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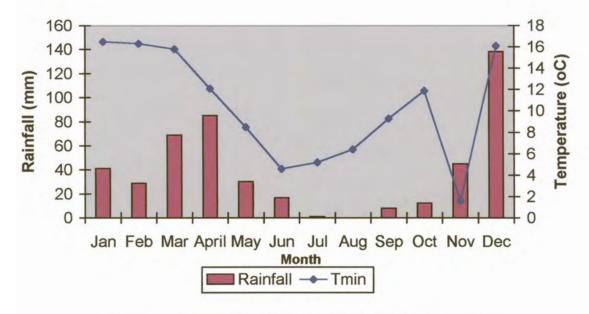
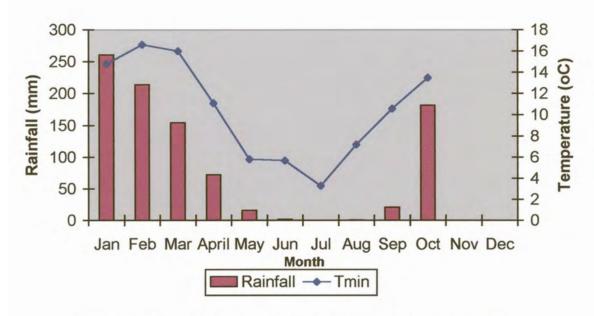


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**Figure 8.2** Monthly meteorological data for Hatfield showing raifall (mm) and mean minimum temperatures, 2000.

Table 8 1 Growth habit classification and description of Phaseolus as defined by CIAT

GROWTH HABIT	DESCRIPTION				
Туре І	Determinate habit; reproductive terminals on main stem and no further node production on main stem after flowering.				
Type II	Indeterminate habit (vegetative terminal on main stem); further node production on main stem after flowering; erect branches borne on lower nodes; erect plant with extremely variable guide development.				
Туре Ша	Indeterminate habit; moderate node production on main stem after flowering; prostrate canopy with variable number of branches borne on lower nodes; main stem guide development extremely variable but generally showing poor climbing ability.				
Type IIIb	Indeterminate habit, considerable node production on main stem after flowering; heavily branched with variable number of facultatively climbing branches borne on lower nodes; guide development variable; plants generally show moderate climbing tendency on supports with resulting cone-shaped canopy.				
Type IVa	Indeterminate habit; heavy node production on main stem after flowering; branches not well developed compared to main stem development; moderate climbing ability on supports, with fruit load carried relatively uniformly along length of the plant.				
Type IVb	Indeterminate habit, extreme node production after flowering; branches very poorly developed; strong climbing tendencies on supports, with fruit load borne on the upper node of main stem.				

**Table 8. 2A** ANOVA of the effect of plant density on seed yield per plant of dry bean cvs Teebus & Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	15	32.2		
Cultivar (C)	1	7.3	7.3	3.85ns
Density (D)	1	1.6	1.6	0.85ns
CxD	1	0.7	0.7	0.35ns
Error	12	22.7		

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 2B ANOVA of the effect of plant density on seed yield per square metre of dry

bean cvs Teebus & Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	15	58538.7		
Cultivar (C)	T	8192.5	8192.5	4.35ns
Density (D)	1	27600.0	27600.0	14.65**
CxD	1	145.3	145.3	0.08ns
Error	12	22600,9		

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 2C ANOVA of the effect of plant density on number of pods per plant of dry bean

cvs Teebus & Kranskop (Experiment 1)

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Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	15	100.4		
Cultivar (C)	1	75.1	75.1	39.88**
Density (D)	1	2.2	2.2	1.19ns
CxD	1	0.4	0.4	0.23ns
Error	12	22.6		

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 2D ANOVA of the effect of plant density on number of seeds per pod of dry bean

cvs Teebus & Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	15	1.2		
Cultivar (C)	1	0.3	0.3	6.40*
Density (D)	1	0.021	0.021	0.44ns
CxD	1	0.2	0.2	5.09*
Error	12	0.6	0.05	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 2E ANOVA of the effect of plant density on hundred seed mass of dry bean cvs

Teebus & Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	de	SS	MS	F- Value
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Total	15	4635.6		
Cultivar (C)	1	4544 1	45.1	704.34**
Density (D)	1	14.0	14.0	2.17ns
CxD	1	0.04	0.04	0.01ns
Error	12	77.4		

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 3A ANOVA of the effect of plant density on seed yield per plant of dry bean cv

