

Supplementary:



Picture 1: Hydroponic installation in the ICTA-UAB rooftop greenhouse.

Table 1: Nutrients applied to struvite fertilized treatments and control treatment. P, N and Mg content in struvite treatments.

		g/L	P	N	Mg
CONTROL NUTRIENT SOLUTION	KPO ₄ H ₂	13.625			
	KNO ₃	10.125			
	K ₂ SO ₄	43.5			
	Ca(NO ₃) ₂	16.375			
	CaCl ₂ *2H ₂ O	14.75			
	Mg(NO ₃) ₂	22.25			
	Hortrilon	1			
	Sequestrene	1			
PHOSPHOROUS FREE NUTRIENT SOLUTION	KNO ₃	10.125			
	K ₂ SO ₄	43.5			
	Ca(NO ₃) ₂	16.375			
	CaCl ₂ *2H ₂ O	14.75			
	Mg(NO ₃) ₂	22.25			
	Hortrilon	1			
	Sequestrene	1			
STRUVITE	5g		0.625g	0.285g	0.495g
	10g		1.25g	0.57g	0.99g
	20g		2.5g	1.14g	1.98g

Python script:

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import cv2

from os import listdir

import numpy as np

from os.path import isfile, join


if __name__ == '__main__':

    carpetalmatges = 'PATH' + '/'

    fitxersimatges = listdir(carpetalmatges)

    for imatge in range(0, len(fitxersimatges)):

        if fitxersimatges[imatge][-4:] == '.jpg' or fitxersimatges[imatge][-4:] == '.png':

            imatge = cv2.imread(carpetalmatges+fitxersimatges[imatge])

            maskNegre = 255*np.ones((imatge.shape[0],imatge.shape[1]))

            maskNegre[405:730,1014:1549] = 0

            imatge_G = imatge[:, :, 1]

            imatge_G = imatge_G < 200

            imatge_G = imatge_G * maskNegre

            cv2.imwrite(carpetalmatges + fitxersimatges[imatge][-4:] + 'Bin' + '.jpg', imatge_G)

            print('Image: ' + fitxersimatges[imatge])

            print('Leaves Area: ' + str(np.sum(imatge_G > 0)) + ' (' + str(np.sum(imatge_G > 0) / (imatge.shape[0] * imatge.shape[1])) + '% of the image)')

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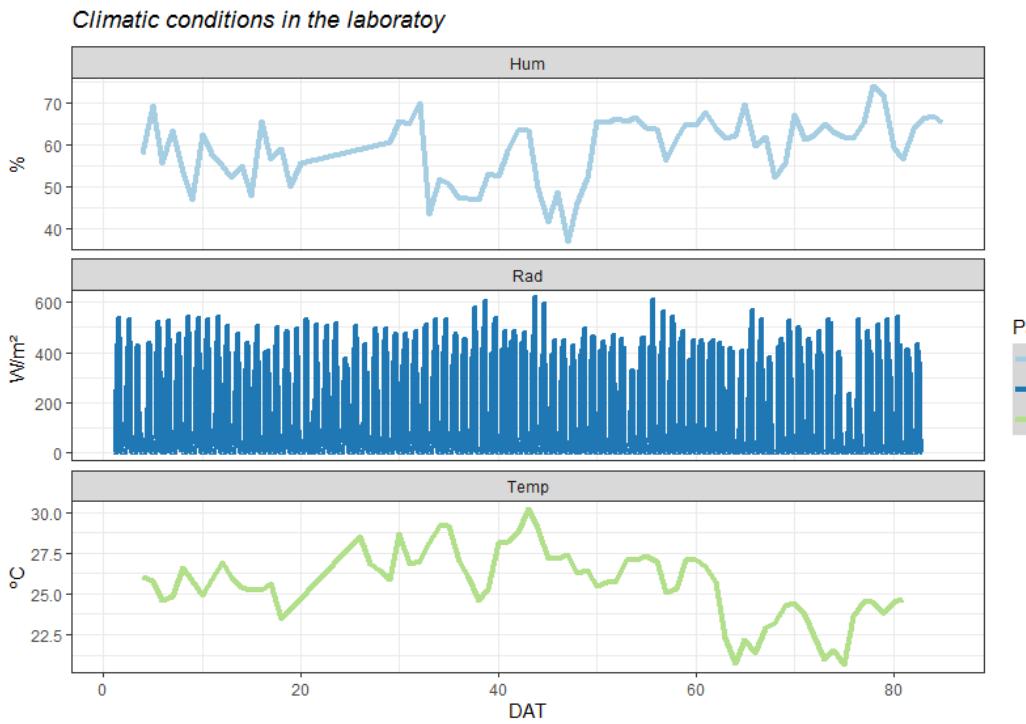


Figure 1: Climatic conditions recorded in the greenhouse laboratory DAT= days after transplanting, Hum= relative humidity (%), Rad = incoming radiation recorded inside the building (W/m^2), Temp= Recorded temperature inside the greenhouse ($^{\circ}\text{C}$).

