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WELCOME

Dear participant in the ESA congress,

First, on behalf of the Organizing Committee, I would like to apologize for the alteration of the expected organization of the ESA congress due to the COVID pandemic situation. Our first idea was to maintain a face-to-face event. Even we though in a 1-year delay, which was not possible due to the overlap with other scientific events. These circumstances and uncertainty led to a low number of abstracts received after the submission deadline. The change to a virtual congress encourages people to participate, and the final number of communications is finally similar to previous congresses. This is not the type of congress we thought and planned, however we considered that this was the best format to keep the event. The change, the extended deadline, and the preparation of the virtual platform for the congress explain the delay in reviewing and accepting abstracts and in the preparation of the final program. Again, I would like to apologize for this.

Around 280 abstracts were finally received, which will be organized as oral and poster presentations. You will access oral sessions organized in three virtual rooms through the webpage of the congress where you can also download the definitive program and the abstract book. You will access using your e-mail and password. An advantage of the virtual format is that you will not miss any oral presentation: this will be available for you for 30 days. In any case, we have tried to avoid the overlap between keynotes. After the presentation, queries to authors will be possible by chat under the supervision of the chairman of the session.

For posters, all will be available along the 3 days of congress and you can use the platform for sending questions to the corresponding author that will receive this by e-mail. As for oral presentations, we would try to maintain available for you during a time.

In all the ESA congress it is always very relevant the Field trips. In this edition, we expected to show you relevant and innovative Mediterranean agrosystems. We have not renounced to this, and you will have available three virtual field trips as videos. With these videos, you will get an idea of the use of the reclaimed marshland area of the Guadalquivir Valley (intensive irrigated land, with around 40000 ha of rice), the new intensive tree orchards systems, and new tools for precision agriculture.

Finally, we would like to express our gratitude for your confidence in the celebration of the conference in these difficult times.

Antonio Delgado

On behalf of the Organizing Committee



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PROGRAM

HOUR	AUTHOR	TITLE
TUES	SDAY, SEPTEMBER 1	ROOM 1
09:00 -09:15	JULIÁN MARTÍNEZ, VICE-CHANCELLOR OF RESEARCH OF THE UNIVERSITY OF SEVILLA	WELCOME
09:20 -09:50	ELÍAS FERERES	KEYNOTE: FACING THE WATER LIMITATION IN EUROPEAN AGRICULTURE
10:15 -10:30	COFFEE BREAK	
10:30 -13:30	SESSION 1.1 CHAIRMAN: ROXANA SAVÍN	KEYNOTE: CROP PHYSIOLOGY
10:30 -11:15	GUSTAVO SLAFER	KEYNOTE PHYSIOLOGICAL BASES FOR IMPROVING RESILIENCE TO ENVIRONMENTAL STRESSES AND RESOURCE USE EFFICIENCY IN WHEAT
11:30 -11:45	KOCH HEINZ-JOSEF	ROW DISTANCE EFFECTS ON SUGAR BEET YIELD FORMATION
11:45 -12:00	IAN DODD	LOW TEMPERATURE PERTURBS HYDRAULIC AND HORMONAL REGULATION OF LEAF EXPANSION AND PHOTOSYNTHESIS OF SOYBEAN SEEDLINGS
12:00 -12:15	JINWOOK KIM	PLASTICITY OF GRAIN NUMBER AND AVERAGE GRAIN WEIGHT IN RESPONSE TO HEAT WAVES AND SOURCE- SINK RATIO IN FIELD GROWN WHEAT.
12:30 -12:45	IVÁN FRANCISCO GARCÍA- TEJERO	HYDROSOS ALMONDS: IMPROVING THE FRUIT QUALITY BY MEANS OF DEFICIT IRRIGATION STRATEGIES
12:45 -13:00	NICOLA HOLDEN	MANAGING FOOD SAFETY HAZARDS IN HORTICULTURAL PRODUCTION
13:00 -14:00		LUNCH

