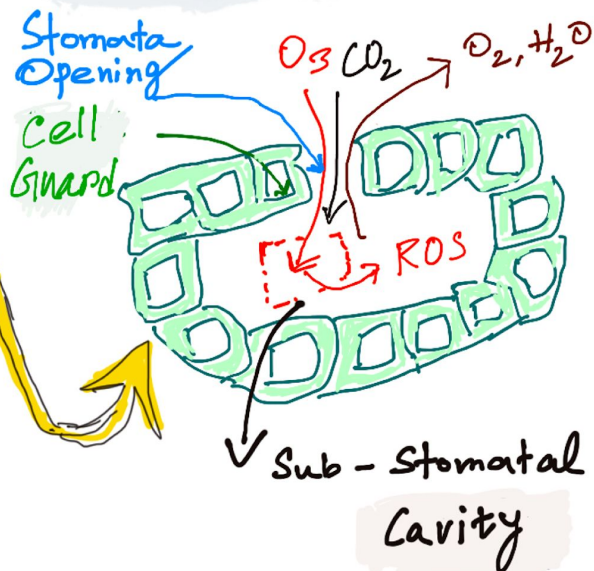
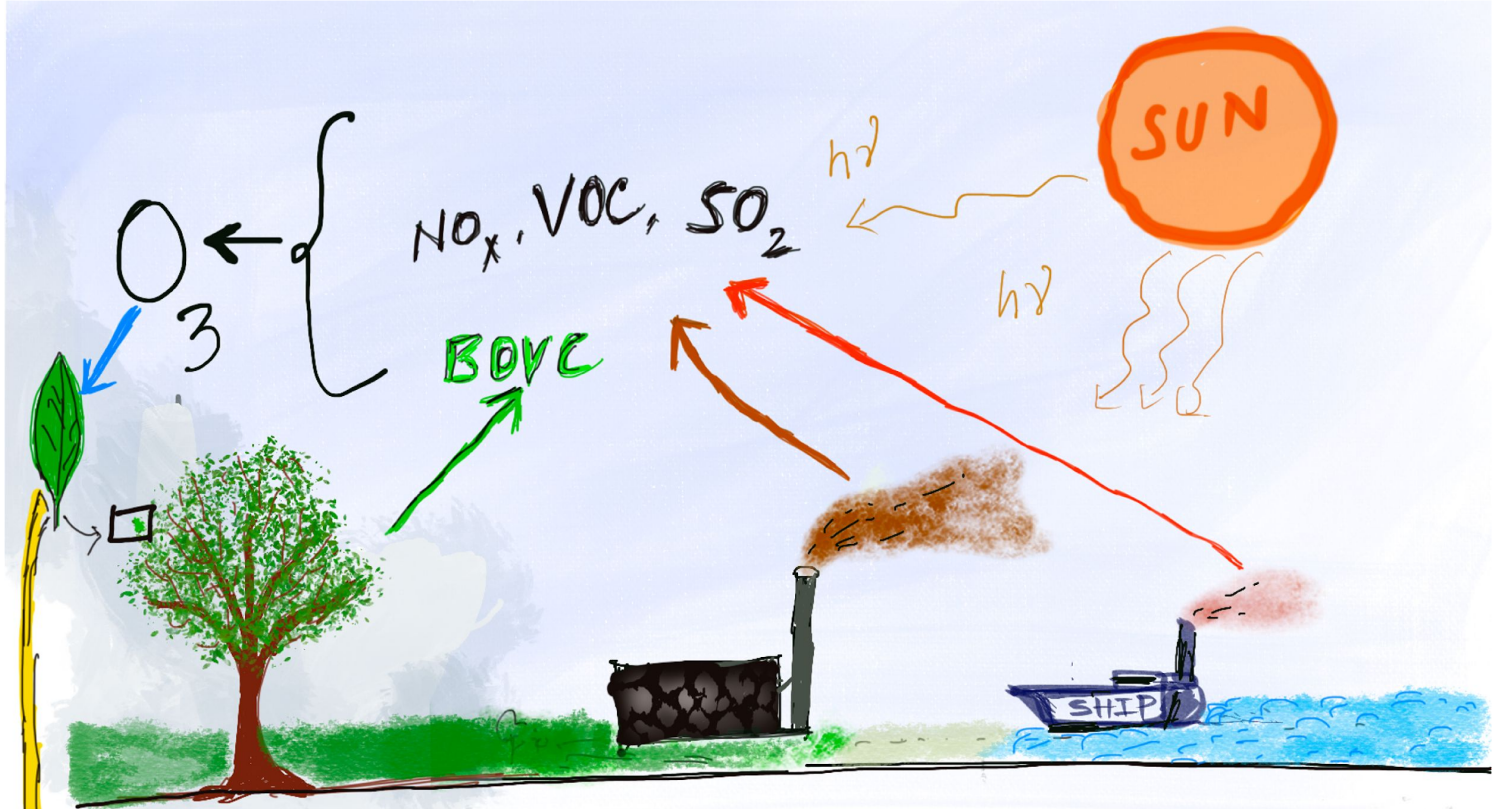


Improving ozone damage parameterization in CLM5

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Plant response to chronic O_3 stress:

- Excess reactive oxygen species (**ROS**) production
- **ROS** damages the cell membrane
- Metabolism dysfunction
- Reduced net photosynthesis
- Reduced stomatal conductance
- Reduced carbon assimilation
- Cell death (visible injury)

Ozone damage parameterization in CLM5

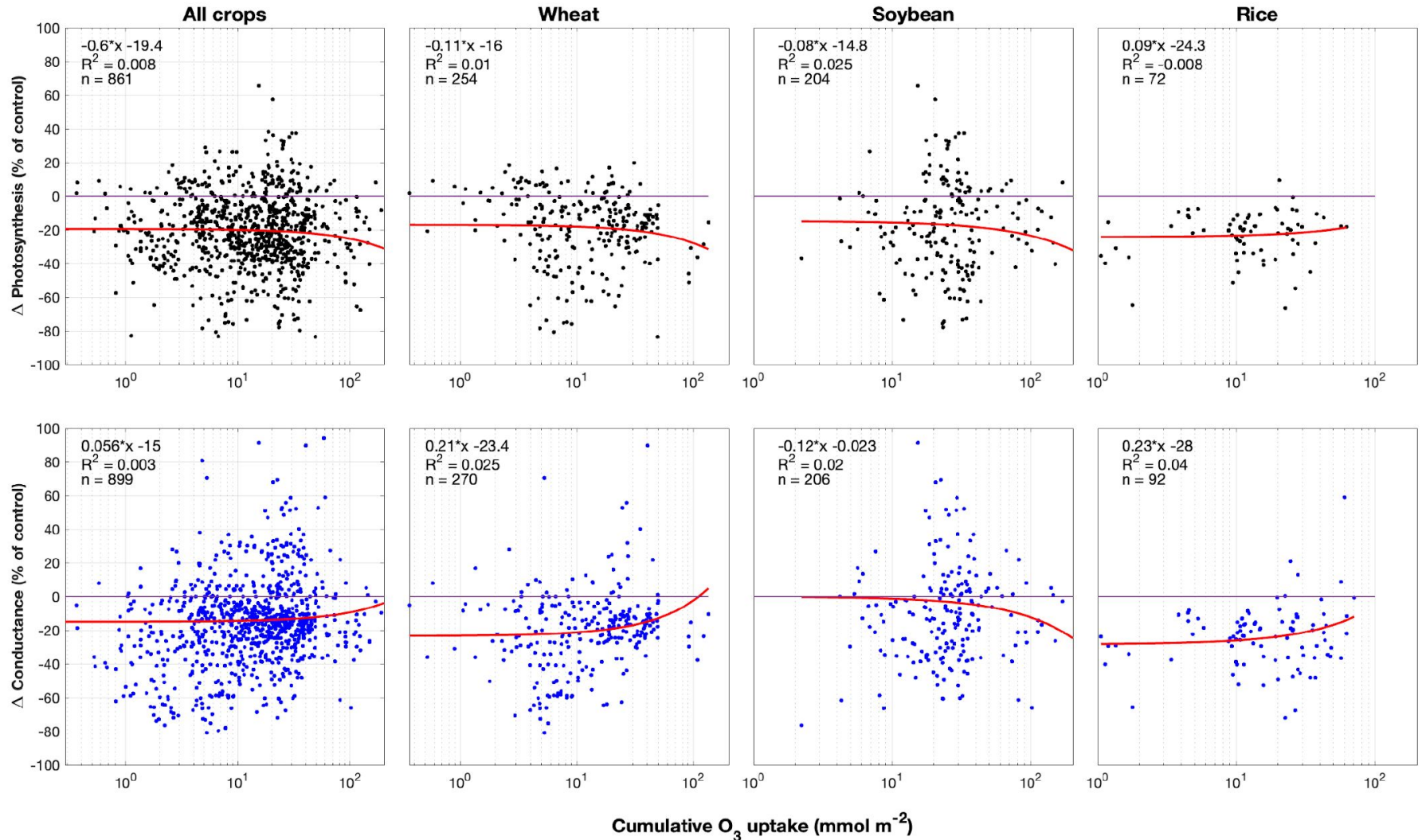
- Ozone damage on vegetation in CLM5 is directly and independently influenced by **photosynthesis** and **stomatal conductance** based on the cumulative uptake of ozone (**CUO**) through stomata (Lombardozzi et al., 2015; Lombardozzi et al., 2013; Lawrence, 2019).
- The impact of ozone is estimated for three broad plant functional types (PFTs):
 1. **Broadleaf trees and shrubs**
 2. **Needleleaf trees and shrubs, and**
 3. **Crops and grasses**
- Through this study, our goal is to improve the ozone damage function by analyzing peer-reviewed ozone damage experimental data.
- We gathered ozone damage experiments for various plants, crops, grasses, pulses etc., therefore, another goal is to develop unique ozone damage parameterization for different PFTs (e.g., **wheat, rice, soybean, tropical evergreen trees, C4 crops**).