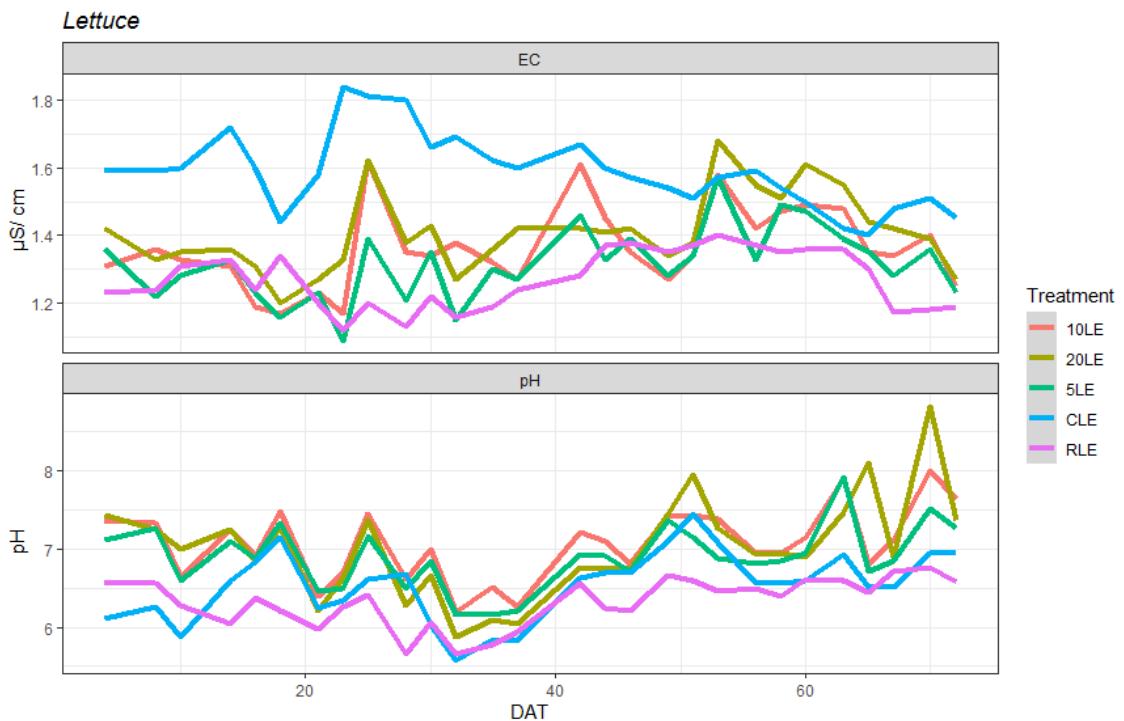


Figure 2: Irrigation and leachate parameters recorded for lettuce production. DAT= days after transplanting, EC= electric conductivity ($\mu\text{S/cm}$), pH= pH value. Treatments 5LE= leachate from crops fertilized with 5g of struvite, 10LE= leachate from crops fertilized with 10g of struvite, leachate from crops fertilized with 20LE= 20g of struvite, CLE= leachate from control treatment, RLE= irrigated nutrient solution).

