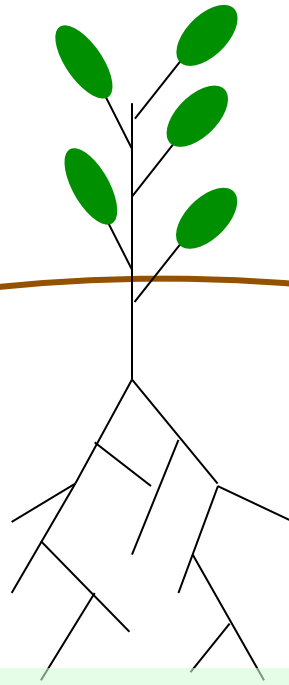
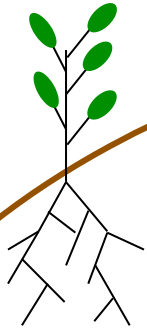


Agricultural practices and Ecology of soil-borne plant pathogenic microorganisms

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Soil:

a complex environment,
A reservoir of biodiversity

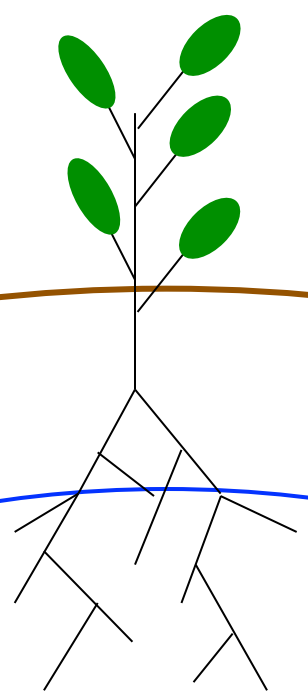
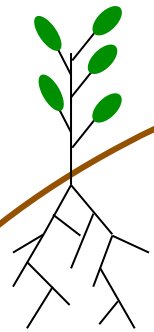
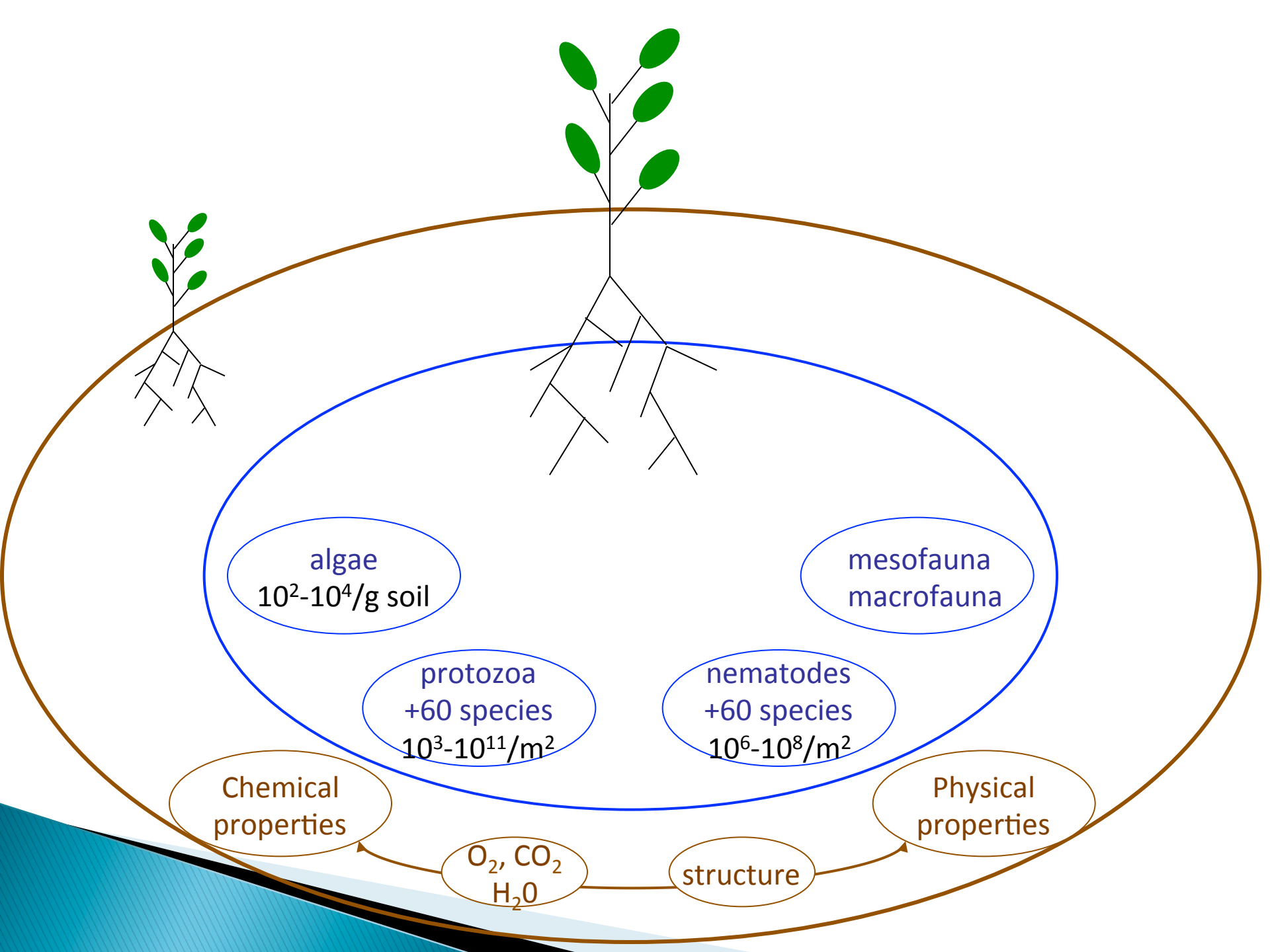
The seat of multitrophic interactions responsible for its functioning
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Chemical
properties

O_2 , CO_2
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Physical
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algae
 10^2 - 10^4 /g soil

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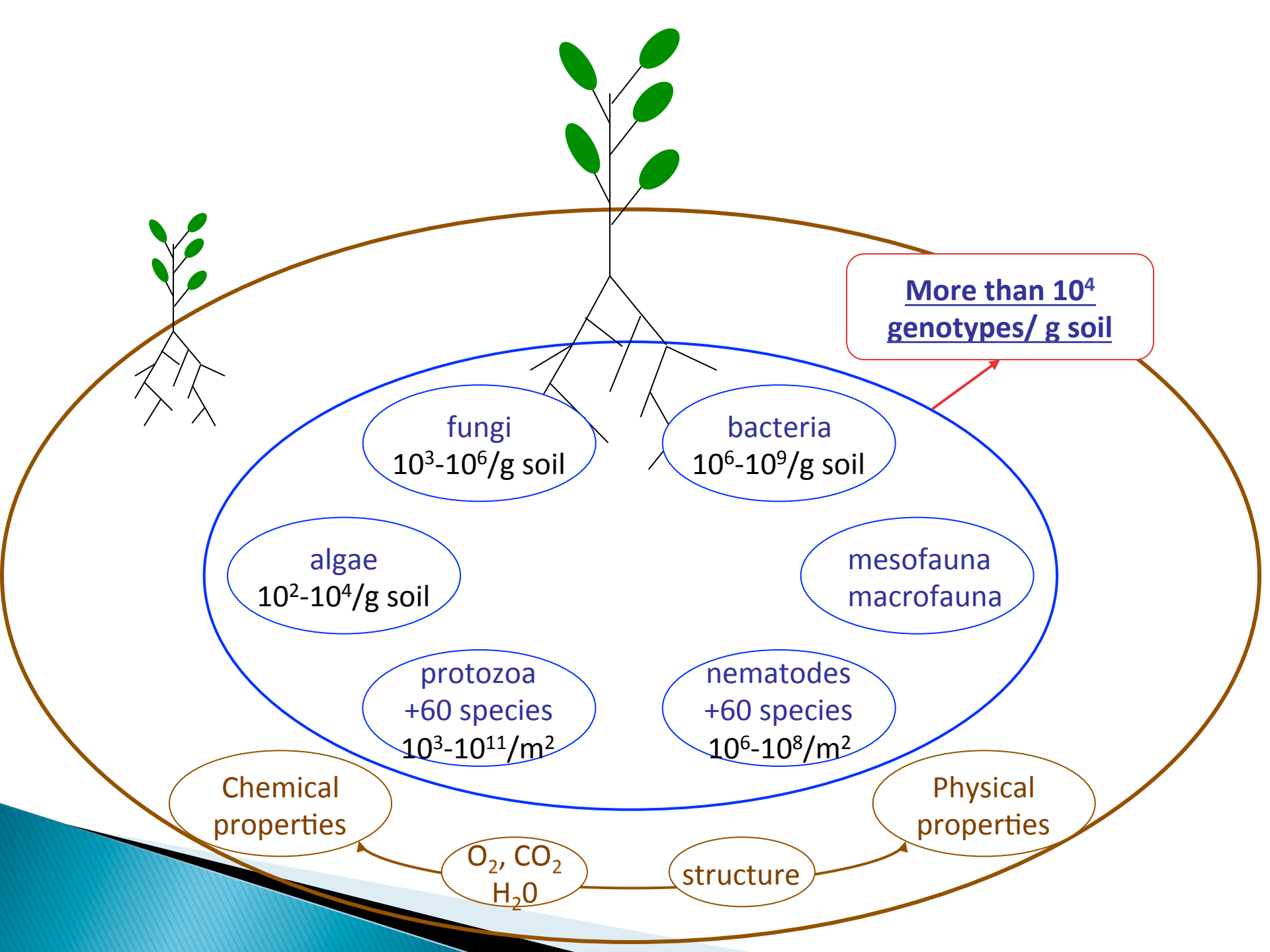
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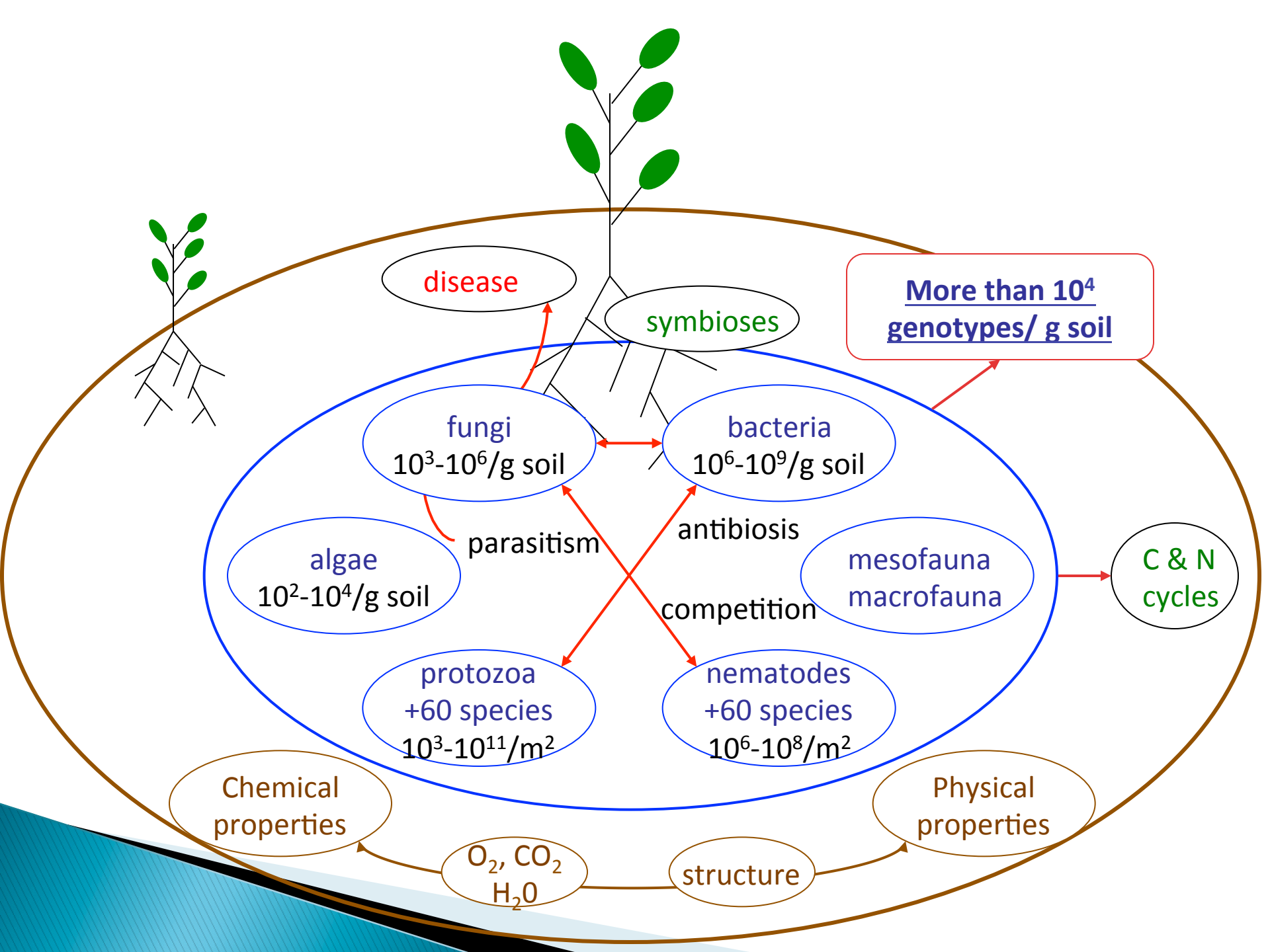
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disease

