

Insecta Orthoptera: a bibliometric review of papers from the Scopus database published in English for the period of 1986-2021

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Abstract. Today, climate change, an increase in anthropogenic factors, and changes in the natural environment have an adverse effect on insect diversity due to the changing climates around the world. There has been an increase in the number of pests of agricultural crops over the past few years because of the expansion of the cultivated areas in arid regions, including the number of insects of the Order *Orthoptera*. The formation of fauna in different regions of the globe needs to be identified in order to improve the methods of combating them, and therefore, it is necessary to identify their formation. A great deal of research on the class of insects has been conducted over the last 35 years, and most of those articles are published in English. However, the research work on *Insecta: Orthoptera* was carried out in different topics and ways during those 35 years. The scope of this article is to cover all articles that have been published about orthoptera between 1986 and 2021 in the Scopus database. Various categories were analyzed in order to determine the quality of this research, including the year of research, who was responsible for the research, and which of the major research institutes did the research. In the light of the analysis, it is possible to have a certain understanding of the current research problems that are being experienced in this area as a result of the analysis.

1 Introduction

A large proportion of the diversity of organisms on Earth can be attributed to insects and plants. The relationship between plants and insects is complex, and the interactions between them can be quite fascinating. Research on insect–plant interactions helps shape our understanding of ecology and coevolution (e.g. Crepet 1984, Grimaldi 1999, Novotny et al. 2006, Novotny and Miller 2014), resource management (e.g. Lundberg and Moberg 2003, Cardel and Koptur 2010, Hudewenz et al. 2012), and conservation (e.g. Kearns et al. 1998, Bale et al. 2002, Tschardtke and Brandl 2004, Tan et al., 2017)

In Northern Asian regions such as Russia, Mongolia, and China, the locust *Oedaleus asiaticus* (*Orthoptera, Acrididae*) is one of the most important grass-feeding insects. It is found in steppes and adjacent farmlands throughout the steppes of these nations. For many

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years, it has been reported that it is particularly abundant in the Inner Mongolia steppe region, and that it has caused great damage to the livestock industry as well as the environment. There are specific food preferences of *Asiaticus*, as it is the primary consumer of grasslands, and as a result of this extreme adaptation the productivity of grasslands has been dramatically reduced as well as competition between other native herbivores and farmed animals for food resources. It is important to note that these species represent a small part of the overall diversity of orthopterans. There are in fact a lot more species hiding in the pristine forests of Southeast Asia than can be found in the pristine forests of Europe.

According to a small set of observations, various cricket communities are flourishing along the gradient between maquis shrubland and rainforest in Southern New Caledonia as a result of the vegetation gradient. As a result of these cricket populations, it can be observed that specific differences are observed in habitat use and species replacement over time during forest regeneration (Anso 2016, Desutter-Grandcolas et al., 2016)

The superfamily *Hagloidea* (*Orthoptera*) *sensu* Gorochov 1995 was widespread from the Late Triassic to the Early Cretaceous and consists of the families *Haglidae*, *Tuphelliidae*, *Prophalangopsidae*, *Hagloedischiidae* (Gorochov 1995). A cladistic analysis based on wing venation suggests that it is paraphyletic (Béthoux and Nel 2002, Gu et al., 2021). Anthropogenic action is significantly changing scenes over the globe and uncovering life forms to novel situations. Solid jolts in human-modified situations can provoke upgraded behavioral reactions, coming about in biological sinks where low-quality living space pulls in expansive numbers of people due to a jumble between common behaviors and adjusted situations (Tielens et al., 2021). Within the urban environment, the foundation of perennial blossom knolls rather than once in the past built-up structures or regularly mown gardens is one of the foremost vital measures to advance creepy crawlies. Less self-evident, but still important, is the change of other sorts of existing urban green spaces. In numerous cities, the green spaces, counting roadside plantings, are overwhelmed by presented (“exotic”) woody plants, which serve as “distance green” isolating diverse bunches of clients and may indeed have a few positive impacts on human prosperity, but less on creepy crawlies and insect-related forms (Mody et al., 2020). A surprising decay within the number of creepy crawly species and in their plenitude has been detailed from numerous places around the world in later a long time. Other than the significant misfortune of life forms that are important in their possess right, the misfortune of creepy crawlies has too been credited to hurting the interaction among species as well as biological system forms related with the misfortune of creepy crawlies (Mody et al., 2020).