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14:00 -18:30	SESSION 1.2 CHAIRMAN: FRANCESCO TEI	CROP INTERACTION WITH BIOTIC AND ABIOTIC FACTORS
14:00 -14:45	NATHALIE COLBACH	KEYNOTE: INVESTIGATING CROP-WEED INTERACTIONS AS A DRIVER FOR AGROECOLOGICAL CROP PRODUCTION
14:45 -15:00	CHARITY AMARA	EFFECT OF LOCATION AND GENOTYPE ON DEGENERATION OF ORANGE-FLESHED SWEETPOTATO IN NIGERIA
15:00 -15:15	TAUBE FRIEDHELM	ARE YIELD INCREASES IN MAIZE IN NW-EUROPE DUE TO BREEDING PROGRESS OR THE SELECTION OF MORE SUITABLE HYBRIDS DUE TO CLIMATE CHANGE?
15:30 -15:45	RAPETTI MANON	USING TRAIT-BASED APPROACH TO SELECT BANANA VARIETIES ADAPTED TO AGROECOLOGICAL CROP SYSTEM
15:45 -16:00		COFFEE BREAK
16:00 -18:30	SESSION 1.2 CHAIRMAN: NATHALIE COLBACH	CROP INTERACTION WITH BIOTIC AND ABIOTIC FACTORS
16:00 -16:15	FEIKE TIL	MULTIPLE DISEASE SUSCEPTIBILITY, BREEDING
	TENCE TIE	PROGRESS AND YIELD LOSS OF WINTER WHEAT IN GERMAN VARIETY TRIALS DURING 1983-2019
16:15 -16:30	DIMA SABBOURA	
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16:30 -16:45	DIMA SABBOURA KEYVAN ESMAEILZADEH SALESTANI MARÍA LUISA GANDÍA	GERMAN VARIETY TRIALS DURING 1983-2019 A REVIEW OF HEAT STRESS IN CANOLA (BRASSICA NAPUS L.) EXPRESSION OF AMMONIUM TRANSPORTER GENES IN BARLEY UNDER DIFFERENT FARMING SYSTEMS UNRAVELLING THE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE SOIL WEED
16:30 -16:45 16:45 -17:00	DIMA SABBOURA KEYVAN ESMAEILZADEH SALESTANI MARÍA LUISA GANDÍA TOLEDANO	GERMAN VARIETY TRIALS DURING 1983-2019 A REVIEW OF HEAT STRESS IN CANOLA (BRASSICA NAPUS L.) EXPRESSION OF AMMONIUM TRANSPORTER GENES IN BARLEY UNDER DIFFERENT FARMING SYSTEMS UNRAVELLING THE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE SOIL WEED SEED BANK AND WEED EMERGENCE IN THE FIELD. SOIL PH EFFECTS ON ROOT GROWTH AND ROOT:SHOOT



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TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1 ROOM 2

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11:15 -13:30	SESSION 2.1 CHAIRMAN: MARIANA RUFINO	FARMING SYSTEMS
11:15 -12:00	PYTRIK REIDSMA	KEYNOTE: SUSTAINABILITY AND RESILIENCE OF FARMING SYSTEMS
12:00 -12:15	MARTIN HARRIES	CONTROLLING HERBICIDE RESISTANT WEEDS REDUCES DIVERSITY IN WESTERN AUSTRALIAN CROP AND PASTURE SYSTEMS
12:15 -12:30	CRYSTELE LEAUTHAUD	WHY DO FARMERS ASSOCIATE CROPS? LOGICS AND STRUCTURE OF OLIVE GROVE-VEGETABLE ASSOCIATIONS IN A MEDITERRANEAN REGION
12:30 -12:45	DIANE RAKOTOMANGA - CIRAD	EFFECTS OF COVER CROPS AND SOIL TILLAGE ON THE SPONTANEOUS COMMUNITY IN FALLOW PRECEEDING BANANA CROP
12:45 -13:00	NATHALIE COLBACH	COMBINING EXPERT KNOWLEDGE AND MODELS IN PARTICIPATORY WORKSHOPS WITH FARMERS TO DESIGN SUSTAINABLE WEED MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES
13:00 -14:00		LUNCH
14:00 -16:30	SESSION 2.1 CHAIRMAN: PYTRIK REIDSMA	FARMING SYSTEMS
14:00 -14:15	ASHRAF TUBEILEH	PLANT COMPOSTS REDUCE SOIL VERTICILLIUM DAHLIAE LOAD AND SUPPRESS WEEDS
14:15 -14:30	WIM PAAS	PARTICIPATORY ASSESSMENT OF FUTURE SUSTAINABILITY AND RESILIENCE OF EUROPEAN FARMING SYSTEMS
14:30 -14:45	GODINOT OLIVIER	CONCEPTION AND TEST OF AN INTERDISCIPLINARY SERIOUS GAME TO LEARN AGROECOLOGY
14:45 -15:00	LEONARDO VERDI	ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT OF ORGANIC AND CONVENTIONAL ANCIENT WHEAT CULTIVATION: ACIDIFICATION AND EUTROPHICATION PERFORMANCES THROUGH A LCA APPROACH
15:00 -15:15	CHRISTINE WATSON	REDESIGNING A LONG-TERM ORGANIC FARMING EXPERIMENT TO ADDRESS CONTEMPORARY ISSUES

