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ABSTRACT

Four experiments were conducted to evaluate the effect of some chemical treatments on iron chlorosis recovery of corn plants grown on calcareous soil and the distribution of Fe among soil various fractions using ⁵⁵Fe. Results indicated that the chemical treatments, added either as foliar or soil application, had great effect on growth, nutrient uptake and recovery of iron chlorosis by improving the status of chlorophyll and ferrous content in leaves of corn plants. ⁵⁵Fe fractions in tested soil were also discussed.

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