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5. Agro-industrial uses of cactus crops and cochineal products
6. Advances in biochemical characterization and pharmaceutical use of cactus crops
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Submission Deadlines

- Start of abstract submission: March 18, 2021
- Deadline for abstract submission: June 30, 2021
- Deadline for abstract modification: October 15, 2021
- Deadline for fulltext paper submission: October 15, 2021
- Deadline for fulltext paper modification: February 15, 2022

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