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45:45 45:00	ROBIN WALKER	LONG TERM YIELD TRENDS IN FOUR PARALLEL
15:15 -15:30	NODIN WALKEN	ORGANICALLY MANAGED CROP ROTATIONS
15:45 -16:00		COFFEE BREAK
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16:00 -18:30	CHAIRMAN:	CROP DIVERSIFICATION
	CHRISTOS DORDAS	
		EFFECT OF PLANTING PATTERNS ON YIELD, NUTRIENT
16:00 -16:15	MUHAMMAD ALI RAZA	ACCUMULATION, AND DISTRIBUTION IN MAIZE AND
		SOYBEAN RELAY INTERCROPPING SYSTEMS
16:15 -16:30	FEDERICO MARTINELLI	LEGUMES IN BIODIVERSITY-BASED FARMING SYSTEMS IN
10.15 -10.50	FEDERICO MARTINELLI	MEDITERRANEAN BASIN
		THE ROLE OF IMPROVED AGRONOMIC PRACTICES IN
16:30 -16:45	WERY JACQUES	DE-RISKING AND ENHANCING THE SUSTAINABILITY OF
		CEREAL-BASED SYSTEMS IN THE DRYLANDS
16:45 -17:00	RAUL ZORNOZA	GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS FROM SOIL IN AN ALMOND
10.45 - 17.00	NAUL ZONNOZA	ORCHARD DIVERSIFIED WITH CAPER AND THYME
		EFFECT OF FAVA BEAN AND VETCH/BARLEY CROPS
17:00 -17:15	RAUL ZORNOZA	INTERCROPPED WITH MANDARIN TREES ON SOIL
		GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS
17:15 17:00	STILMANT DIDIER	DOES COMPLEX MIXTURES INCREASE PERFORMANCES
17:15 -17:30	STILIMANT DIDIER	OF ORGANIC TEMPORARY GRASSLAND?
17:00 17:15	ALLELLIAZEEM	DO COVER CROP SPECIES MIXTURES ENHANCE
17:30 -17:45	ALI ELHAKEEM	RESILIENCE AND RESOURCE CAPTURE?
47.45 40.00	MADIANO MADOOO DEDEZ	INTERCROPPING OF MELON AND COWPEA CAN IMPROVE
17:45 -18:00	MARIANO MARCOS PEREZ	MELON PRODUCTION IN ORGANIC SYSTEMS

TUES	SDAY, SEPTEMBER 1	ROOM 3
11:11 -13:30	SESSION 3.1 CHAIRMAN: THOMAS DÖRING	SUSTAINABLE INTENSIFICATION
11:11 -11:30	WERY JACQUES	EXCELLENCE IN AGRONOMY 2030: A CGIAR-WIDE INITIATIVE TO TAKE DATA-DRIVEN AGRONOMY TO SCALE IN THE GLOBAL SOUTH



