

## Behavior of *Xanthomonas fragariae* Dw in an inorganic medium enriched with N, P, or K

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### Abstract:

In this study, the behavior of *Xanthomonas fragariae*, angular leaf spot of strawberry agent, was followed in the AB medium, enriched with nitrogen, phosphorus or with potassium, and in the soil of the Mamora forest with 14% to 28% of humidity in function of these fertilizer elements. The obtained results have shown that Na<sub>2</sub>HPO<sub>4</sub> and NH<sub>4</sub>Cl, used, 0.01 and 0.05 mol/l, respectively as a phosphorus and nitrogen source, have a significant effect on the survival of *Xanthomonas fragariae*. By contrast, KCl, used as a source of Potassium, has no significant effect on the number of culturable cells. The three sources used NPK, 14% and 28% showed a great influence on the number of culturable cells of *Xanthomonas fragariae*, either increasing or decreasing. Potassium, at 28 to 14% of humidity, inhibited the rate growth of *Xanthomonas*, while the phosphorus and nitrogen stimulated its growth, greater than 28% of humidity than 14%. Similarly the bacterial growth was not affected during the incorporation of NPK at different concentrations in the soil of Mamora.

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