Categories and levels describing the data collected from experiments studying ozone effects on photosynthesis and stomatal conductance

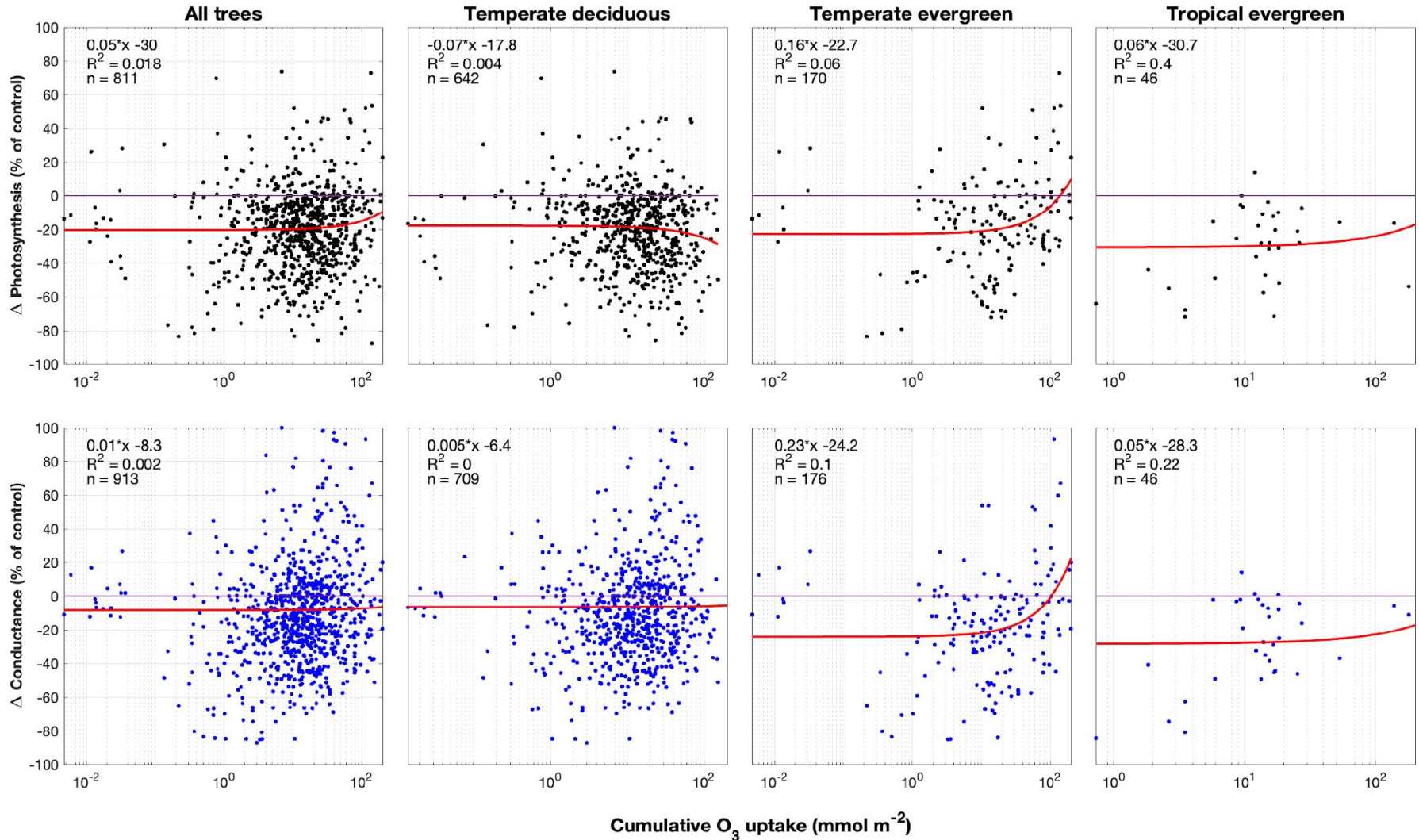
| Category | Categorical Level | | | | | | |
|------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Plant Type | Crop (81, 903) | Shrub (9, 35) | Grasses (C3 & C4) (5, 11) | Herbaceous (13, 49) | Temperate deciduous tree (84, 775) | Temperate evergreen tree (21, 180) | Tropical evergreen tree (9, 48) |
| Crop Type | Wheat (30, 276) | Soybean (13, 209) | Rice (9, 94) | Maize (2, 26) | Pulses (8, 202) | Sugarcane (1, 8) | Cotton (1, 4) |
| Control Air | Ambient (56, 716) | Charcoal filtered (166, 1225) | | | | | |
| Exposure System | Greenhouse (9, 125) | Growth chamber (69, 505) | Open-top chamber (92, 935) | Free-air enrichment (52, 382) | | | |
| Ozone conc. bins (ppb) | 25 to 50 (11, 159) | 50-75 (76, 421) | 75-100 (74, 751) | 100-125 (13, 197) | 125-150 (12, 64) | >150 (7, 44) | |
| Rooting environment | Pot (163, 1316) | Ground (72, 626) | | | | | |
| Vulnerability to Ozone | Low (42, 230) | Med (99, 890) | High (81, 765) | | | | |
| Data Confidence | Low (98, 698) | Med (104, 919) | High (14, 84) | | | | |

- Data from 235 papers (almost 1600 data points) published from 1970 till the present.
- Data points within the associated categorical level: (# of studies, # of data points).

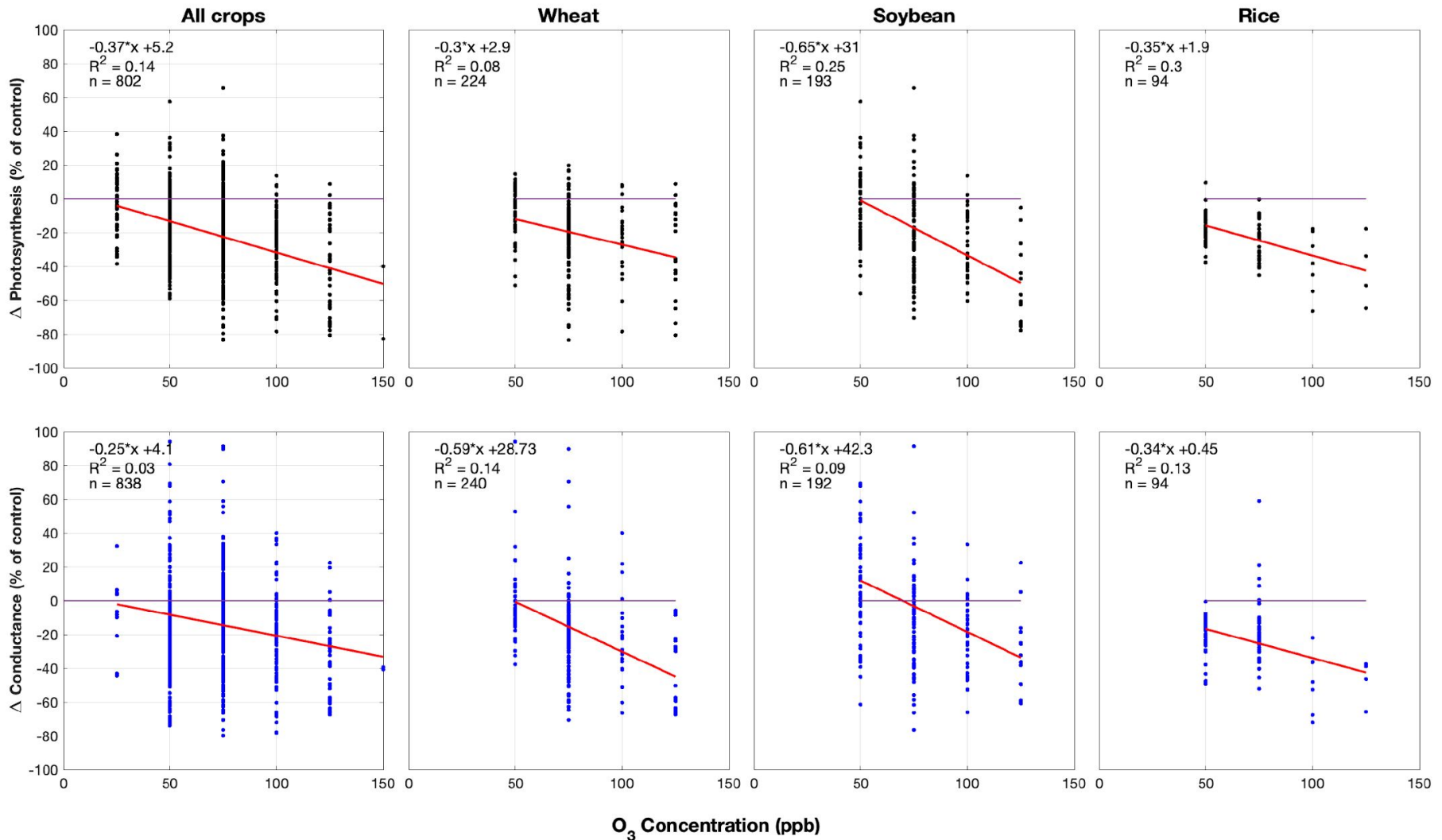
The correlation of photosynthesis and stomatal conductance to cumulative uptake of O₃ (CUO) across category crop types for all other categories (1970-2022)



The correlation of **photosynthesis** and **stomatal conductance** to **cumulative uptake of O₃ (CUO)** across **category tree types** for all other categories (1970-2022)



The correlation of photosynthesis and stomatal conductance to O₃ concentration-bins across category crop types for all categories (1970-2022)

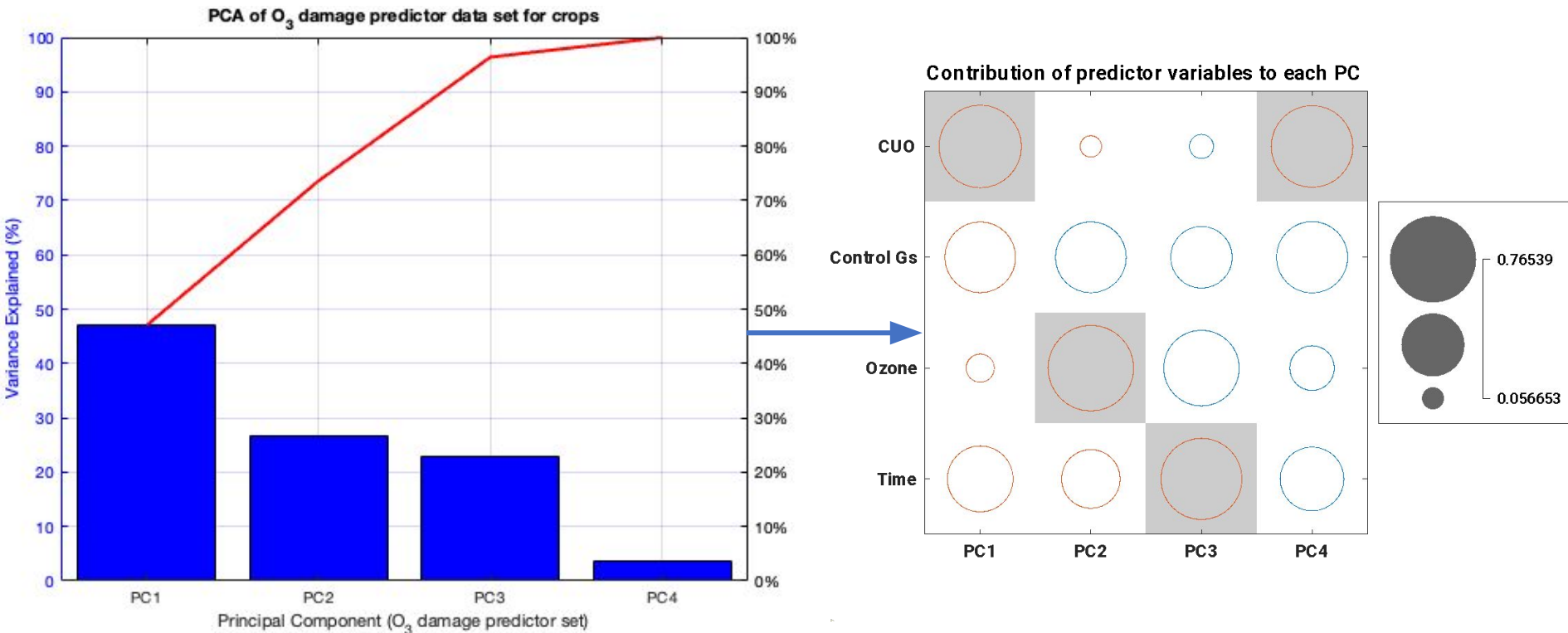


Conclusions from the data analysis using Lombardozzi et al. (2013) methodology

- On average all the crops shows reduction in photosynthesis (21%) and stomatal conductance (14%), highest for rice (23% and 24%, respectively).
- On average crops are more sensitive to chronic ozone exposure than trees.
- The correlation between **CUO (Cumulative ozone uptake)** and change in photosynthesis and conductance is not significant, the correlation improves if predictor variable is **Ozone concentrations**.
- The experimental data shows different crops and trees are affected differently and hence should have unique ozone damage function in CLM5.
- **CUO** is integrated O_3 flux into leaves through time and is an indicator of ozone uptake but taking **Ozone concentration** into account while deriving plant damage is crucial.
- **CUO** calculation is directly proportional to **stomatal conductance (Gs)** of the plant, **ozone concentration** and **total exposure time**.
- **However, a plant can have similar CUO values for various condition, e.g.,**
 1. **low ozone concentration, for a long duration**
 2. **high ozone concentration, for a shorter duration**
 3. **high ozone concentration, for a longer duration but, have low Gs**