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11:30 -11:45	FEIKE TIL	CONTRIBUTION OF IMPROVED IRRIGATION TO NARROWING FARMERS' WHEAT YIELD GAPS IN NORTH- EAST IRAN
11:45 -12:00	YAKUBU BALMA ISSAKA	TYPOLOGY OF LOWLAND RAINFED RICE PRODUCTION AND ITS IMPLICATION FOR SMALLHOLDER AGRICULTURAL INTENSIFICATION IN NORTHERN GHANA
12:15 -12:30	NA WANG	SYNERGIES AND TRADE-OFFS BETWEEN YIELD, QUALITY, RESOURCE USE EFFICIENCY AND ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF POTATO PRODUCTION IN CHINA
12:30 -12:45	SARA BOSI	DEVELOPMENT OF AN ECONOMIC THRESHOLD FOR HERBICIDE APPLICATION IN COMMON WHEAT
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14:00 -16:30	SESSION 3.1 CHAIRMAN: GORAN BERGKVIST	SUSTAINABLE INTENSIFICATION
14:00 -14:15	DANIEL KINDRED	ACHIEVING PRECISION IN ON-FARM EXPERIMENTS
14:15 -14:30	FABIO MASCHER	STABILITY OF QUALITY AND YIELD IN WHEAT COMPOSITE CROSS POPULATIONS
14:30 -14:45	SARAH KENDALL	USING FARM INNOVATION GROUPS TO ACCELERATE PROGRESS IN AGRICULTURE.
14:45 -15:00	DOMENICO RONGA	STRUVITE AS A SUSTAINABLE BIO-FERTILIZER FOR THE REDUCTION OF PHOSPHATE ROCK DEPENDENCY AND BETTER DELOCALIZATION OF LIQUID DIGESTATE
15:00 -15:15	ANA AGUILAR	ECOSYSTEM FUNCTIONS OF MICROBIAL CONSORTIA IN SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE
15:15 -15:30	MARGARITA RUIZ-RAMOS	SUST-FARM: A MODEL TO ASSESS SUSTAINABLE INTENSIFICATION AND CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION AT FARM SCALE
15:45 -16:00		COFFEE BREAK
16:00 -18:30	SESSION 3.2 CHAIRMAN: HELENA GÓMEZ-MACPHERSON	EFFICIENT RESOURCE MANAGEMENT: SOILS, WATER, NUTRIENTS, AND ENERGY
16:15 -16:30	VICTOR MAIGNAN	EVALUATION OF INNOVATIVE FERTILIZER ADDITIVES ON THE PHYSIOLOGICAL IMPACTS, AGRONOMIC PERFORMANCES AND PROTEIN QUALITY IN WINTER WHEAT

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16:30 -16:45	ANTONIO RAFAEL SÁNCHEZ- RODRÍGUEZ	BIOFORTIFICATION OF CEREALS WITH SOIL AND FOLIAR
	RODRIGUEZ	APPLICATIONS OF ZINC IN THE SOUTH OF SPAIN
16:45 -17:00	SII VIA BACHMANN-PFABE	ENHANCING DROUGHT TOLERANCE IN PERENNIAL
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		KORONEIKI OLIVE TREE PHYSIOLOGY RESPONSES
17:00 -17:15	MELPOMENI SIAKOU	UNDER TWO DEFICIT IRRIGATION TREATMENTS IN
		CYPRUS
	47.45.47.00 ELEMANAVA DDO GODIANO	ANALYSIS OF THE FREQUENCY OF DISTRIBUTION OF
17:15 -17:30		THE RELATIVE IRRIGATION SUPPLY INDEX IN THE WATER
17.15 -17.50	ELENA NAVARRO SORIANO	USERS ASSOCIATION OF SECTOR BXII OF THE LOWER
		GUADALQUIVIR RIVER
		MAIZE MONOCULTURE UNDER MEDITERRANEAN
17:45 -18:00	SAMUEL FRANCO-LUESMA	CONDITIONS: ASSESSING THE EFFECT OF DIFFERENT
		IRRIGATION AND TILLAGE SYSTEMS

WEDNI	ESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2	ROOM 1
09:00 -11:30	SESSION 2.4 CHAIRMAN: ANTONIO DELGADO	MITIGATING CLIMATE CHANGE: MODELLING, PREDICTION, AND STRATE
09:00 -09:45	MARCO MORIONDO	KEYNOTE: EXPECTED IMPACT OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON FOOD PRODUCING SYSTEM IN THE MEDITERRANEAN REGION: HOW SMART AGRICULTURE CAN IMPROVE THE RESILIENCE
09:45 -10:00	QAISAR SADDIQUE	MULTIPLE CROP MODELS PROJECTION OF WHEAT PRODUCTION UNDER FUTURE CLIMATE CHANGE SCENARIOS IN THE GUANZHONG PLAIN, CHINA
10:00 -10:15	JAY RAM LAMICHHANE	HARNESSING CROP MODELS TO PINPOINT THE ESTABLISHMENT QUALITY OF FIELD CROPS UNDER THE 21ST CENTURY CLIMATE CHANGE: CASE STUDIES OF SOYBEAN AND SUGAR BEET IN NORTHERN FRANCE
10:15 -10:30	DANIEL MIRALLES	ADAPTATION STRATEGIES TO HIGH NIGHT TEMPERATURE IN WINTER CEREALES AND INTERACTION WITH MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

