

**Motto: The up to date crop production technologies
can contribute to reduce the impact of climate
change**

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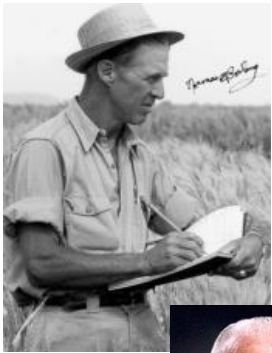
**CLIMATE CHANGE AND SUSTAINABLE PRECISION CROP
PRODUCTION WITH REGARD TO MAIZE (*ZEA MAYS L.*)**

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Norman Borlaug "the father of the Green Revolution"

1980-2009: he was elected honorary member of the [Hungarian Academy of Sciences](#).
NOBEL PEACE PRIZE: 1970

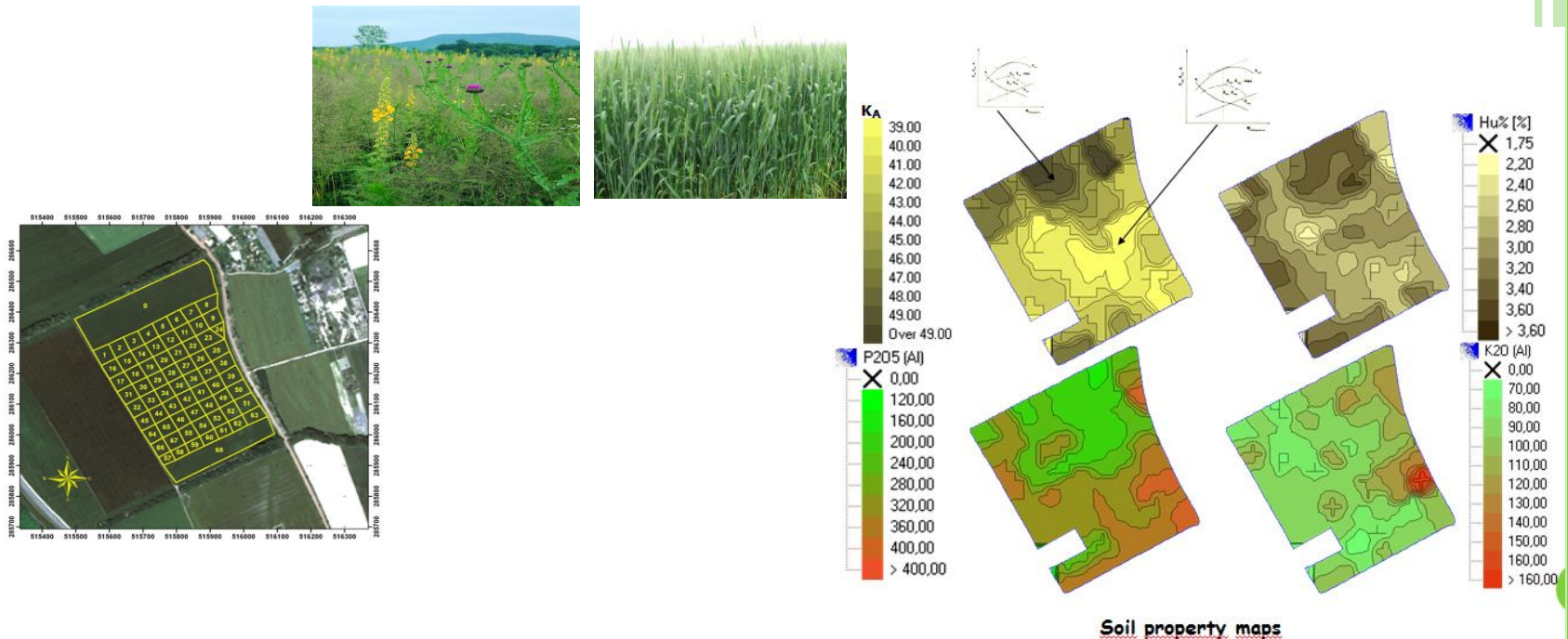
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The screenshot shows the Nature journal website interface. At the top, the 'nature' logo is displayed in white on a red background, with the tagline 'International weekly journal of science'. Below the logo, there is a search bar and a breadcrumb trail: 'Journal home > Archive > News and Views > Full Text'. On the left side, there is a 'Journal content' menu with options: 'Journal home', 'Advance online publication', 'Current issue', 'Nature News', 'Archive' (highlighted in red), and 'Supplements'. The main content area is titled 'News and Views' and features an article by David Tilman. The article title 'The greening of the green revolution' is highlighted with a green box. Below the title, the author's name 'David Tilman¹' is listed. A short abstract follows: 'In comparison with conventional, high-intensity agricultural methods, [organic] alternatives can improve soil fertility and have fewer detrimental effects on the environment. These alternatives can also produce equivalent crop yields to conventional methods.' On the right side of the article, there is a portrait of David Tilman and two buttons: 'Table of contents' and 'Download PDF'.

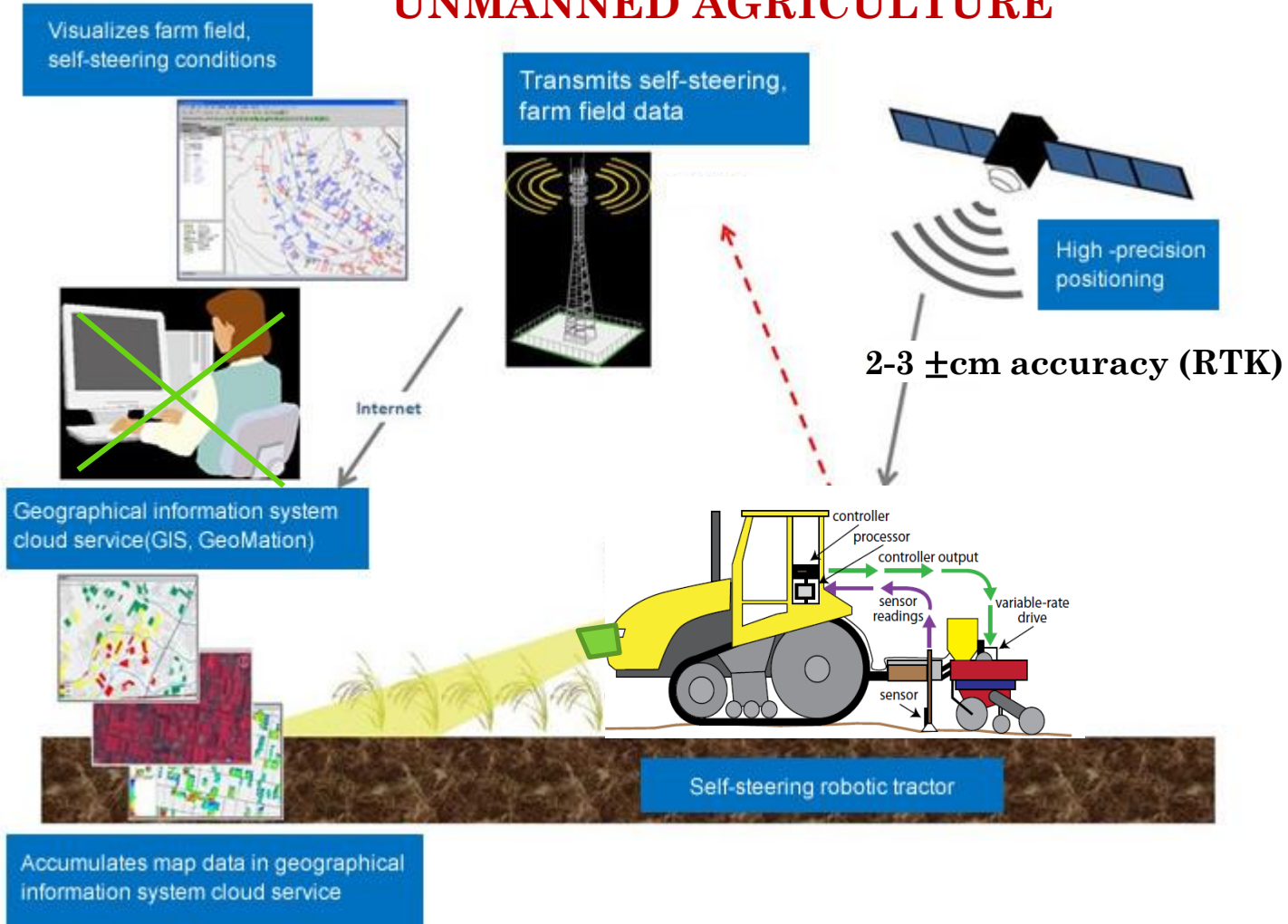
The results of Drinkwater and colleagues⁴ are a step in the right direction. What may lead to further progress? The green revolution turned developments in crop genetics, inexpensive pesticides and fertilizers, and mechanization into greater yields. *Further advances, such as precision agriculture*, in which fertilizer application rates and timing are adjusted differentially across a field to meet crop needs, will increase agricultural

DEFINITION OF PRECISION CROP PRODUCTION

PA is a site specific treatment: The fields are divided into management zones (100-2500 m²). For the collection of data we use remote sensing and another on-the go methods (different platforms). The GPS RTK provides $\pm 2-3$ cm positioning accuracy, the data processing is done by GIS. Sustainable production can not be achieved without PA. It is not only a new technical system, but also a new approach of the managing the agro and natural ecology as a unit.



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Forrás: <http://www.yanmaragriculture.eu/News-detail/yanmar-conducts-feasibility-study-on-using-quasizenith-satellite-system-for-precision-farming/>

Precision Farming Tools: Variable-Rate Application, 442-505, Virginia



Does foreign aid always help the poor?

