

## NUMERICAL DATA

### An integrated assessment and spatial-temporal variation analysis of neonicotinoids in pollen and honey from noncrop plants in Zhejiang, China (2019)

Temporal distributions of total neonicotinoids (ng/g, expressed as IMIRPF) in pollen and honey samples collected from 12 study stations in Zhejiang China.

| Sample        | Month | Total IMI <sub>RPF</sub> |        |         |       |             |        |             |        |             |        |        |         |             |
|---------------|-------|--------------------------|--------|---------|-------|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|---------|-------------|
|               |       | Yunhe                    | Fotang | Pujiang | Wuyi  | Wenzhou     | Pinghu | Cixi        | Tonglu | Lin'an      | Zhujia | Deqing | Taizhou | Mean        |
| <b>Pollen</b> | April | 0.13                     | 0.15   | /       | 34.93 | 0.88        | 10.89  | 2.33        | 12.29  | 0.08        | /      | 1.35   | /       | <b>5.24</b> |
|               | May   | 1.20                     | 1.10   | 4.46    | 0.86  | 0.47        | 0.56   | 0.38        | 1.78   | 12.85       | 3.10   | 1.60   | /       | <b>2.36</b> |
|               | June  | 0.04                     | 0.14   | 2.72    | 20.14 | 2.05        | 3.29   | /           | 5.26   | /           | /      | 1.35   | /       | <b>2.95</b> |
|               | Mean  | 0.46                     | 0.46   | 2.40    | 18.64 | 1.13        | 4.91   | 0.90        | 6.45   | 4.31        | 1.03   | 1.43   | /       | <b>3.52</b> |
| <b>Honey</b>  | April | /                        | /      | /       | /     | 8.51        | /      | 0.002       | /      | 0.08        | /      | /      | /       | <b>2.86</b> |
|               | May   | /                        | /      | /       | /     | /           | /      | 0.55        | /      | /           | /      | /      | /       | <b>0.18</b> |
|               | Mean  | /                        | /      | /       | /     | <b>4.25</b> | /      | <b>0.28</b> | /      | <b>0.04</b> | /      | /      | /       | <b>1.52</b> |

Table shows IMIRPF levels in pollen samples ranging from ND to 34.93 ng/g. Relatively high IMIRPF levels were observed in Wuyi (34.93 ng/g in April; 20.14 ng/g in June), Lin'an (12.85 ng/g) in May, Tonglu (12.29 ng/g) in April and Pinghu (10.89 ng/g) in April. For honey samples, the peak value of IMIRPF (8.51 ng/g) was found in Wenzhou in April and was several magnitudes higher than that in Cixi (0.002 ng/g).

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## Simultaneous removal of neonicotinoid insecticides by a microbial degrading consortium: Detoxification at reactor scale (2019)

Residual concentration of neonicotinoids in liquid phase removal assays with different bacterial consortia. Assay 1 included all consortia in simultaneous and individual pesticide elimination; significant elimination values with respect to the uninoculated control are bolded. Assay 2 included only degrading consortia during individual pesticide elimination.

| Consortium                  | Assay 1: Residual pesticide after |                    | Assay 2: Residual pesticide after |          |             |             |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|-------------|-------------|
|                             | 31 d (% of initial concentration) |                    | 14 d (% of initial concentration) |          |             |             |
|                             | Imidacloprid                      | Thiamethoxam       | Imidacloprid                      |          | Acetamiprid |             |
|                             |                                   |                    | BH-N                              | TSB      | BH-N        | TSB         |
| <b>Uninoculated control</b> | 75.2 (73.1)                       | 72.4 (71.6)        | 58.8                              | 70.8     | 71.0        | <b>94.7</b> |
| <b>C1</b>                   | 72.7 (76.0)                       | 75.7 (77.0)        | <b>e</b>                          | <b>e</b> |             |             |
| <b>N1</b>                   | 30.0 (30.8)                       | 48.2 (67.7)        | 39.6                              | 53.1     | 58.8        | <b>73.0</b> |
| <b>CN1</b>                  | 78.8 (76.5)                       | 76.9 (75.7)        | <b>e</b>                          | <b>e</b> |             |             |
| <b>C2</b>                   | 78.2 (82.0)                       | 77.5 (77.1)        | <b>e</b>                          | <b>e</b> |             |             |
| <b>N2</b>                   | 3.8 (8.3)                         | 76.9 (76.5)        | 40.4                              | 607      | 57.8        | <b>69.3</b> |
| <b>CN2</b>                  | <b>75.3 (79.0)</b>                | <b>77.2 (75.2)</b> | <b>e</b>                          | <b>e</b> |             |             |