symbioses

More than 10⁴
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fungi
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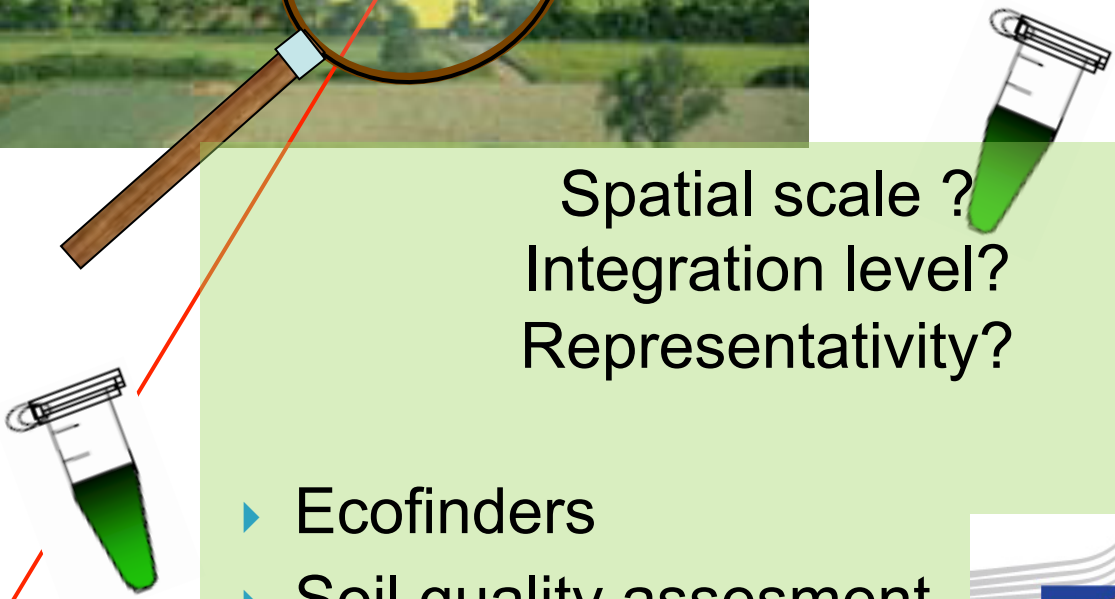
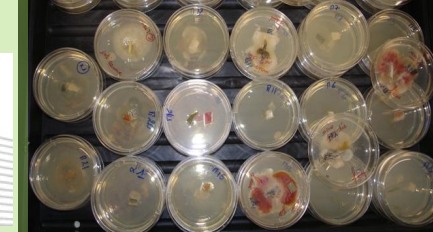
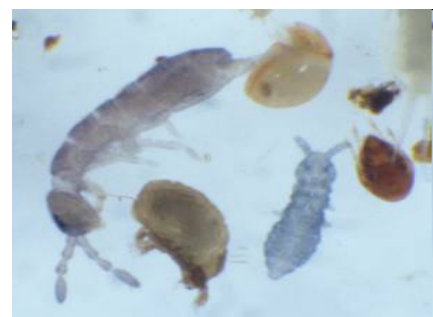
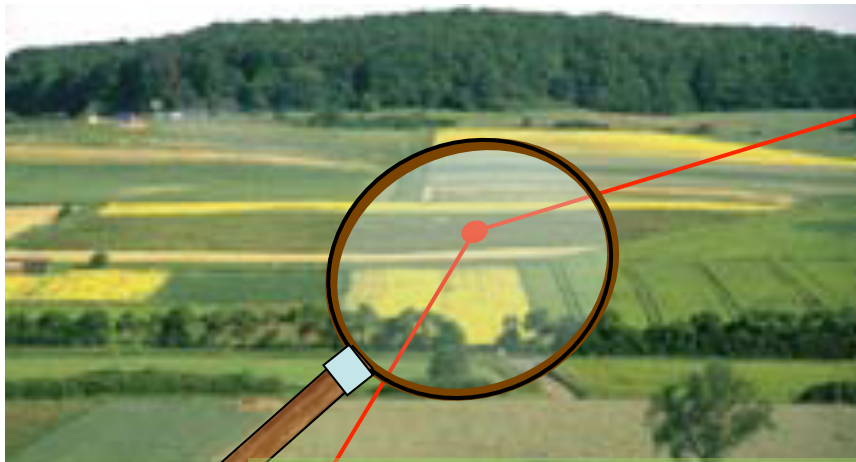
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Methods :

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- GM plants
- healthy seeds
- physic therapy
- biocontrol agents

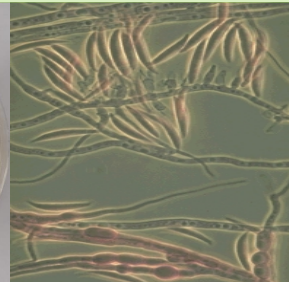
Risks

- ▶ To create partial or total ecological voids according to the action spectrum of chemical molecules.
- ▶ To create partial ecological voids (eradication of major pests)
- ▶ To circumvent the effect of the methods by bioaggressors or other pathotypes (adaptation).
- ▶ To stimulate other pest invasion and multiplication (no competition).

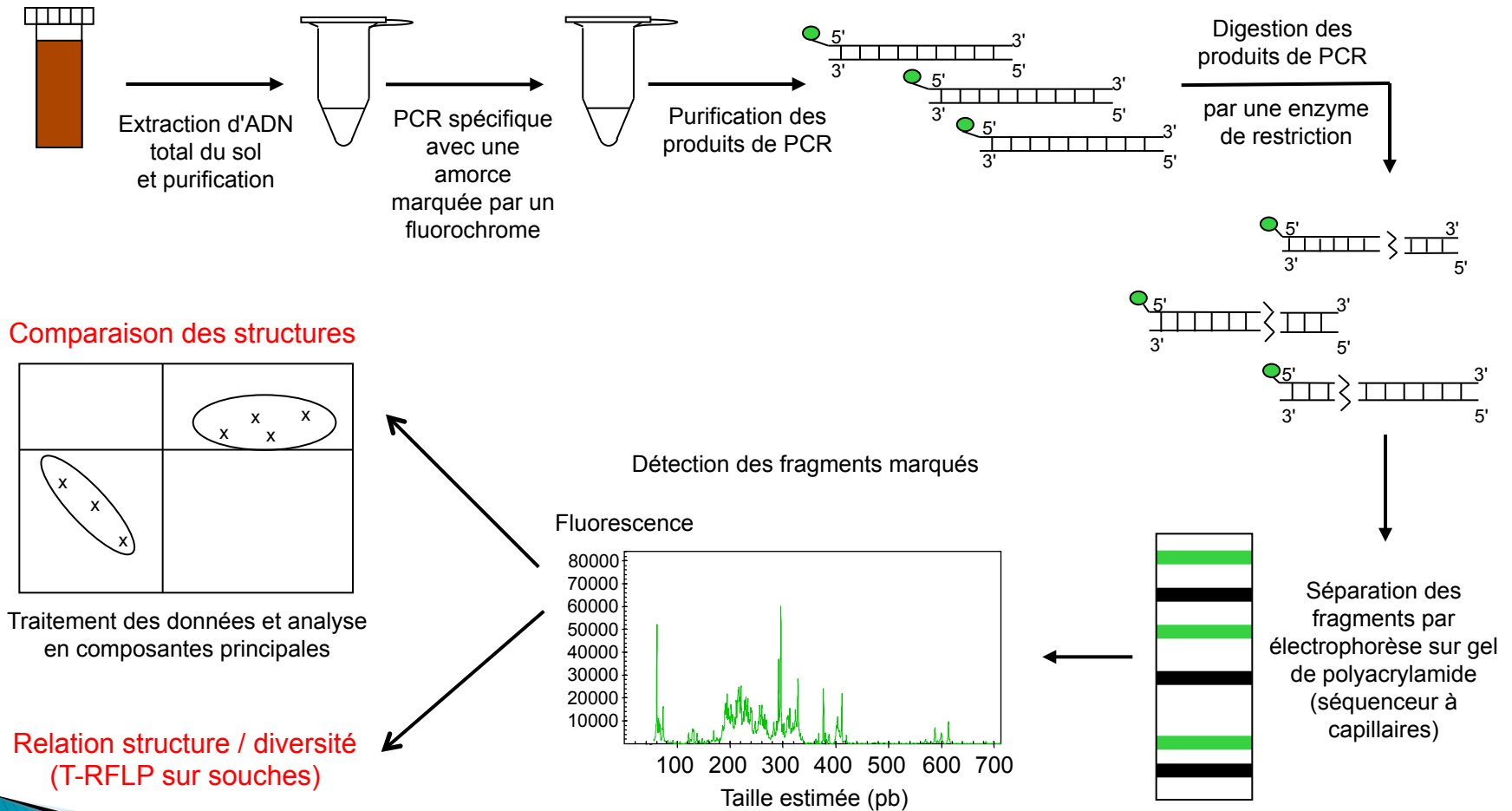


Spatial scale ?
Integration level?
Representativity?