Bibliometric investigation could be a writing survey strategy that factually and quantitatively investigations distributed considers (Broadus 1987). Bibliometric examination is valuable for analyzing the information structure and improvement of particular investigate areas (Ellegaard and Wallin 2015). As of late, this approach has empowered analysts to comprehensively measure and depict the foremost productive analysts, educate, since the approach is regarded to be more objective and dependable than other common strategies of writing audit strategies (Aria and Cuccurullo 2017).

Bibliometrics includes several descriptive statistics of citation data and network analysis of authors, journals, universities, countries, and keywords based on citations and frequency analysis techniques. Bibliometrics supports the identification of research clusters, provides insights into current research interests, and reveals trends for emerging topics in a field (Liao et al., 2018). Bibliometric analysis has several advantages. It allows the characterization of specific research areas by exploring word frequency, the timeline and development of the topic, and the geographical distribution, which helps draw useful conclusions about who is doing what. At present, this particular method is gaining interest as it contributes new insights into several fields such as economics (Homrich et al. 2018), library services (Coughlin and Jansen 2016; Welsh 2017), and information science (Merigó et al. 2018; Warriach and

Ahmad 2016). Bibliometric analysis has also been applied in several fields in the life sciences (Gondivkar et al. 2018; Iftikhar et al. 2019; Shuaib et al. 2015). In this context, VOS viewer is one of the most widely used software for constructing, exploring, and visualizing bibliometric networks and maps.

The purpose of this study is to analyze current topics and important areas of insect research, as well as to use historical bibliometric data to gain new insights into regional distribution and reproduction of insects [1-37].

2 Materials and methods

The search collects the English-language academic literature retrieved from the Scopus database for the period 1986-2021. The analysis was carried out in September 2022. A total of 914 publications were downloaded with the keyword “*Insecta Orthoptera*”. In the next step, articles were categorized according to year of publication. A database of all peer-reviewed papers was then created, including the year of publication, authors’ names, countries, publication type, journal name, number of citations per paper, the number of citations per journal, the percentage of publications by the topic cluster name and subject area. The analysis was performed using programs like Microsoft Excel, VOS viewer and Map chart. Figure 1 shows the flow of the selected methodology for the research. The year of publication of the articles was then verified with the information in the articles. The database was expanded for all reviewed articles, including year and type of publication, author’s name, country of affiliation, journal name. The reasons why we utilize the strategies we did prior are due to the reality that Scopus is one of the foremost well-known databases that collects definitive writing from around the world in one put, particularly within the case of chemistry. English could be a widespread dialect, hence, the writing in English is more standard and important than writing in other dialects.

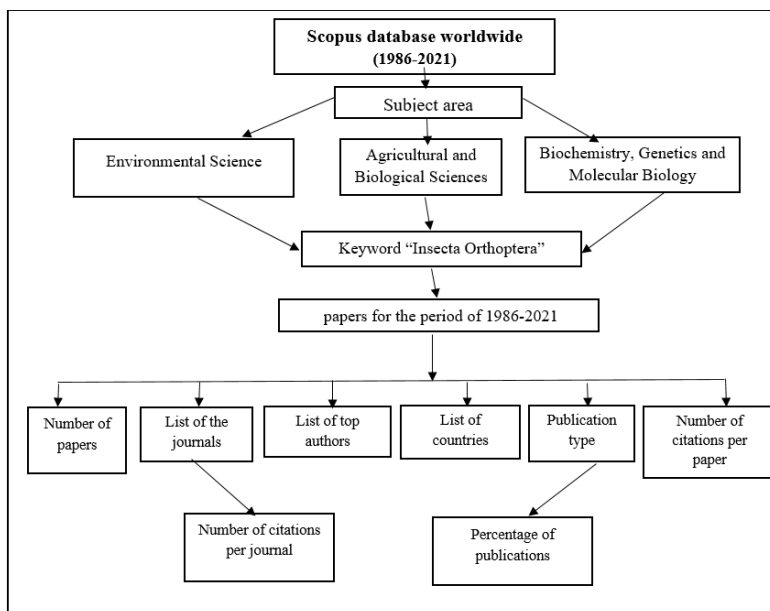


Fig. 1. Flowchart of the methodology.