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10:45 -11:00		COFFEE BREAK
11:00 -13:30	SESSION 2.4 CHAIRMAN: MARCO MORIONDO	MITIGATING CLIMATE CHANGE: MODELLING, PREDICTION, AND STRATE
11:00 -11:15	LUIS PARRAS-ALCÁNTARA	EFFECT OF TILLAGE AND TOPOGRAPHIC POSITION ON SOIL QUALITY IN MEDITERRANEAN OLIVE GROVE HILLSDIES
11:15 -11:30	ROESCH ANDREAS	APPROXIMATION OF GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS FOR A FARM NETWORK USING READILY AVAILABLE DATA
11:30 -11:45	SEYEDREZA AMIRI	MODELLING DORMANT SEEDING OF RAINFED CHICKPEA AS AN ADAPTATION STRATEGY TO SUSTAIN PRODUCTIVITY UNDER CLIMATE CHANGE
11:45 -12:00	NAULLEAU AUDREY	STRATEGIES FOR ADAPTING VITICULTURE TO CLIMATE CHANGE: A PARTICIPATORY MODELING APPROACH WITHIN A MEDITERRANEAN CATCHMENT
12:00 -12:15	ROBIN MARIE HELENE	IDENTIFICATION AND EVALUATION OF CROP ADAPTATION STRATEGIES TO CLIMATE CHANGE FOR WHEAT, POTATO, AND SUNFLOWER IN FRANCE.
12:15 -12:30	TOMMASO TADIELLO	SOIL ORGANIC CARBON SEQUESTRATION IN MEDITERRANEAN AND HUMID SUBTROPICAL CLIMATES UNDER CONSERVATION AGRICULTURE: FIRST STEPS OF A META-ANALYSIS
12:30 -12:45	ELISA M. SUÁREZ-REY	CARBON AND NITROGEN FOOTPRINT OF DRIP- FERTIGATED GREENHOUSE TOMATO CROPS
12:45 -13:00	FOLTZER LOUIS	GRASSLAND RESILIENCE TO CLIMATE VARIABILITY ON NITRATE LEACHING
13:00 -14:00		LUNCH
14:00 -16:30	SESSION 2.5/CHAIRMAN: ENGRACIA MADEJÓN	PROTECTING NATURAL RESOURCES AND THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT
14:00 -14:15	DONGMO ZANGUE YANNICK	PRESERVING ENVIRONMENT THROUGH FARMLAND MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (FMP)? A GENERIC REVIEW

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14:15 -14:30	NENDEL CLAAS	SIMULATING NITRATE LEACHING FROM AGRICULTURAL LAND USE IN GERMANY
14:30 -14:45	STEFAAN DE NEVE	SOIL PHOSPHORUS (P) MINING IN AGRICULTURE - IMPACTS ON P AVAILABILITY, CROP YIELDS AND SOIL ORGANIC CARBON STOCKS
15:00 -15:15	NICOLAS BEAUDOIN	LONG TERM RESPONSES OF CROP YIELD, SOILS AND NITRATE LOSSES TO BEST AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES AT THE CATCHMENT SCALE
15:15 -15:30	ANDREA AGUILAR	PARTICIPATORY CONSTRUCTION OF FERTILITY AND HEALTH INDICATORS IN AGRICULTURAL SYSTEMS WITH A MEDITERRANEAN CLIMATE IN CHILE
15:30 -15:45	AWAIS SHAKOOR	MODELLING OF SOIL NITROGEN DYNAMICS IN CROPPING SYSTEM WITH LEACHM IN RAINFED SEMIARID MEDITERRANEAN REGION
15:45 -16:00		COFFEE BREAK
16:00 -17:00		VIRTUAL FIELD TRIP