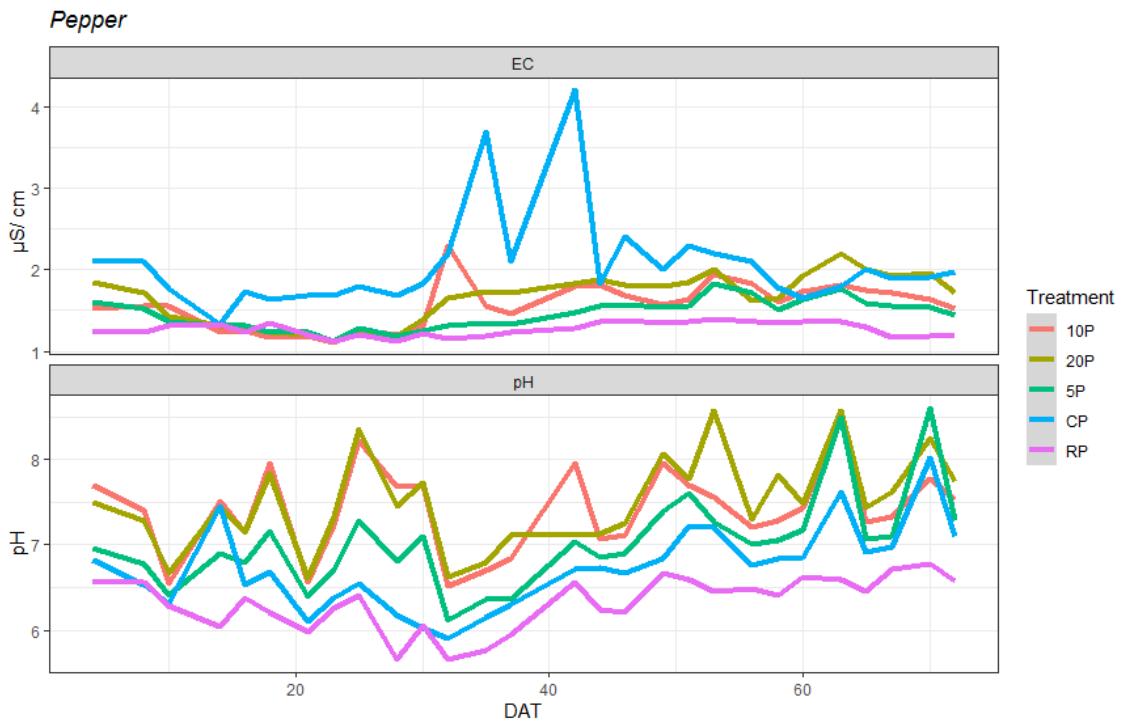


Figure 3: Irrigation and leachate parameters recorded for pepper production. DAT= days after transplanting, EC= electric conductivity ($\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$), pH= pH value. Treatments 5P= leachate from crops fertilized with 5g of struvite, 10P= leachate from crops fertilized with 10g of struvite, leachate from crops fertilized with 20P= 20g of struvite, CP= leachate from control treatment, RP= irrigated nutrient solution).

Table 2: Lettuce yield recorded from labeled pots (A to O) for all harvests (Sampling 1, 2 and 3), for treatment 5LE (5g), 10LE (10g) and 20LE (20g). Yield differences between samplings 1 (S1) and sampling 2 (S2) as well as sampling 2 and sampling 3 (S3) within the same growing pot given in %.

	1 st	2 nd	3 rd		1 st	2 nd	3 rd		1st	2nd	3rd	
	Sampling	Sampling	Sampling		Sampling	Sampling	Sampling		Sampling	Sampling	Sampling	
A	259.7	228.9	130		A	271	305.1	165	A	254	237.1	210
B	221.8	270.9	140		B	265.2	222	155	B	207.1	243.9	230
C	295.2	290.5	155		C	282.7	280.5	180	C	315.3	309.4	160
D	236.8	120	180		D	257.8	253.7	115	D	280.6	269.6	40
E	261.6	223.2	130		E	268.4	243.3	130	E	295.3	224.9	205
F	228.5	211.3	155		F	298	234.3	160	F	317.2	294.9	175
G	226.9	245.4	100		G	286.8	287.2	135	G	307.5	312.9	225
H	279.4	198.3	110		H	256.1	295.1	165	H	260.1	234.8	145
I	222.6	226	120		I	283.1	246.2	145	I	255.3	270.1	130
J	267.3	232.8	95		J	302.6	293.3	150	J	342.8	241.2	150
K	235.3	180.8	135		K	307.4	324.5	170	K	313.4	317.9	200
L	232.8	181.8	115		L	269.1	261.9	120	L	253.4	292.4	170
M	313.2	203.5	155		M	263.4	300.6	125	M	267.6	303.6	160
N	106.7	262.7	115		N	274.5	240.6	180	N	263.4	299.4	155
O	183.1	227.6	140		O	226.6	225.6	135	O	283.3	250.6	190
YIELD DIF												
5g			10g			20g						
DIF S1-S2			-11%			-2%						
DIF S2-S3			-36%			-44%			-34%			

Table 3: Lettuce average production for all harvests (given in g) for treatments 5LE, 10LE, 20LE and CLE. Difference to control calculated for each harvest (given in %).

	5LE	10LE	20LE	CONTROL
1ST HARVEST	225.5	249.8	272.6	250
DIF TO CONTROL	-11%	0%	8%	
2ND HARVEST	224.8	251.6	261.3	279
DIF TO CONTROL	-24%	-11%	-7%	
3RD HARVEST	135.5	143.9	164.7	140.2
DIF TO CONTROL	-3%	3%	15%	



Figure 4: Water flows recorded for the lettuce production. DAT= days after transplanting, IR= irrigated water (L/plant), LI= leachate water (L/plant), 5g= leachates generated from plants fertilized with 5g struvite, 10g= leachates generated from plants fertilized with 10g struvite, 20g= leachates generated from plants fertilized with 20g struvite, Control= leachates generated from control plants and water irrigated to control plants, Struvite= water irrigated to struvite fertilized treatments.