3 Results and discussion

3.1 Trend of publications on *Insecta Orthoptera*

In general, what stands out is that the number of published papers on a particular issue studied for the first time in the world. Total of 914 papers published between 1986 and 2021 on *Insecta Orthoptera* issue. The number of records started to grow between 1986 and 2021 from 16 to 75 publications (Figure 2).

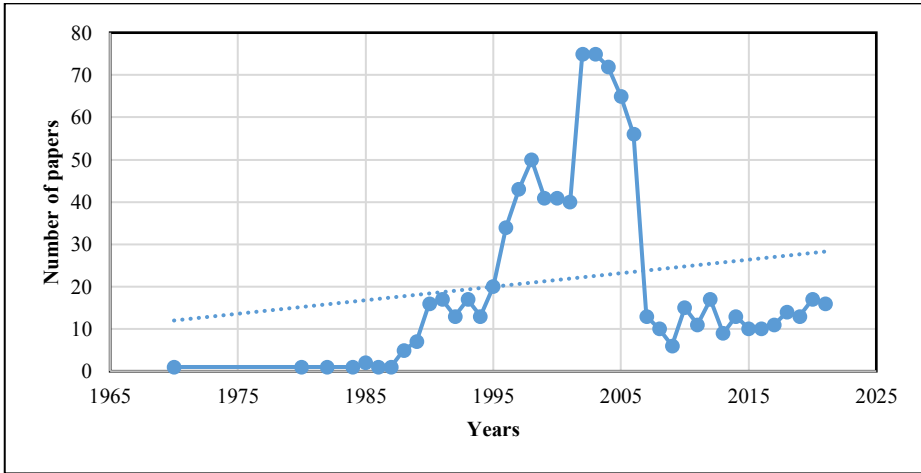


Fig. 2. Number of papers on insecta orthoptera by the year of publication issues in the world.

Papers on *Insecta Orthoptera* issue in the world published in 4 different publication types in the given period of time (1986-2021). The 6 publication types are article, review, conference, letter, book chapter and note (Figure 3). The table shows that most of the publications were in the article (840). The number of papers published in review and conference are 42 and 24 respectively. The rates of publications as letter and book chapter are 5 and 2 respectively. Also, only 1 publication was as the note.

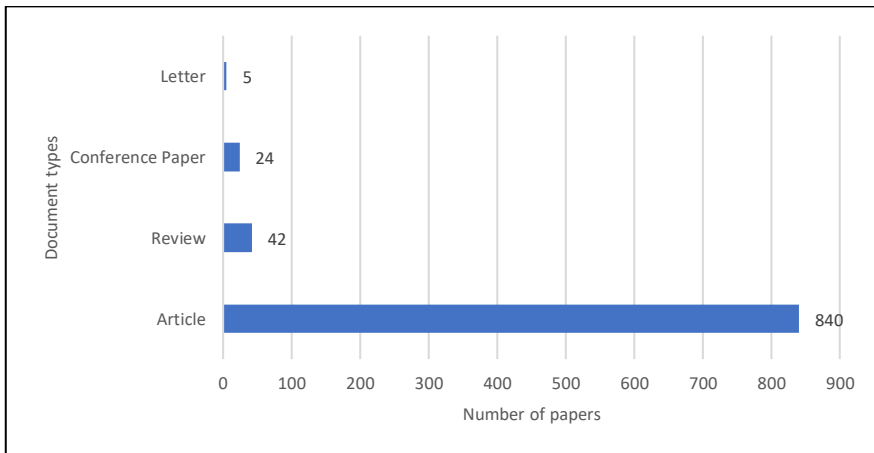


Fig. 3. Publication type on insecta orthoptera in the world.

3.2 Journals on *Insecta orthoptera*

Scientists use variety of journals in different countries in order to publish their research. There are 43 different journals published in the world during the period of the study, which shows a total of 426 papers about *Insecta Orthoptera* during the period of study. The Zootaxa journal is leading top journal which published 34 papers (Table 1). The top journals illustrating *Insecta Orthoptera* issue in the world are Journal of Experimental Biology, Proceeding of The Royal Society Biological Sciences and Journal of Insect Physiology.