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2		ROOM 2
09:00 -11:30	SESSION 2.2/CHAIRMAN: CHRISTINE WATSON	CROP DIVERSIFICATION
09:00 -09:15	MARIANO MARCOS PEREZ	INTERCROPPED BROCCOLI-FAVA BEAN SYSTEM CAN IMPROVE OVERALL PRODUCTION AND ECOSYSTEM SERVICES
09:15 -09:30	NADINE ENGBERSEN	THE CONTEXT DEPENDENCE OF RESOURCE PARTITIONING IN CROP MIXTURES
09:30 -09:45	MARÍA ALONSO-AYUSO	CHARACTERIZATION OF PERFORMANCE OF NINE SPECIES AS COVER CROPS INTERSEEDED INTO MAIZE
09:45 -10:00	GENÍS SIMON-MIQUEL	SOYBEAN INTRODUCTION IN MEDITERRANEAN CROPPING SYSTEMS CAN REDUCE THEIR CARBON FOOTPRINT
10:00 -10:15	DUCHENE OLIVIER	PERENNIAL GRAIN ROOTS DIFFER FROM ANNUAL ONES, AFFECTING SOIL FUNCTIONING AND MICROBIOLOGY
10:15 -10:30	FEDERICO LEONI	SELECTION OF SUITABLE LEGUMES FOR RELAY INTERCROPPING WITH DURUM WHEAT IN MEDITERRANEAN CEREAL-BASED CROPPING SYSTEMS



14:45 -15:00 MATTHIEU CAROF

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		MEDITERRANEAN DIVERSIFIED CROPPING SYSTEMS
10:45 -11:00		COFFEE BREAK
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11:00 -13:30	CHAIRMAN:	CROP DIVERSIFICATION
	MARIE-HELENE JEUFFROY	
		CHOOSING SERVICE PLANT FOR INTERCROPPING WITH
11:00 -11:15	XAVIER BOUSSELIN	RAPESEED BASED ON PLANT-PLANT AND PLANT-SOIL
		INTERACTIONS
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FGCC of olive trees was directly derived from summer imagery and inter-row FGCC (%CC) was calculated as the difference between 'real time' and summer FGCC (assumed as constant for mature plants in the absence of pruning or other canopy-reducing factors). A validation dataset (N=1600) was built from Deimos-2 satellite data (4x4m), assessed with an image processing package (Fiji Image-J) and based on a binary classification according to the structure of each pixel brightness histogram. Different machine learning (ML) methods taking into account all satellite bands were tested against standard vegetation indices (NDVI, EVI, BI). A higher robustness in predicting FGCC was achieved when using ML methods rather than vegetation indexes, especially for the case of PLS regression, Bayesian Ridge or Multiple Linear Regression Models (MLR). A model based on PLS was tested on Sentinel-2 data for more than 16.500 plots and evaluated with both the Deimos-2 validation dataset and field observations. The PLS model revealed a satisfactory potential to be used from crop field (10x10m) to landscape scale, with a temporal resolution of 5-10 days in cloud-free conditions. Pixel classification showed higher accuracy when distinguishing between higher CC densities (high from >60 to medium <50 %CC), than between lower ones (from low <20 to medium 20-50 %CC). We observed a negative response of potential %CC to field slope, which eventually suggests adjustments on policy targets established for steeper plots. An exploratory exercise was conducted, the annual cover management factor (C-factor) of the RUSLE equation was calibrated for three different levels of estimated %CC, and relative changes of annual soil loss were predicted. This exemplifies alternative uses for both policy making and landscape planning apart from the CC mapping for farm management. However, further measurements are needed as accuracy can be substantially improved mostly when shifting from discrete to continuous scales of prediction.

Keywords: Remote sensing, Monitoring tools, Farming systems

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CHANGES IN THE AVAILABLE PHOSPHORUS CONTENT OF THE AGRICULTURAL SOIL OF THE VOJVODINA PROVINCE, SERBIA

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- The increasing phosphorus fertilizers use in agricultural production requires monitoring of the available phosphorus content in the soil. The AL available concentration of a soil is a key index that can be used to evaluate the P supply capacity of the soil and to estimate the optimal P fertilization rate. The aim of this paper was to examine the changes in the available phosphorus content in agricultural soil of Vojvodina Province, in the framework of soil quality monitoring. The examination included 1600 samples of agricultural soils from representative sites, properly distributed in a 4x4 km squares network. The available phosphorus content was determined by spectrophotometric method in AL extract (Egner and Riehm). The results of the research were compared with the results of the previous project in 1992, in order to detect the tendency of soil quality.

