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- Challenges facing agricultural entomology in the tropics
- Development of taxonomic resources in the tropics

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- Conventional and novel pesticides in tropical pest management
- Plant resistance in tropical insect pest management

- Biological and cultural techniques in tropical crop pest and vector management
- Sweetpotato weevil
- Africa-wide biological control programme of cassava pests
- Education and training in tropical entomology

CONTRIBUTED PAPERS

These include the following:

- Effects of land use on outbreaks of tropical migratory locust, *Locusta migratoria migratorioides*
- Cotton insect pest management on small scale farms in Zambia
- Integrated control of potato tuber moth *Phthorimaea operculella* in Tunisia
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