Table 1. List of the journals on *Insecta Orthoptera* in the world

Scopus Source title	Number	Scopus Source title	Number
Zootaxa	34	Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution	9
Journal of experimental Biology	31	Archives of insect Biochemistry and Physiology	8
Proceeding of the royal society biological sciences	22	Biocontrol Science and Technology	8
Journal of insect physiology	20	Florida Entomologist	8
Environmental Entomology	19	Heredity	8
Journal of insect Conservation	18	Journal of Evolutionary Biology	8
Cell and Tissue Reseach	15	Applied Entomology and Zoology	7
Evolution	14	Canadian Journal of Zoology	7
Insect Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	14	Ecological Entomology	7
Peptides	14	Entomologia Experimentalis et Applicata	7
Journal of Chemical Ecology	13	Oecologia	7
Physiological Entomology	13	Zoosystema	7
European Journal of Entomology	11	Genome	6
Animal Behaviour	10	Insect Molecular Biology	6
Development	10		
Journal of Invertebrate Pathology	10	Journal Of Economic Entomology	6
Annals Of The Entomological Society Of America	5	Journal Of Insect Science	4
Annual Review Of Entomology	5	Tropical Zoology	1
Chromosome Research	5	Australian Journal Of Zoology	
Ecology	5	Bioacoustics	3
Zoologischer Anzeiger	5	Brazilian Journal Of Biology	3
Ecology Letters	4	Journal Of Thermal Biology	3
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3.3 Top authors on *Insecta Orthoptera*

Authors must be professionals in order to gain an effective and successful research in a particular field. The given diagram shows the names of 18 authors who published 177 papers in total. De Loof, Simpson S.J. and Nel.A are authors with 18 publications each of them. Johnson D.L., Massa B. and Schoofs L. published by 9 papers each of them in given period starting from 1986 year (Table 2). In addition, Lockwood. J.A. and Breuer. M. published 8 and 7 papers respectively, according to the statistics. De Loof. A. and Simpson, S.J. are leading the list of top publications with 21 and 18 respectively which shows their positions as the experts in the *Insecta Orthoptera* field.

Table 2. Top productive authors according to publishing papers about *Insecta Orthoptera*

	Rank	Authors	Occurrence	Total Link Strength
Authors	1	De Loof, A.	21	39
	2	Simpson S.J.	18	22
	3	Nel, A.	13	7
	4	Hollier, J.	10	0
	5	Robillard, T.	10	6
	6	Johnson, D.L.	9	0
	7	Massa, B.	9	6
	8	Schoofs, L.	9	15
	9	Lockwood, J.A.	8	1
	10	Simmons, L.W.	8	1
	11	Breuer, M.	7	12
	12	Claeys, I.	7	20
	13	Heller, K.G.	7	1
	14	Raubenheimer, D.	7	8
	15	Simonet, G.	7	20
	16	Buzzetti, F.M.	6	7
	17	Andersen, S.O.	5	0
	18	Burrows, M.	5	5

The institutions are ranked accordingly to the quality of papers that its researchers publish. In statistics, there 160 different institutions worked in order to publish 1028 papers on *Insecta Orthoptera* around the world starting from 1986 to 2021 years. Figure 4 shows that University of Oxford and Museum National d'Histoire Naturelle are the top influencer institutions who published more papers with 28 each of them on insect orthoptera comparing with other institutions. CNRS Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique and KU Leuven are ranked as second productive institutions with 25 publications each of them. Those 4 top institutions published 10.3% of the total publications. Also, only 12 institutions showed at least 10 publications according to the data in table.