It sounds kind of crazy to say that foreign aid often hurts, rather than helps, poor people in poor countries, Angus Deaton, the [winner of the Nobel Prize in economics](#) (2015), has argued.



Climate Change and Agriculture Worldwide

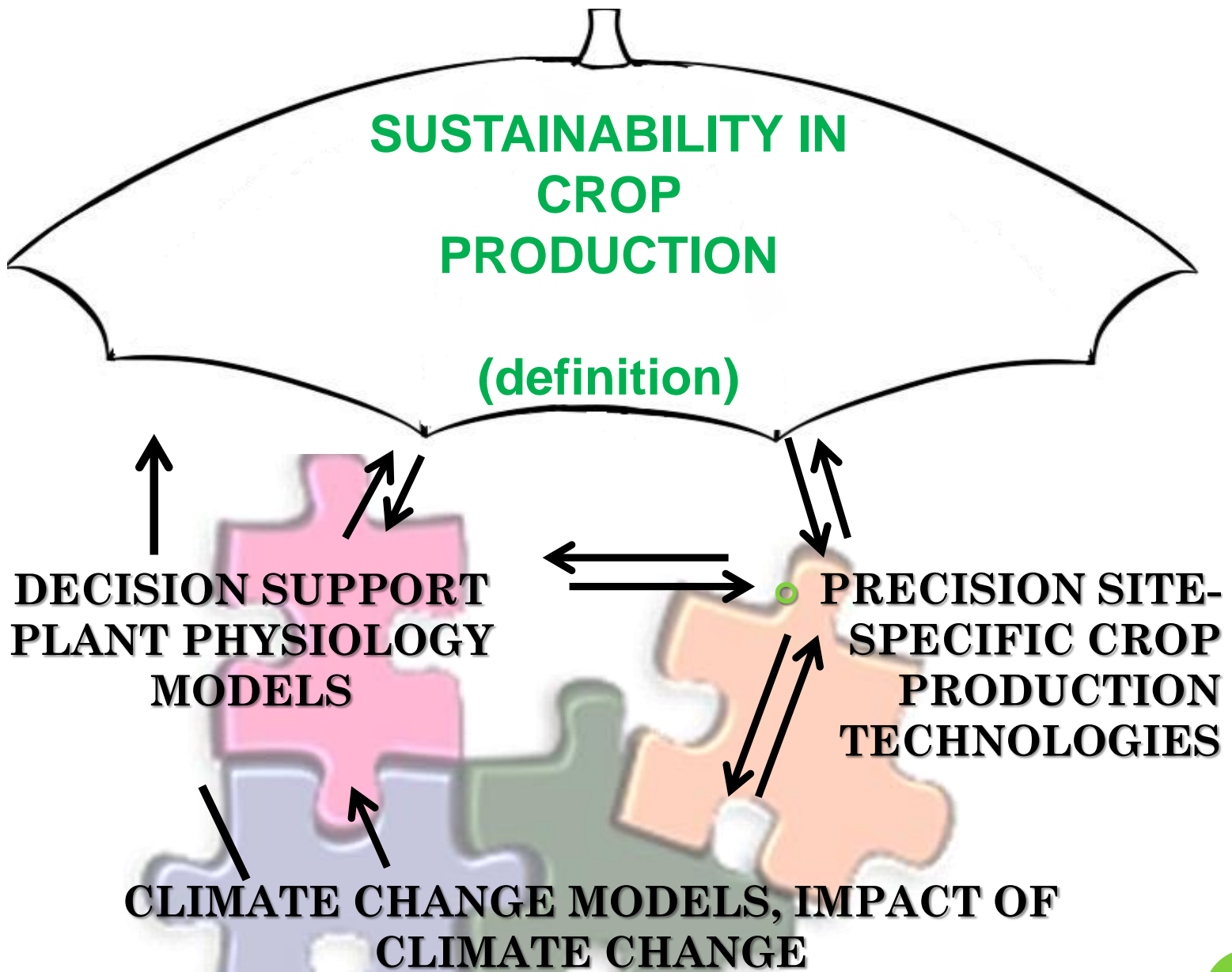
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There are strong interaction between the participants:
e.g. The precision technologies can reduce the GHG emissions...

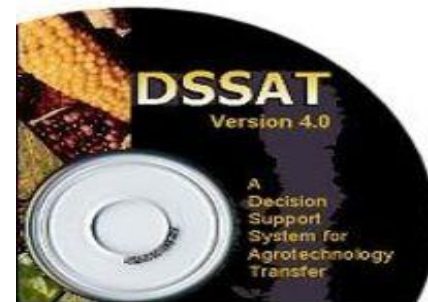
John von Neumann:

“The sciences do not try to explain, they hardly even try to interpret, they mainly make models.”

*Today, the situation is slightly changed:
not only the researchers but also the practice use models.
We can not give proper advice to farmers without models.*



Decision Support System for Agrotechnology Transfer (DSSAT)



- SOIL:** soil type, date of soil sampling; soil physical properties (silt, sand and clay content): organic matter %; CaCO₃%; pH; KCl; P₂O₅ mg/kg; K₂O₅ mg/kg; salt content (%).
- MANAGEMENT:** planting date, variety of crop, row spacing, irrigation and NPK fertilizer amounts and dates.....
- CROP DATA:** phenological characteristics, biomass of yield, dates of anthesis and maturity,, growth rate and Leaf area index, forecrop (type), main yield of forecrop, t/ha; secondary yield of forecrop (t/ha).....
- WEATHER:** daily maximum and minimum temperatures, wind speed, precipitation amounts, relative humidity, potential evaporation, sunshine duration and surface radiation....

More than 50 different properties are taken into consideration.



Point sampling methods are not suitable for the „feeding” such models



START OF ADAPTATION OF PRECISION TECHNOLOGIES (1996)

MODELING THE INTERACTION BETWEEN SUBSOILER AND SOIL



A FINITE ELEMENT METHOD

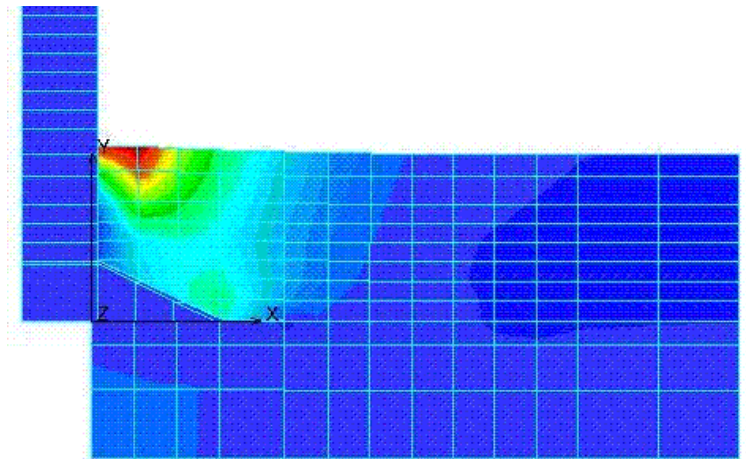
$$f = 3 \alpha \sigma_m + \bar{\sigma} - k = 0$$

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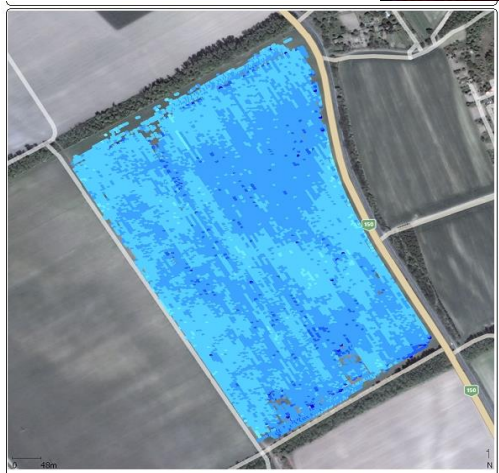
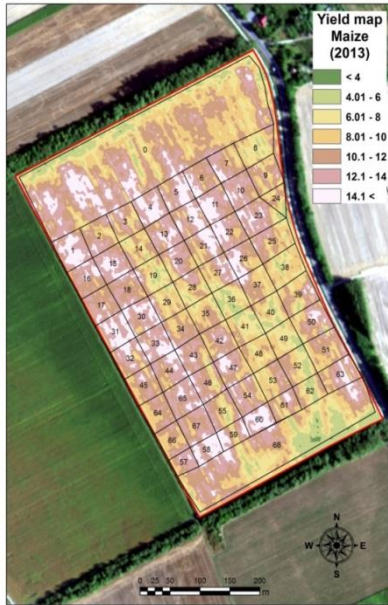
$$\frac{\partial \tau_{zx}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \tau_{zy}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \sigma_z}{\partial z} + F_z \rho = 0$$

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PRECISION, SITE-SPECIFIC YIELD MAPPING

(STARTED IN 1998)