<sup>a</sup> C, consortia from BH-C; N, consortia from BH-N; CN, consortia from BH-CN; numbers 1 and 2 refer to the different soil samples used as inoculum.

<sup>b</sup> Values correspond to individual removal; values in parenthesis correspond to simultaneous treatment of both insecticides.

<sup>c</sup> Culture media: BH-N, Bushnell-Haas lacking N source; TSB, trypticase soy broth.

Neonicotinoid degradation was more efficiently achieved in this study by consortium N1 at reactor-scale than at flask-scale. Conditions in the reactor, including forced aeration and better oxygen mass transfer could favor the accelerated pesticide elimination. The reactor performance also surpassed the efficiency observed in several studies that employed isolated strains at flask-scale.

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# Sorption, desorption and degradation of neonicotinoids in four agricultural soils and their effects on soil microorganisms. (2018)

Table 1: Freundlich model of sorption-desorption isotherms of three neonicotinoids on four soils.

| Sorption   |       | Freundlich isotherm parameters |                   |       | $K_d^b$      |             |           |
|------------|-------|--------------------------------|-------------------|-------|--------------|-------------|-----------|
| Chemicals  | Soils | n                              | $K_f^a$           | $R^2$ | $C_e = 0.05$ | $C_e = 0.5$ | $C_e = 5$ |
| IMI        | BS    | $0.862 \pm 0.019$              | $3.42 \pm 0.106$  | 0.997 | 5.17         | 3.76        | 2.74      |
|            | FS    | $0.987 \pm 0.097$              | $2.36 \pm 0.399$  | 0.953 | 2.45         | 2.38        | 2.31      |
|            | PS    | $0.805 \pm 0.059$              | $2.62 \pm 0.264$  | 0.969 | 4.70         | 3.00        | 1.91      |
|            | RS    | $1.02 \pm 0.031$               | $1.01 \pm 0.054$  | 0.994 | 0.901        | 0.991       | 1.08      |
| CLO        | BS    | $0.853 \pm 0.041$              | $3.39 \pm 0.230$  | 0.986 | 5.25         | 3.75        | 2.67      |
|            | FS    | $0.991 \pm 0.011$              | $1.08 \pm 0.020$  | 0.996 | 1.10         | 1.08        | 1.06      |
|            | PS    | $0.779 \pm 0.070$              | $2.75 \pm 0.328$  | 0.956 | 5.03         | 3.17        | 1.99      |
|            | RS    | $0.998 \pm 0.016$              | $0.992 \pm 0.059$ | 0.975 | 1.02         | 1.00        | 0.992     |
| THI        | BS    | $0.806 \pm 0.011$              | $9.06 \pm 0.156$  | 0.998 | 16.2         | 10.4        | 6.63      |
|            | FS    | $0.842 \pm 0.023$              | $3.40 \pm 0.127$  | 0.995 | 5.46         | 3.79        | 2.64      |
|            | PS    | $0.719 \pm 0.022$              | $4.70 \pm 0.184$  | 0.994 | 10.9         | 5.71        | 2.99      |
|            | RS    | $0.984 \pm 0.024$              | $1.16 \pm 0.049$  | 0.996 | 1.32         | 1.28        | 1.23      |
| Desorption |       | Freundlich isotherm parameters |                   |       | HI           |             |           |
| Chemicals  | Soils | $n^d$                          | $K_f^d$           | $R^2$ | $C_e = 0.05$ | $C_e = 0.5$ | $C_e = 5$ |
| IMI        | BS    | $0.725 \pm 0.048$              | $3.76 \pm 0.251$  | 0.975 | 0.785        | 0.350       | 0.021     |
|            | FS    | $0.919 \pm 0.091$              | $3.27 \pm 0.400$  | 0.953 | 0.699        | 0.455       | 0.245     |
|            | PS    | $0.650 \pm 0.057$              | $3.50 \pm 0.020$  | 0.963 | 1.13         | 0.489       | 0.041     |
|            | RS    | $1.02 \pm 0.116$               | $1.20 \pm 0.203$  | 0.927 | 0.268        | 0.202       | 0.139     |
| CLO        | BS    | $0.723 \pm 0.051$              | $5.05 \pm 0.038$  | 0.971 | 1.21         | 0.633       | 0.209     |
|            | FS    | $0.977 \pm 0.054$              | $1.86 \pm 0.157$  | 0.982 | 0.807        | 0.748       | 0.692     |
|            | PS    | $0.594 \pm 0.055$              | $4.04 \pm 0.035$  | 0.951 | 1.70         | 0.688       | 0.055     |
|            | RS    | $0.921 \pm 0.059$              | $1.32 \pm 0.209$  | 0.976 | 0.638        | 0.391       | 0.181     |
| THI        | BS    | $0.717 \pm 0.033$              | $10.9 \pm 0.566$  | 0.987 | 0.568        | 0.276       | 0.038     |
|            | FS    | $0.770 \pm 0.041$              | $4.28 \pm 0.240$  | 0.984 | 0.562        | 0.324       | 0.122     |
|            | PS    | $0.645 \pm 0.057$              | $5.49 \pm 0.555$  | 0.955 | 0.458        | 0.230       | 0.039     |
|            | RS    | $0.943 \pm 0.035$              | $1.55 \pm 0.086$  | 0.989 | 0.387        | 0.263       | 0.150     |