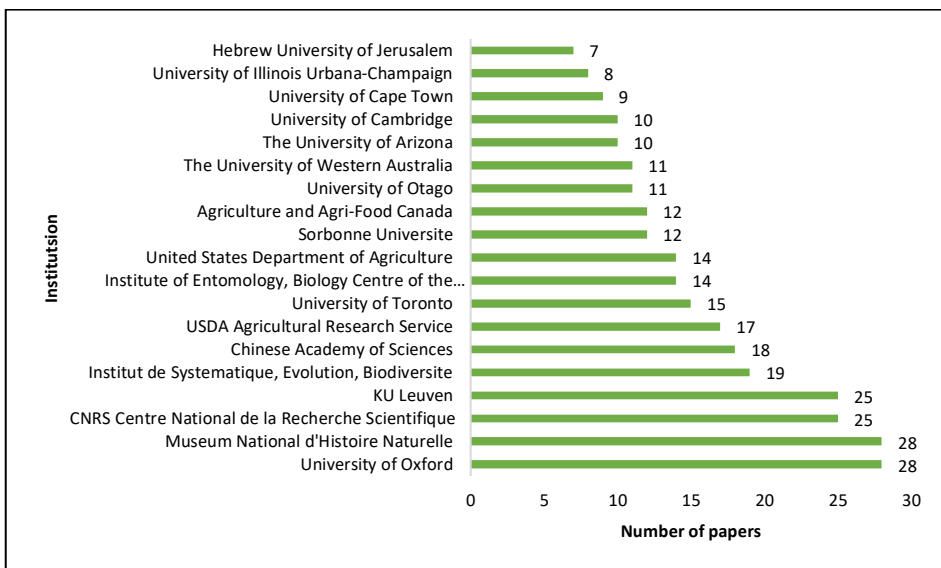


Fig. 4. List of top institutions on *Insecta Orthoptera* in the world

3.4 Top countries on *Insecta Orthoptera*

According to statistics, more than 86 different countries jointly worked on *Insecta Orthoptera* issues in the world starting from 1986. The table illustrates the geographical location of the top 15 countries took a participation in publication of 43 and more papers. United States are the dominant with 217 research documents on insect orthoptera among those top 15 countries around the world. Then, United Kingdom and Germany are leading the list with 137 and 101 publications respectively (Figure 5). The Canada and France showed 71 and 57 publications in order. The top five countries' researchers participated in almost 53% of total publications (Table 3).

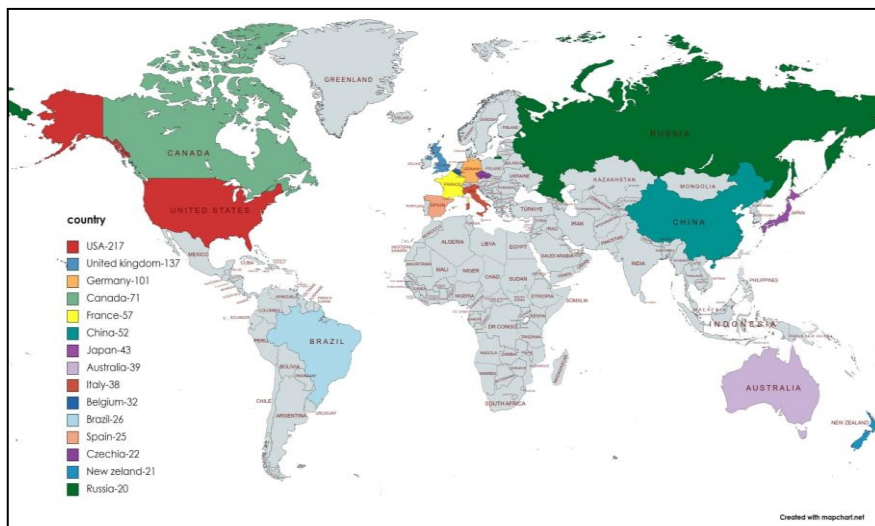


Fig. 5. List of top countries on *Insecta Orthoptera* in the world

Table 3. List of top cited publications on *Insecta Orthoptera* in the world

Insecta Orthoptera				Insecta Orthoptera			
Journals	TNP	Publishing country	IF	Journals	TNP	Publishing country	IF
Zootaxa	13	New Zealand	1.02	Plos ONE	43	United States.	3.5
Zoological Science	25	Japan	0.87	Molecular Phylogenetics and Evolution	69	United states	4.49
Alcheringa	8	United Kingdom	1.29	Entomological Review	9	Russian	0.46
Journal of Insect Conservation	11	Netherlands	2.52	Biodiversitas	20	Indonesia	1.32
International Journal of Biological Macromolecules	6	Netherlands	7.71	Revue Suisse de Zoologie	19	Switzerland	0.65
Turkish Journal of Zoology	6	Turkey	0.93	Zoosystema	7	France	1.27
Italian Journal of Zoology	24	Italy	2.43	ZooKeys	8	Bulgaria	1.45

