions in tropical forest communities: relationships with rainfall and disturbance. <i>Journal of Ecology</i> , 2008 , 96, 495-504 | 6 | 26 |
| 34 | Are functional traits good predictors of demographic rates? Evidence from five neotropical forests. <i>Ecology</i> , 2008 , 89, 1908-20 | 4.6 | 444 |
| 33 | The relationships of wood-, gas- and water fractions of tree stems to performance and life history variation in tropical trees. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2008 , 102, 367-75 | 4.1 | 59 |
| 32 | Leaf size and leaf display of thirty-eight tropical tree species. <i>Oecologia</i> , 2008 , 158, 35-46 | 2.9 | 88 |
| 31 | Seedling Traits Determine Drought Tolerance of Tropical Tree Species. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2008 , 40, 321-331 | 2.3 | 225 |
| 30 | Relationships among ecologically important dimensions of plant trait variation in seven neotropical forests. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2007 , 99, 1003-15 | 4.1 | 265 |
| 29 | Light-dependent leaf trait variation in 43 tropical dry forest tree species. <i>American Journal of Botany</i> , 2007 , 94, 515-25 | 2.7 | 103 |
| 28 | Are species adapted to their regeneration niche, adult niche, or both?. <i>American Naturalist</i> , 2007 , 169, 433-42 | 3.7 | 163 |
| 27 | Carbohydrate storage and light requirements of tropical moist and dry forest tree species. <i>Ecology</i> , 2007 , 88, 1000-11 | 4.6 | 179 |
| 26 | Letters to the editor about the contents of past issues and comments on topics of current concern to Frontiers readers. <i>Frontiers in Ecology and the Environment</i> , 2007 , 5, 237-240 | 5.5 | |
| 25 | Does a ruderal strategy dominate the endemic flora of the West African forests?. <i>Journal of Biogeography</i> , 2007 , 34, 1100-1111 | 4.1 | 29 |
| 24 | Diversity of Tropical Tree Seedling Responses to Drought. <i>Biotropica</i> , 2007 , 39, 683-690 | 2.3 | 46 |
| 23 | Seed-mass effects in four Mediterranean <i>Quercus</i> species (Fagaceae) growing in contrasting light environments. <i>American Journal of Botany</i> , 2007 , 94, 1795-803 | 2.7 | 92 |

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| 22 | Seedling growth strategies in Bauhinia species: comparing lianas and trees. <i>Annals of Botany</i> , 2007 , 100, 831-8 | 4.1 | 46 |
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