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## Sorption, desorption and degradation of neonicotinoids in four agricultural soils and their effects on soil microorganisms (2018)

**Table 1: Degradation of three neonicotinoids in four soils during 60 days of incubation.**

| Chemicals | Soil<br>s |                | k (day <sup>-1</sup> ) | R <sup>2</sup> | t <sub>1/2</sub><br>(days) | Removal rate (%) |          |
|-----------|-----------|----------------|------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|------------------|----------|
| IMI       | BS        | sterilized     | 0.0128 ± 0.0020        | 0.967          | 54.1                       | 54.7             | ± 1.62d  |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0193 ± 0.0016        | 0.977          | 35.9                       | 67.1             | ± 1.93c  |
|           | FS        | sterilized     | 0.0078 ± 0.0009        | 0.895          | 88.6                       | 36.4             | ± 1.74hi |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0115 ± 0.0009        | 0.967          | 60.5                       | 46.1             | ± 1.54ef |
|           | PS        | sterilized     | 0.0060 ± 0.0003        | 0.914          | 115                        | 29.6             | ± 1.10jk |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0089 ± 0.0013        | 0.9045         | 77.6                       | 42.3             | ± 1.15fg |
|           | RS        | sterilized     | 0.0049 ± 0.0018        | 0.855          | 130                        | 25.5             | ± 2.41k  |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0074 ± 0.0021        | 0.849          | 86.7                       | 35.3             | ± 1.76hi |
| CLO       | BS        | sterilized     | 0.0074 ± 0.0007        | 0.895          | 93.2                       | 39.6             | ± 1.69gh |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0148 ± 0.0016        | 0.954          | 47.0                       | 57.6             | ± 2.36d  |
|           | FS        | sterilized     | 0.0072 ± 0.0009        | 0.932          | 96.1                       | 32.3             | ± 1.72ij |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0118 ± 0.0020        | 0.882          | 58.8                       | 46.3             | ± 0.69ef |
|           | PS        | sterilized     | 0.0063 ± 0.0015        | 0.909          | 110                        | 27.6             | ± 1.77jk |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0132 ± 0.0024        | 0.868          | 52.4                       | 53.4             | ± 1.73d  |
|           | RS        | sterilized     | 0.0055 ± 0.0009        | 0.875          | 126                        | 27.3             | ± 1.16k  |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0088 ± 0.0016        | 0.862          | 79.0                       | 45.6             | ± 1.82ef |
| S         | BS        | sterilized     | 0.0169 ± 0.0015        | 0.968          | 55.0                       | 56.5             | ± 1.19d  |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0440 ± 0.0059        | 0.967          | 25.7                       | 80.9             | ± 2.50a  |
|           | FS        | sterilized     | 0.0115 ± 0.0012        | 0.955          | 60.2                       | 47.3             | ± 1.23e  |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0236 ± 0.0013        | 0.991          | 29.3                       | 74.5             | ± 1.18b  |
|           | PS        | sterilized     | 0.0101 ± 0.0009        | 0.958          | 68.4                       | 29.5             | ± 2.87jk |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0195 ± 0.0017        | 0.975          | 35.6                       | 56.3             | ± 1.16d  |
|           | RS        | sterilized     | 0.0095 ± 0.0007        | 0.976          | 73.1                       | 25.4             | ± 1.76k  |
|           |           | non-sterilized | 0.0155 ± 0.0011        | 0.979          | 44.7                       | 35.3             | ± 2.29hi |