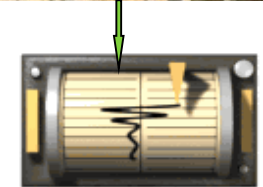
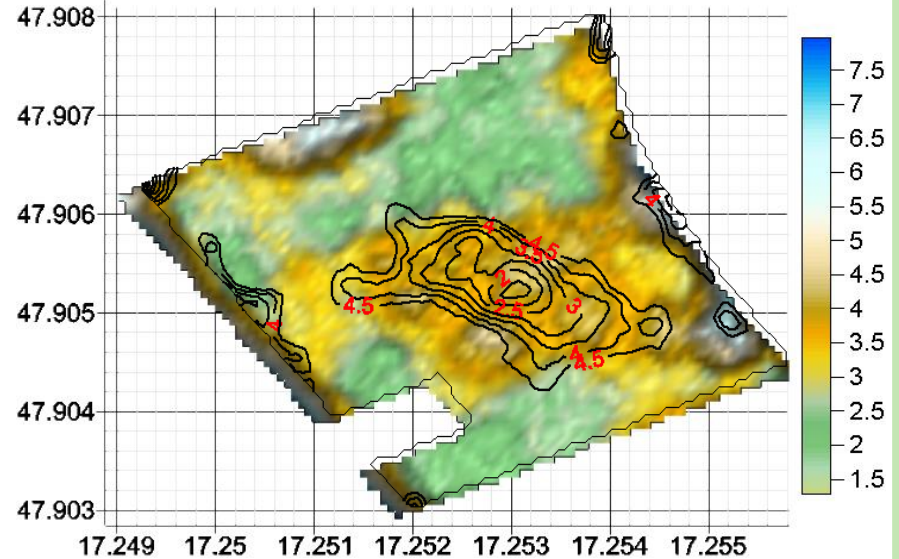
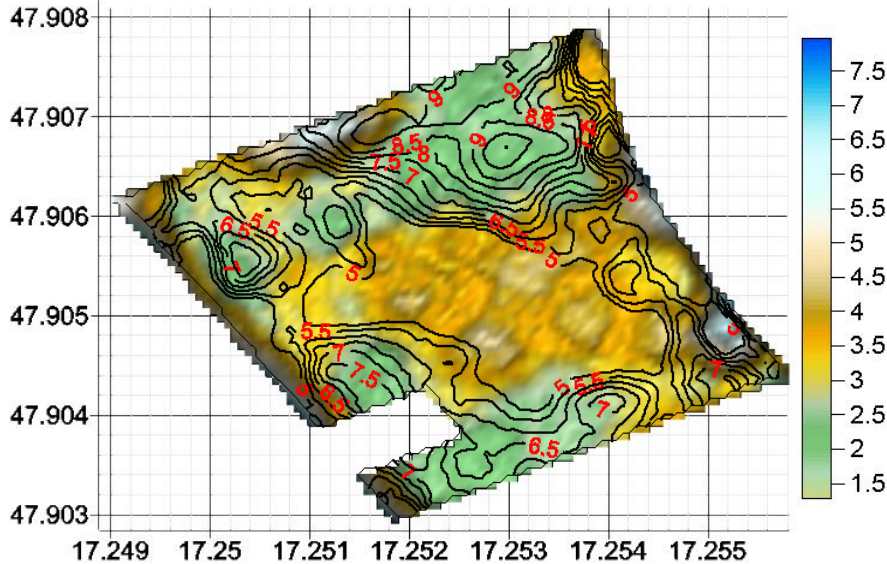


ON-THE-GO SOIL DRAUGHT FORCE MAPPING

P. Á. Mesterházi PhD



Investigation the relationship between yield and soil compaction

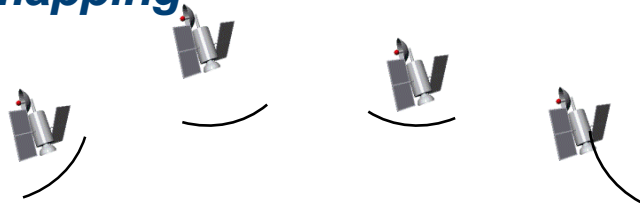


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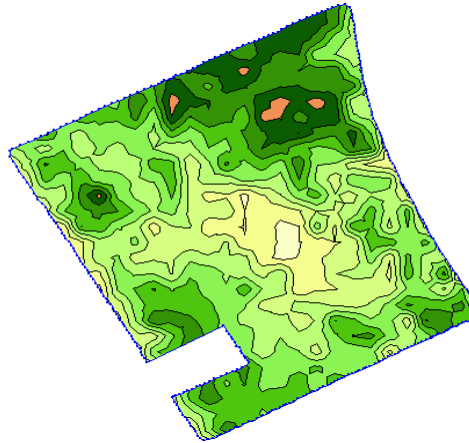
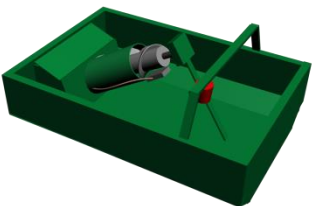
Improving of the accuracy of grain moisture content mapping



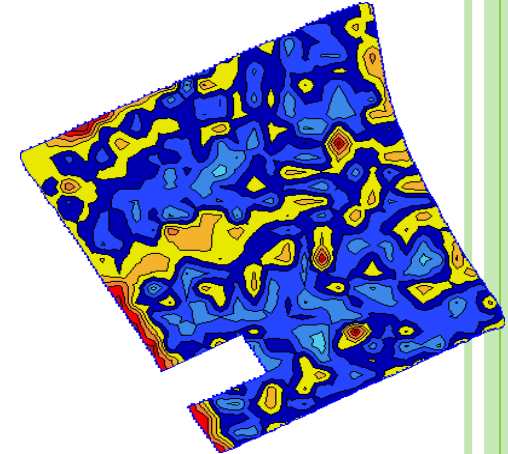
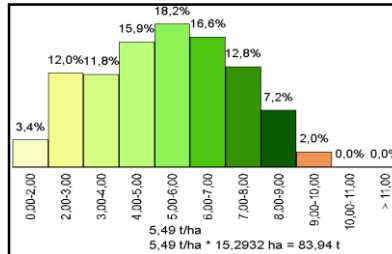
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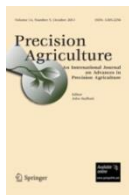
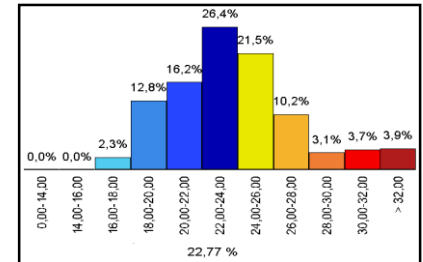
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Maize yield mapping



Grain moisture content mapping



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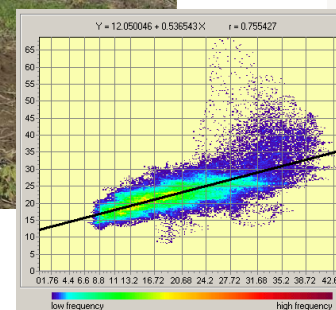
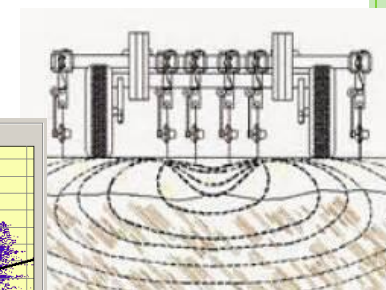
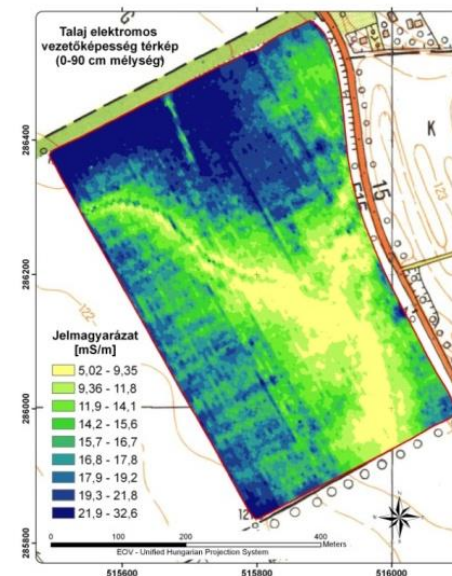


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ON-THE-GO MAPPING OF SOIL ELECTRICAL CONDUCTIVITY (EC_a) – pH, SOIL MOISTURE AND SOM CONTENT

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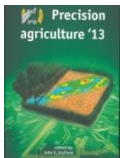
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ON-THE-GO MAPPING OF SOIL PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PARAMETERS



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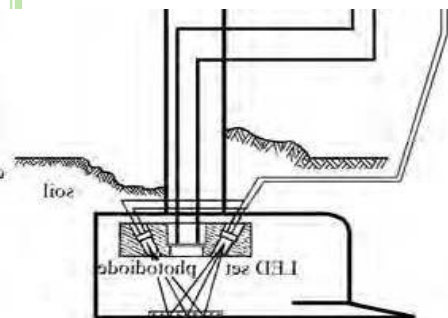


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Fusion of data from multiple soil sensors for the delineation of water holding capacity zones

(VIR-NIR) spectroscopy:

- soil physical and
- chemical properties:
- organic matter content,
- nitrogen,
- potassium,
- phosphorous,
- pH,
- w – soil moisture content,
- particle size
- and mineral composition of the soil;
- WHC.