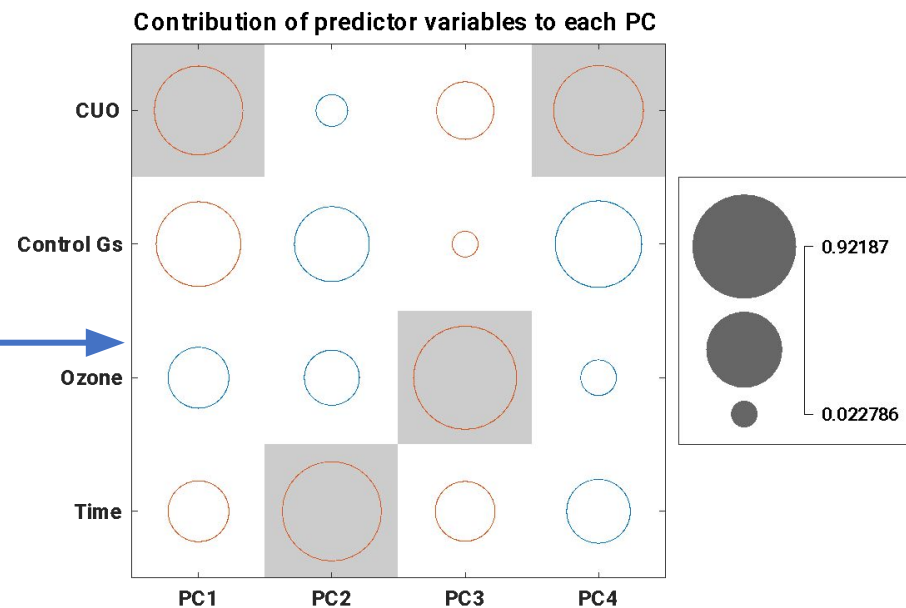
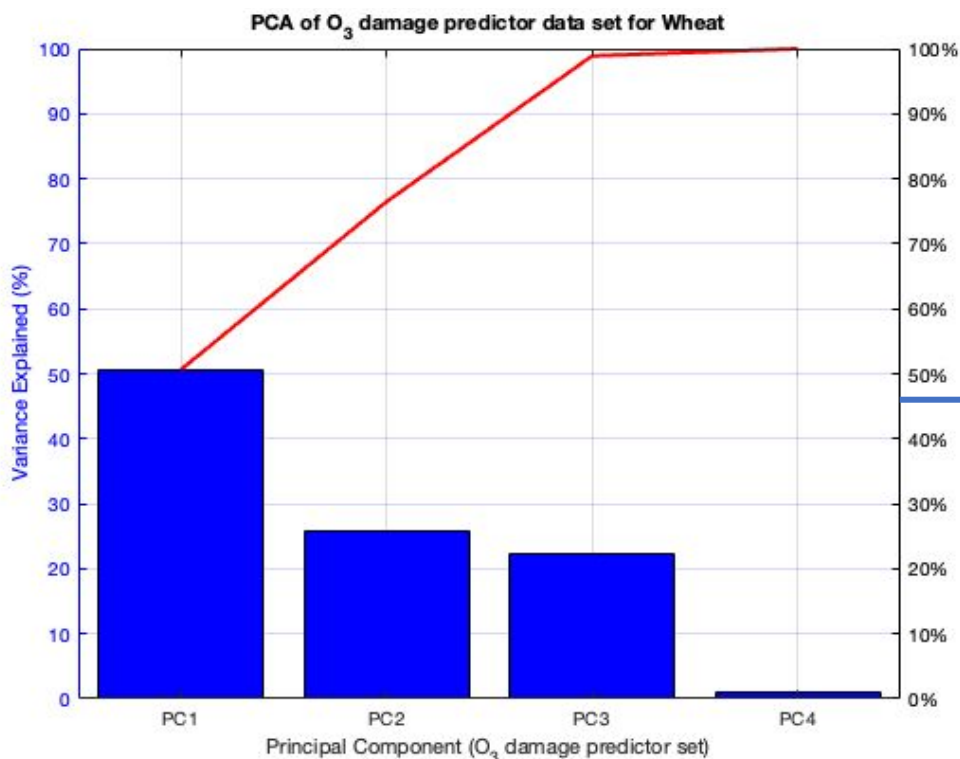
Analyzing the properties of the ozone experimental data for category crop:

1. Almost 95% variance in the data can be explained by 3 principal components (PC).
2. However, all predictor variables (**CUO**, **G_s**, **ozone concentration** and **total exposure time**) have significance contribution in each PC with varying weight.
3. This might be the reason that no significant correlation of CUO alone could not be seen with change in photosynthesis or stomatal conductance.



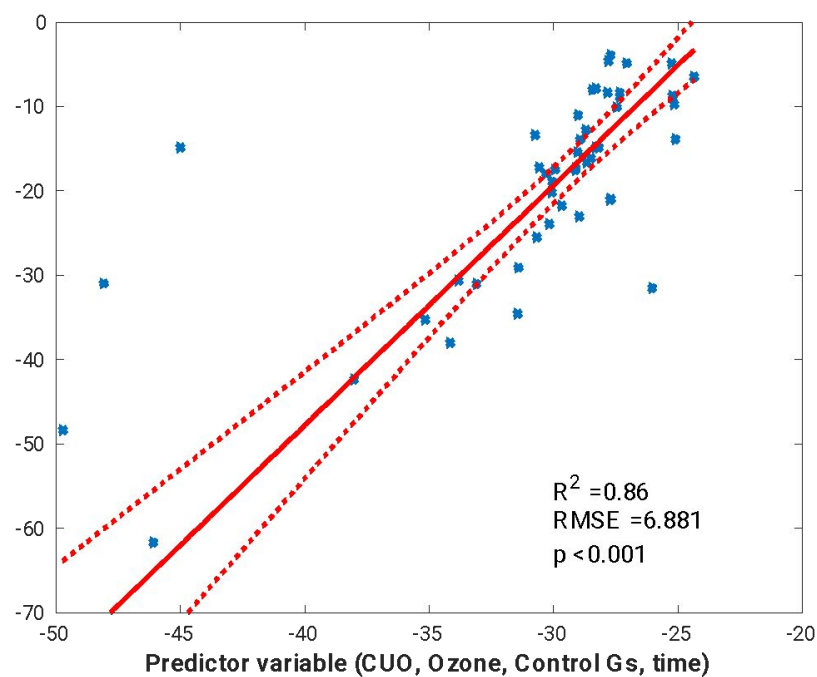
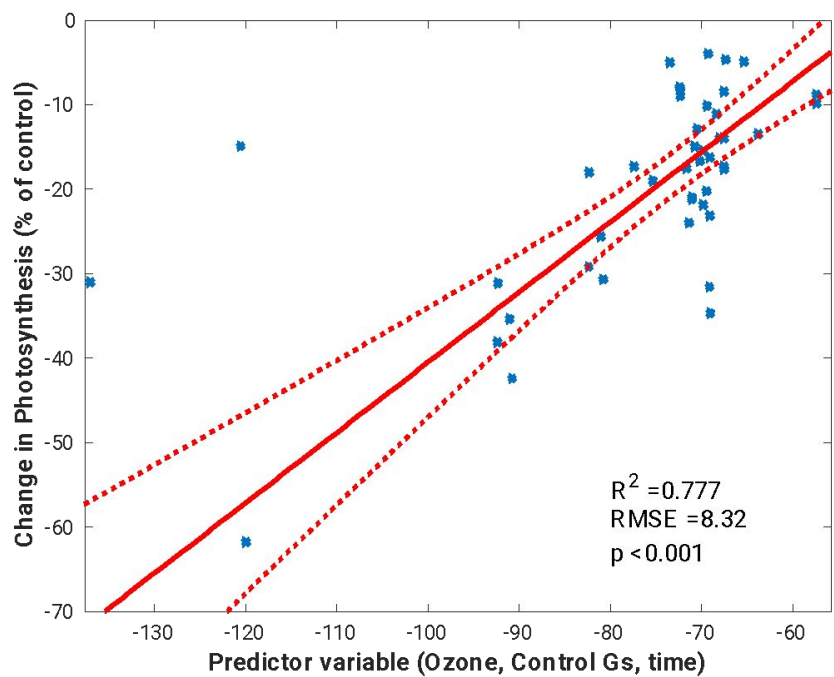
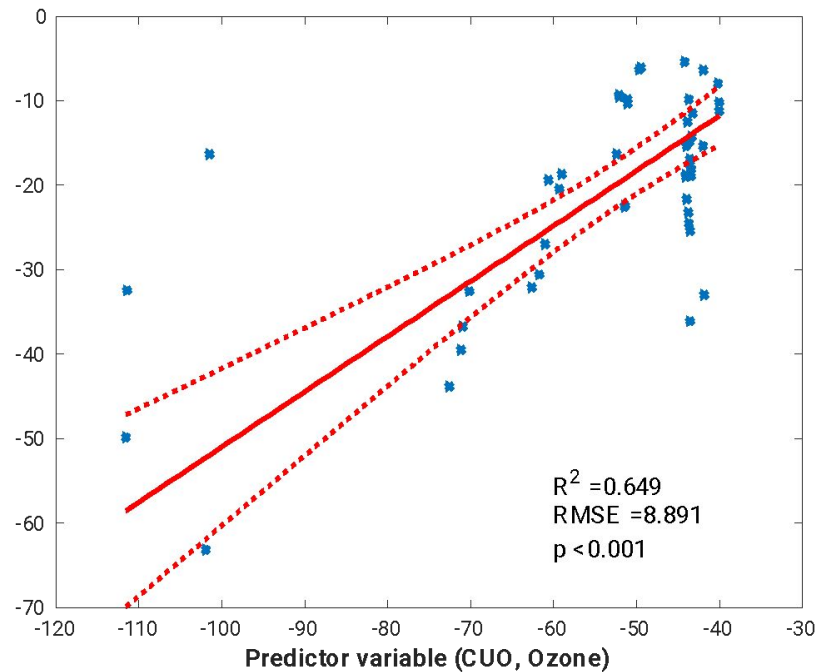
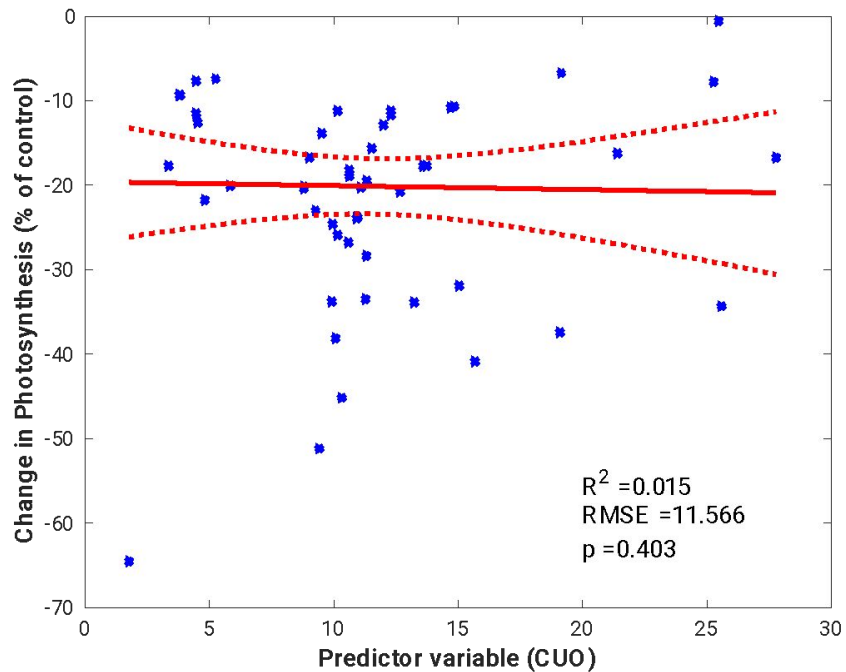
Verifying if the different weight of variables in different PCs are due to different crops categories:

- The ozone experimental data for wheat also have different contribution of variables to each PC.
- This strongly indicates **CUO** alone can not explain the impact of chronic ozone exposure to plants.
- This may be because the experimental data is from different climates, crop varieties and experimental setting.

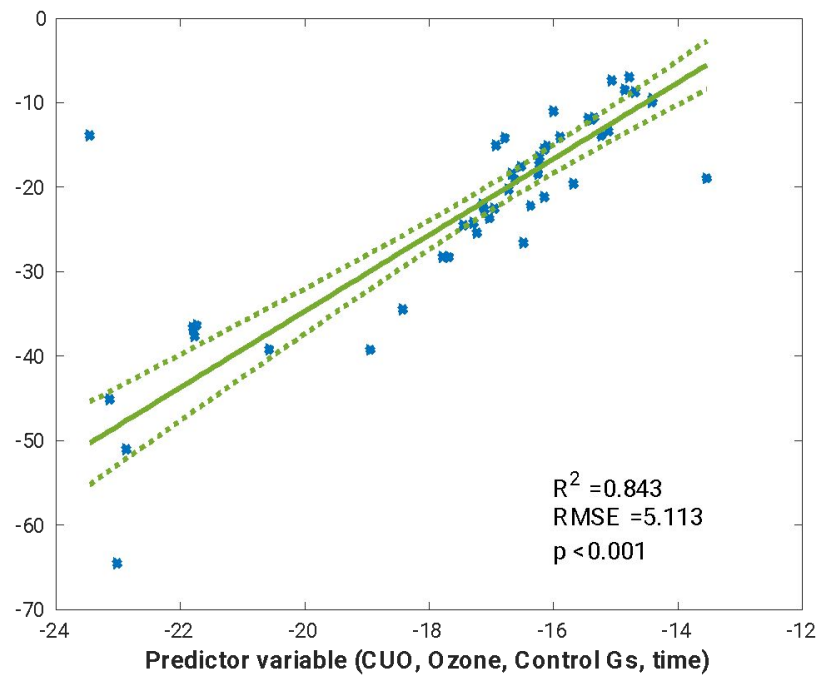
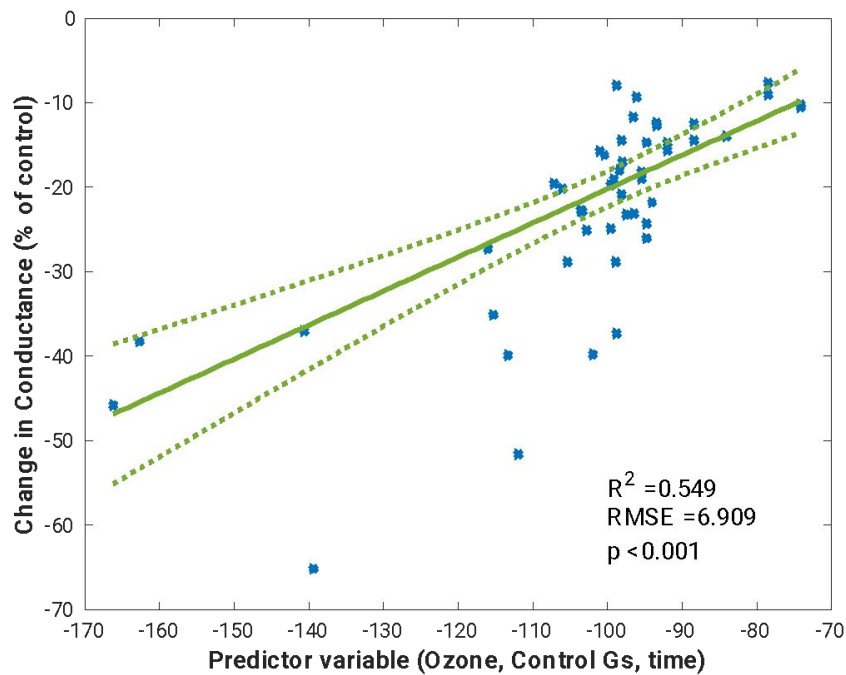
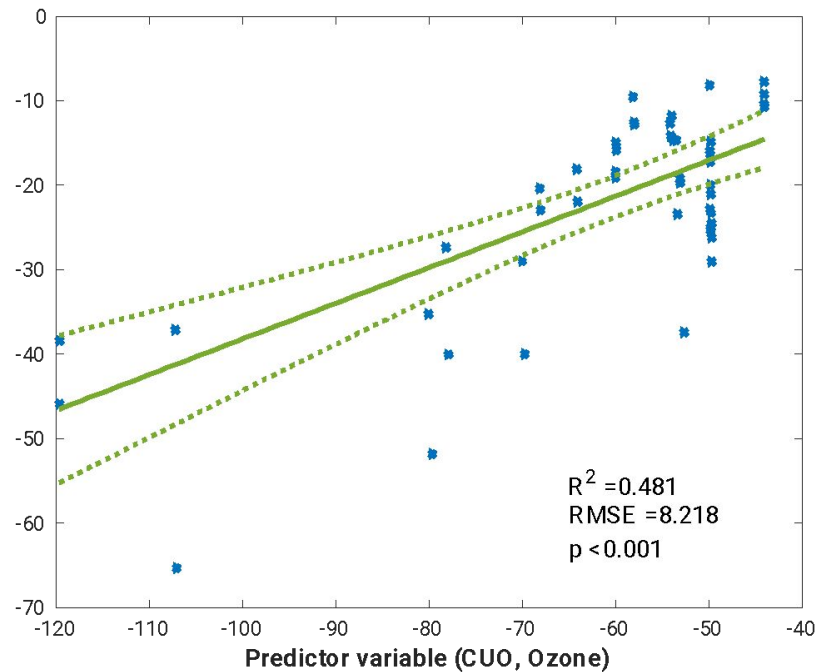
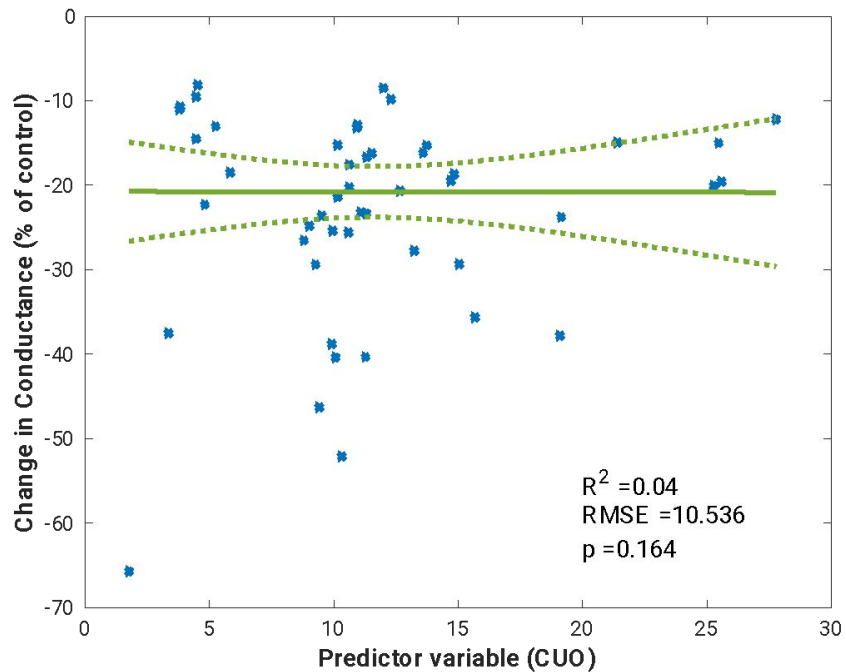


Incorporating multiple predictor variables other than CUO to prediction of change in photosynthesis and stomatal conductance under chronic ozone exposure

Regression for change in photosynthesis due to chronic ozone exposure in Rice



Regression for change in conductance due to chronic ozone exposure in Rice



Takeaways

CUO alone does not explain ozone damage on plants

CUO combined with control Gs, O₃, and time explain the ozone damage significantly

The predictor variables interact differently for different crop types

Next Step:

- Adding and testing the new and improved ozone parameterizations in CLM5.
- Adding the parameterizations for new PFTs (wheat, rice, soybean, tropical evergreen trees, and C4 crops) in CLM5.