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## Neonicotinoid residues in UK honey despite European Union moratorium (2017)

**Table 1: PGP Summary of neonicotinoids residues found in honey pre- and post the EU moratorium.**

| Date             | Number of honey | Average combined NNI residue (ng g <sup>-1</sup> w/w) | Maximum combined NNI residue (ng g <sup>-1</sup> w/w) | Median combined NNI residue (ng g <sup>-1</sup> w/w) | Proportion of honey containing neonicotinoids residues above LOD (0.38 ng g <sup>-1</sup> w/w) |            |            |            |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|
|                  |                 |                                                       |                                                       |                                                      | <i>NN</i>                                                                                      | <i>TMX</i> | <i>CTD</i> | <i>IMI</i> |
| <b>2014(all)</b> | 21              | 0.43 (SE = 0.12)                                      | 2.00                                                  | 0.38                                                 | 0.52                                                                                           | 0.14       | 0.38       | 0.10       |
| <b>2015(all)</b> | 109             | 0.19 (SE = 0.04)                                      | 1.99                                                  | 0.00                                                 | 0.23                                                                                           | 0.067      | 0.176      | 0.06       |
| <b>May-15</b>    | 12              | 0.62 (SE = 0.21)                                      | 1.79                                                  | 0.62                                                 | 0.66                                                                                           | 0.25       | 0.50       | 0.08       |
| <b>Jun-15</b>    | 12              | 0.40 (SE = 0.19)                                      | 1.99                                                  | 0.00                                                 | 0.33                                                                                           | 0.00       | 0.33       | 0.08       |
| <b>Jul-15</b>    | 16              | 0.26 (SE = 0.10)                                      | 1.10                                                  | 0.00                                                 | 0.38                                                                                           | 0.13       | 0.25       | 0.13       |
| <b>Aug-15</b>    | 46              | 0.07 (SE = 0.03)                                      | 0.76                                                  | 0.00                                                 | 0.13                                                                                           | 0.04       | 0.09       | 0.02       |
| <b>Sep-15</b>    | 23              | 0.02 (SE = 0.02)                                      | 0.38                                                  | 0.00                                                 | 0.04                                                                                           | 0.00       | 0.00       | 0.04       |

Summary statistics for the combined (NNI) residues of thiamethoxam (TMX), clothianidin (CTD) and imidacloprid found within honey pre- (2014) and post (2015) the implementation of the EU moratorium on their use in mass flowering crops. Seasonal changes in residues post moratorium are also shown. Note that residues of more than one neonicotinoid compound may be found in the same sample of honey.