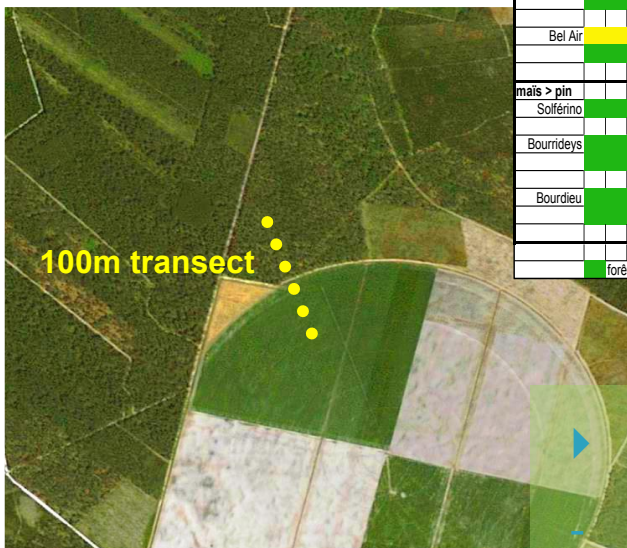
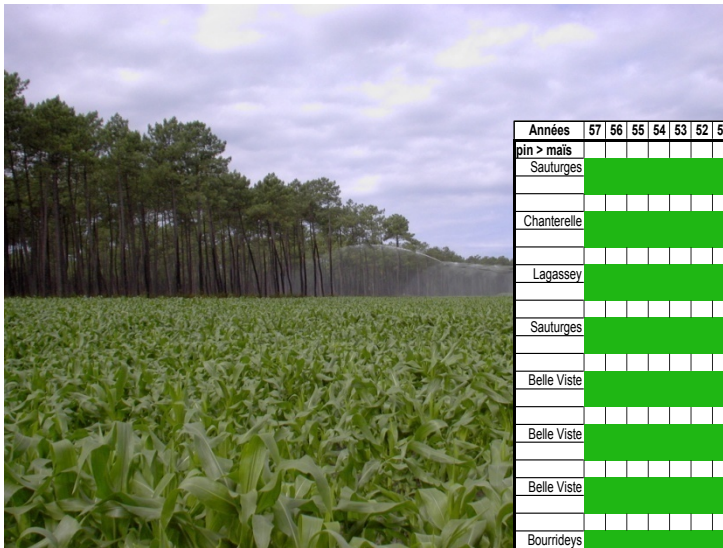
- ▶ Ecofinders
- ▶ Soil quality assesment



Terminal restriction fragment length polymorphism (T-RFLP) analysis



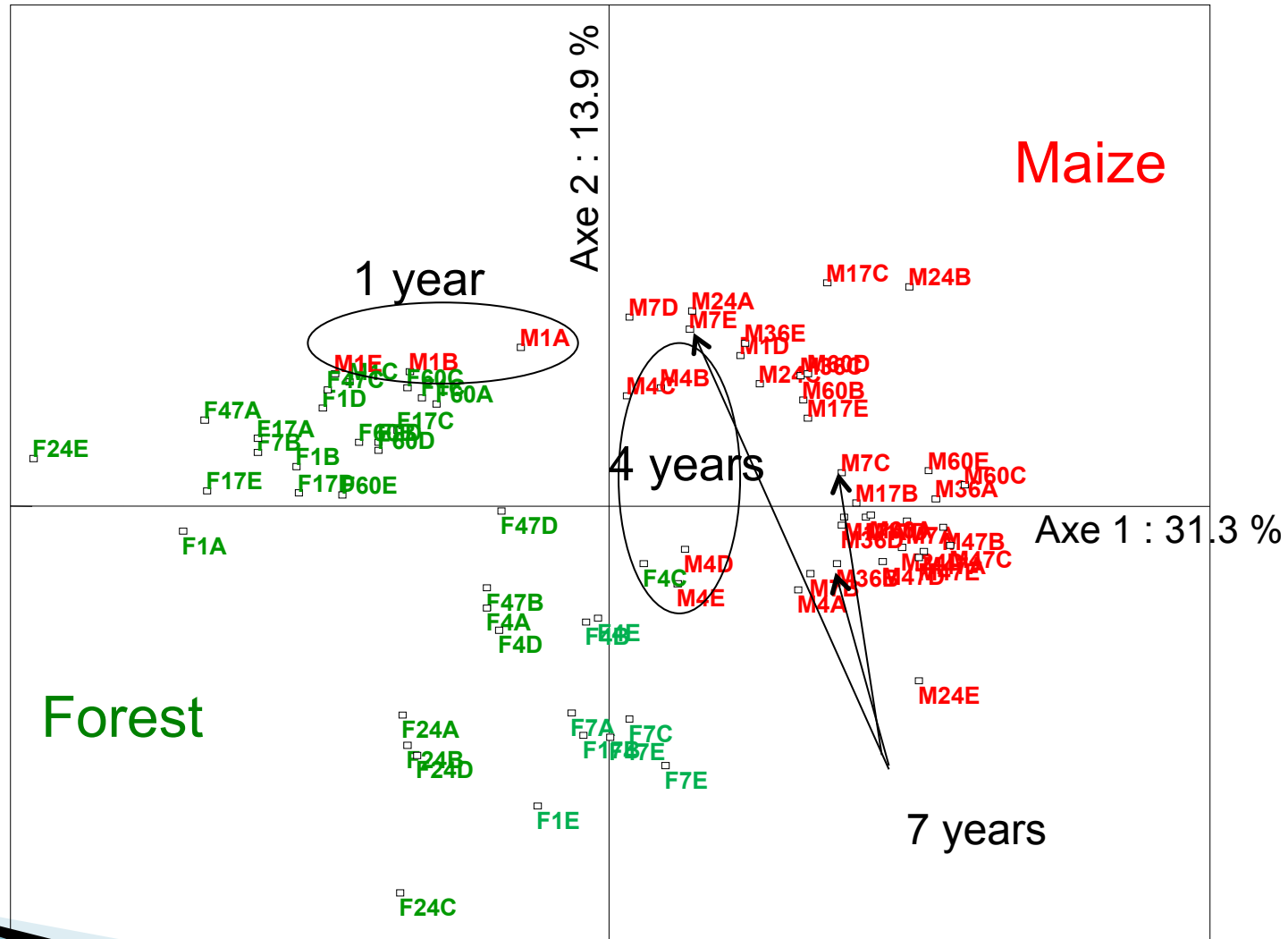
Land use,
increasing anthropogenic activities
and biotic reactions



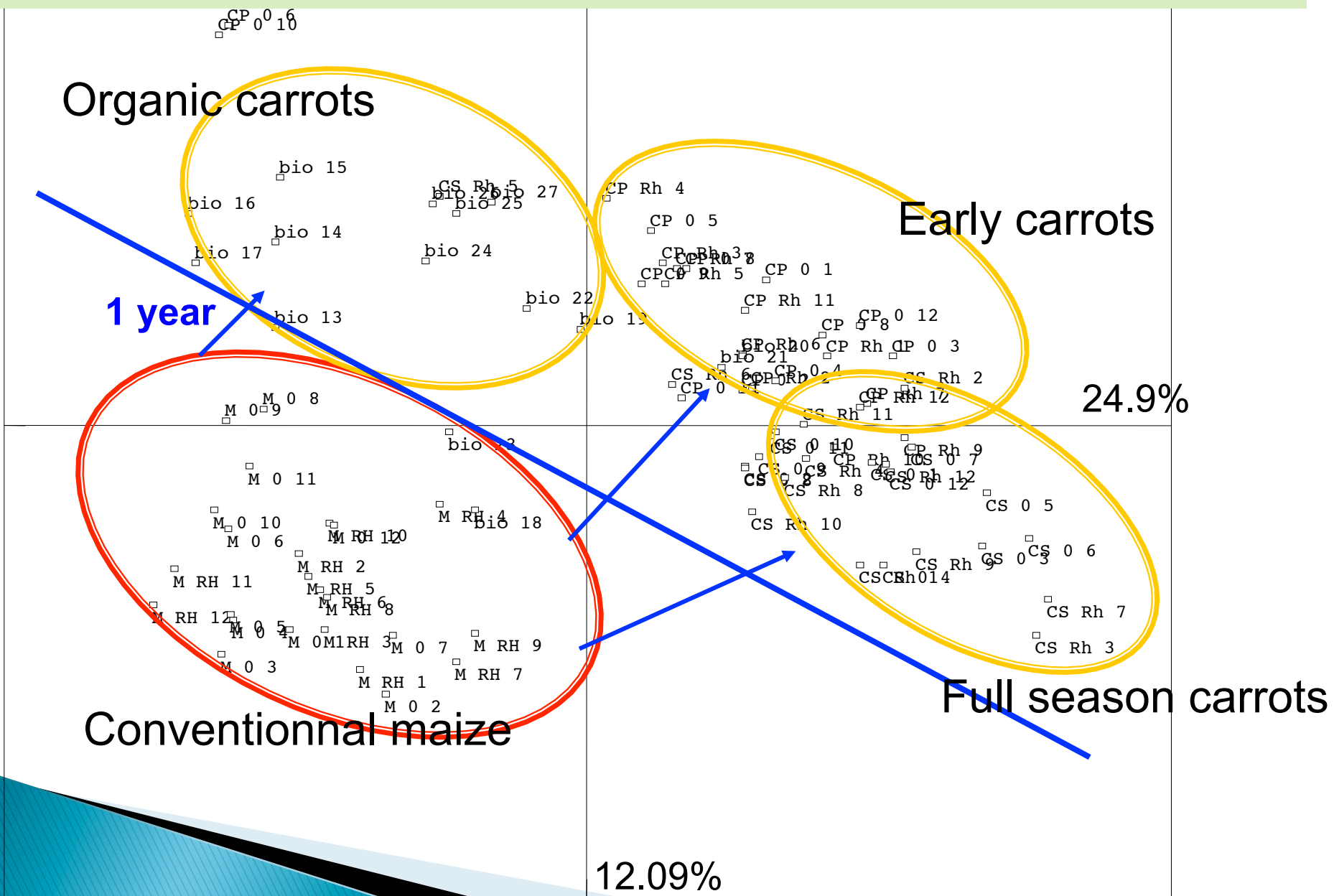
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Chronosequence of land use
 forest = every 40 years
 - corn monocropped = 1, 2, 4, 7, ... 56 years
 - carrot rotation (every 4 years) = 2 cycles