Thank You

Appendices

Impact of ozone on photosynthesis in CLM5 Lombardozzi et al. (2013)

| Charcoal-filtered air, medium or high confidence data: photosynthesis | <i>n</i> | Mean | <i>p</i> value | Regression | <i>r</i> ² | <i>p</i> value |
|---|----------|-------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| All data | 345 | 82.1 | < 0.001* | 84.34 - 0.10*x | 0.02 | 0.01* |
| Plant type | | | | | | |
| Crop | 134 | 77.22 | 0.05* | 80.21 - 0.09*x | 0.08 | < 0.001* |
| Evergreen shrub | 0 | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Grasses (C ₃ and C ₄) | 8 | 80.18 | 0.87 | NS | 0.27 | 0.18 |
| Herbaceous | 41 | 83.27 | 0.8 | NS | 0.04 | 0.2 |
| Temperate deciduous tree | 113 | 87.52 | 0.22 | NS | 0.003 | 0.58 |
| Temperate evergreen tree | 47 | 83.9 | 0.66 | NS | 0.08 | 0.06 |
| Tropical tree | 2 | 44.13 | 0.19 | NA | NA | NA |
| Plant age (years) | | | | | | |
| < 1 | 234 | 79.71 | 0.29 | 82.55 - 0.11*x | 0.06 | < 0.001* |
| 1-5 | 95 | 89.14 | 0.18 | NS | 0.002 | 0.64 |
| > 5 | 7 | 81.41 | 0.93 | NS | 0.01 | 0.8 |
| Exposure system | | | | | | |
| Greenhouse | 24 | 76.38 | 0.08 | NS | 0.08 | 0.18 |
| Branch chamber | 18 | 88.68 | 0.07 | NS | 0.12 | 0.16 |
| Growth chamber | 157 | 83.54 | 0.69 | NS | 0.00002 | 0.96 |
| Open-top chamber | 146 | 80.68 | 0.59 | 84.48 - 0.11*x | 0.08 | < 0.001* |
| Free-air enrichment | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Rooting Environment | | | | | | |
| Pot | 271 | 81.64 | 0.87 | 83.55 - 0.09*x | 0.01 | 0.05* |
| Ground | 65 | 85.63 | 0.2 | 91.74 - 0.19*x | 0.17 | < 0.001* |
| Vulnerability | | | | | | |
| Low | 58 | 86.19 | 0.34 | NS | 0.01 | 0.42 |
| High | 135 | 81.52 | 0.88 | NS | 0.01 | 0.16 |

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Impact of ozone on stomatal conductance in CLM5

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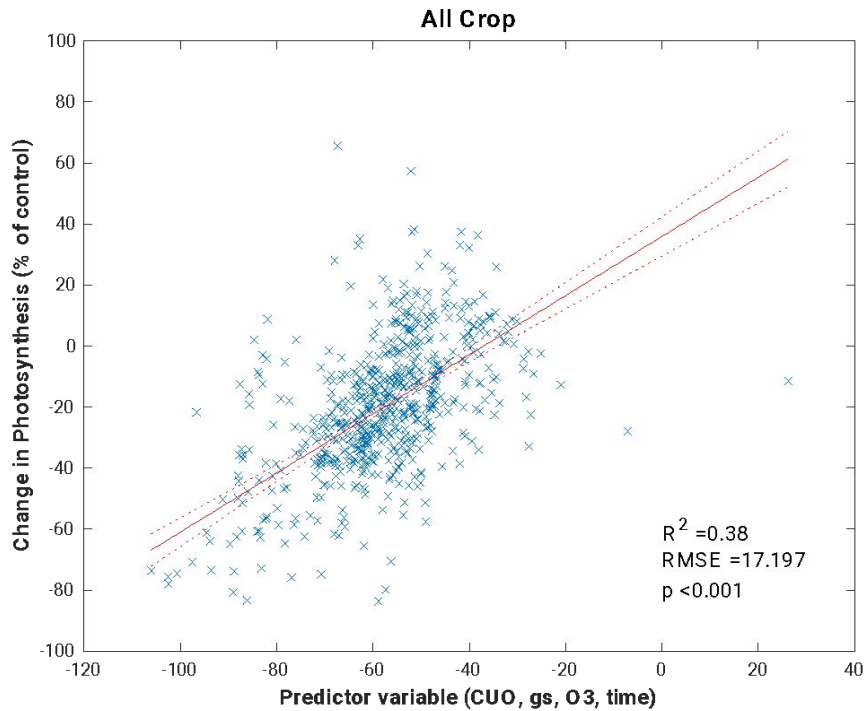
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| All data | 393 | 84.44 | < 0.001* | NS | 0.0006 | 0.63 |
| Plant type | | | | | | |
| Crop | 136 | 75.11 | 0.007* | NS | 0.005 | 0.43 |
| Evergreen shrub | 0 | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Grasses (<i>C</i> ₃ and <i>C</i> ₄) | 8 | 89.15 | 0.53 | NS | 0.2 | 0.27 |
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| Tropical tree | 2 | 48.3 | 0.17 | NA | NA | NA |
| Plant age (years) | | | | | | |
| < 1 | 236 | 82.02 | 0.36 | NS | 0.00001 | 0.93 |
| 1–5 | 133 | 89.9 | 0.08 | $84.95 + 0.33 * x$ | 0.05 | 0.009* |
| > 5 | 15 | 79.56 | 0.6 | $108.37 - 3.14 * x$ | 0.34 | 0.02* |
| Exposure system | | | | | | |
| Greenhouse | 30 | 89.1 | 0.31 | NS | 0.02 | 0.43 |
| Branch chamber | 18 | 90.97 | 0.05* | NS | 0.17 | 0.09 |
| Growth chamber | 163 | 82.69 | 0.62 | $74.25 + 0.57 * x$ | 0.12 | < 0.001* |
| Open-top chamber | 182 | 84.59 | 0.95 | $86.69 - 0.07 * x$ | 0.03 | 0.02* |
| Free-air enrichment | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Rooting environment | | | | | | |
| Pot | 310 | 84.14 | 0.9 | NS | 0.0008 | 0.61 |
| Ground | 74 | 86.8 | 0.39 | NS | 0.004 | 0.61 |
| Vulnerability | | | | | | |
| Low | 106 | 91.11 | 0.13 | $78.24 + 1.13 * x$ | 0.23 | < 0.001* |
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Linear regression model (robust fit):

$$y \sim 1 + x1 + x2 + x3 + x4$$

Estimated Coefficients:

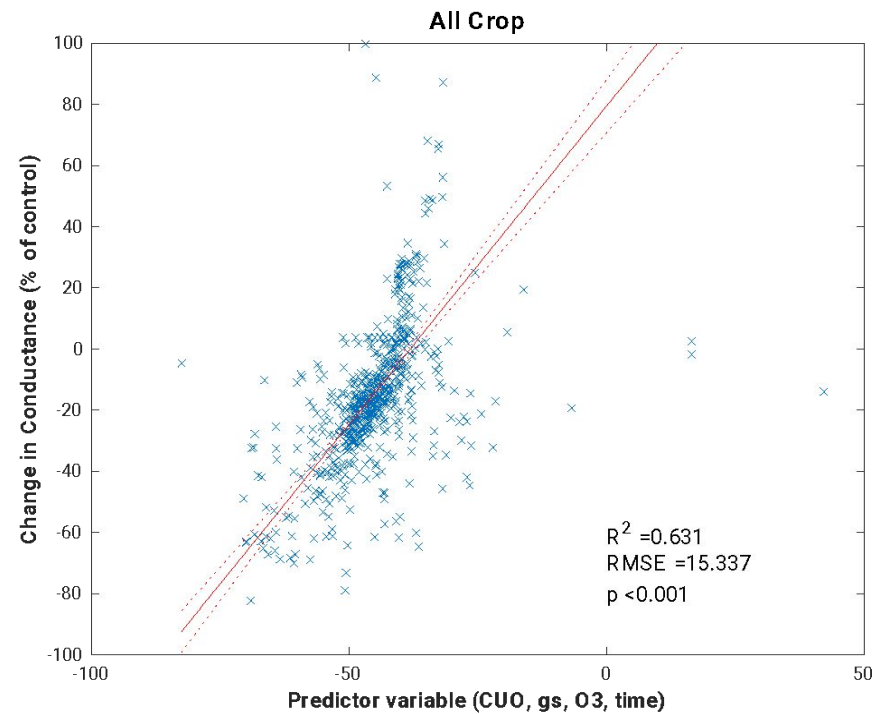
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Root Mean Squared Error: 17.2

R-squared: 0.38, Adjusted R-Squared: 0.376

F-statistic vs. constant model: 97.7, p-value = 7.34e-65



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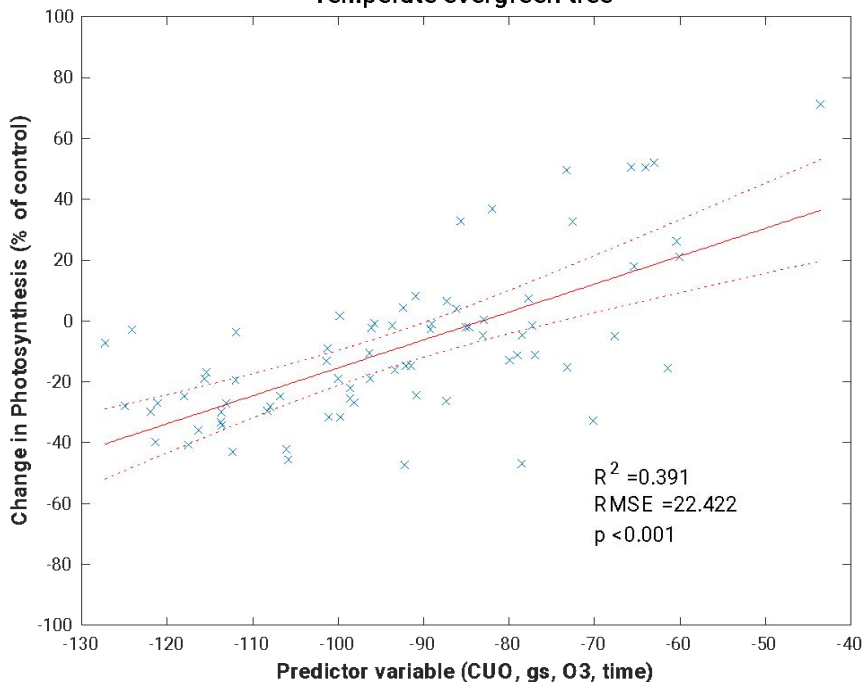
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Temperate evergreen tree



Linear regression model (robust fit):

