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Abstract: It appears that the design and management of biological production and processing systems in order to meet the future needs of society is a formidable challenge for the engineering community. Indeed, there is an increased emphasis on the engineering for living systems that can be considered as a concurrent engineering between biology and mechanical, electrical, civil or information engineering. Agricultural and biological production systems are very complex where dynamic processes take place at different scales from sub-cellular level, the level of a plant or animals a field or a farm. These complex phenomena at each of these scales run at a different pace, they are often time variable non-linear in nature. Equipment should take these scales into account.

Moreover there is also spatial variability, implying that each tree, each location in a field or each animal may respond differently to treatments. This in turn requires that equipment can adapt to the spatio-temporal variable processes. A number of examples and challenges for the future are given with considerations of the expected benefits. They are based on research in Europe or at K.U. Leuven.

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