► Structure of fungal communities, from forest to maize
(same for the bacteria)



Structure of fungal communities, from maize to carrots



Carrot significantly reduces both richness and diversity

	Landes	Forêt	Maïs	Carotte
Phytoparasites stricts		<i>Criconema</i>	<i>Criconema</i>	
		<i>Helicotylenchus</i>	<i>Helicotylenchus</i>	<i>Helicotylenchus</i>
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		<i>Heterodera</i>	<i>Heterodera</i>	<i>Heterodera</i>
			<i>Paratylenchus</i>	<i>Paratylenchus</i>
			<i>Pratylenchus</i>	<i>Pratylenchus</i>
		<i>Rotylenchus</i>	<i>Rotylenchus</i>	<i>Rotylenchus</i>
		<i>Trichodorus</i>	<i>Trichodorus</i>	<i>Trichodorus</i>
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Généralistes		<i>Aphelenchoides</i>		<i>Aphelenchoides</i>
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		<i>Ditylenchus</i>		
		<i>Filenchus</i>	<i>Filenchus</i>	<i>Filenchus</i>
		<i>Psilenchus</i>	<i>Psilenchus</i>	<i>Rotylenchus</i>
		<i>Tylencholaimus</i>	<i>Tylencholaimus</i>	<i>Tylencholaimus</i>
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Agricultural practices :

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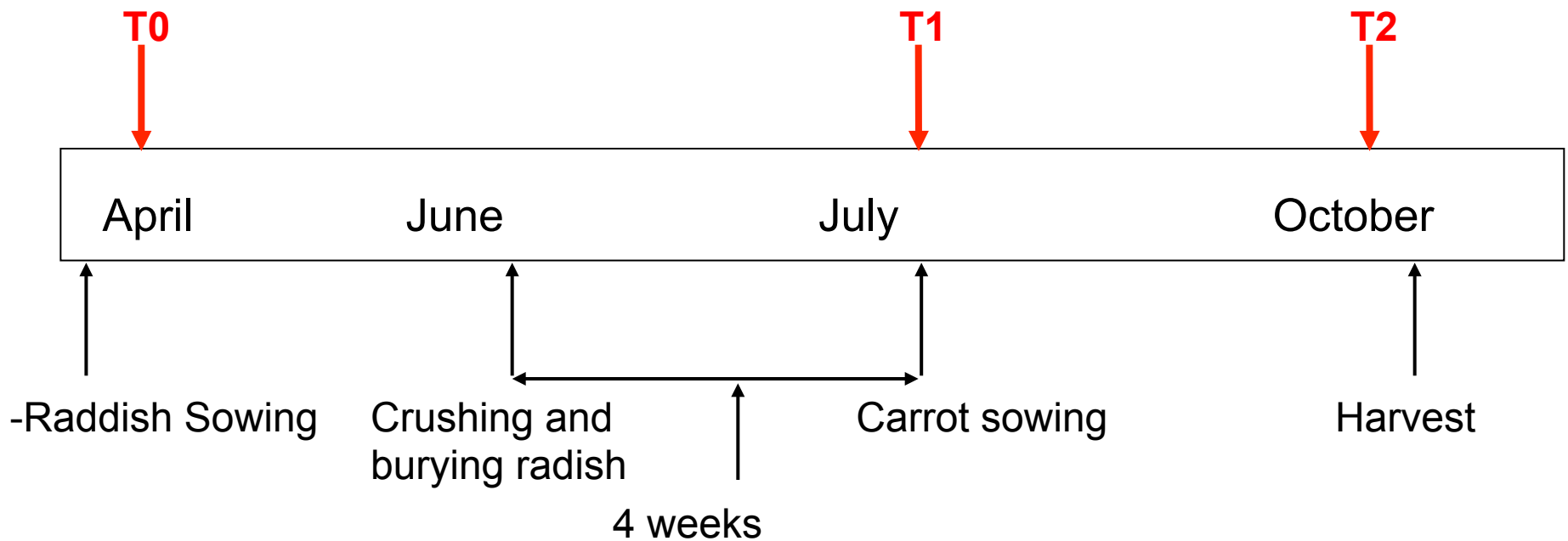
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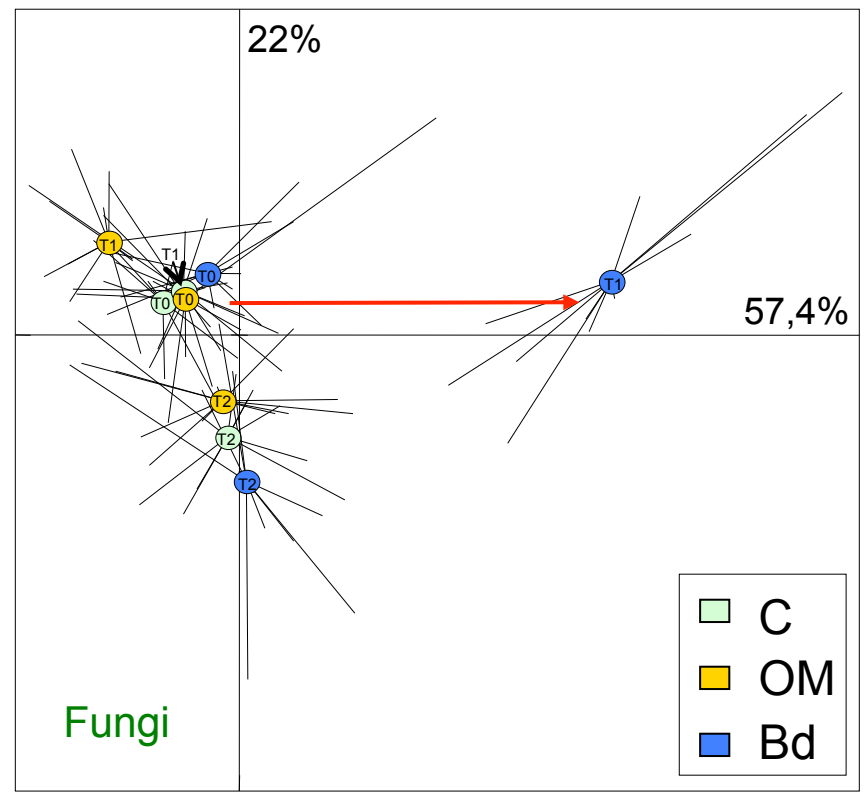
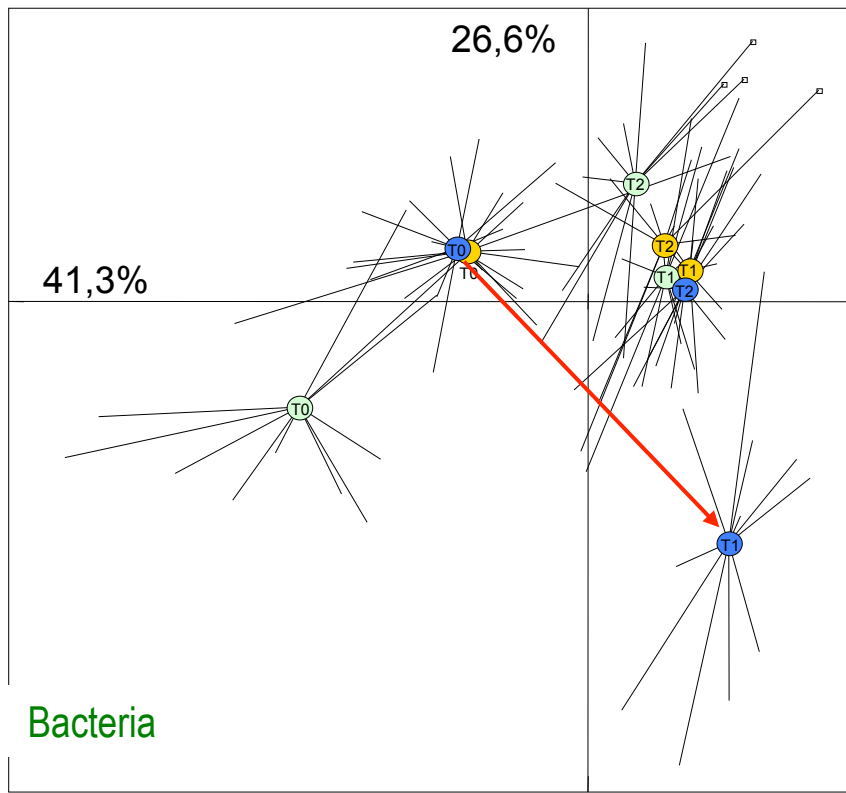
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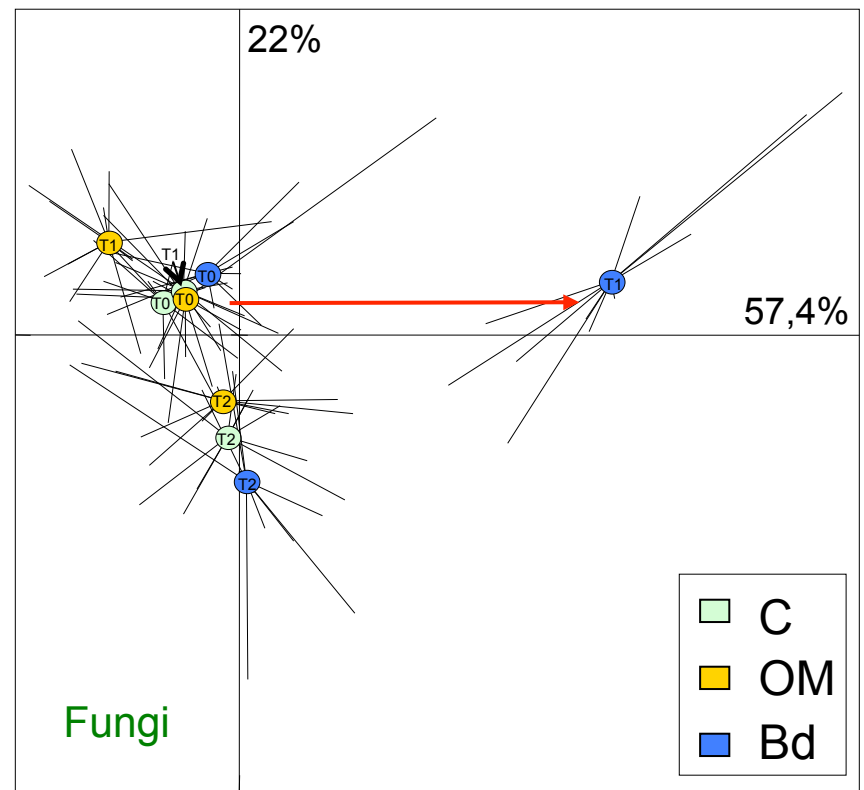
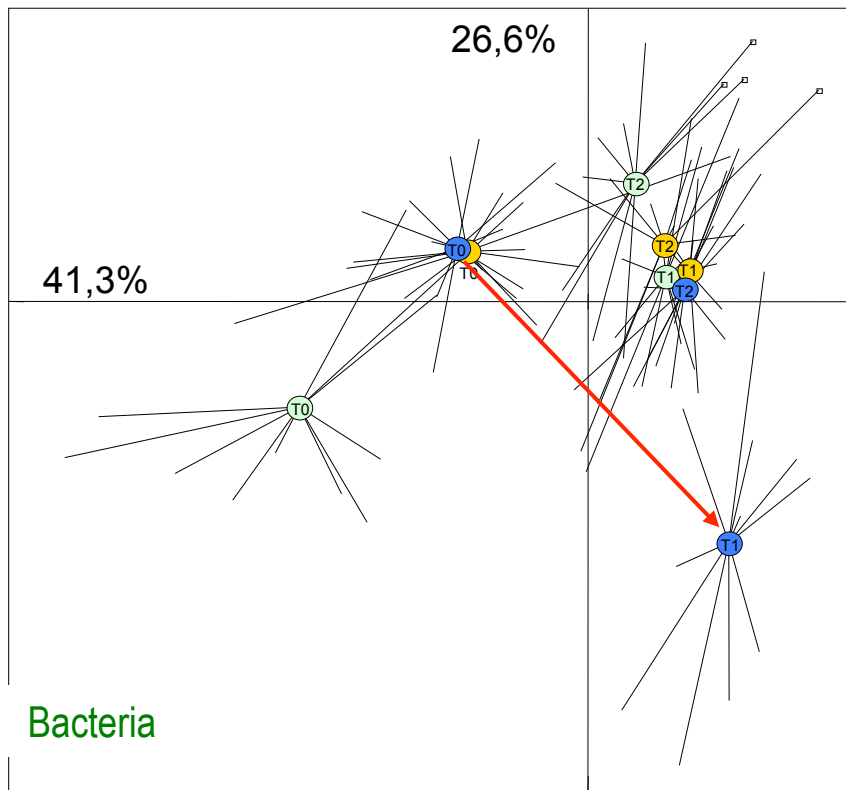
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- ▶ Bio-disinfection by introduction of a Brassicaceae (fodder radish)