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## Reduction of neonicotinoid insecticide residues in Prairie wetlands by common wetland plants (2017)

| Wetland type | Week | Detection (%) |    |     | Clothianidin (µg/L) |       | Thiamethoxam (µg/L) |       | Imidacloprid (µg/L) |       | TEQ - Imidacloprid (µg/L) |       |
|--------------|------|---------------|----|-----|---------------------|-------|---------------------|-------|---------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|
|              |      | CL            | TH | IMI | Mean ± S.E.         | Max.  | Mean ± S.E.         | Max.  | Mean ± S.E.         | Max.  | Mean ± S.E.               | Max.  |
| Unvegetated  | 1    | 90            | 30 | ND  | 0.016 ± 0.003       | 0.035 | 0.005 ± 0.003       | 0.026 | ND                  | ND    | 0.025 ± 0.005             | 0.057 |
| n = 10       | 4    | 90            | 30 | 30  | 0.011 ± 0.003       | 0.029 | 0.002 ± 0.001       | 0.006 | 0.001 ± 0.001       | 0.005 | 0.028 ± 0.005             | 0.054 |
|              | 6    | 80            | 40 | 10  | 0.018 ± 0.004       | 0.037 | 0.080 ± 0.049       | 0.425 | 0.000 ± 0.000       | 0.003 | 0.030 ± 0.007             | 0.064 |
|              | 8    | 80            | 20 | ND  | 0.008 ± 0.003       | 0.035 | 0.005 ± 0.004       | 0.040 | ND                  | ND    | 0.013 ± 0.005             | 0.056 |
| Vegetated    | 1    | 90            | 20 | 10  | 0.013 ± 0.002       | 0.022 | 0.001 ± 0.001       | 0.007 | 0.000 ± 0.000       | 0.004 | 0.021 ± 0.003             | 0.036 |
| n = 10       | 4    | 50            | 20 | ND  | 0.003 ± 0.001       | 0.011 | 0.001 ± 0.001       | 0.006 | ND                  | ND    | 0.005 ± 0.002             | 0.018 |
|              | 6    | 50            | 10 | 40  | 0.006 ± 0.002       | 0.013 | 0.004 ± 0.004       | 0.041 | 0.002 ± 0.001       | 0.007 | 0.012 ± 0.003             | 0.023 |
|              | 8    | 50            | 10 | 20  | 0.004 ± 0.002       | 0.013 | 0.005 ± 0.005       | 0.047 | 0.001 ± 0.000       | 0.003 | 0.007 ± 0.002             | 0.021 |

ND = no detection.

Summary of percent detections, arithmetic means ( $\pm$ SE), and maximum concentrations of neonicotinoids (clothianidin, imidacloprid, thiamethoxam) in water from wetlands situated in clothianidin-treated canola fields. Percent detections are calculated from values NLOQ only. Concentration values are reported in µg/L and presented as overall summaries by week for each wetland type: unvegetated or vegetated. Toxic equivalency (TEQ- Imidacloprid) (see Cavallaro et al., 2016) is calculated to represent the toxic potential of the water samples to sensitive aquatic insect larvae from combined neonicotinoid exposure relative to imidacloprid.

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**Strain specific discriminating concentration results (i.e. per cent susceptible) for 24 strains of *Aphis gossypii* collected from Australian cotton and tested against a discriminating concentration of 0.002 g/L acetamiprid, 0.02 g/L thiamethoxam and 0.05 g/L clothianidin(2016)**