Kranskop (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	256.4		
Density	2	179.9	89.9	10.58
Error	9	76.5	8.5	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 3B ANOVA of the effect of plant density on seed yield per square metre of dry

bean cv Kranskop (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	14.0		
Density	2	7.5	3.8	5.24
Error	9	6.4	0.7	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at  $P \le 0.05$ ,  $P \le 0.01$  respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 3C ANOVA of the effect of plant density on number of pods per plant of dry bean

cv Kranskop (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	49.6		
Density	2	39.3	19.7	17.18
Density Error	9	10.3	1.1	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 3D ANOVA of the effect of plant density on number of seeds per pod of dry bean

cv Kranskop (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	0.2		
Density	2	0.1	0.05	4.84
Error	9	0.1	0.01	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 3E ANOVA of the effect of plant density on hundred seed mass of dry bean cv

Kranskop (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	38.1		
Density	2	34.8	17.4	46.90
Error	9	3.3	0.4	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at  $P \le 0.05$ ,  $P \le 0.01$  respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 4A ANOVA of the effect of row, intra-row and plant density on seed yield per plant

of two dry bean cultivars (Field experiment)

Source	df	SS	MS	F-value
Total	159	3591.3		
C	1	0.8	0.8	0.06ns
1	3	413.8	137.9	10.37**
CxI	3	394.0	131.4	9.88**
R	4	598.1	149.5	11,24**
CxR	4	98.0	24.5	1.84ns
RxI	12	178.1	14.8	1.12ns
CxRxI	12	312.8	26.1	1.96*
Error	120	1595.8	13.3	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 4B ANOVA of the effect of row, intra-row and plant density on seed yield per

square metre of two dry bean cultivars (Field experiment)

Source	df	SS	MS	F-value
Total	159	441358.3		
C	1	5226.0	5226.0	4.81*
I	3	56324.1	18774.7	17.27**
CxI	3	21141.1	7047.0	6.48**
R	4	161474.3	40368.6	37.13**
CxR	4	19380.5	4845.1	4.46**
RxI	12	25428.5	2119.0	1.95*
CxRxI	12	21927.3	1827.3	1.68ns
Error	120	130456.6	1087.1	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 4C ANOVA of the effect of row, intra-row and plant density on pods per plant of

two dry bean cultivars (Field experiment)

Source	df	SS	MS	F-value
Total	159	997.8		
C	1	33,3	33.3	13.20**
I	3	161.2	53.7	21.30**
CxI	3	120.0	40.0	15.86**
R	4	125.5	31.4	12.43**
CxR	4	35.9	9.0	3,56**
RxI	12	100.2	8.4	3.31**
CxRxI	12	118.9	9.9	3.93**
Error	120	302.8	2.5	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 4D ANOVA of the effect of row, intra-row and plant density on number of seeds

per of two dry bean cultivars (Field experiment)

Source	df	SS	MS	F-value
Total	159	47.9		
C	1	11.8	11.8	54.58**
1	3	2.1	0.7	3.23*
CxI	3	0.5	0.2	0.81ns
R	4	0.8	0.2	0.88ns
$C \times R$	4	0.5	0.1	0.62ns
RxI	12	2.6	0.2	1.01ns
CxRxI	12	3.7	0.3	1.42ns
Error	120	25.9	0.2	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 4E ANOVA of the effect of row, intra-row and plant density on hundred seed mass

of two dry bean cultivars (Field experiment)

Source	df	SS	MS	F-value
Total	159	27386.7		
C	1	24163.6	24163.6	1170.86**
1	3	96.2	32.1	1.55ns
Cxl	3	112.6	37.5	1.82ns
R	4	118.6	29.6	1.44ns
CxR	4	197.6	49.4	2.39ns
RxI	12	44.3	3.7	0.18ns
CxRxI	12	177.3	14.8	0.72ns
Error	120	2476.5	20.6	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 4F ANOVA of the effect of row, intra-row and plant density on harvest index of two dry bean cultivars (Field experiment)

Source	df	SS	MS	F-value
Total	159	1284.7		
C	1	434.7	434.7	118.12**
1	3	27.0	9.0	2.44ns
CxI	3	46.4	15.5	4.21**
R	4	136.5	34.1	9.27**
CxR	4	90.7	22.7	6.17**
RxI	12	87.8	7.3	1.98*
CxRxI	12	19.8	1.6	0.43ns
Error	120	441.8	3,68	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 5A ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on fresh

biomass of dry bean cv Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	2781.9		
Ratio (R)	1	1615.6	1615.6	12.06**
Concentration (C)	1	94.9	94.9	0.71ns
RxC	1	0.003	0.003	0.00ns
Error	8	1071.4	133.9	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