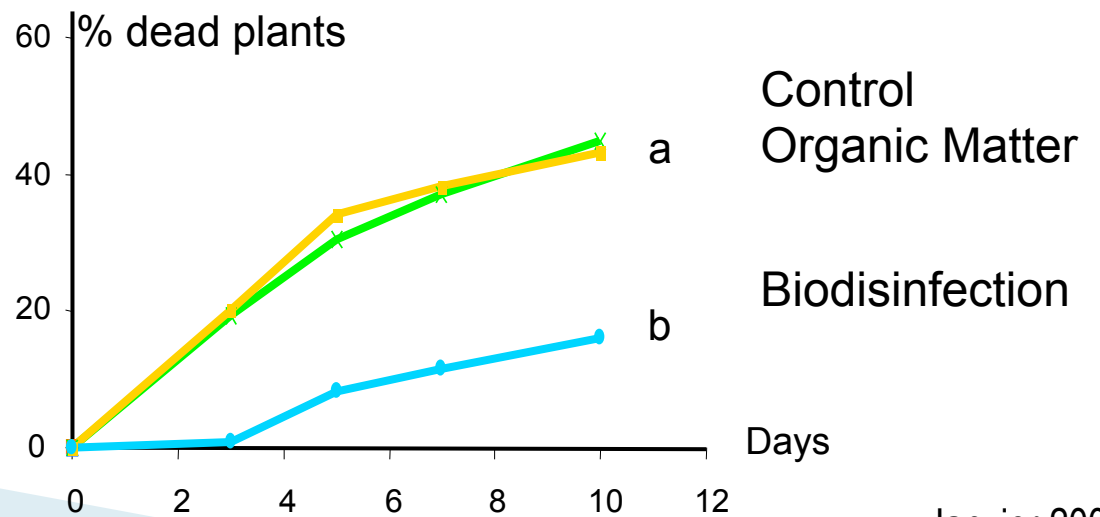
Intermediate crop in maize-carrot rotation







Soil Inoculum Potential

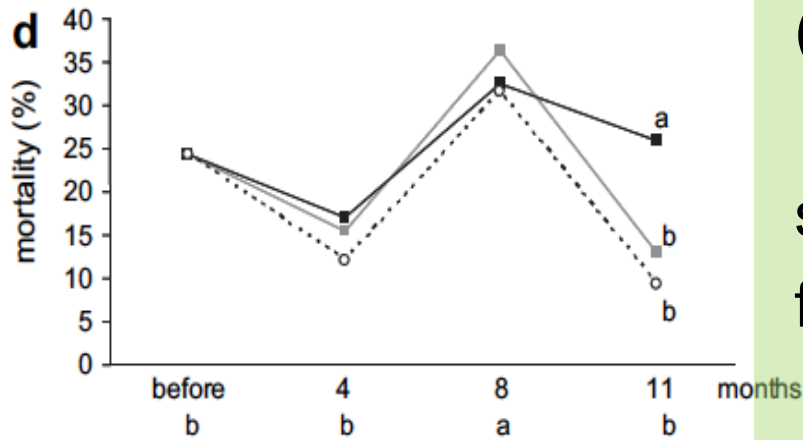
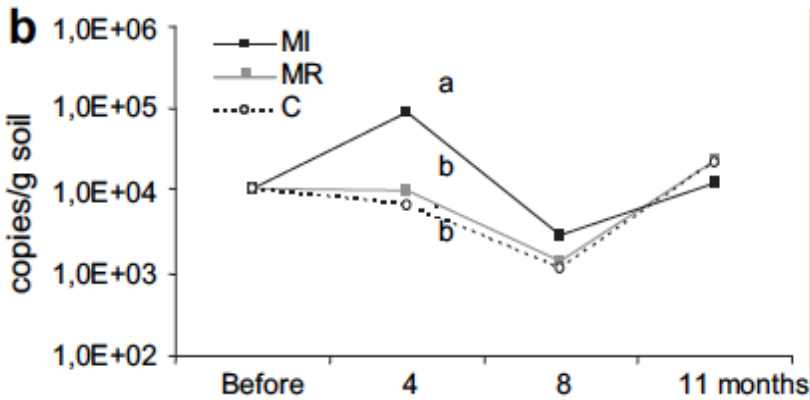




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Ut 0303	1,28	68,03	28,99	-17,33	-18,53	-11,33	67,21
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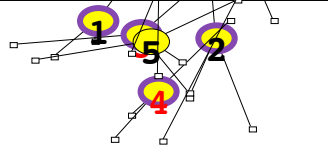
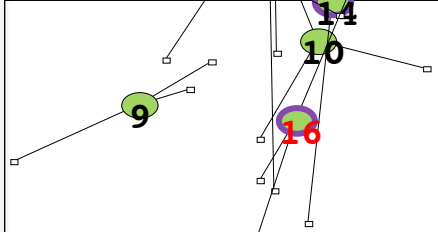
Tillage,

and crop residues,
and preceding crop,
and rotation scheme,
and,...

