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Editorial Note

The Pomology and Viticulture & Enology sections have been held within 46th Croatian and 6th International Symposium on Agriculture in February, 14-18, 2011. They attracted respectful number of scientists from Croatia, Cyprus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Hungary, Iran, Macedonia, Serbia, Turkey and United Kingdom who held 81 oral and poster presentations. Most of them were published in Symposium Proceedings, but in this Special issue of Agriculturae Conspectus Scientificus, 13 new selected papers are published. They are covering all important aspects of modern Pomology, Viticulture and Enology from the genetic resources to the cold chain management.

The emphasis is given to the promotion of the young scientists whose contributions give insight into environmentally friendly technologies for preserving quality and minimizing post-harvest loss and use of olive oil production waste for energy generation.

The Editors wish to express our cordial gratitude to the authors for giving their contributions, but also to the reviewers whose effort significantly help in achieving scientific quality of papers.

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