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Estimated Coefficients:

| | Estimate | SE | tStat | pValue |
|-------------|------------|-----------|---------|------------|
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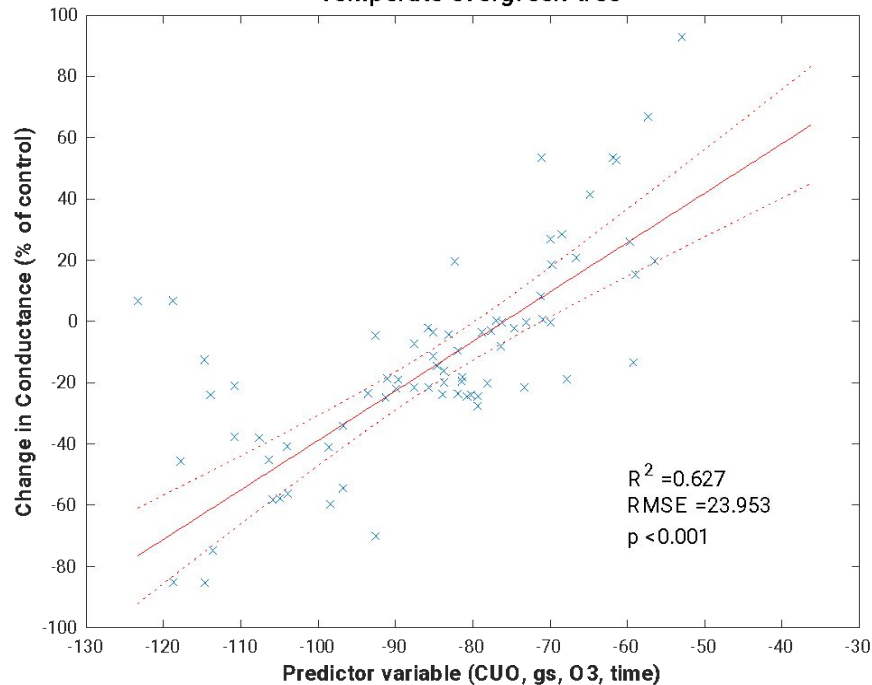
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Root Mean Squared Error: 22.4

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F-statistic vs. constant model: 11.4, p-value = 3.37e-07

Temperate evergreen tree



Linear regression model (robust fit):