The results indicated that soil class with the optimal content (15-25 mg/100 g) covered the largest area (21.4%), while the smallest area (5.4%), included soil with a toxic content (< 100 mg/100 g). The area of soil with very high to harmful content (50-100 mg/100 g) amounted to 5.8%. Compared to results from 1992, the amount of available phosphorus increased in all types of soil by 4.67 mg/100 g, except in the humofluvisol. The area of poorly supplied and soils with phosphorus content over 50 mg/100g has been increased. Research indicated inadequate application of fertilizers compared to the previous period.

Keywords: available phosphorus, AL method, soil quality.

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MODELLING WINTER WILD OAT IN THE SOUTH OF SPAIN, USING A NON PARAMETRIC REGRESSION

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Use of non-parametric regressions can improve our understanding of weed emergence patterns at the species-level, leading to improvements in weed management programs. Currently, parametric non-linear regressions are the predominant technique for modeling environmental indices, like thermal and hydrothermal time, to predict seedling emergence. However, this kind of regression has many statistical limitations. Our model used a Gaussian kernel distribution to describe the emergence of winter wild oat (Avena sterilis spp. ludoviciana (Durieu) Gillet & Magne), the most widely spread wild oat in Spain. The model was based on two different sites, Tomejil (37°24'08.4"N, 5°35'21.4"W) and Sevilla-ETSIA (37°21'07"N, 05°56'20"W), during two (2006/07 and 2007/08) and three (from 2005/06 to 2007/08) growing seasons, respectively. In both sites, 200 seeds of A. sterilis were sown each growing season under rain-fed conditions, simulating cereal field conditions. Each new sowing was placed next to the one made the previous year without disturbance. Seedling emergence was measured from each sowing during the two growing seasons. This, together with the accumulation of daily thermal or hydrothermal degrees starting at the first relevant rain, produced eight different growing conditions to train the model. Overall the mean emergence was 25.82% in the first-year sites and 11.25% in the second year. This model presented a high degree of accuracy describing the winter wild oat emergence at both sites. Weed emergence appeared to peak at approximately 200 hydrothermal degrees. Application of models like this that are based on growing conditions could optimize the timing of the control, resulting in reduced herbicide use, greater efficacy, and lower production costs.

Keywords: Hydrothermal model, Avena sterilis spp ludoviciana, weed emergence model, kernel estimation.

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USING HAND-HELD X-RAY FLUORESCENCE SPECTROMETRY FOR QUICK ANALYSIS OF ORGANIC AMENDMENTS

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The determination of heavy metals in organic amendments, such as compost, manure, biofertilizer, and sludge, generally involves the digestion of samples with aqua regia, and the determination of those in the solution using various techniques. Hand-held X-ray fluorescence (pXRF) has many advantages in relation to traditional analytical techniques. However, pXRF determines the total elemental content and, until now, its use for the analysis of organic amendments has been limited. The objective of this work is the calibration of a pXRF instrument to determine the aqua regia-soluble elemental contents directly in solid samples of organic amendments. In this way, we will avoid the digestion step and the use of other more laborious and slower laboratory techniques. A training set of samples corresponding to the MARSEP-WEPAL (Wageningen evaluating programs for analytical laboratories) program was used for obtaining calibration functions that allow the prediction of the aqua regia-soluble contents from the pXRF readings of total contents. The calibration functions (obtained by multiple linear regression) allowed the quantitative determination of the aqua regia-soluble contents of Fe, K, P, S, Zn, Cu, Pb, Sr, Cr, and Mn. as well as the organic matter content and a semi-quantitative assessment of Al, Ca, V, Ba, Ni, and As contents. For each target element, additionally to their own pXRF readings, the readings of Si, Fe, Al, Ca, K. or S were used as correction factors and introduced in the multiple linear equations, indicating that the calibrations functions found are truly based on the chemical composition of the sample matrix. This study will allow a fast, cheap, and reliable field analysis of organic amendments and of other biomass-based materials. In this way, immediate analysis can be made in the field that would allow, for example, adapting the application to the characteristics of specific batches or discarding non-compliant batches. More complete information on this work can be obtained from López et al. (2019).