Irrigation and Lichates on Pepper

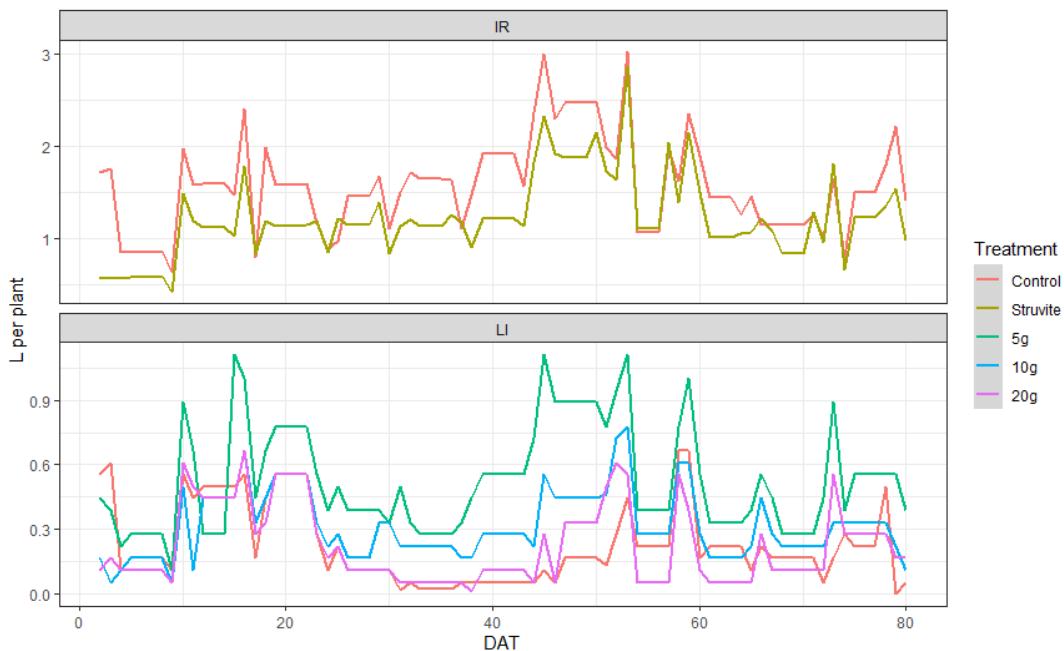


Figure 5: Water flows recorded for the pepper production. DAT= days after transplanting, IR= irrigated water (L/plant), LI= leachate water (L/plant), 5g= leachates generated from plants fertilized with 5g struvite, 10g= leachates generated from plants fertilized with 10g struvite, 20g= leachates generated from plants fertilized with 20g struvite, Control= leachates generated from control plants and water irrigated to control plants, Struvite= water irrigated to struvite fertilized treatments.

P content in Leachate (Lettuce & Pepper)

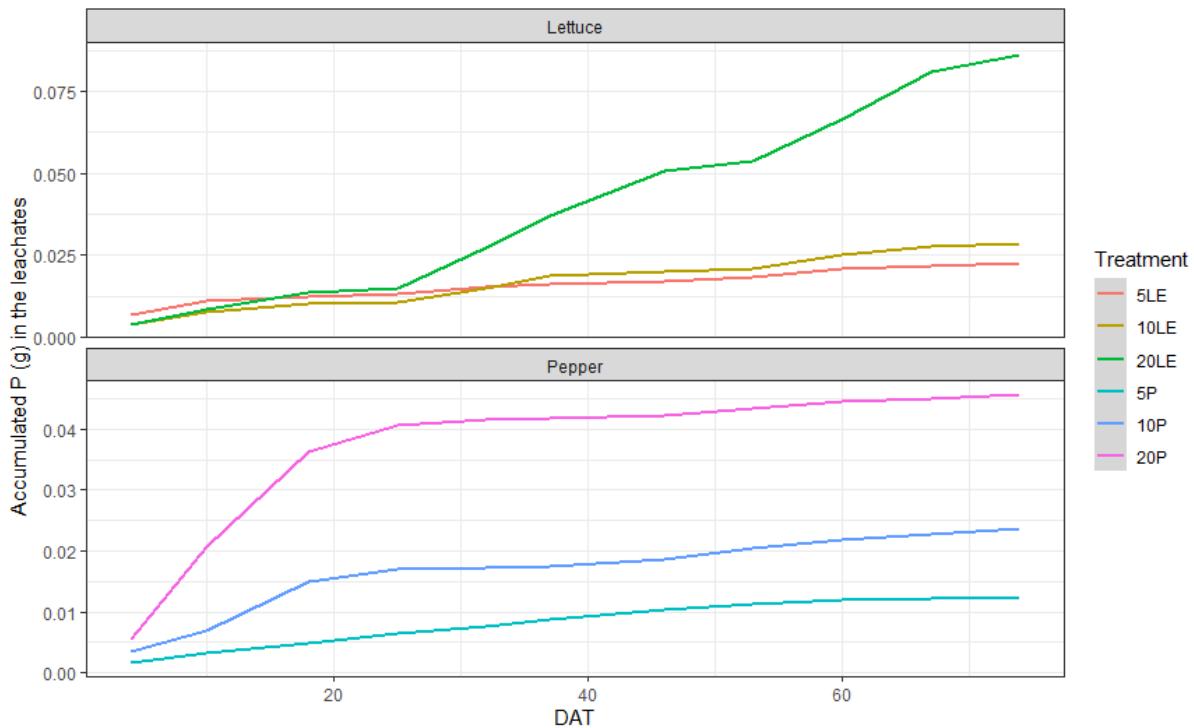


Figure 6: Accumulated P (g) recorded in the leachates generated per lettuce plant. DAT= days after transplanting, 5g= plants fertilized with 5g of struvite, 10g= plants fertilized with 10g of struvite, 20g= plants fertilized with 20g of struvite. Accumulated P (g) recorded in the leachates generated per pepper plant. DAT= days after transplanting, 5g= plants fertilized with 5g of struvite, 10g= plants fertilized with 10g of struvite, 20g= plants fertilized with 20g of struvite.