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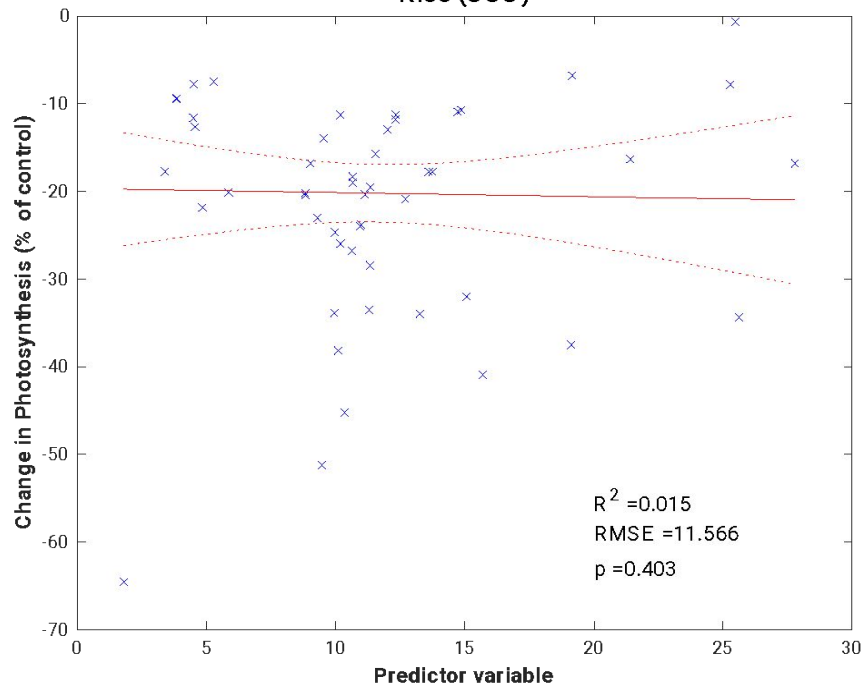
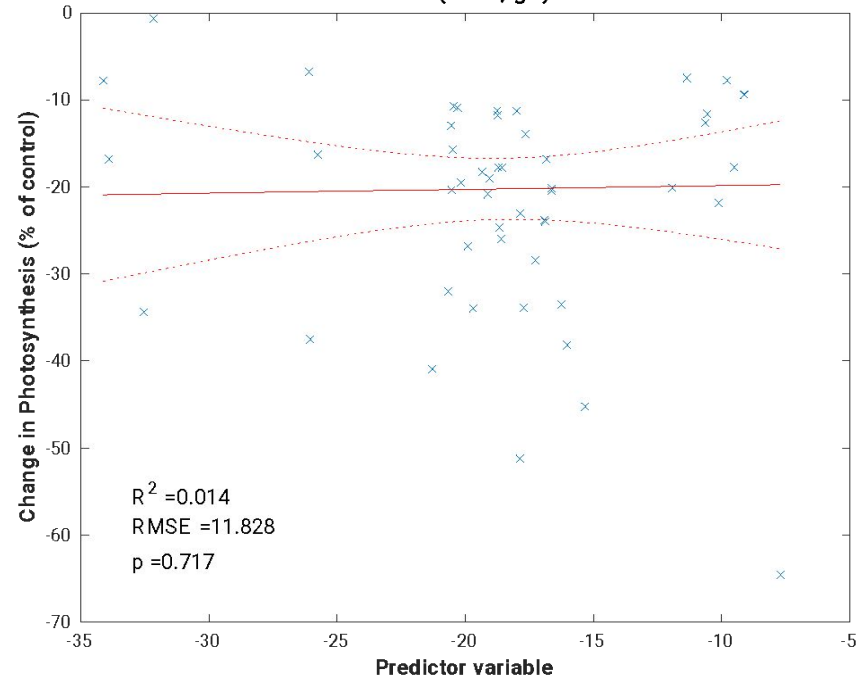
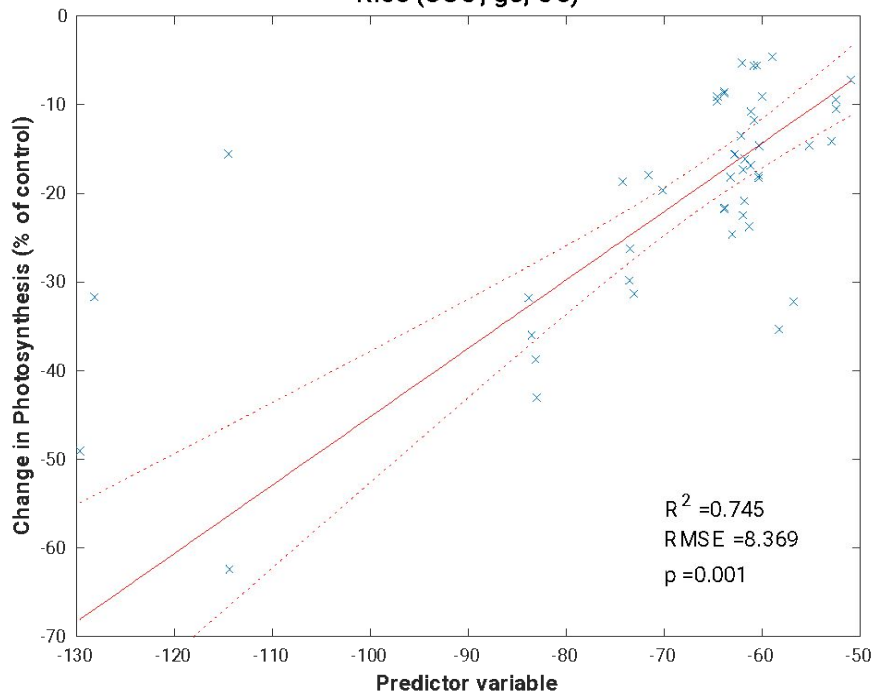
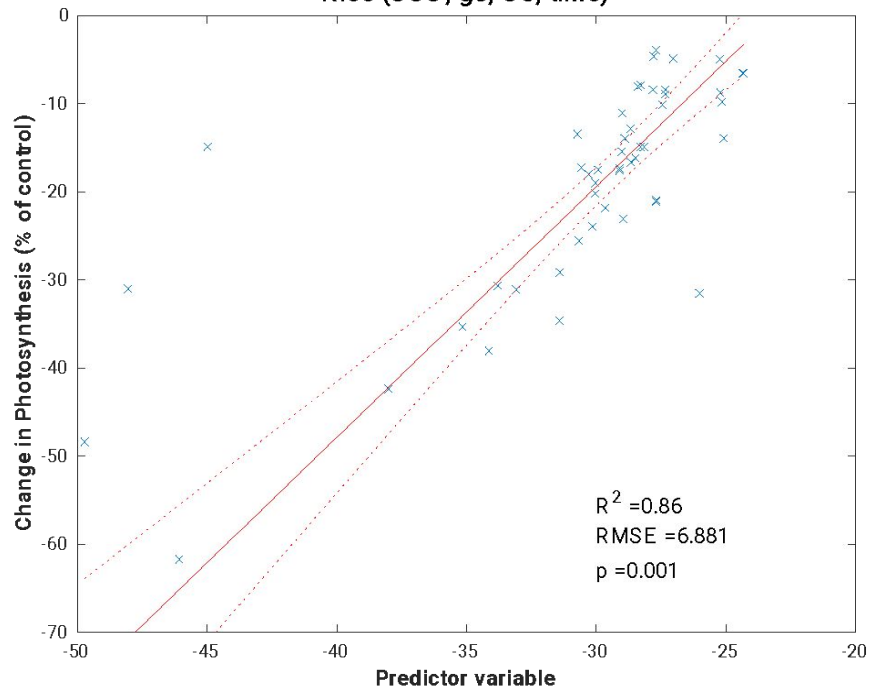
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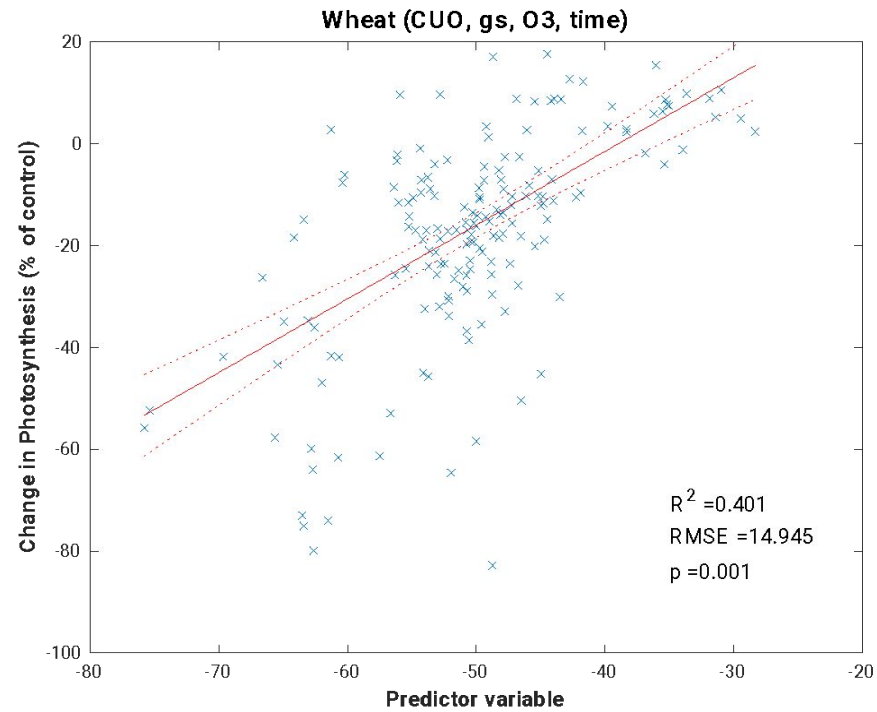
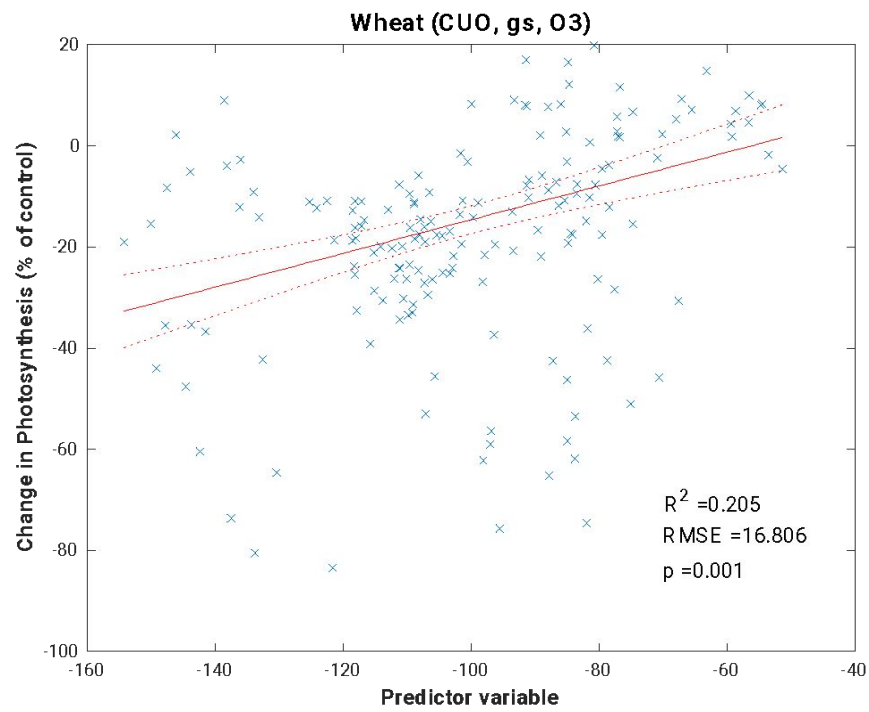
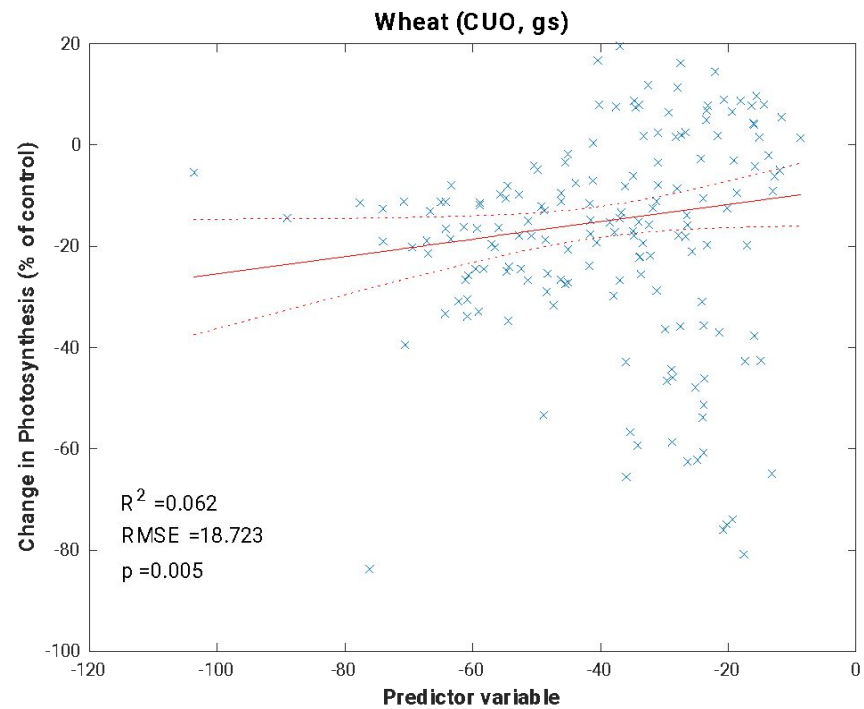
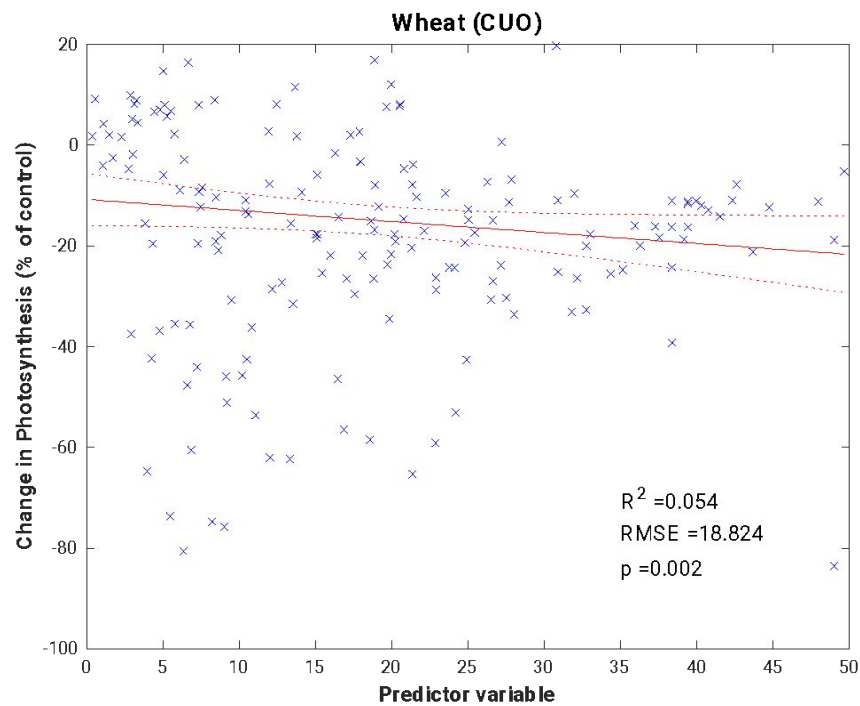
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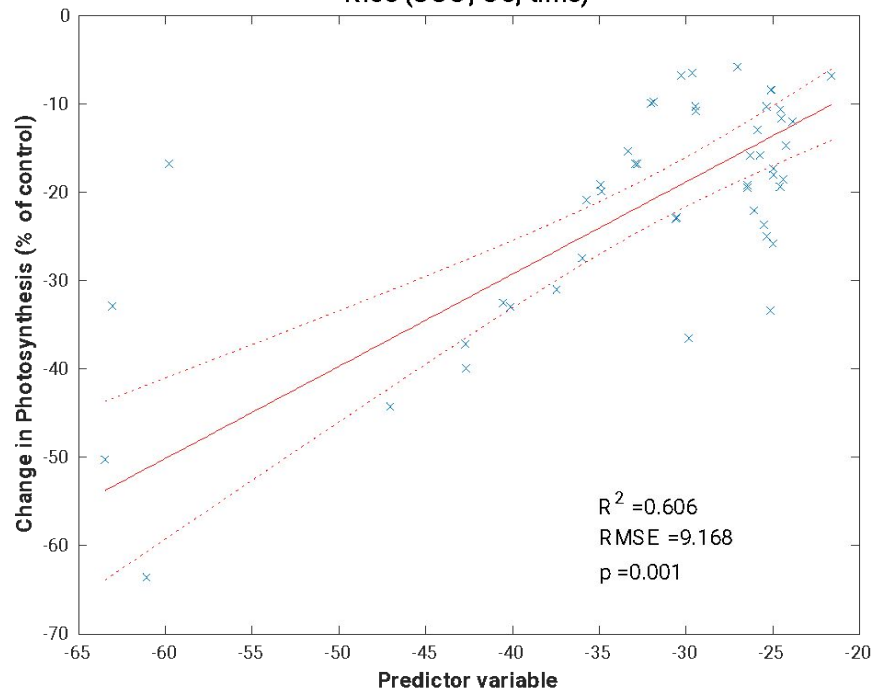
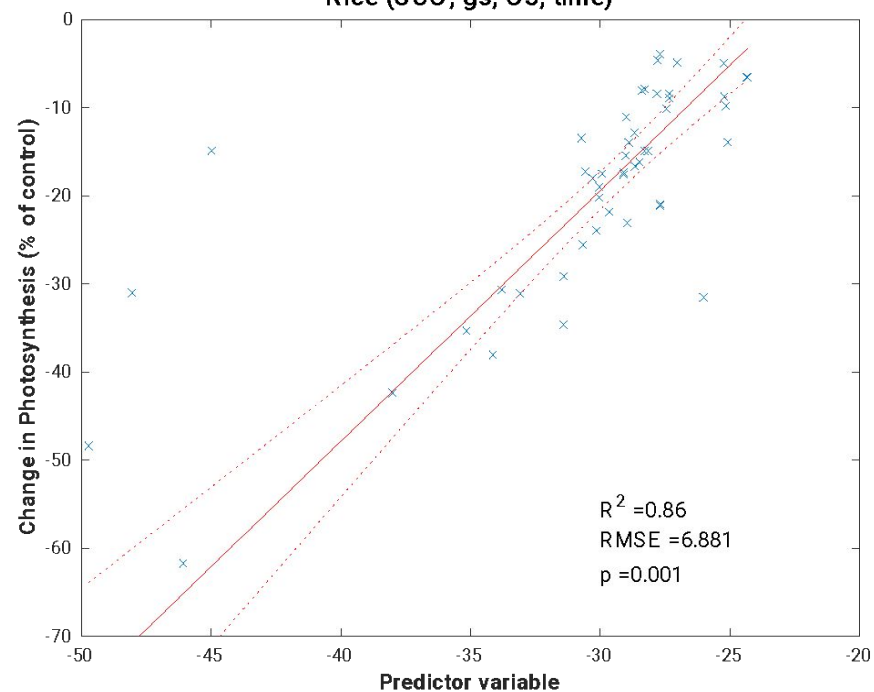
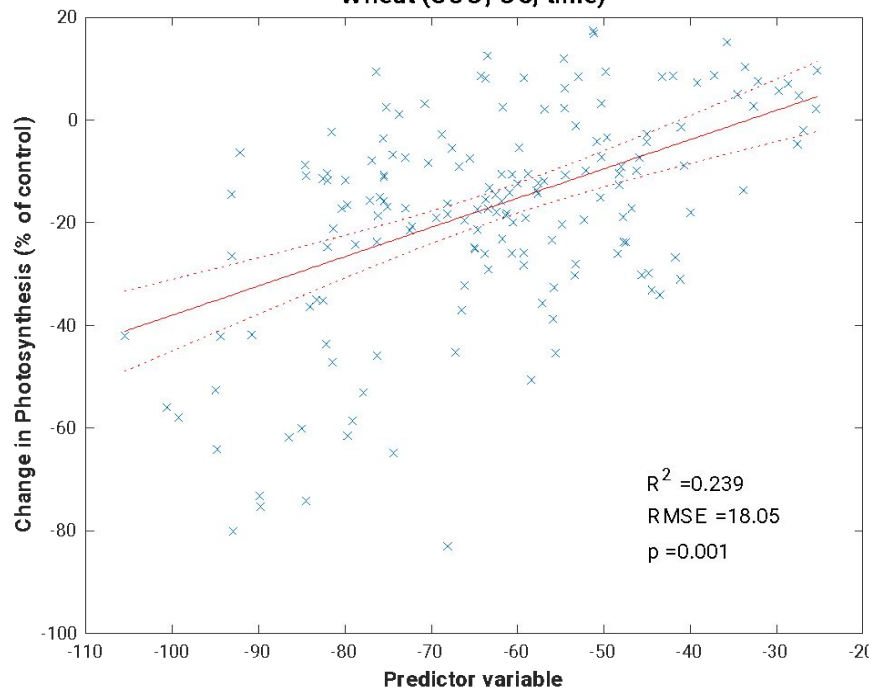
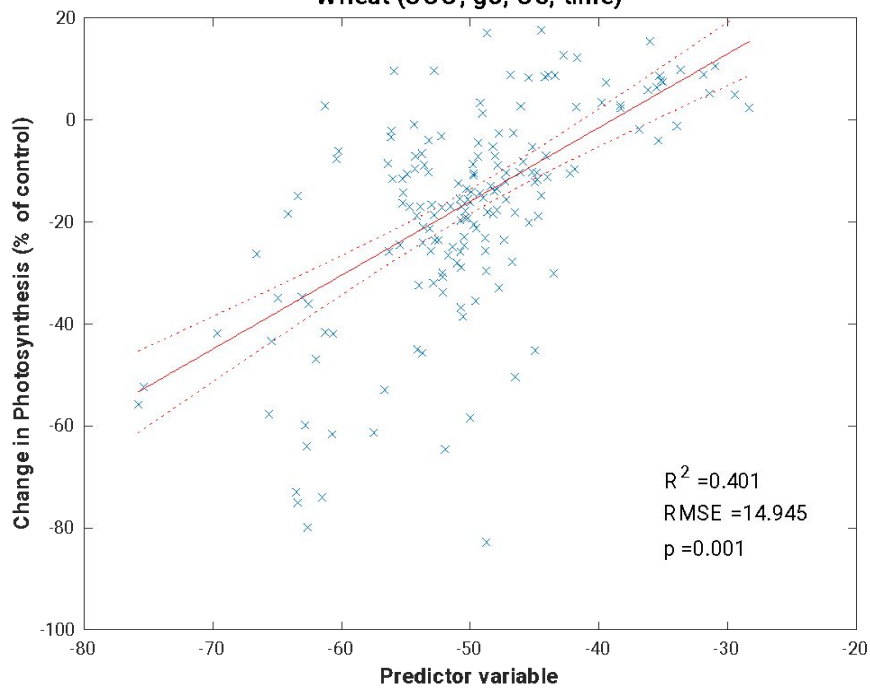