| Strain            | Location      | Acetamiprid (%) | Thiamethoxam (%) | Clothianidin (%) |
|-------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|
| <b>The Ovr 08</b> | Darling Downs | 100             | 100              | 100              |
| <b>Ros R2</b>     | Darling Downs | 100             | 80               | 93               |
| <b>Brook</b>      | St George     | 100             | 100              | 100              |
| <b>War F1</b>     | Namoi Valley  | 100             | 100              | 100              |
| <b>W Lag V</b>    | Namoi Valley  | 76              | 86               | 95               |
| <b>Elra</b>       | Darling Downs | 82              | 44               | 99               |
| <b>Bin</b>        | Gwydir Valley | 77              | 57               | 89               |
| <b>The My</b>     | Namoi Valley  | 100             | 100              | 91               |
| <b>Kat Vol</b>    | St George     | 74              | 70               | 80               |
| <b>St R</b>       | Darling Downs | 49              | 42               | 98               |
| <b>Kat S</b>      | St George     | 76              | 73               | 70               |
| <b>The Ovr 09</b> | Darling Downs | 100             | 98               | 100              |
| <b>Cav</b>        | Darling Downs | 100             | 72               | 90               |
| <b>Ros R9</b>     | Darling Downs | 100             | 66               | 86               |
| <b>Tull</b>       | Namoi Valley  | 92              | 71               | 98               |
| <b>Wam</b>        | Darling Downs | 98              | 100              | 91               |
| <b>War Vol</b>    | Namoi Valley  | 100             | 100              | 100              |
| <b>Bal</b>        | St George     | 92              | 100              | 100              |
| <b>Nar</b>        | Darling Downs | 91              | 80               | 50               |
| <b>Went F6</b>    | Namoi Valley  | 97              | 100              | 100              |
| <b>W Lag F5</b>   | Namoi Valley  | 98              | 98               | 95               |
| <b>Yar</b>        | Namoi Valley  | 99              | 100              | 98               |
| <b>Fair</b>       | Darling Downs | 87              | 100              | 100              |
| <b>EWer</b>       | Darling Downs | 94              | 36               | 80               |

**Source:** Lewis J Wilson et al.(2016), Neonicotinoid resistance in *Aphis gossypii* Glover (Aphididae: Hemiptera) from Australian cotton, Australian Journal of Entomology

**Full log dose probit regression summary for the three strains of *Aphis gossypii* with the highest proportion of discriminating concentration survivors for each neonicotinoid chemical tested(2016)**

| Chemical     | Strain      | Slope ( $\pm$ SE) | LC50 (95% FL) (g/L)       | RF (95% CI)    |
|--------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------------------|----------------|
| Acetamiprid  | Susceptible | 2.8 ( $\pm$ 0.26) | 0.00017(0.00012–0.00021)  | –              |
|              | Kat Vol     | 2.0 ( $\pm$ 0.37) | 0.0011 (0.00062–0.0017)   | 6.4 (3.8–10.6) |
|              | St R        | 1.4 ( $\pm$ 0.25) | 0.00051 (0.00023–0.00084) | 3.1 (1.7–5.6)  |
|              | Kat S       | 1.6 ( $\pm$ 0.21) | 0.00020 (0.00011–0.00030) | 1.2 (0.7–2.1)  |
| Thiamethoxam | Susceptible | 1.7 ( $\pm$ 0.42) | 0.00045 (0.00014–0.00079) | –              |
|              | Elra        | 1.3 ( $\pm$ 0.20) | 0.010 (0.0043–0.017)      | 22 (9.5–53)    |
|              | St R        | 1.2 ( $\pm$ 0.10) | 0.0077 (0.0048–0.011)     | 17 (8.3–36)    |
|              | EWer        | 0.9 ( $\pm$ 0.26) | 0.0017 (0.000017–0.0067)  | 3.9 (0.6–24)   |
| Clothianidin | Susceptible | 2.3 ( $\pm$ 0.44) | 0.0012 (0.00078–0.0018)   | –              |
|              | Kat S       | 1.1 ( $\pm$ 0.17) | 0.0074 (0.0032–0.012)     | 5.9 (2.9–12)   |
|              | Nar         | 0.8 ( $\pm$ 0.27) | 0.013 (0.00027–0.054)     | 10 (1.8–56)    |
|              | EWer        | 0.9 ( $\pm$ 0.15) | 0.0024 (0.0011–0.0043)    | 1.9 (1.0–4.0)  |

**Source:** Grant A Herron et al.(2016), Neonicotinoid resistance in *Aphis gossypii* Glover (Aphididae: Hemiptera) from Australian cotton, Australian Journal of Entomology