Bacteria

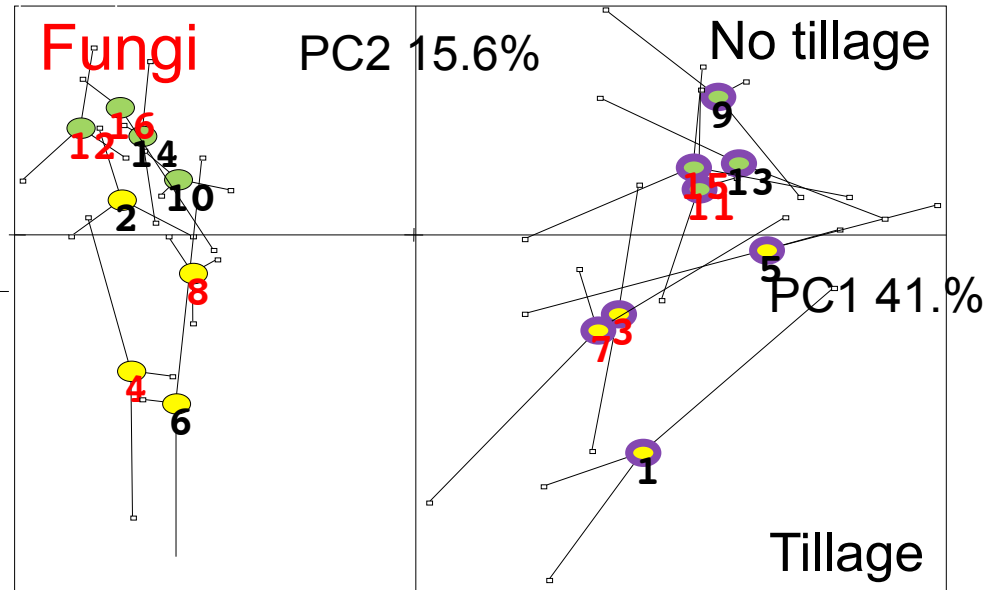
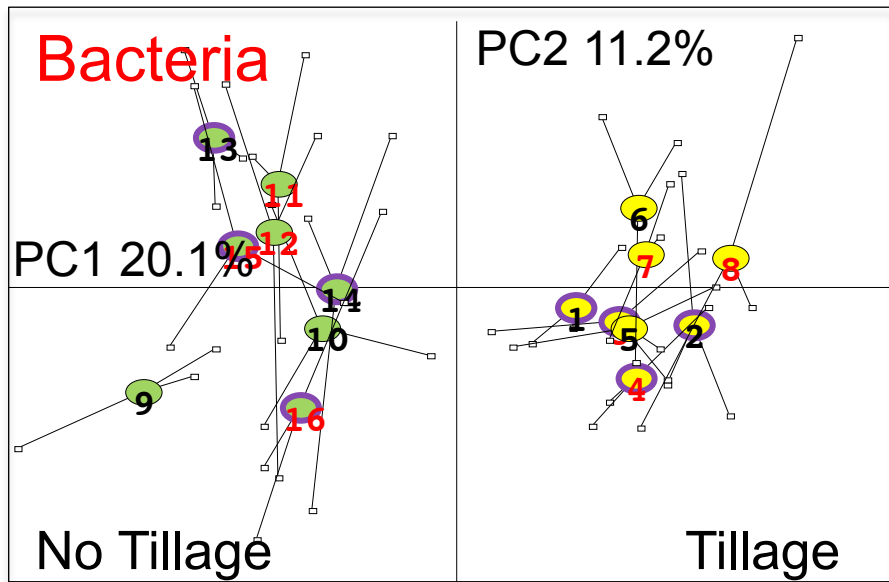
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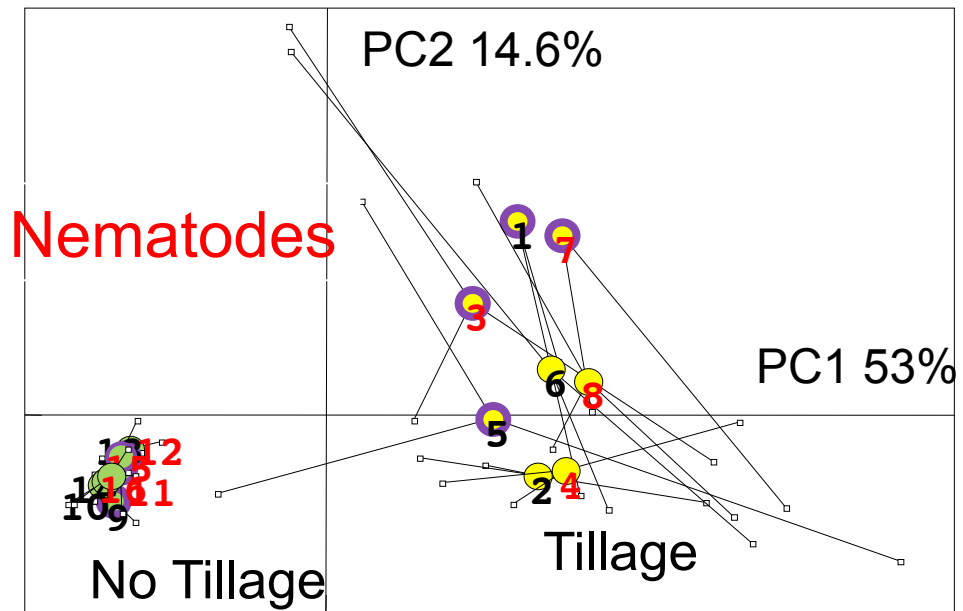
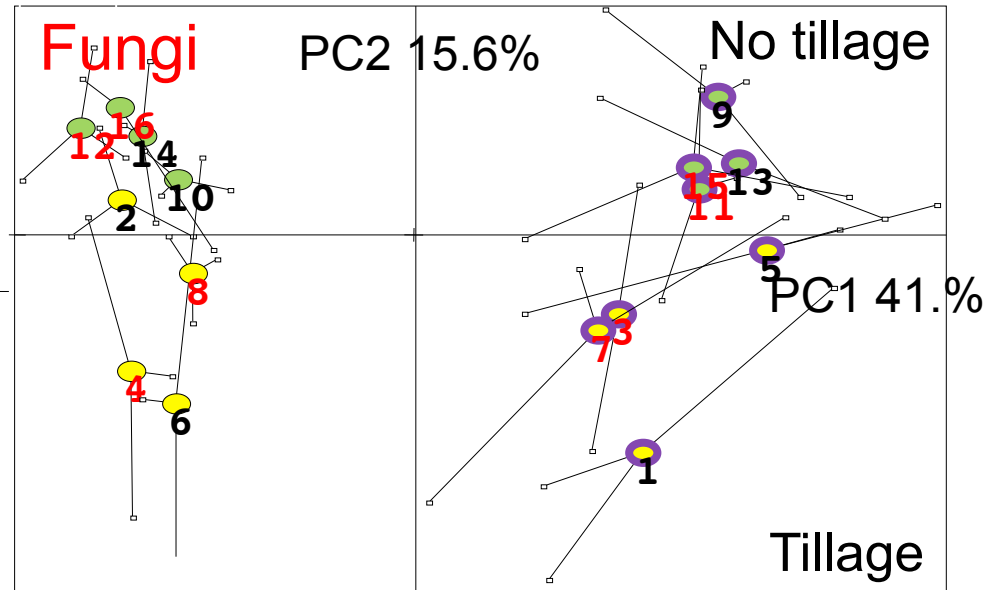
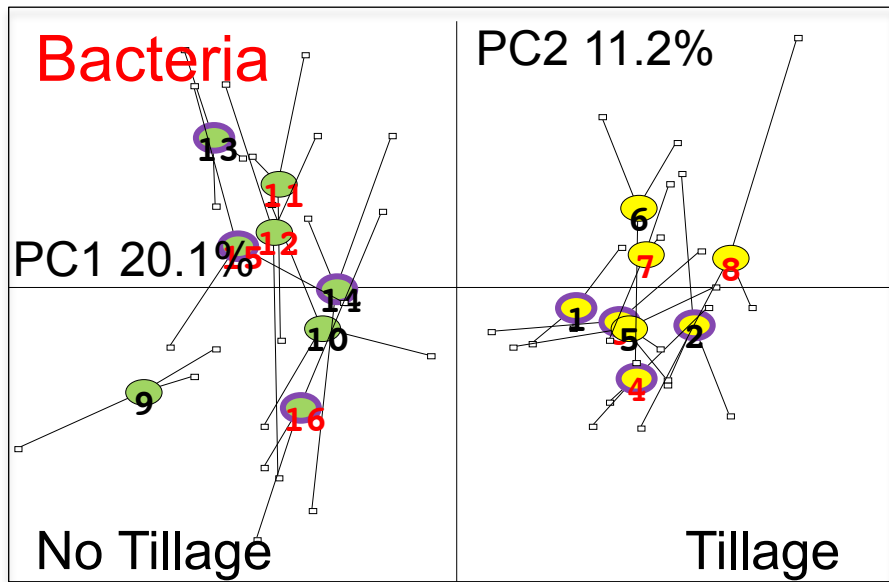
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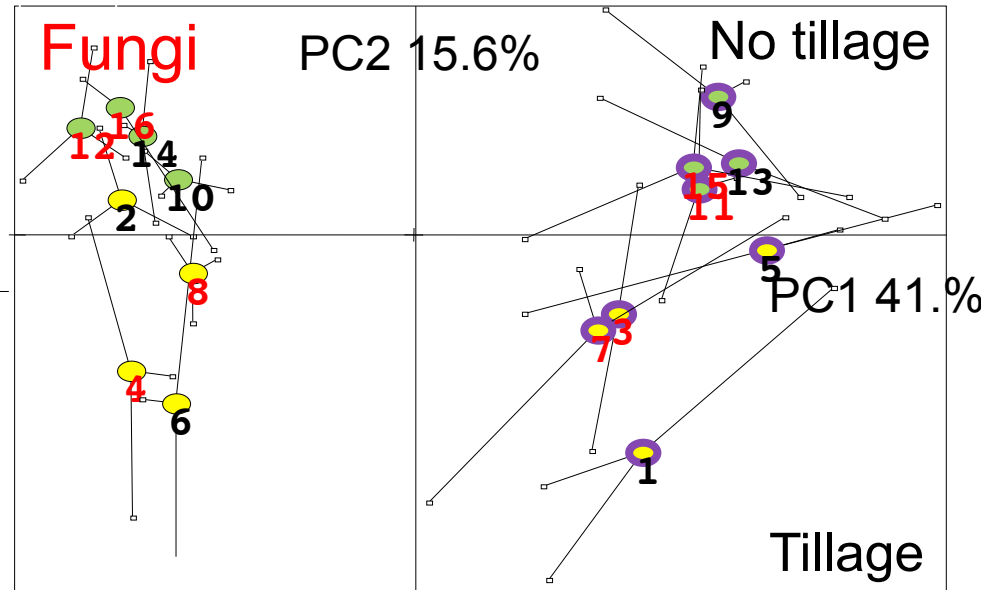
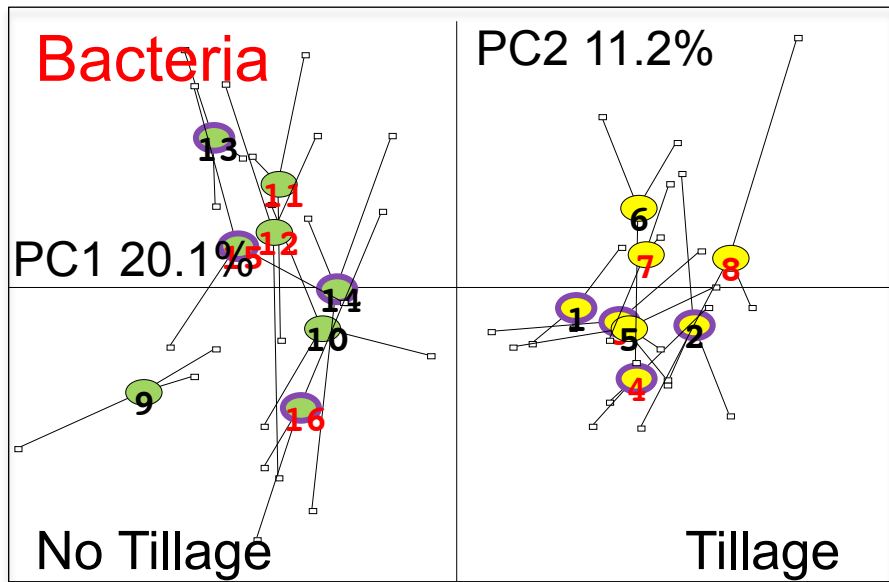