Biological Research	4	United Kingdom	6.70	Systematic Biology	74	United Kingdom	8.0
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* PC – Published country, * IF – impact factor

3.5 Top cited journals on *Insecta Orthoptera*

In this subsection, we analyzed top journals which published the greatest number of papers. Taking into consideration this factor we decided to investigate top-cited journals on *Insecta Orthoptera*. Firstly, we sorted source names alphabetically of excel extension file of 862 documents. Then step by step total papers' citations are summarized by each journal. Interestingly, at the result we got updating list with potential journal names. Three journals: Environmental Science, Agricultural and Biological Sciences, Biochemistry Genetics and Molecular Biology (Figure 6).

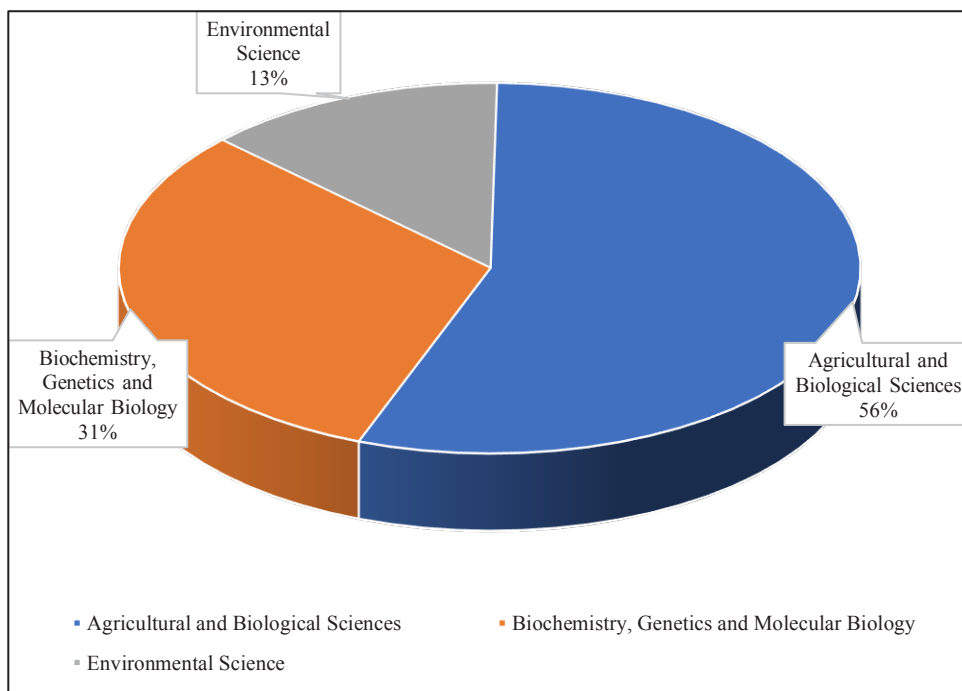


Fig. 6. Top topic cluster name on *Insecta Orthoptera* in the world

3.6. Top funding sponsors on *Insecta Orthoptera*

Funding sponsor plays an important role in achieving successful research. According to statistics, there are 159 funding sponsors who financially helped to make the research on insect orthoptera more thorough and effective. National Science Foundation and Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft are the top sponsors who helped with 24 and 23 publications respectively (Figure 7). The funding sponsor “National Natural Science Foundation of China” helped in 20 publications on insect orthoptera, according to data.