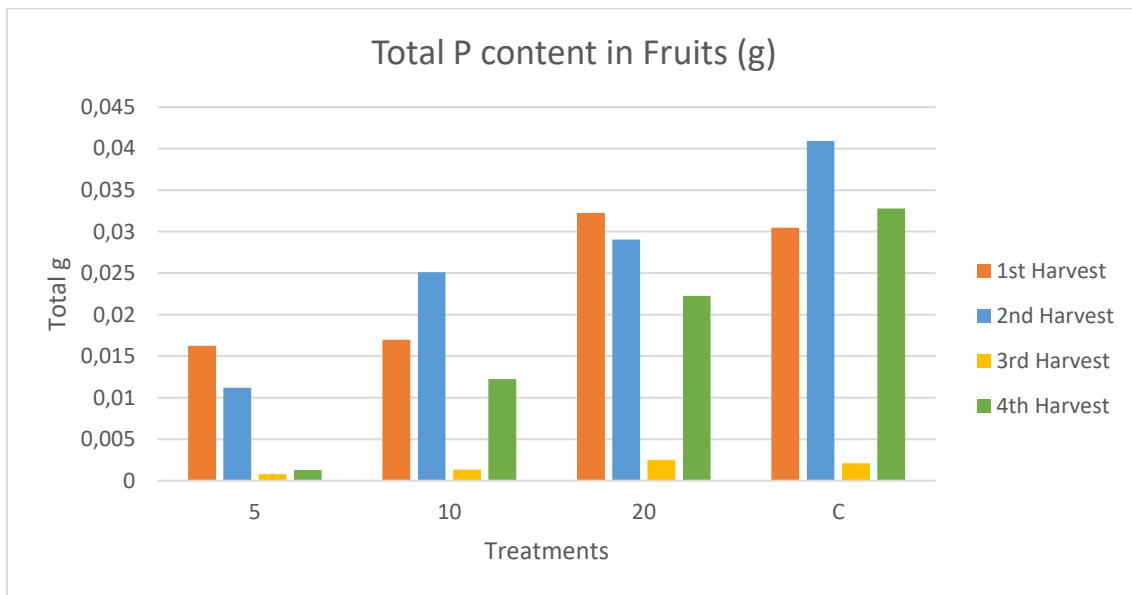


Figure 7: P content (g) in pepper fruit harvests for treatments 5 = plants fertilized with 5g of struvite, 10 = plants fertilized with 10g of struvite, 20 = plants fertilized with 20g of struvite and C= control treatment. Values given for all harvests (1=55 DAT, 2= 62 DAT, 3= 72 DAT and 4= 81 DAT).