Intelligent Systems in Technology of Precision Agriculture and Biosafety

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ON-LINE MEASURING THE GRAIN PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES (PROTEIN CONTENT)



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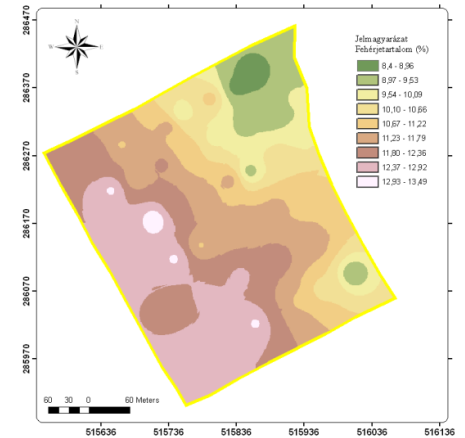


Dell Axim
x50V
PDA



Zeltex On-
Combine Grain
Analyzer System

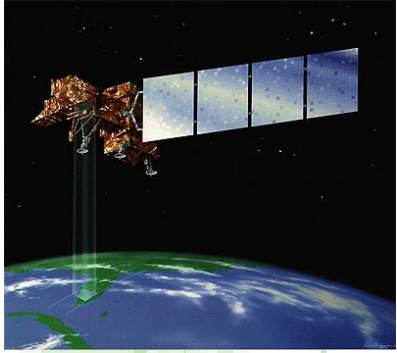
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DATA COLLECTION METHODS – REMOTE SENSING

DETECTION OF REFLECTANCE OF SOLAR RADIATION

Satellite



Airborne

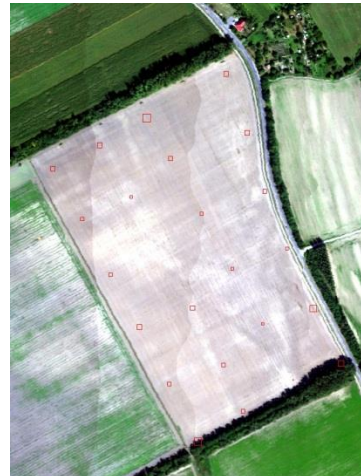
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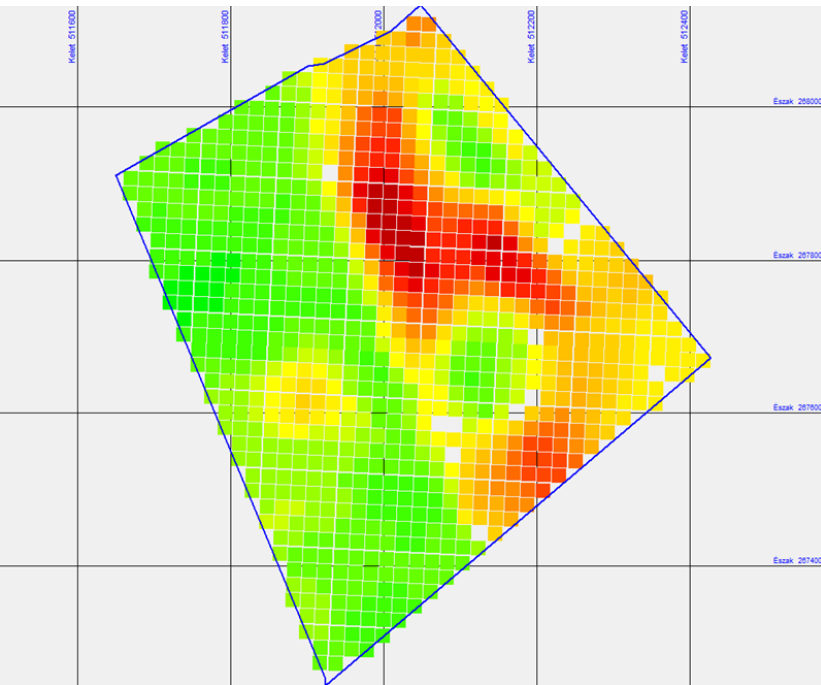
UAVs - drones



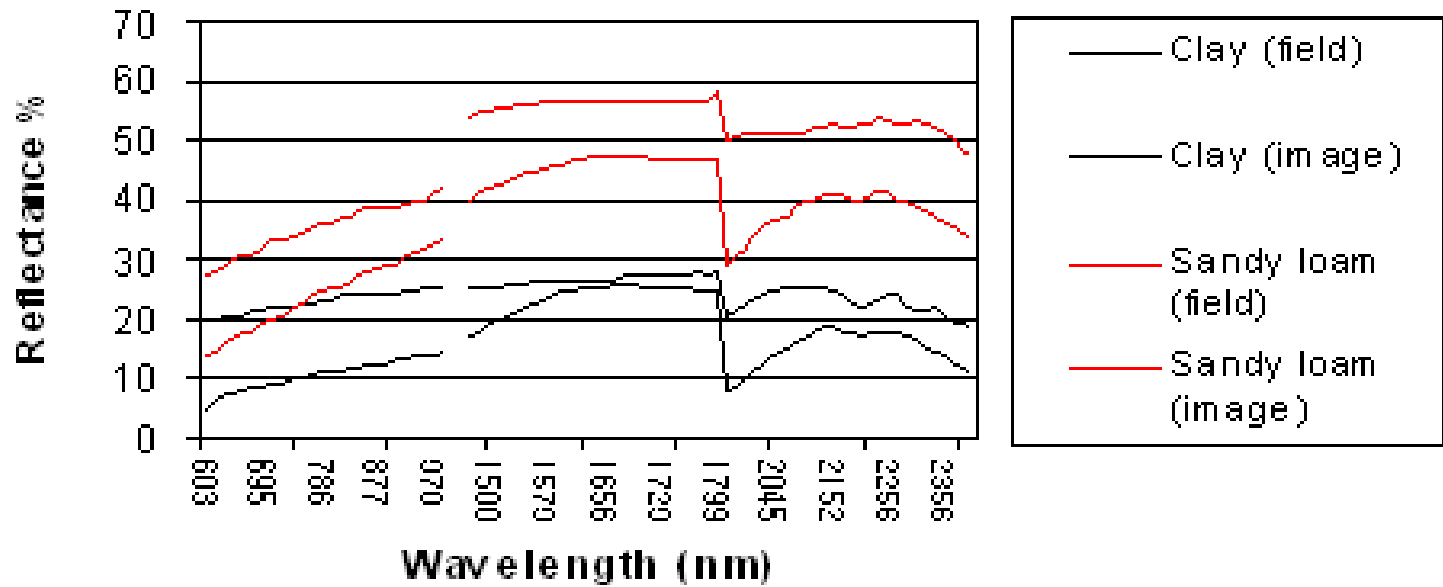
Near-surface



USING TALKINGFIELDS DATABASE FOR CALCULATION THE RELATIVE BIOMASS SITE-SPECIFIC YIELD LOSS (20X20 M)



Spectra for clay and sandy loam soil



DETECTION OF SOIL EROSION

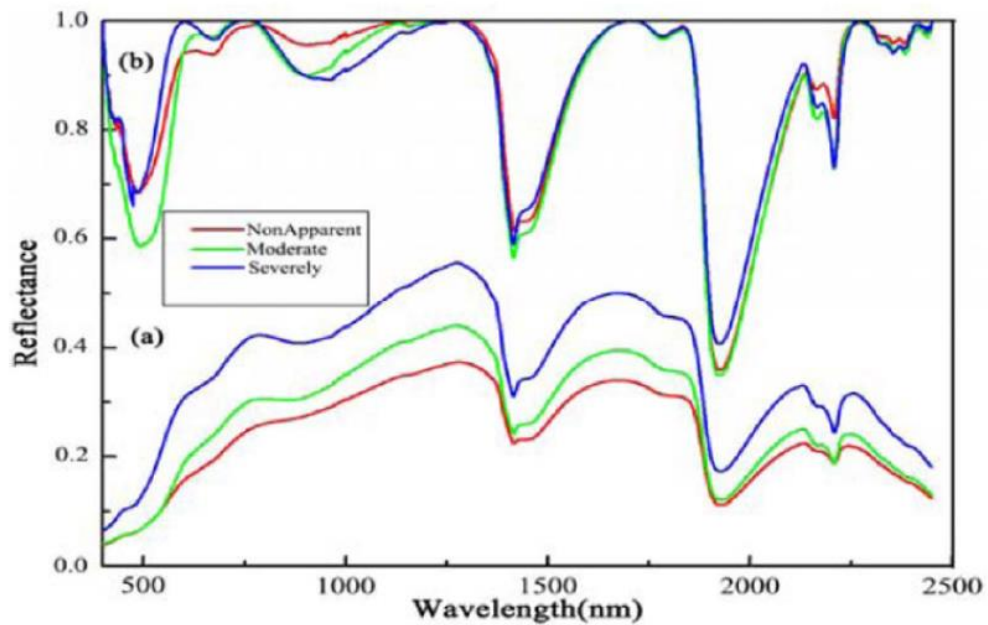
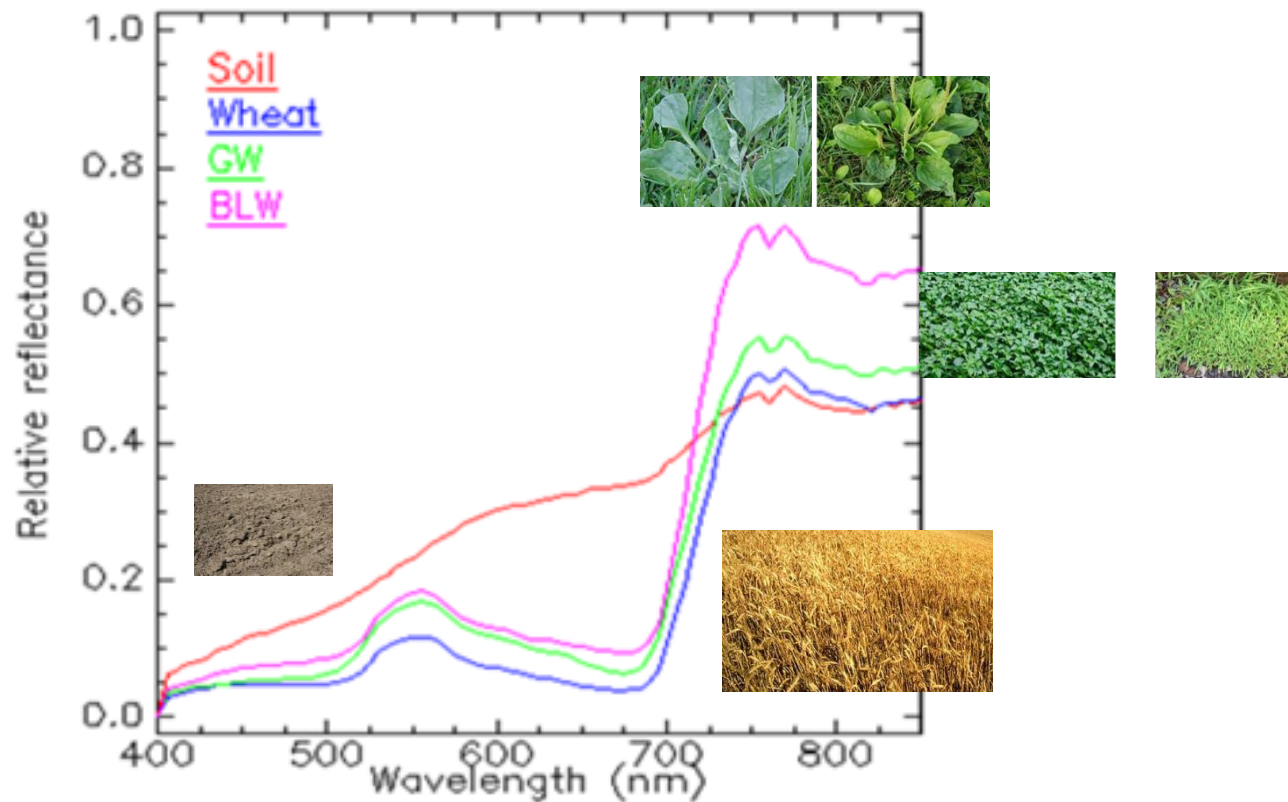


