

Table S1: Effect of IBA in guava (Lucknow-49) infested with root knot nematode, *M.enterolobii* in soil and root

Treatments	Nematode population in 200cc of soil (days)				Nematode population in 5g of root								
	0	45	75	105	No of egg masses (days)			No of females (days)			No of eggs/egg masses (days)		
					45	75	105	45	75	105	45	75	105
T1- IBA- 100 ppm	173 ^e	171 ^d (0.96)	169 ^e (1.17)	167 ^d (1.37)	26 ^b	24 ^{cd} (6.42)	22 ^c (8.22)	29 ^{ab}	27 ^{bc} (7.94)	25 ^b (7.41)	198 ^{bc}	191 ^{bc} (3.70)	189 ^c (0.70)
T2- IBA - 400 ppm	178 ^{cde}	176 ^{bcd} (0.94)	174 ^{cde} (1.13)	172 ^{cd} (1.15)	27 ^a	26 ^b (4.81)	24 ^b (8.85)	30 ^a	27 ^b (8.90)	25 ^b (7.32)	212 ^a	206 ^a (2.67)	207 ^a (-0.48)
T3- IBA - 700 ppm	186 ^{ab}	185 ^a (0.36)	183 ^{ab} (1.08)	181 ^b (1.45)	24 ^{cd}	23 ^e (4.11)	22 ^{cd} (5.70)	28 ^c	26 ^c (8.22)	24 ^{bc} (6.42)	206 ^{ab}	203 ^a (1.61)	202 ^{ab} (0.17)
T4- IBA - 1000 ppm	190 ^a	184 ^a (2.98)	180 ^{bc} (2.34)	175 ^{bcd} (2.96)	26 ^b	23 ^{de} (10.14)	21 ^{de} (11.24)	30 ^a	24 ^d (18.90)	21 ^d (12.33)	189 ^c	185 ^c (1.77)	179 ^d (3.59)
T5- IBA - 1300 ppm	185 ^{ac}	183 ^{ab} (1.08)	180 ^{bc} (1.82)	176 ^{bc} (1.86)	27 ^a	25 ^c (9.62)	22 ^c (9.36)	29 ^{ab}	26 ^{bc} (10.23)	23 ^c (10.14)	212 ^a	206 ^a (2.98)	209 ^a (-1.45)
T6- IBA - 1600 ppm	176 ^{de}	174 ^{cd} (0.95)	171 ^{de} (1.53)	169 ^{cd} (1.55)	25 ^c	23 ^e (8.00)	21 ^{de} (8.70)	28 ^{bc}	26 ^c (9.28)	23 ^c (9.00)	199 ^{bc}	199 ^{ab} (0.33)	198 ^b (0.34)
T7- IBA - 2000 ppm	181 ^{bcd}	179 ^{abc} (0.92)	177 ^{cd} (1.48)	174 ^{bcd} (1.51)	23 ^d	22 ^f (7.02)	20 ^e (7.59)	29 ^a	27 ^{bc} (8.97)	24 ^{bc} (8.67)	204 ^{ab}	201 ^a (1.31)	205 ^{ab} (-1.66)
T8- Untreated control	180 ^{bcde}	183 ^a (-1.85)	187 ^a (-2.18)	192 ^a (-2.31)	27 ^a	29 ^a (-6.04)	28 ^a (2.28)	30 ^a	28 ^a (4.47)	31 ^a (-8.16)	201 ^{ab}	201 ^a (-0.16)	204 ^{ab} (-1.49)

Data are mean of 3 plants per treatment. Means followed by the same letter do not differ significantly ($P \geq 0.05$) according to Fisher's protected LSD test. Values in the parenthesis are percent increased or decreased over initial population