No Tillage

Tillage



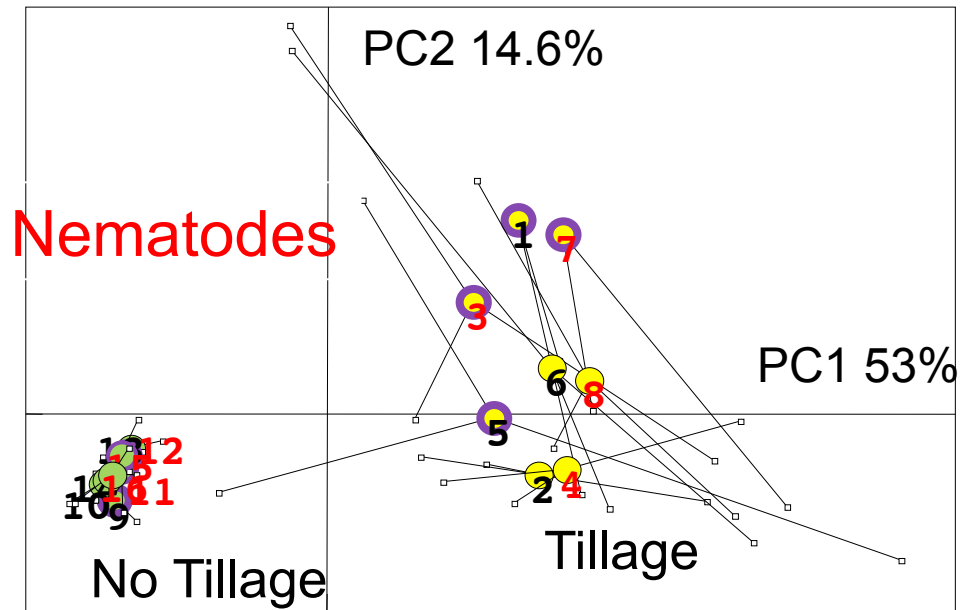




Shallow vs Mouldboard tillage

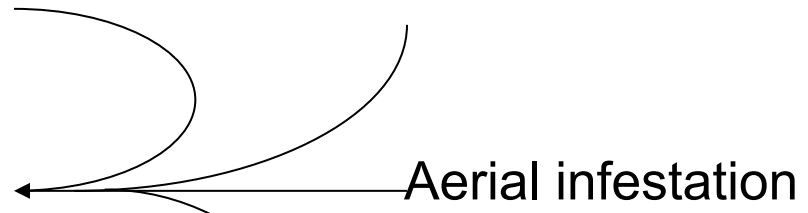
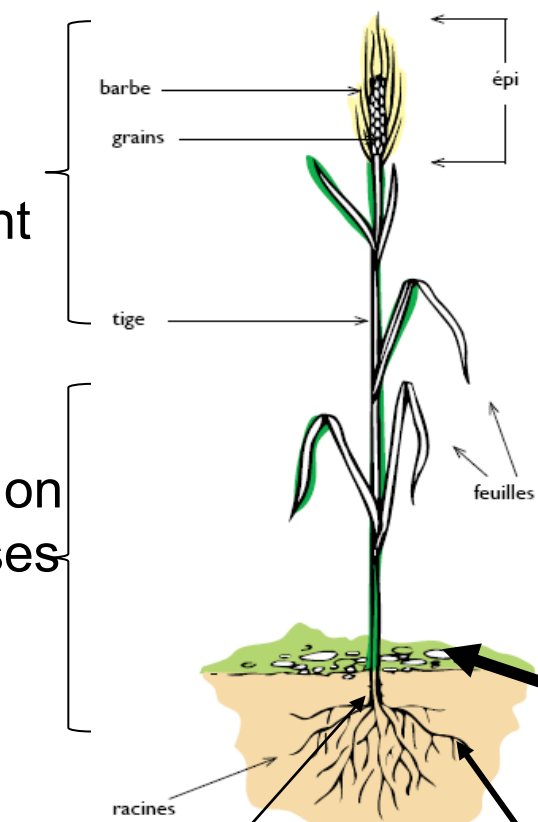
	No Til	+Til	
FHB/Spikelets	19.8%	13%	*
FHB/ears	9.4%	5.6%	*
Yield (Kg/ha)	7666	8473	**

Protozoa : DON > tillage



Fusarium head blight

Diseases on
-stem bases
-crown
-roots

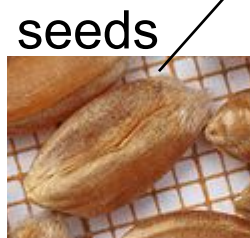


Tillage system

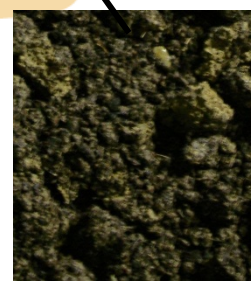


Crop residues

Preceding crop

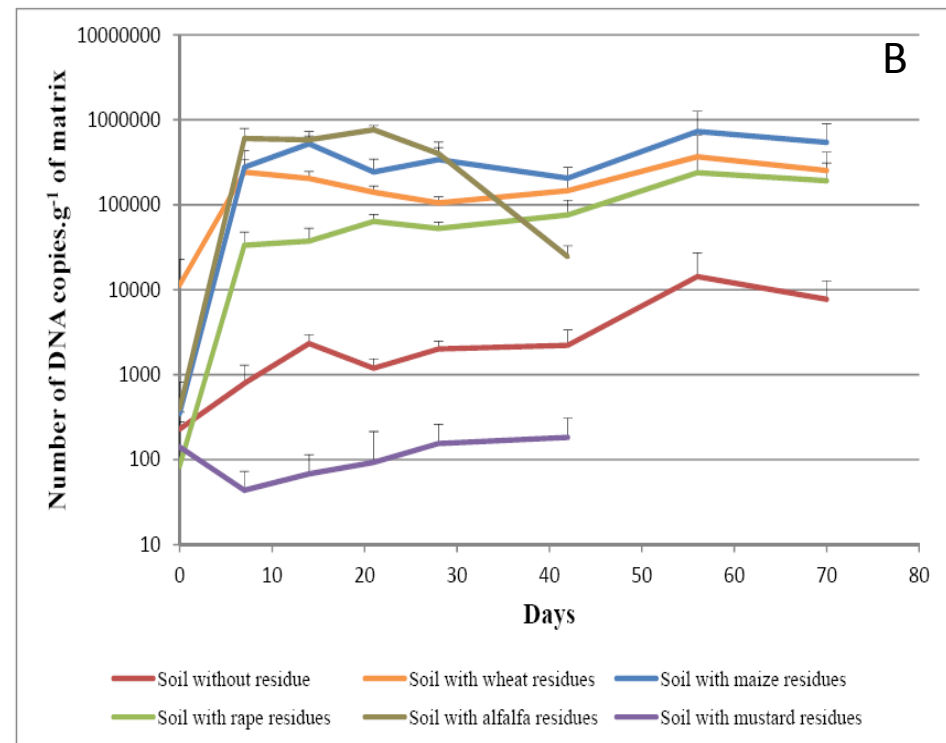
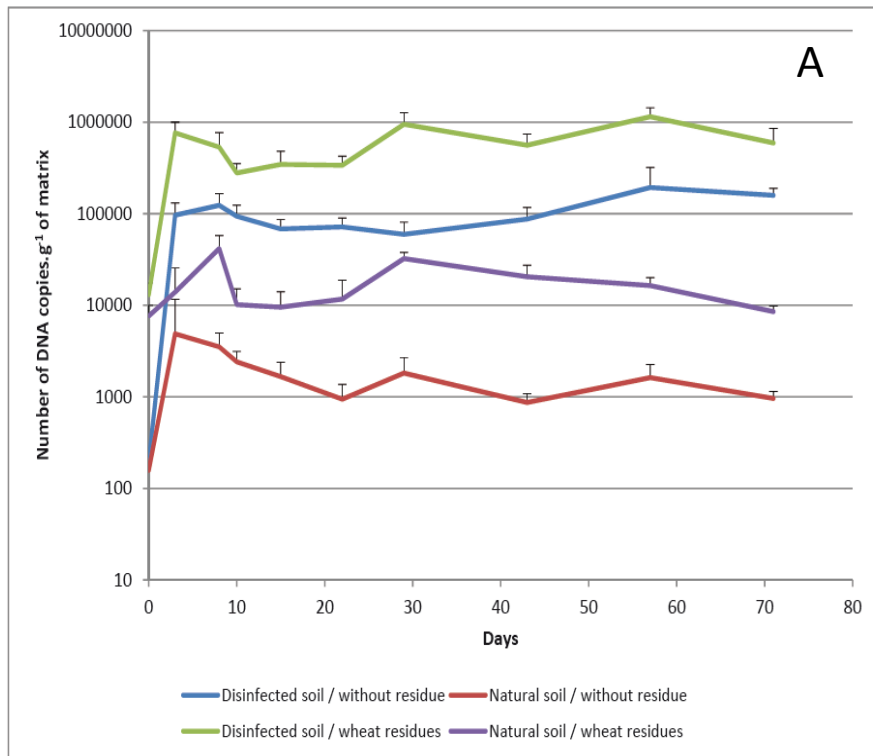


seeds



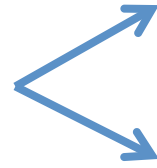
soil

Population dynamics of *F. graminearum* in crop residues



- ▶ ⇒ Presence of putative direct or/and indirect antagonistic (micro)organismes
- ▶ ⇒ Qualitative and quantitative role of crop residues: preceding crop, intermediate crop, ...

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soil, on crop residues and serve as
primary inoculum

Produces
disease to
the next
crop

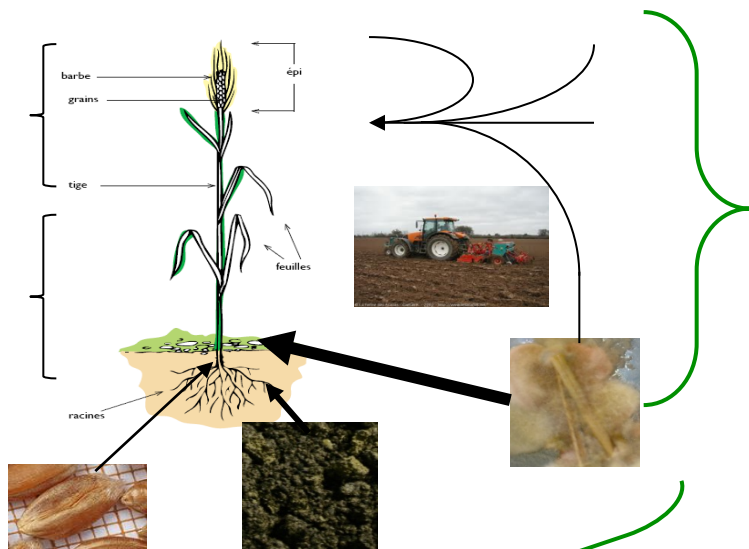
Crop residue +
mycotoxins

Soil
microflora
and fauna

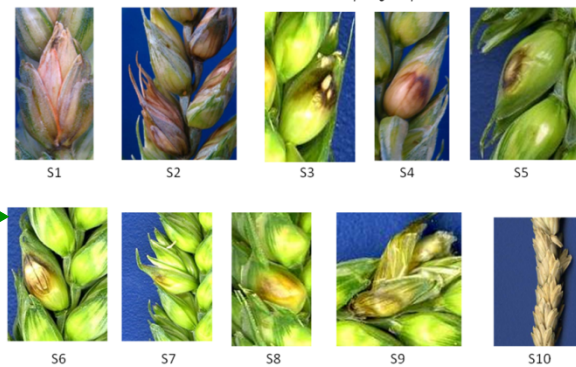
(antagonists, decomposers)