Figure 2 Reflectance spectral curves of different eroded soils (a) The average reflectance spectra; (b) The continuum removal spectral curves.



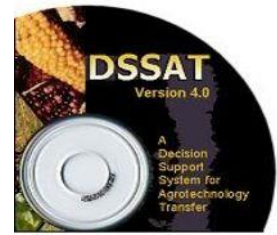
HYPERSPECTRAL DETECTION OF SOIL, WHEAT AND WEEDS



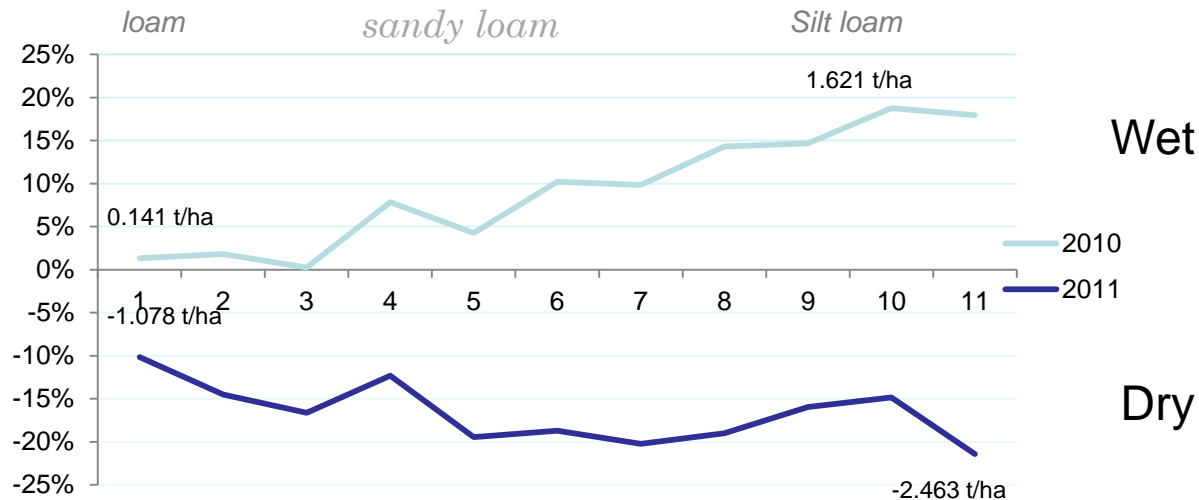
RELATIVE REFLECTANCE OF **WHEAT** OR CHICKPEA (CROP), **GRASS WEEDS (GW)**, **BROAD LEAF WEEDS (BLW)** VS WAVELENGTH (SHAPIRA ET AL., 2010)



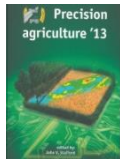
IMPROVING THE ACCURACY OF DSSAT MODEL



THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE SIMULATED AND MEASURED MAIZE YIELD UNDER DRY AND WET CONDITIONS



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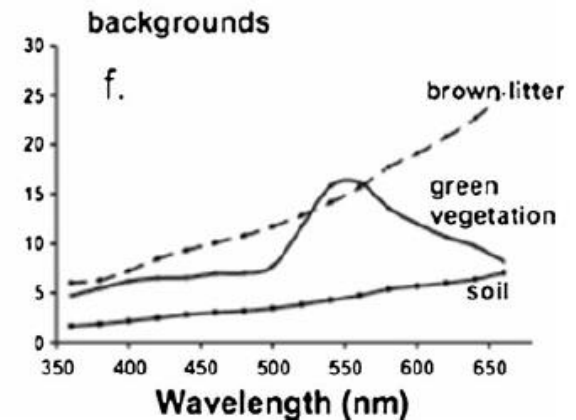
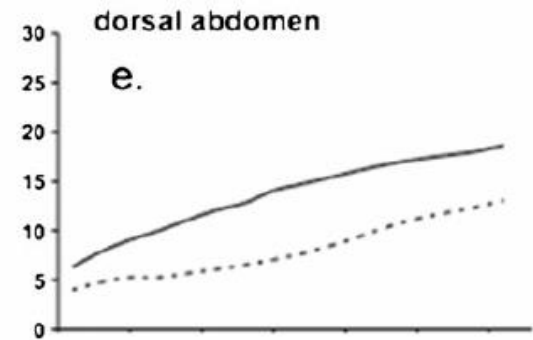
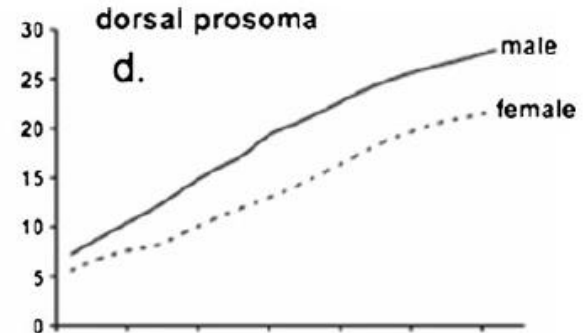
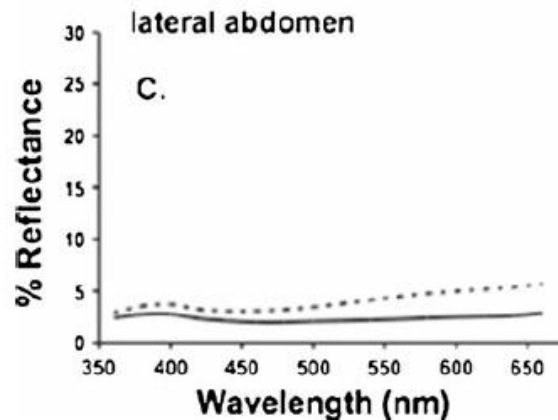
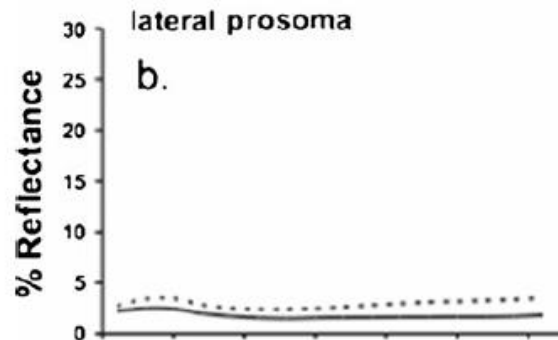
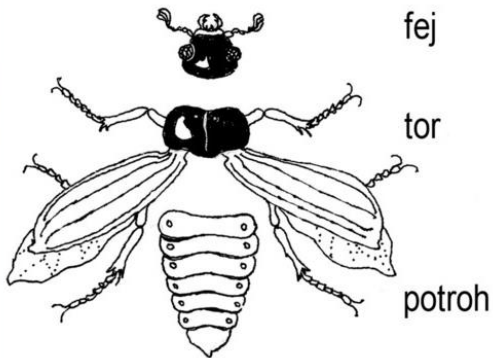
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REFLECTANCE SPECTRA OF BODY PARTS OF INSECTS

Fig. 2 a–f Reflectance spectra comparing males (*solid line*) to females (*dashed line*) for each body part measured with forest leaf litter backgrounds

Rovarok testfelépítése



WEED MAPPING BY THERMO AND CCD CAMERA



GPS IR Video Capture
Video GPS Processing About

Save captures to path: C:\capture
 each 10 secs each 10 meters

Capture images
 Do image processing

Record sum signal from IO card (select signs for difference signal)

1. Channel No.: 0 Range: 0~5 Sign: +
2. Channel No.: 8 Range: 0~5 Sign: +

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actSpeed:

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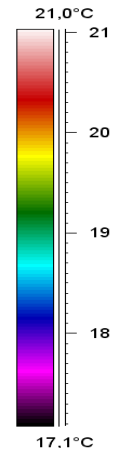
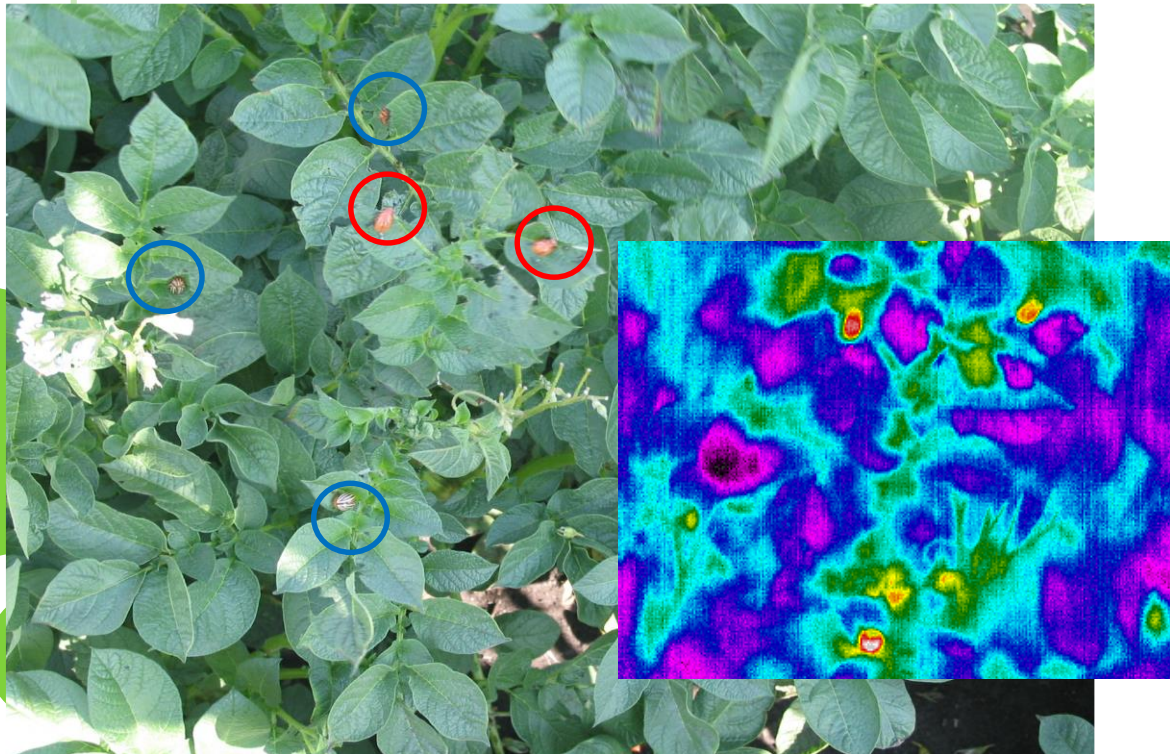
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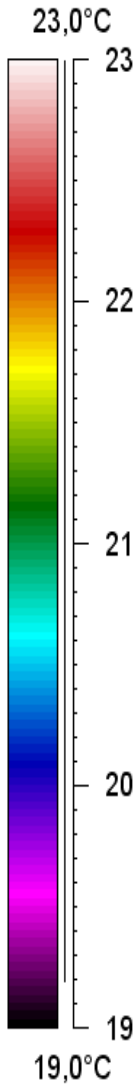
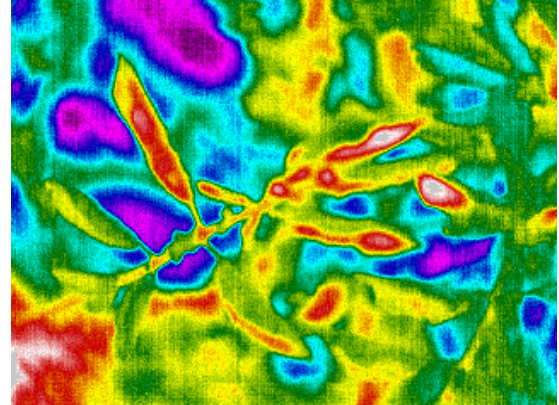
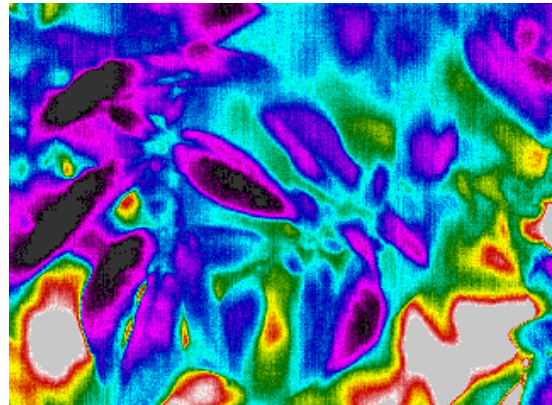
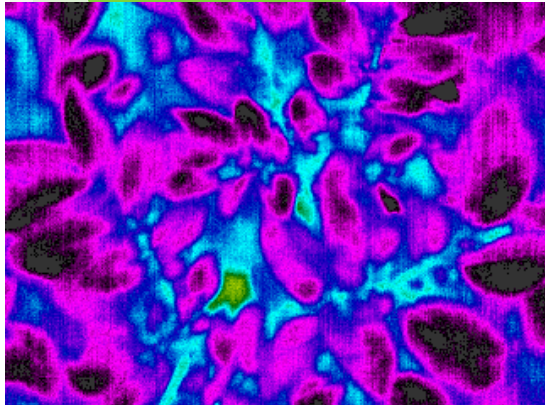
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IMAGO AND LARVAE DETECTION



PERCEPTION OF THE DEGREE OF INSECT DAMAGE



Healthy

Medium and strong symptoms



APPLIED CLIMATE MODELS (IPCC:A1B)

“Multi-model climate change global simulation” predictions

Database for decision support systems.

Model	Country	Institute	Spatial and temporary resolution
C4I-HadCM3 (until 2075)	Ireland	Community Climate Changes Consortium for Ireland	190*190*3600
DMI-ARPEGE	Denmark	Danish Meteorological Institute	174*190*3652
KNMI-ECHAM5	Holland	The Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute	170*190*3652
ETZH-HadCM3Q	Switzerland	Swiss Institute for Technology	170*190*3600
MPI-ECHAM5	Germany	Max-Planck-Institute for Meteorology	170*190*3652
SMHI-BCM	Sweden	Swedish Meteorological and Hydrologic Institute	170*190*3652

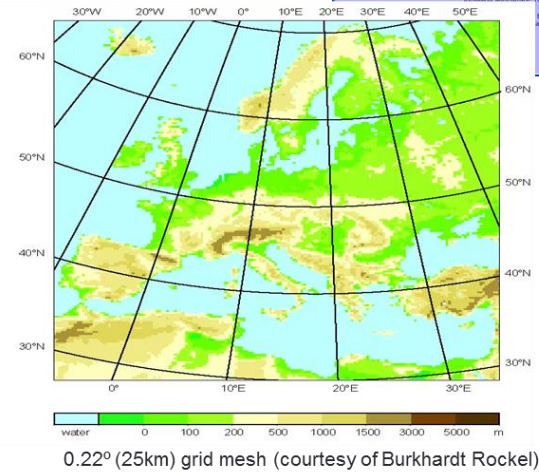
Climate models: Ensemble projekt (A1B scenario package)

5 models provide daily data until 2100.

Grid size: 25x25 km

Adapted input daily data:

1. **Maximum temperatures,**
2. **minimum temperatures,**
3. wind speed,
4. **amount of precipitation,**
5. relative humidity,
6. potential evaporation,
7. sunshine duration and
8. **surface radiation.**

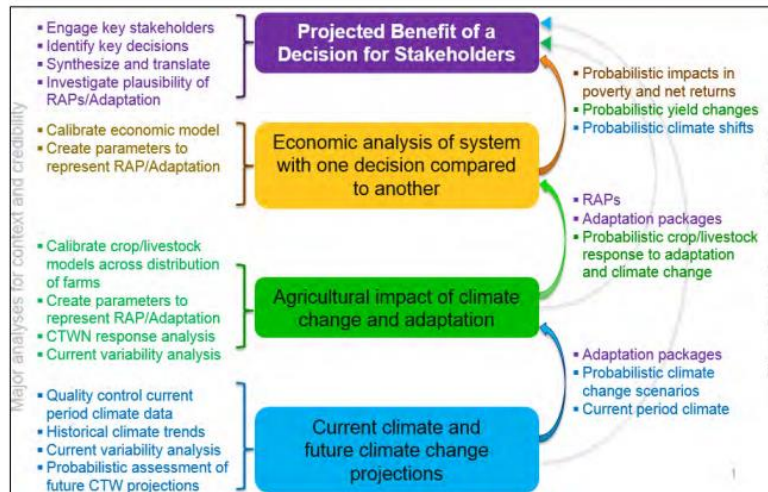


Compactibility of decision support (plant physiological) models



The Agricultural Model Intercomparison and Improvement Project

AgMIP: Protocols for AgMIP
Regional Integrated Assessments
Version 6.0



The AgMIP works out strategies in order to improve the accuracy of worldwide used DSS models. Thereby the results of these models can be compared. This is actually a process of unification.