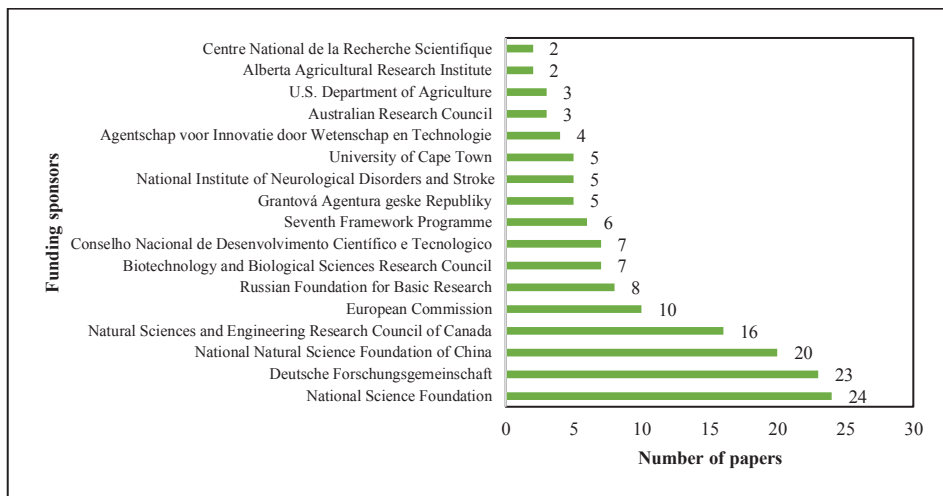


Fig. 7. List of top funding sponsors on *Insecta Orthoptera* in the world

3.7. Publications by keywords on *Insecta Orthoptera*

Co-authorship, keyword co-occurrences, citations, bibliographic coupling, and co-citation maps can be generated using VOSviewer based on bibliographic data. File formats supported include .txt, .ris, and .csv from databases such as Web of Science, Scopus (Samir Kumar Jalal, 2019). VOSviewer program identified 143 authors who published at least 3 articles out of 2103s authors during 1986-2022. Separated authors form 24 clusters: *De Loof* group, *Simpson S* group, and *Schoofs I* group, *Hollier J* group. As a result, it was found that De Loof published 21 Simpson S-18 Roff D-11 Hollier J-10 Schoofs I-9 and Simmons I-8 articles.

There are 24 items distributed over seven clusters: cluster 5, links-82, Total link strength-194.

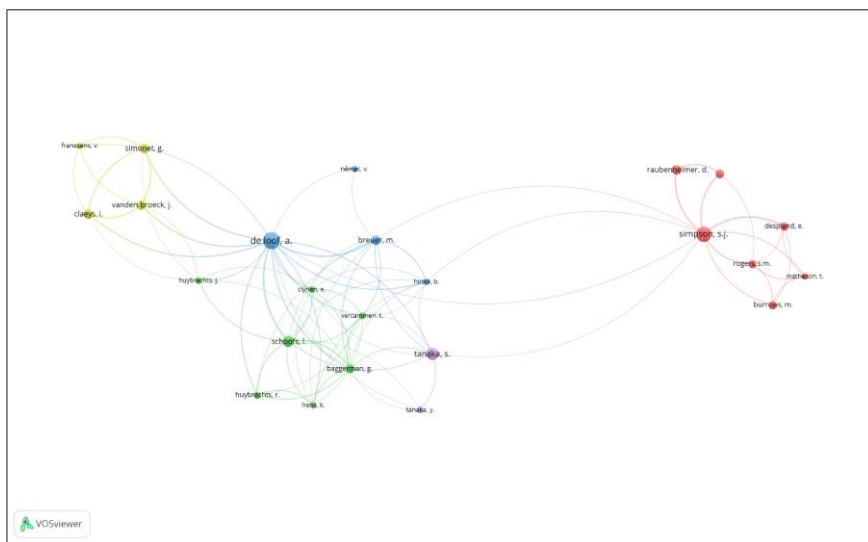


Fig. 8. Network map of top co-authorships based on the total link strength

4 Conclusions

According to the results of the research conducted between 1986-2021 on insecta orthoptera, there was a slight acceleration. The following are the names of the main journals that published research materials based on the obtained results: Zootaxa, Journal of experimental Biology, Proceeding of the royal society biological sciences, Journal of insect physiology, Environmental Entomology, Journal of Insecta Conservation. The top 10 institutions conducting research on *Insecta Orthoptera* are located in the United States, Great Britain, Germany, Canada, France, China, Japan, Australia, Italy, and Belgium. The main part of published research results (84%) belongs to journal articles. According to statistics, there are 159 funding sponsors that have provided financial support to make research more thorough and effective. The main field which funds is research projects on agriculture and biological sciences. The negative impact of changes in global climate and inter-landscape processes on agricultural production is increasing year by year. The expansion of the cultivated areas in arid regions has led to a sharp increase in the number of pests of agricultural crops, including the number of orthoptera in the recent years. Accordingly, it is important to know and study the researches being done by scientists around the world, the main publications which publish scientific research results, the countries and institutions that are doing the main research, and the funding sectors.

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