



Cover image: Pictured is a leaf of *Drosera capensis* L. curled around a drop of milk. Caterina A. M. La Porta et al. measured leaf microstructure in the carnivorous plant *Drosera capensis* L. and examined leaf mechanics using drops of milk to simulate prey movement. The authors found that the leaves convert a biochemical signal into an asymmetric response, and that leaf bending occurs in response to a homogeneous increase in auxin, a plant growth hormone associated with plant movement. See the article by La Porta et al. on pages 18777–18782. Image courtesy of Larissa De Paola and Simone Milan.

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