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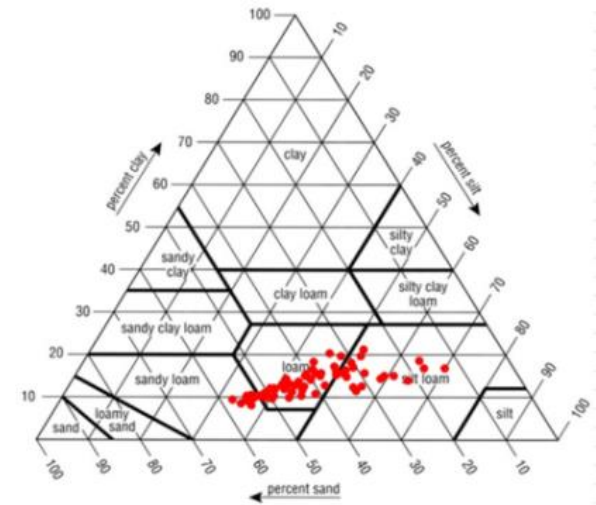
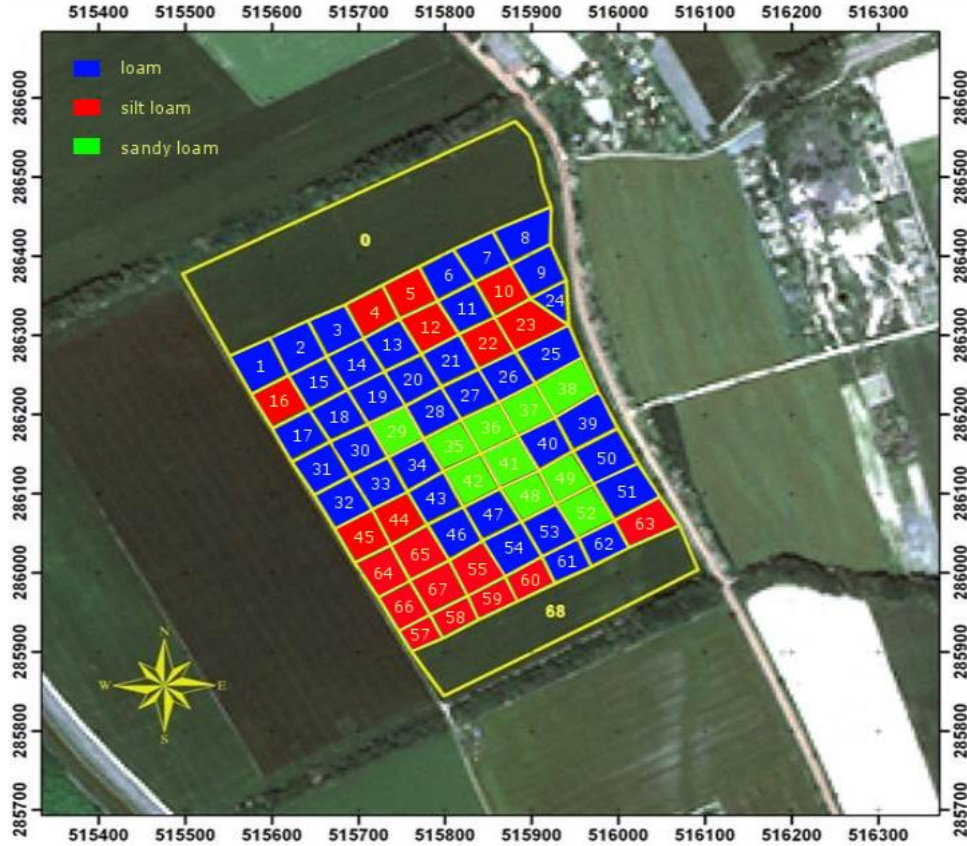


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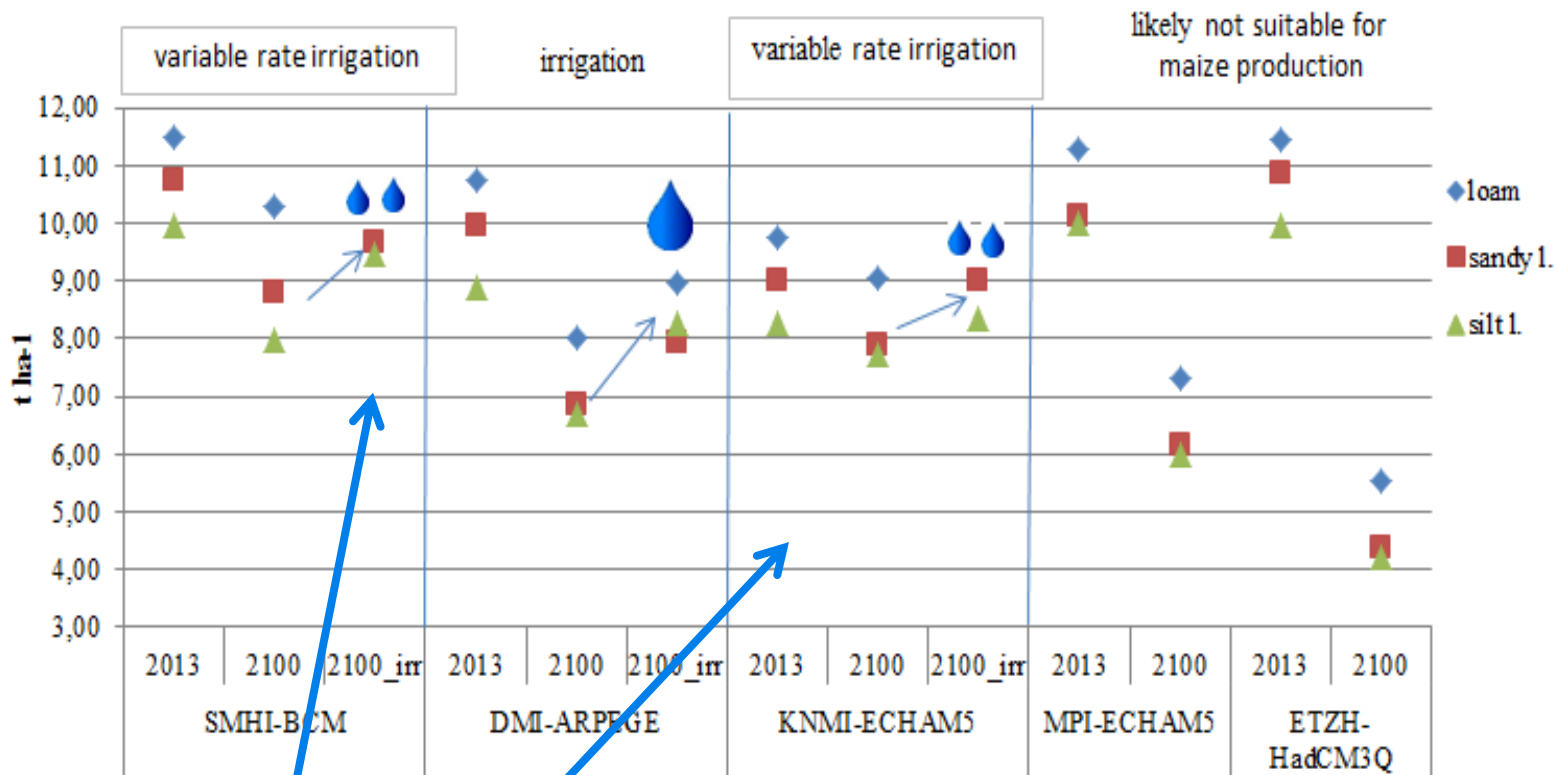




(GPS-BASED) SOIL SAMPLING POINTS

Stochastic distribution of the three soil types: **loam**, **silt loam** and **sandy loam** in the research field, Mosonmagyaróvár

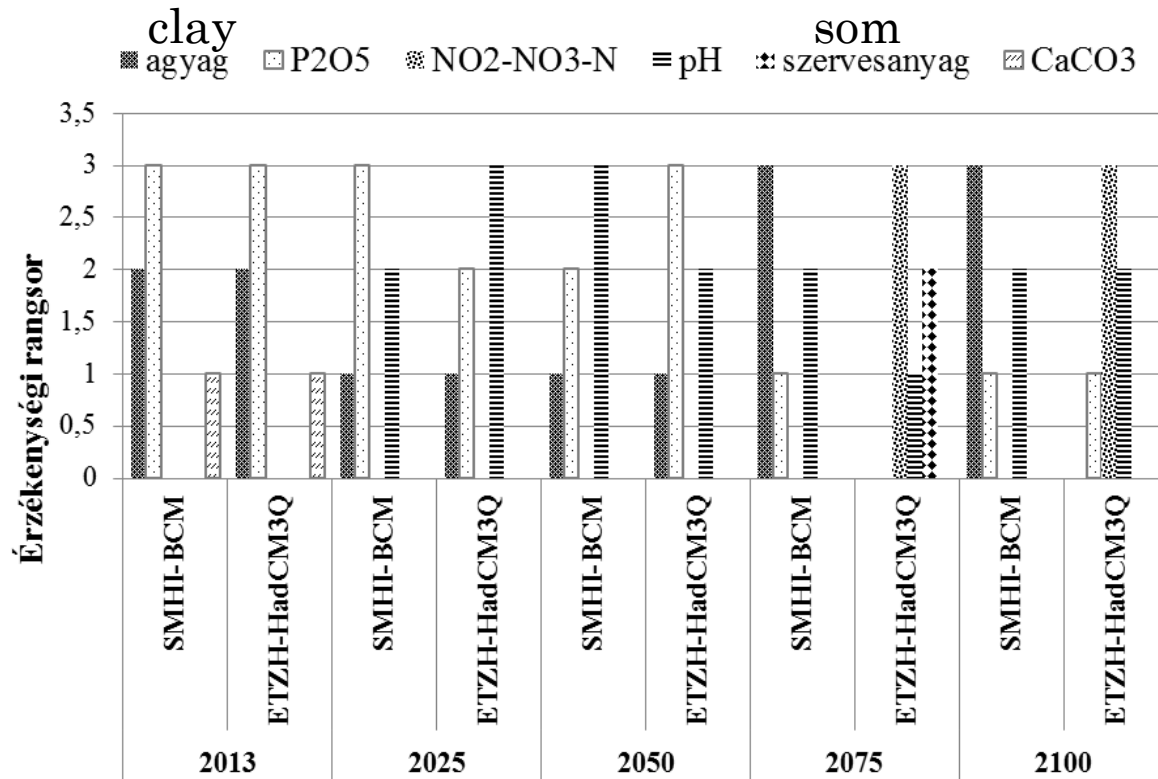
PREDICTED MAIZE YIELD IN MOSONMAGYARÓVÁR IN 2100 WITH VARIABLE RATE IRRIGATION (VRI) AT DIFFERENT SOIL TYPES



Kovács, A. J., Nyéki, A., Milics, G., Neményi, M. (2014) Climate change and sustainable precision crop production with regard to maize (*Zea mays* L.). 12th International Conference on Precision Agriculture. July 20-23, 2014; Sacramento, CA, USA.