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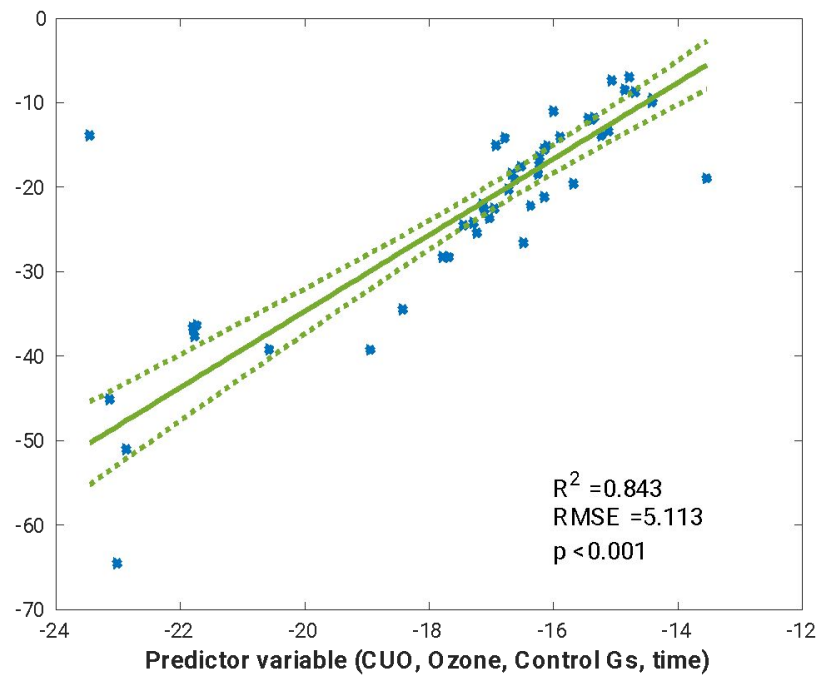
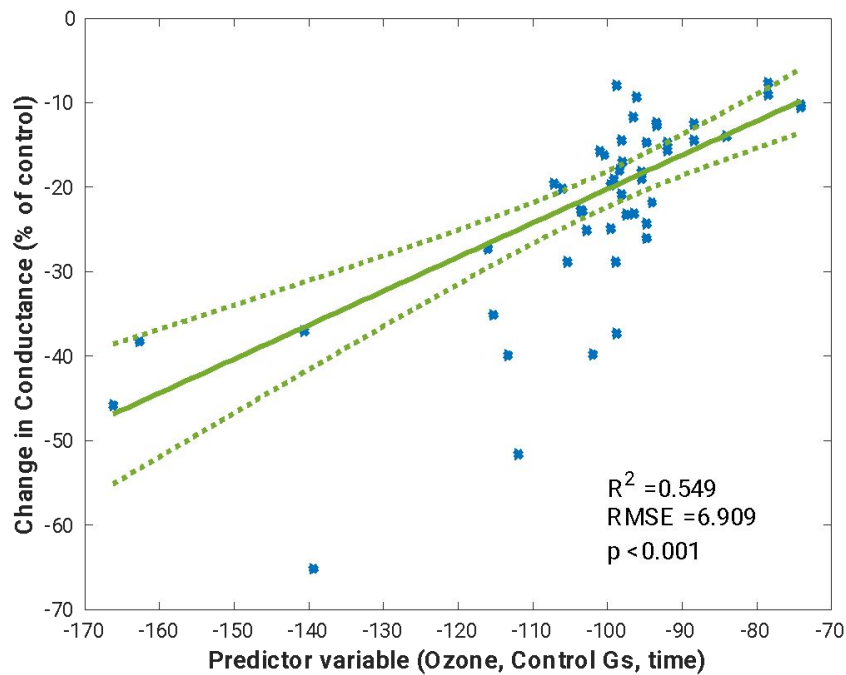
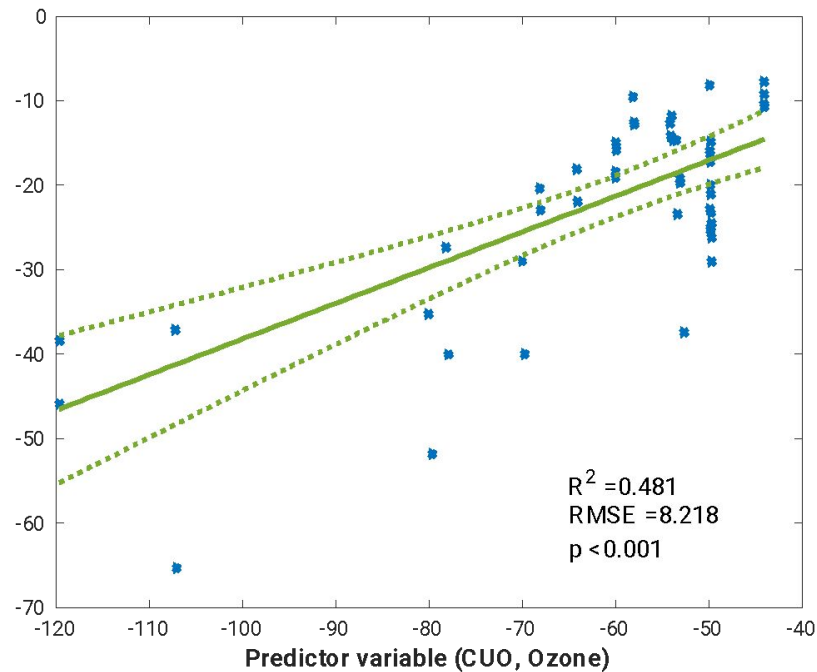
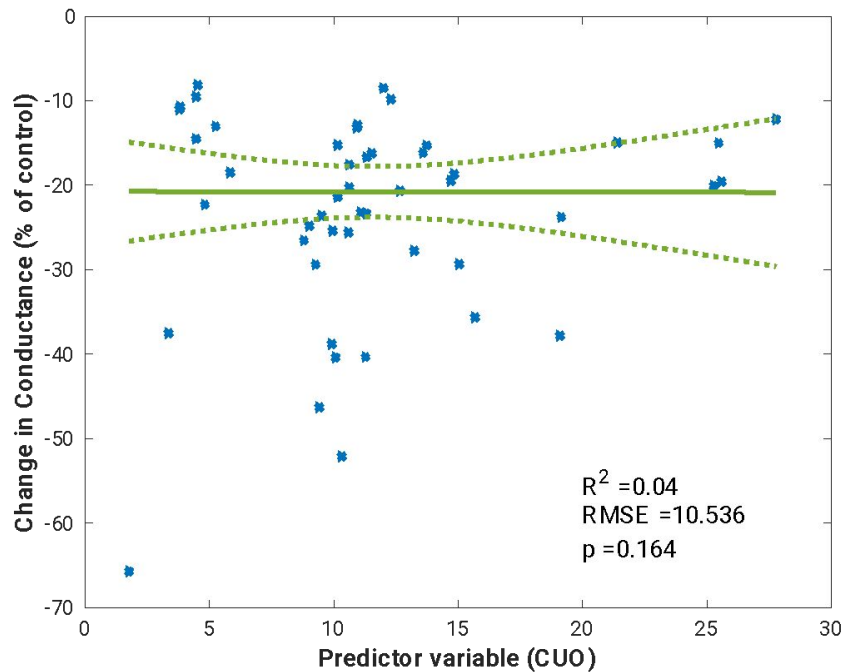
F-statistic vs. constant model: 29.8, p-value = 1.5e-14

Rice (CUO)**Rice (CUO, gs)****Rice (CUO, gs, O3)****Rice (CUO, gs, O3, time)**



Rice (CUO, O3, time)**Rice (CUO, gs, O3, time)****Wheat (CUO, O3, time)****Wheat (CUO, gs, O3, time)**

Regression for change in conductance due to chronic ozone exposure in Rice



Regression for change in photosynthesis due to chronic ozone exposure in Rice