**Table 8. 5B** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on leaf area of dry bean cy Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	257441.9		
Ratio (R)	1	127759.5	127759.5	13.79**
Concentration (C)	1	17065.3	17065.3	1.84ns
RxC	1	38498.2	38498.2	4.16ns
Error	8	74118.9	9264.9	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at  $P \le 0.05$ ,  $P \le 0.01$  respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 5C ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on dry

biomass of dry bean cv Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	43.5		
Ratio (R)	1	25.1	25.1	12.61**
Concentration (C)	1	2.3	2.3	1.14ns
RxC	1	0.1	0.1	0.06ns
Error	8	16.0	2.0	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P $\le$ 0.05, P $\le$ 0.01 respectively ns = not significant

**Table 8. 5D** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on shoot dry weight of dry bean cv Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	42.7		
Ratio (R)	1	22.7	22.7	10.27*
Concentration (C)	1	2.0	2.0	0.92ns
RxC	1	0.2	0.2	0.08ns
Error	8	17.7	2.2	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P $\le$ 0.05. P $\le$ 0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 5E ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on root dry

weight of dry bean cv Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	0.3		
Ratio (R)	1	0.1	0.06	1.81ns
Concentration (C)	1	0.002	0.002	0.09ns
RxC	1	0.008	0.01	0.25ns
Error	8	0.26	0.03	

<sup>\*. \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 5F ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on number

of pods per plant of dry bean cy Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	38.9		
Ratio (R)	1	0.8	0.8	0.22ns
Concentration (C)	1	4.1	4.1	1.20ns
RxC	1	6.8	6.8	1.98ns
Error	8	27.3	3.4	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P<0.05, P<0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 5G ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on number

of seeds per pod of dry bean cy Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	1,2		
Ratio (R)	1	0.003	0.003	0.02ns
Concentration (C)	1	0.003	0.003	0.02ns
RxC	1	0.08	0.1	0.61ns
Error	8	1.1	0.1	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P<0.05, P<0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 5H ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on hundred

seed mass of dry bean cv Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	424.8		
Ratio (R)	1	88.6	88.6	2.16ns
Concentration (C)	1.	2.8	2.8	0.07ns
RxC	1	5.3	5.3	0.13ns
Error	8	328.1	41.0	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 51 ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on seed

yield per plant of dry bean cv Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	910.8		
Ratio (R)	1	122.9	122.9	2.57ns
Concentration (C)	1	229.9	229.9	4.81ns
RxC	1	175.9	175.9	3.68ns
Error	8	382.2	47.8	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 5J ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on harvest

index of dry bean cy Kranskop (Experiment 1)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	11	16.8		
Ratio (R)	1	4.7	4.7	3.19ns
Concentration (C)	1	0.2	0.2	0.13ns
RxC	1	0.2	0.2	0.13ns
Error	8	11.7	1.5	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 6A ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on fresh

biomass of dry bean cultivar Kranskop 40 DAE (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	26	3180.8		
Ratio (R)	2	244.3	122.2	1.49ns
Concentration (C)	2	1201.5	600,8	7.30**
RxC	4	254.2	63.6	0.77ns
Error	18	1480.7	82.3	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

**Table 8. 6B** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on leaf area of dry bean cultivar Kranskop 40 DAE (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	26	2376514.1		7.00
Ratio (R)	2	382753.8	191376.9	4.86*
Concentration (C)	2	1041375.8	520687.9	13.22*
RxC	4	243649.6	60912.4	1.55ns
Error	18	708734.8	39374.1	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



**Table 8. 6C** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on dry biomass of dry bean cultivar Kranskop 40 DAE (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	26	279.0		
Ratio (R)	2	22.7	11.4	1.53ns
Concentration (C)	2	94.8	47.4	6.38**
RxC	4	27.6	6.9	0.93ns
Error	18	133.8	7.4	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 6D ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on shoot

dry weight of dry bean cultivar Kranskop 40 DAE (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	26	58.5		
Ratio (R)	2	5.6	2.8	2.07ns
Concentration (C)	2	20.3	10.2	7.45**
RxC	4	7.9	2.0	1.45ns
Error	18	24.6	1.4	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