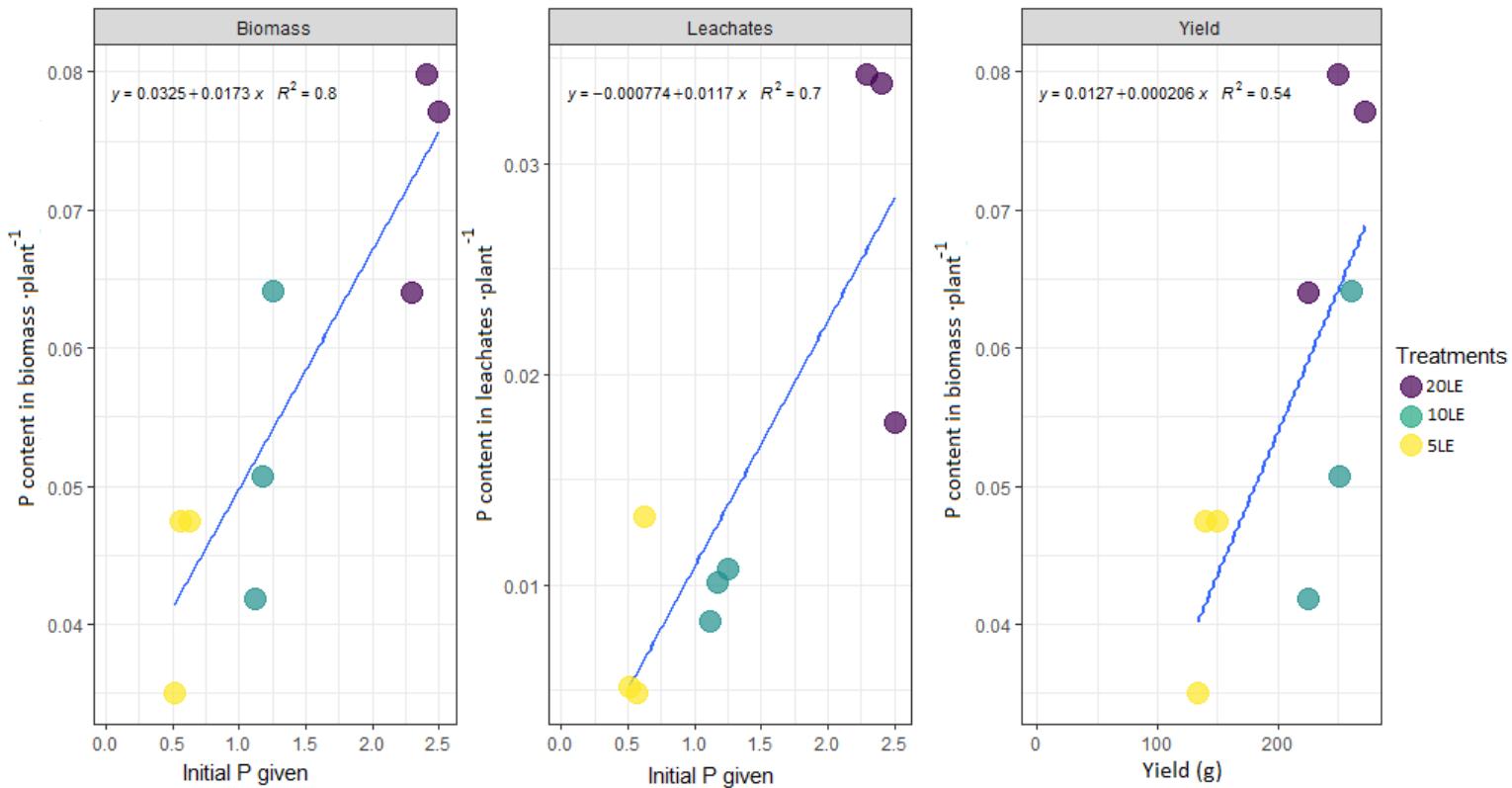


Figure 8: Correlation between the initially given P to the plant (g) and the total P (g) found in the lettuce biomass.

Table 4: Prospection of 9 lettuce crop cycles and balance flows for each cycle for lettuces with initial 20g, 10g and 5g of struvite. Key values labeled as L= P lost in leachates, B = P in lettuce biomass, Y = Prospective yield.

1st Cycle			2nd Cycle			3rd Cycle			4th Cycle			5th Cycle		
5g	10g	20g												
L: 0.01	0.01	0.02	L: 0.00	0.01	0.03	L: 0.01	0.01	0.03	L: 0.01	0.01	0.03	L: 0.01	0.01	0.02
B: 0.05	0.06	0.07	B: 0.05	0.05	0.08	B: 0.03	0.04	0.06	B: 0.04	0.05	0.07	B: 0.04	0.05	0.07
Y: 225	249	273	Y: 224	252	261	Y: 133	140	150	Y: 171	198	249	Y: 169	195	244
6th Cycle			7th Cycle			8th Cycle			9th Cycle			Total		
5g	10g	20g												
L: 0.01	0.01	0.02	L: 0.00	0.01	0.02	L: 0.00	0.01	0.02	L: 0.00	0.01	0.02	L: 0.05	0.10	0.23
B: 0.04	0.05	0.07	B: 0.04	0.05	0.07	B: 0.04	0.05	0.06	B: 0.04	0.05	0.06	B: 0.36	0.45	0.62
Y: 167	193	240	Y: 165	190	236	Y: 163	187	232	Y: 161	185	228	Y: 1580	1790	2113

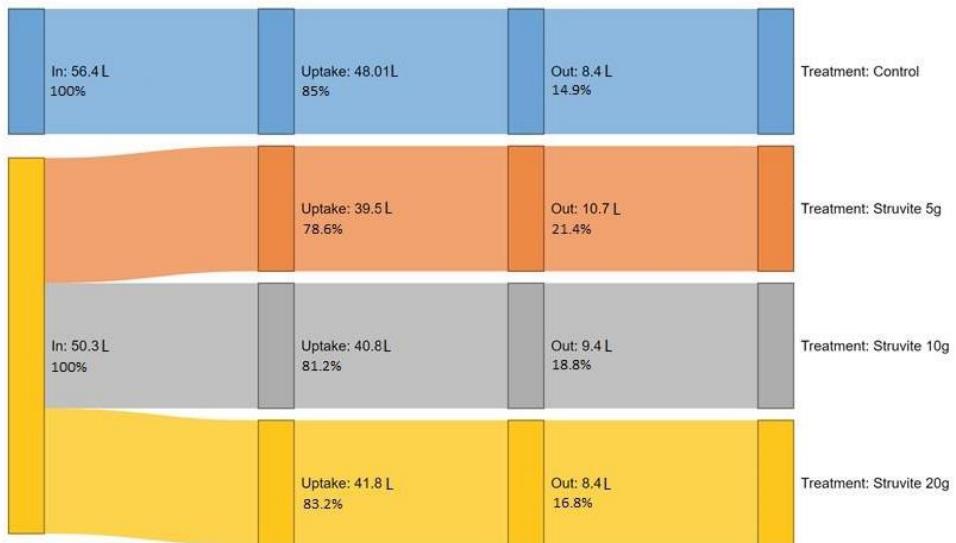


Figure 9: Water balance per Lettuce crop. In = incoming irrigation water, Uptake = evapotranspired and evaporated water, Out = collected leachates a the end of the line.