TOTAL EFFECT INDEX RANKING WITH SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS (FOR SOIL PARAMETERS)



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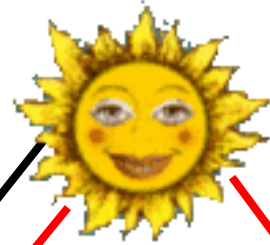
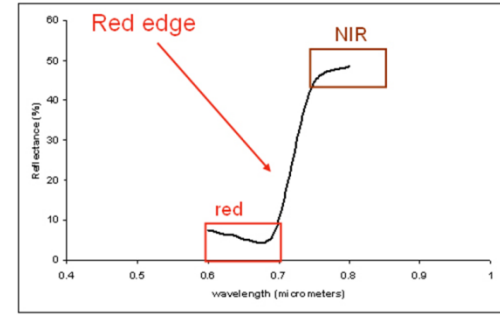
TOTAL EFFECT INDEX RANKING WITH SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS (CLIMATE PARAMETERS)

Climate scenarios	<i>CO2 ppm</i>	<i>Precipitation</i>	<i>Maximum temperature</i>	<i>Minimum temperature</i>
<i>MPI-ECHAM5</i>	<i>-0,018960243</i>	<i>0,001574</i>	<i>-2,47269</i>	<i>0,596704</i>
<i>ETZH-HadCM3Q</i>	<i>-0,036826056</i>	<i>0,007045</i>	<i>1,491355</i>	<i>0,68335</i>
<i>SMHI-BCM</i>	<i>-0,001529906</i>	<i>0,000442</i>	<i>-0,36137</i>	<i>0,435233</i>
<i>KNMI-ECHAM5</i>	<i>-0,006911322</i>	<i>0,00787</i>	<i>-0,5114</i>	<i>-0,28296</i>
<i>DMI-ARPEGE</i>	<i>0,00539868</i>	<i>0,011239</i>	<i>-1,44363</i>	<i>2,161368</i>



NORMALIZED DIFFERENCE VEGETATION INDEX

$$\text{NDVI} = \frac{\text{NIR} - \text{VIS}}{\text{NIR} + \text{VIS}}$$



NIR

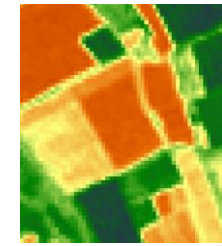
NIR

RED interval

50% 8%

$$\text{NDVI} = \frac{(0.50 - 0.08)}{(0.50 + 0.08)} = 0.72$$

A photograph of a healthy, green cornfield. A black arrow points to the top-left corner with the value '50%', and a red arrow points to the top-right corner with the value '8%'. Below the photo is the NDVI calculation.



30% 40%

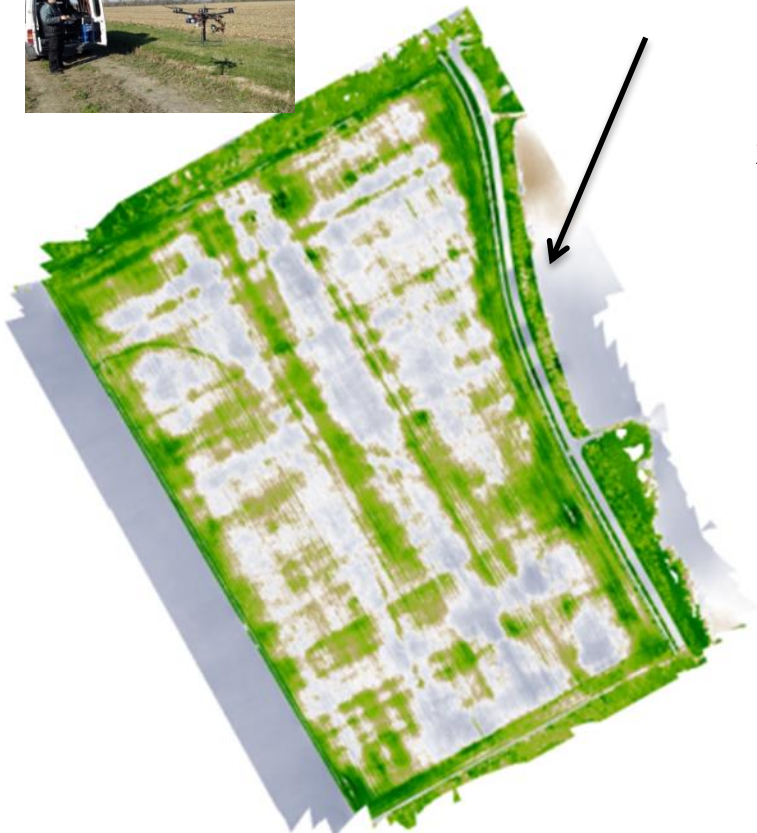
$$\text{NDVI} = \frac{(0.40 - 0.30)}{(0.40 + 0.30)} = 0.14$$

A photograph of a brown, harvested field. A black arrow points to the top-right corner with the value '40%', and a red arrow points to the top-left corner with the value '30%'. Below the photo is the NDVI calculation.

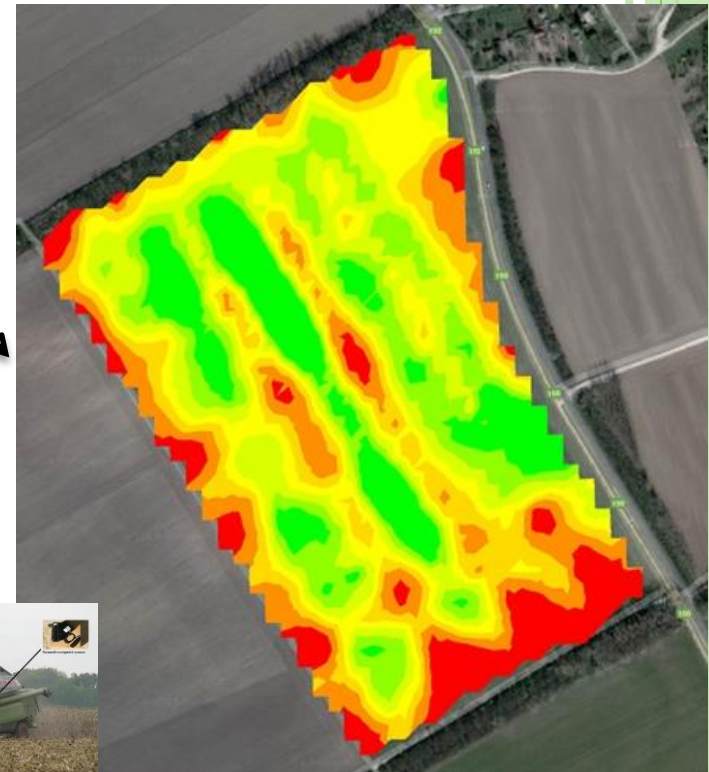
UAVs spatial resolution are typically 5-15 cm
NDVI (Normalized Difference Vegetation Index)

Using NDVI for the enhance of yield prediction accuracy at decision support models (eg. DSSAT) during vegetation period e.g. suggestion topdressing, irrigation....etc.

2016 April: Winter Wheat NDVI



2016. July: yield map



VAHAVA (Climate change – impact – response) national climate change project (2003-2006)



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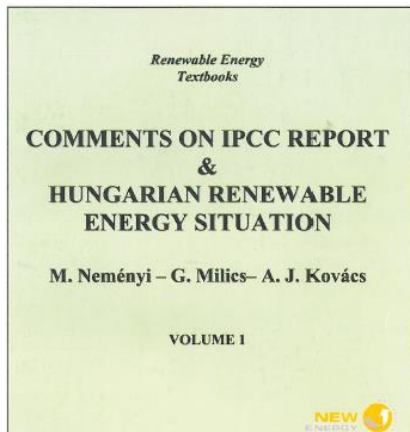
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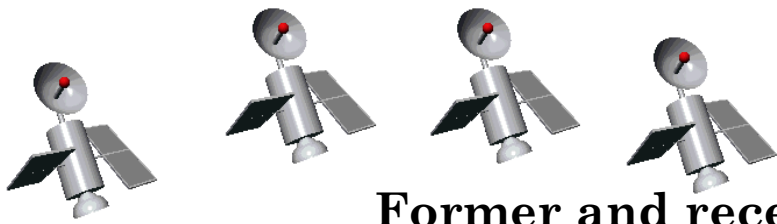


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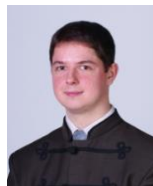
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