**Table 8. 6E** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on root dry weight of dry bean cultivar Kranskop 40 DAE (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	26	5.9		
Ratio (R)	2	0.3	0.2	0.65ns
Concentration (C)	2	0.4	0.2	0.71ns
RxC	4	0.4	0.1	0.38ns
Error	18	4.8	0.3	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P $\le$ 0.05, P $\le$ 0.01 respectively ns = not significant

**Table 8. 6F** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on seed mass per plant of dry bean cultivar Kranskop at maturity (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	35	2206.3		
Ratio (R)	2	1340.6	670.3	44.74**
Concentration (C)	2	3.1	1.6	0.10ns
RxC	4	458.3	114.6	7.65**
Error	27	404.5	15.0	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P $\le$ 0.05, P $\le$ 0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 6G ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on number of pods per plant of dry bean cultivar Kranskop at maturity (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	35	351.0		
Ratio (R)	2	142.1	72.0	28.95**
Concentration (C)	2	2.4	1.2	0.49ns
RxC	4	140.3	35.1	14.29**
Error	27	66.2	2.4	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P $\le$ 0.05, P $\le$ 0.01 respectively ns = not significant

**Table 8. 6H** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on number of seeds per pod of dry bean cultivar Kranskop at maturity (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	35	8.2		
Ratio (R)	2	0.8	0.40	1.55ns
Concentration (C)	2	0.03	0.01	0.05ns
RxC	4	0.32	0.08	0.30ns
Error	27	7.06	0.26	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 6I ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on hundred

seed mass of dry bean cultivar Kranskop at maturity (Experiment 2)
Source df SS MS

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	35	6074.2	T14.8	7.77
Ratio (R)	2	1969.6	984.8	12.35**
Concentration (C)	2	470.1	235.0	2.95ns
RxC	4	1482.1	370,5	4.65**
Error	27	2152.4	79.7	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P $\le$ 0.05, P $\le$ 0.01 respectively ns = not significant

**Table 8. 6J** ANOVA of the effect of nitrate / ammonium ratio and concentration on harvest index of dry bean cultivar Kranskop at maturity (Experiment 2)

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	35	2130.6		
Ratio (R)	2	553.4	276.7	6.79**
Concentration (C)	2	105.2	52.6	1.29ns
RxC	4	372.6	93.1	2,29ns
Error	27	1099.4	40.7	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



Table 8. 7A ANOVA of the effect of cultivar and growth regulator on seed mass per plant of dry bean

df SS Source MS F- Value Total 17 239.6 Cultivar (C) 1 87.6 87.6 7.32\* Growth regulator (GR) 2 4.1 2.1 0,17ns 2 CxGR 4.4 2.2 0.18ns 12 143.5 12.0 Error

Table 8. 7B ANOVA of the effect of cultivar and growth regulator on number of pods per

plant of dry bean

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Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	17	273.1		
Cultivar (C)	1	186.9	186.9	42.05**
Growth regulator (GR)	2	11.1	5.6	1.25ns
C x GR	2	21.8	10.9	2.45ns
Error	12	53.3	4.4	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 7C ANOVA of the effect of cultivar and growth regulator on number of seeds per

pod of dry bean

Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	17	7.4		
Cultivar (C)	1	4.3	4.3	19.31**
Growth regulator (GR)	2	0.3	0.1	0.61ns
C x GR	2	0.2	0.1	0.44ns
Error	12	2.7	0.2	

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P $\le$ 0.05, P $\le$ 0.01 respectively ns = not significant

Table 8. 7D ANOVA of the effect of cultivar and growth regulator on hundred seed mass of dry bean

dry beam				
Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	17	3005.8		
Cultivar (C)	1	2518.1	2518.1	82.88**
Growth regulator (GR)	2	50.3	25.2	0.83ns
CxGR	2	72.7	36.4	1.20ns
Error	12	364.6		

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant



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Table 8. 7E ANOVA of the effect of cultivar and growth regulator on harvest index of dry

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Source	df	SS	MS	F- Value
Total	17	1951.8		
Cultivar (C)	1	26.9	26.9	0.61ns
Growth regulator (GR)	2	1042.1	521.0	11.88**
C x GR	2	356.5	178.2	4.06*
Error	12			

<sup>\*, \*\*, =</sup> significantly different from zero at P≤0.05, P≤0.01 respectively ns = not significant

