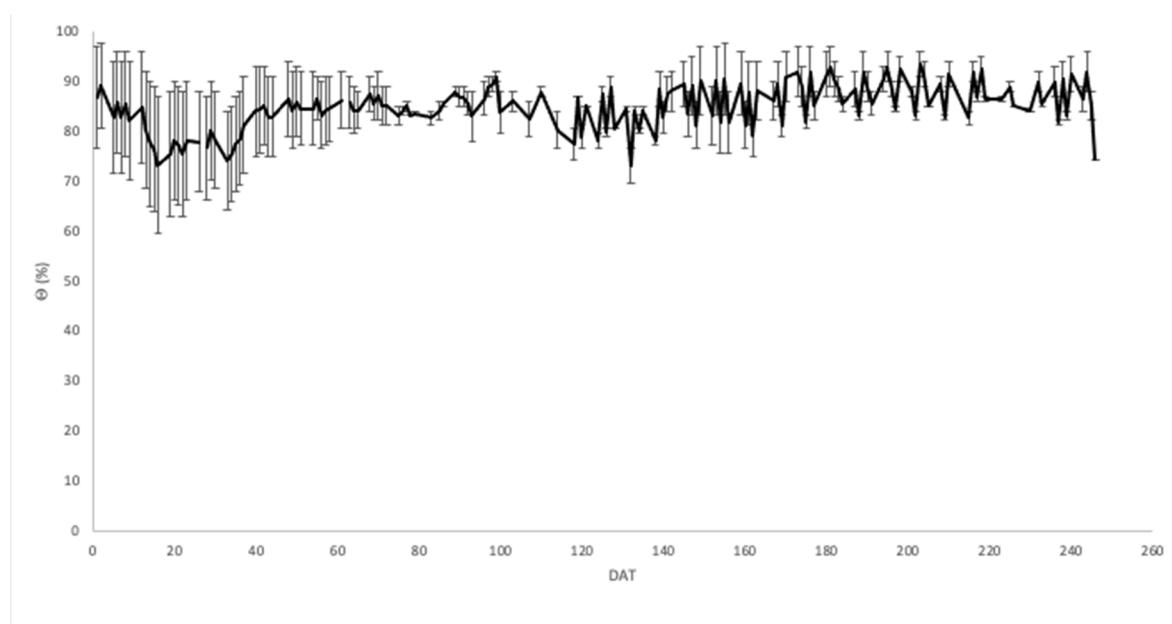


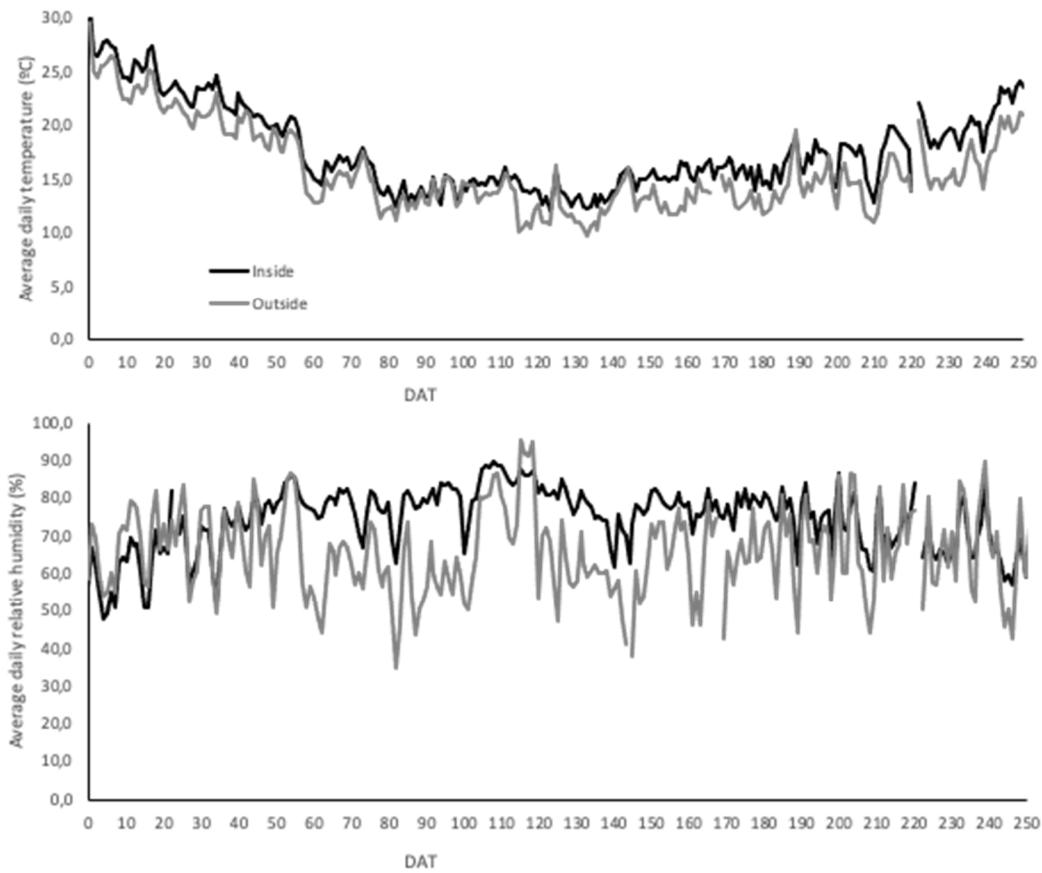
## Supplementary Materials

**Table S1.** Ion concentration of irrigation water and irrigation solutions (mmol/L). DAT: Days after transplanting. Expresses time interval with the same concentration.

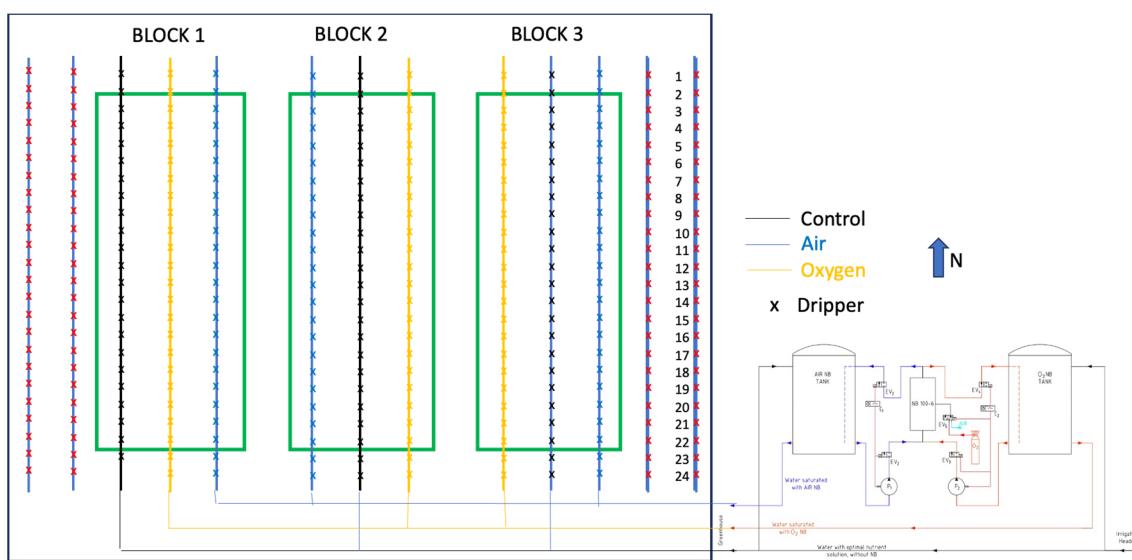
	Water analysis	Days after transplanting							
		0-34	35-50	51-70	71-98	99-110	114-152	153-180	181-246
NO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup>	0.0	8.3	13.8	11.0	8.2	11.1	7.7	8.2	8.2
NH <sub>4</sub> <sup>+</sup>	0.0	0.5	1.0	0.7	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
H <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub> <sup>-</sup>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
K <sup>+</sup>	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	5.2	7.2	5.0	6.0	6.0
Ca <sup>++</sup>	2.7	5.0	7.5	6.3	2.7	4.5	4.0	4.0	4.0
Mg <sup>++</sup>	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1
SO <sub>4</sub> <sup>=</sup>	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	1.5	1.8	1.8
CO <sub>3</sub> <sup>=</sup>	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
HCO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup>	3.2	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Na <sup>+</sup>	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2
Cl <sup>-</sup>	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3	15.3
Fe	0.0	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.8
Mn	0.0	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
Zn	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
B	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
Cu	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
CE (dS m <sup>-1</sup> )	2.3	2.7	3.3	3.0	2.8	3.4	3.0	3.1	3.1