Survival

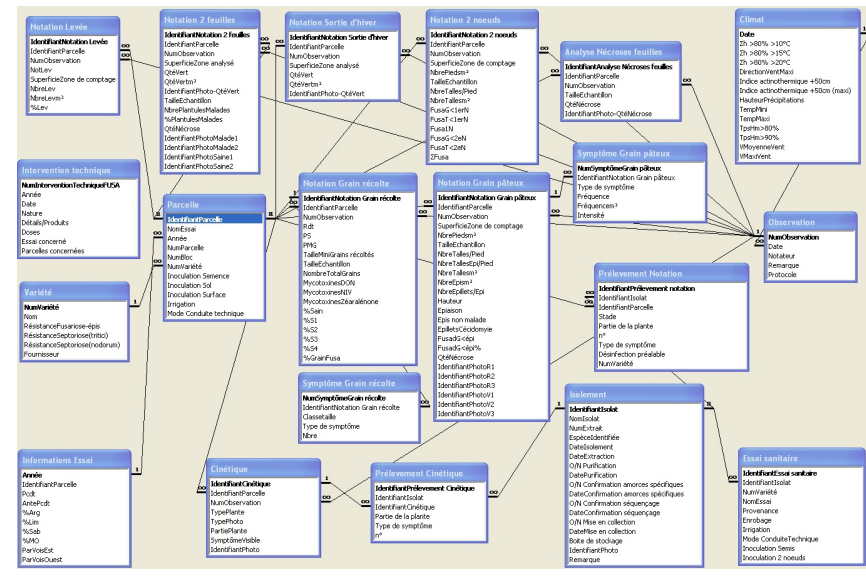
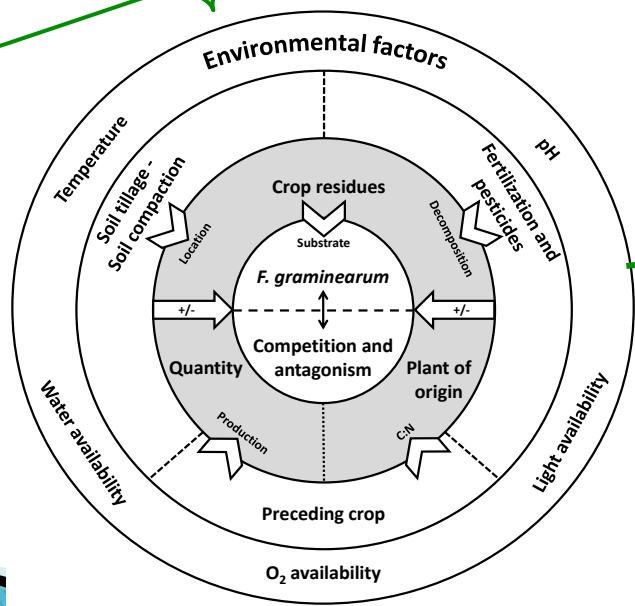
Do mycotoxins have an impact on soil microflora and fauna
during the decomposition of crop residues in the soil ?



Grille de notation de la maladie sur l'épi à grain pâteux



⇒ Risk assessment



⇒ Mathematical models

week 0



Week 8



Week 24



No earthworm



Plus earthworms

- Contribution of earthworms to the incorporation of wheat straw (and other plant residues) in the soil
- Decomposition ↗ mineralization and C sequestration



Suppressive soil of Châteaurenard

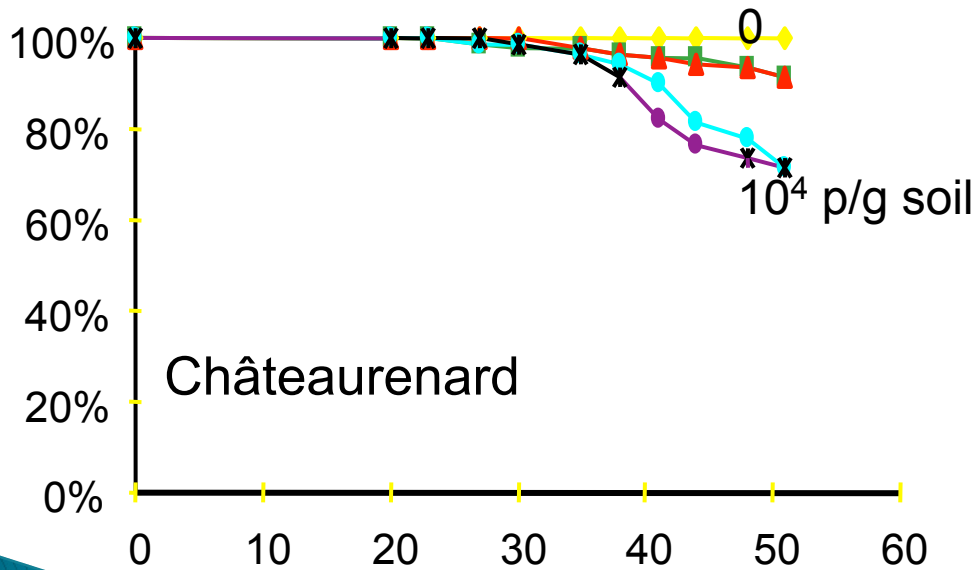
- empirical approach → Fo47

- functional genomics →

functional groups



% Healthy plants



Comparative

Metagenomics and

Metatranscriptomics of

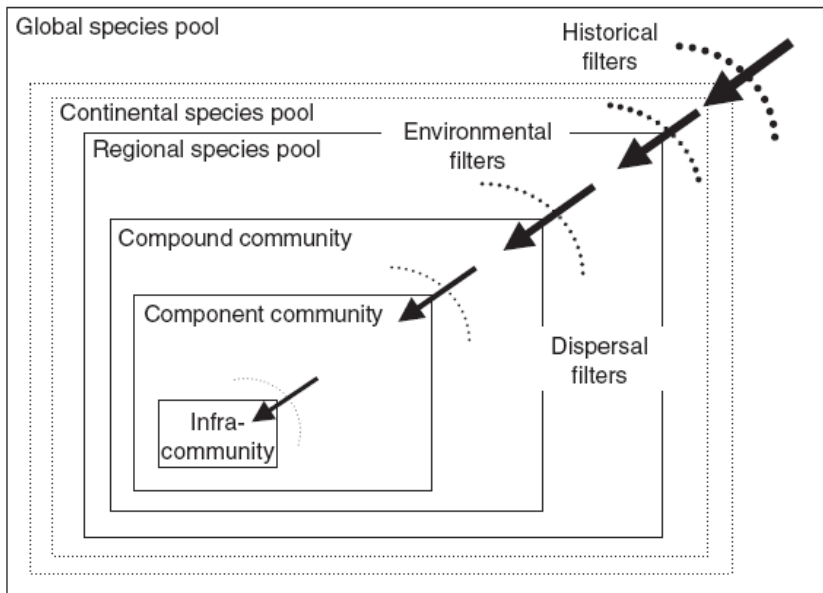
various suppressive soils :

- Fusarium wilt

- R. solani diseases

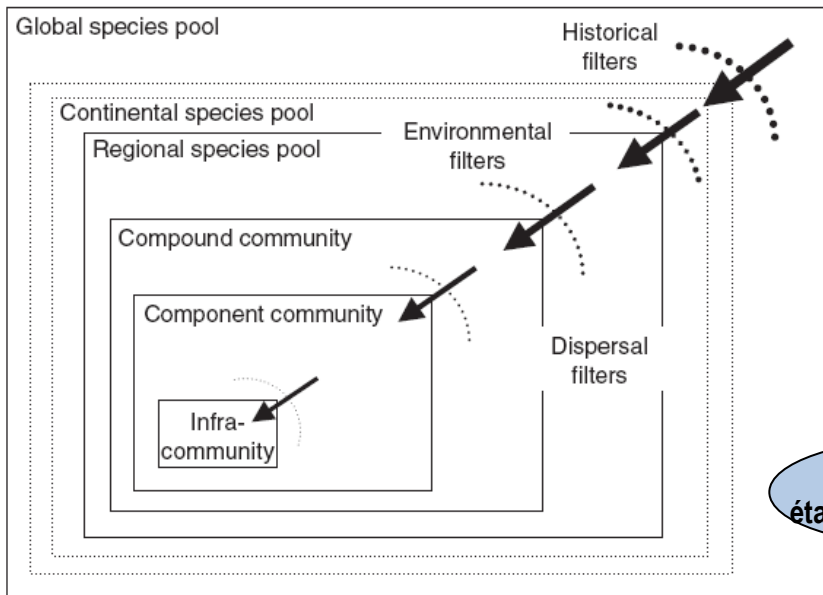
- Take-all decline

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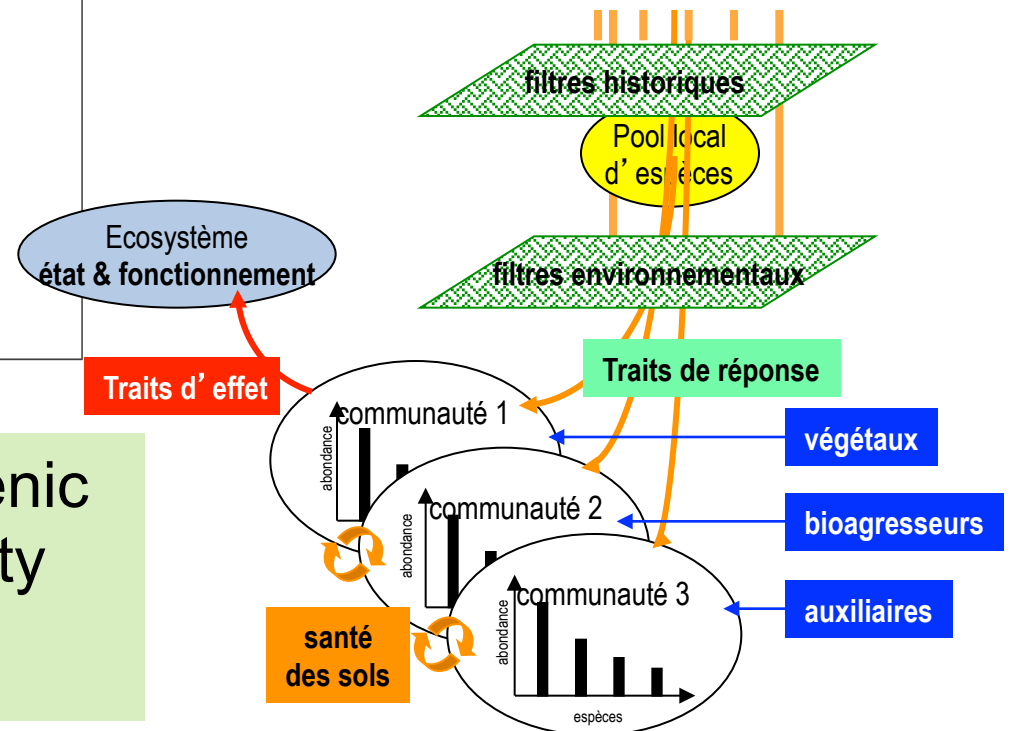


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=> To analyze the response to anthropogenic activities



2 - Managing the pathogenic activity through biodiversity (effect traits)

=> Multitrophic interactions (IOBC)



Ecology of soil-borne plant pathogens