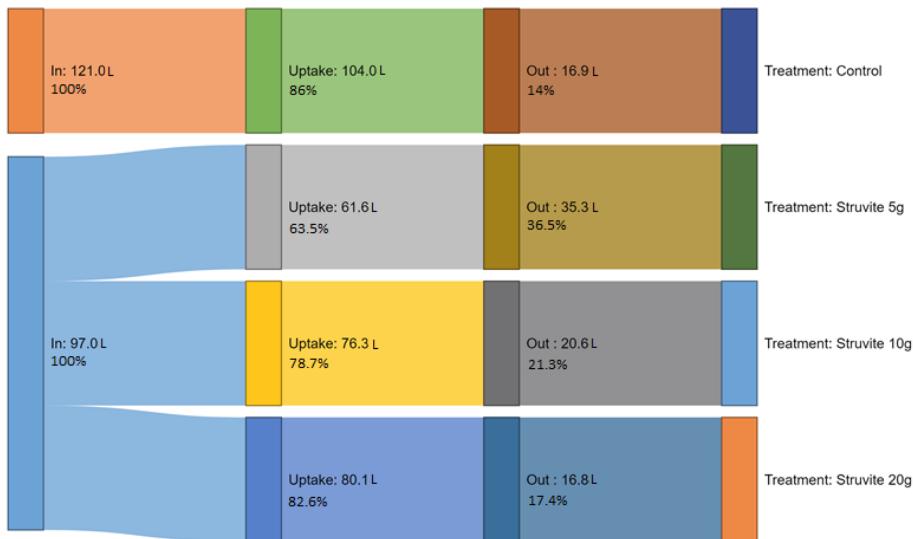


Figure 10: Water balance per Pepper crop. In = incoming irrigation water, Uptake = evapotranspired and evaporated water, Out = collected leachates a the end of the line.

LCA Inventory for treatment 5

	5	Per Treatment	Per Plant
Fertilizers	Materials/assemblies		
60,3% KPO4H2	Phosphate fertiliser, as P2O5 {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		0 kg
39,7% KPO4H2	Potassium fertiliser, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		0 kg
KNO3	Potassium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	0.0048 kg
K2SO4	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		0.0207 kg
CaNO32	Calcium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		0.0078 kg
CaCl2	Calcium chloride {RER} market for calcium chloride Cut-off, S		0.0070 kg
MgNO32	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		0.010 kg
50,7% Hortilon	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S		0.00024 kg
23,6% Hortilon	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		0.00011 kg
4,7% Hortilon	Zinc monosulfate {RER} market for zinc monosulfate Cut-off, S		2.238E-5 kg
18,9% Hortilon	Copper oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		9.002E-5 kg
2% Hortilon	Molybdenite {GLO} market for Cut-off, S		9.526E-06 kg
Sequestrene	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S		0.00047 kg
MgCL2/ NaOH	Struvite		0.14 p
Processes			
Fertilizer Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.01 tkm	
Emissions to Air	Ammonia	0.00012 kg	
	Dinitrogen monoxide	0.0016 kg	
	Nitrogen oxides	0.016 kg	
Emissions to Water	Nitrogen	0.79 kg	
	Phosphorous	0.022 kg	
Pesticides	Materials/assemblies		

Spintor	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
20% Potassium soap	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0,04*	0,2 kg
80% Potassium soap	Water, deionised, from tap water, at user {Europe without Switzerland} market for water, deionised, from tap water, at user Cut-off, S	0,04*	0,8 kg
Costar	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
Wettable sulphur	Sulfur {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
MeemAzal	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
Processes			
Pesticide Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.02	tkm
Struvite 1kg	Materials/assemblies		
MgO	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.4239	kg
pH	HCl	0.766	kg
	Sodium hydroxide, without water, in 50% solution state {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.039	kg
	Tap water, at user/RER S	0.189	kg
Processes			
Electricity	Electricity, medium voltage {ES} market for Cut-off, S	0.523	kWh
Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.003	tkm

LCA Inventory for treatment 10

10			
Fertilizers	Materials/assemblies		
KNO3	Potassium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
60,3% KPO4H2	Phosphate fertiliser, as P2O5 {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
K2SO4	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.0048	kg
CaNO32	Calcium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.0207	kg
CaCl2	Calcium chloride {RER} market for calcium chloride Cut-off, S	0.0078	kg
MgNO32	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.0070	kg
50,7% Hortilon	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S	0.010	kg
23,6% Hortilon	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.00024	kg
4,7% Hortilon	Zinc monosulfate {RER} market for zinc monosulfate Cut-off, S	0.00011	kg
18,9% Hortilon	Copper oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	2.238E-5	kg
2% Hortilon	Molybdenite {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	9.002E-5	kg
Sequestrene	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S	9.526E-06	kg
39,7% KPO4H2	Potassium fertiliser, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.00047	kg
MgCL2/ NaOH	Struvite	0.28	p
Processes			
Fertilizer Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.01	tkm
Emissions to Air	Ammonia	0.00012	kg
	Dinitrogen monoxide	0.032	kg
	Nitrogen oxides	0.0032	kg
Emissions to Water	Nitrogen	0.447	kg