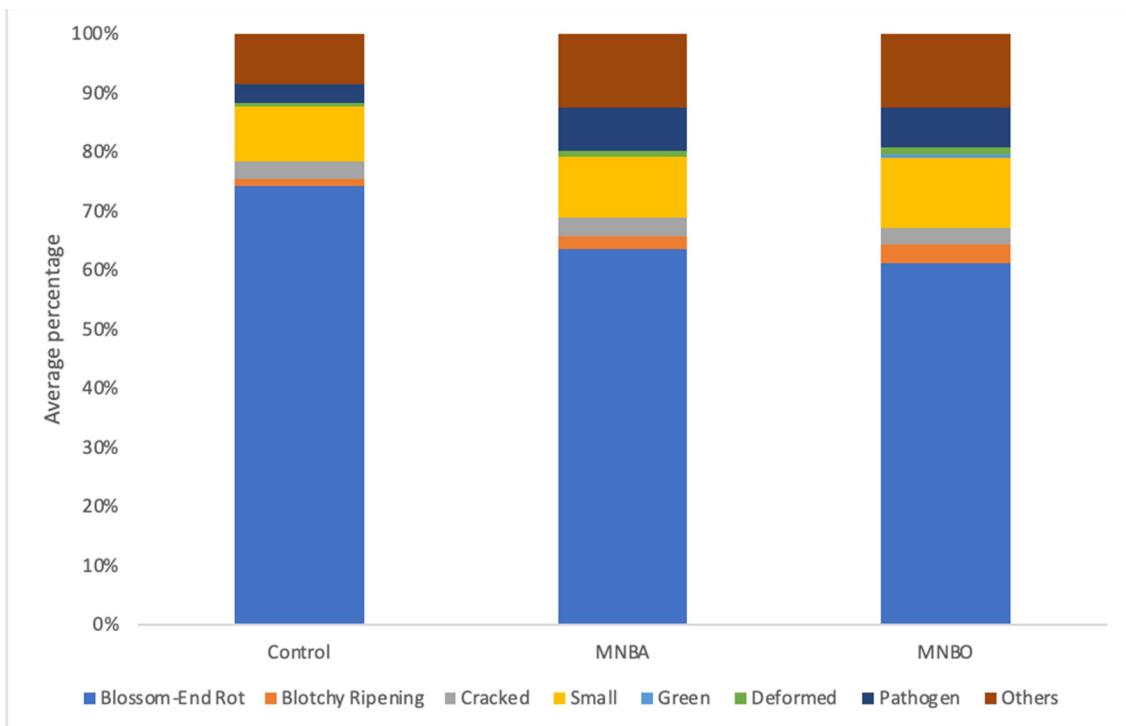
**Figure S1.** Evolution of the relative saturation (Q) of the soil at 5 cm from the emitter, towards the corridor, and 15 cm deep. DAT: Days after transplanting. Data are expressed as percentage of saturation. Error bars indicate  $\pm 1\text{MSE}$ .



**Figure S2.** Evolution of mean temperature ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ . top) and mean relative humidity (%. bottom) both inside and outside the greenhouse. over the time period of the trials. DAT: Days after transplanting.



**Figure S3.** Schematic of randomised complete block experimental design.



**Figure S4.** Relative percentage of each of the causes of fruit rejection in the unmarketable production for each treatment.