	Phosphorous	0.028	kg
Pesticides	Materials/assemblies		
Spintor	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
20% Potassium soap	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S Water, deionised, from tap water, at user {Europe without Switzerland} market for water, deionised, from tap water, at user Cut-off, S	0,04*0,2	kg
80% Potassium soap	Water, deionised, from tap water, at user {Europe without Switzerland} market for water, deionised, from tap water, at user Cut-off, S	0,04*0,8	kg
Costar	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
Wettable sulphur	Sulfur {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
MeemAzal	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
	Processes		
Pesticide Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.02	tkm
Struvite 1kg	Materials/assemblies		
MgO	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.4239	kg
pH	HCl Sodium hydroxide, without water, in 50% solution state {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.766	kg
	Tap water, at user/RER S	0.039	kg
		0.189	kg
	Processes		
Electricity	Electricity, medium voltage {ES} market for Cut-off, S	0.523	kWh
Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.003	tkm

LCA Inventory for treatment 20

	20		
Fertilizers	Materials/assemblies		
60,3% KPO4H2	Phosphate fertiliser, as P2O5 {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
39,7% KPO4H2	Potassium fertiliser, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
KNO3	Potassium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.0048	kg
K2SO4	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.0207	kg
CaNO32	Calcium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.0078	kg
CaCl2	Calcium chloride {RER} market for calcium chloride Cut-off, S	0.0070	kg
MgNO32	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.010	kg
50,7% Hortilon	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S	0.00024	kg
23,6% Hortilon	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.00011	kg
4,7% Hortilon	Zinc monosulfate {RER} market for zinc monosulfate Cut-off, S	2.238E-5	kg
18,9% Hortilon	Copper oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	9.002E-5	kg
2% Hortilon	Molybdenite {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	9.526E-06	kg
Sequestrene	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S	0.00047	kg
MgCL2/ NaOH	Struvite	0.56	p
	Processes		
Fertilizer Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.12415	tkm
Emissions to Air	Ammonia	0.00021888	kg

	Dinitrogen monoxide	0.000912	kg
	Nitrogen oxides	0.007296	kg
Emissions to Water	Nitrogen	0.0095	kg
	Phosphorous	0.085	kg
Pesticides		Materials/assemblies	
Spintor	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
20% Potassium soap	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S Water, deionised, from tap water, at user {Europe without Switzerland} market for water, deionised, from tap water, at user Cut-off, S	0,04*0,2	kg
80% Potassium soap		0,04*0,8	kg
Costar	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
Wettable sulphur	Sulfur {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
MeemAzal	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
Processes			
Pesticide Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.02	tkm
Struvite 1kg		Materials/assemblies	
MgO	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.4239	kg
pH	HCl Sodium hydroxide, without water, in 50% solution state {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.766	kg
		0.039	kg
	Tap water, at user/RER S	0.189	kg
Processes			
Electricity	Electricity, medium voltage {ES} market for Cut-off, S	0.523	kWh
Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.003	tkm

Table 7: LCA Inventory for the Control treatment

Control			
Fertilizers		Materials/assemblies	
60,3% KPO4H2	Phosphate fertiliser, as P2O5 {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.221	kg
39,7% KPO4H2	Potassium fertiliser, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.145	kg
KNO3	Potassium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.21	kg
K2SO4	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.59	kg
CaNO32	Calcium nitrate {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.74	kg
CaCl2	Calcium chloride {RER} market for calcium chloride Cut-off, S	0.23	kg
MgNO32	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.382	kg
50,7% Hortilon	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S	0.0111	kg
23,6% Hortilon	Magnesium oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.005	kg
4,7% Hortilon	Zinc monosulfate {RER} market for zinc monosulfate Cut-off, S	0.001	kg
18,9% Hortilon	Copper oxide {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.004	kg
2% Hortilon	Molybdenite {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0.00044	kg
Sequestrene	Iron sulfate {RER} market for iron sulfate Cut-off, S	0.022	kg

Processes			
Fertilizer Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	3.053572	tkm
Emissions to Air	Ammonia	0.0686	kg
	Dinitrogen monoxide	0.02859	kg
	Nitrogen oxides	0.00287	kg
Emissions to Water	Nitrogen	0.0206	kg
	Phosphorous	0.30	kg
Pesticides			
Materials/assemblies			
Spintor	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
20% Potassium soap	Potassium sulfate, as K2O {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0,04*0,2	kg
80% Potassium soap	Water, deionised, from tap water, at user {Europe without Switzerland} market for water, deionised, from tap water, at user Cut-off, S	0,04*0,8	kg
Costar	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
Wettable sulphur	Sulfur {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
MeemAzal	Pesticide, unspecified {GLO} market for Cut-off, S	0	kg
Processes			
Pesticide Transport	Transport, van <3.5t/RER S	0.02	tkm