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## ПРОУЧВАНЕ ВЛИЯНИЕТО НА ЧЕРНОМОРСКИ САПРОПЕЛИ ВЪРХУ КАЧЕСТВОТО И КОЛИЧЕСТВОТО НА ХУМУСА ПРИ ПСЕВДОПОДЗОЛИСТА ПОЧВА (PLANOSOL)

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## STUDYING ON THE INFLUENCE OF BLACK SEA SAPROPELLES ON THE QUALITY AND CONTENT OF HUMUS AT CINNAMONIC PSEUDOPODZOLIC SOIL (PLANOSOL)

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## **Abstract**

The investigation was carried out at the period May – July 1997. Sapropelles were added at amount 1% and 2% to samples of cinnamonic pseudopodzolic soil. After 45 days incubation at aerobic conditions the content of humus was established. The results obtained was shown that at the variety with 2,0% the content of humus increases with 0.2%.

**Key words**: Blak Sea sapropelles, incubation, humus, cinnamonic pseudopodzolic soil

## **Abreviations**

1. CPS -Cinnamonic pseudopodzolic soil

## I. INTRODUCTION

During last years, agricultural specialists set many times the question about soil humus content. Assimilation of uncultivated agriculture lands as rule lead to decreasing of soil humus content of the till horizon. It could be explained by disturbing of nature biological stuffs cycle, because of bringing out of biomass by the crops, or by the mechanical movement of plant covering — organogenesis horizon and humus-assimilating horizon with deeper lying poor of humus horizon. A similar phenomena processes at soils, where the till horizon don't go out the borders of humus-assimilating horizon as by the case with cambisols. That's why the most probably reason for humus decreasing is the cultivation and related to it mineralization of the organic stuff. By such facts is clear that parallel with using of

soils with weak storage of organic stuffs, is necessary to take care about humus content stabilization.

During last decades, sapropelles come to be a subject of special research, because of the opportunity for their application in several aspects of agriculture, related to the soil fertility. /2, 3/

The aim of present work was to establish the influence of substrates, containing sapropelles on the humus state at low fertile soils as cinnamonic pseudopodzolic soils (Planosol), (CPS), in relation to support an optimal balance of organic stuff.

## II. MATERIAL AND METHODS

## 1.Chemical composition of sapropelles

To determine the macro- and microelements content in the sample of the used sapropelles, inductively coupled emission spectrometry (John Yvon Emissiom – JY 38S, France) was used. The quantitative measures were carried out wirh apparatus ICP.

## 2.Incubation of soil with sapropelles

As object of investigation was used CPS (Planosol), taken from the area of Zlatosel village (Plovdiv region). Soil samples from a surface soil horizon and both undersurface layers of SPS were incubated with sapropel at amount 1,0 % and 2,0 % introduced as water-mechanical suspension. The incubation was lead at room temperature by full soil water storage in the periods of 1, 2 and 3 months. Clear manifesting alterations on the quality of soil humus were established a month after incubation. The humus content was established by an express method of Cononova and Belchikova (1). Independently of the express character of the mentioned method, some additional analyses were made after a 45 days incubation. As test about humus state of samples were used data of parameters of humus indexes of Orlov and Grishina (5), adopted according the diapason of values at the Bulgarian soils—Artinova (4).

## III. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

Table 1.2 illustrated the content of macro and microelements in the used sample of sapropelles. Except macro- and microelements sapropelles contain organic carbon. The lost while heated at 1273 K was 19,97%, due mainly to a content of organic matter.

It was established that in a layer 0-10 cm, the content of organic carbon ( $C_{\rm org.}$ ) increases with 0,2% by the both varieties of samples (1,0%, 2,0% sapropel) and with about 0,1-0,4% at more deeper layers by the second variant, containing 2,0%. The humic acids content marked a tendency of decreasing with increasing of insoluble humic residue. Parallel with that decrease the part of humic acids, bound with calcium, especially at the variety with 1,0% sapropel. It prove the mobilizing action of Fe<sup>3+</sup> and Al<sup>3+</sup> in the sapropel composition on the humic acids of nonforming organic stuff and the opposite effect – fixation and immobilization of the organic components of non-hydrolized residue (humin) of  $Ca^{2+}$  &  $Mg^{2+}$ . The experimental data are shown at tables 3, 4, 5.

Table 1

Chemical composition of sapropelles. Content of microelements

z ţ	49.75
ე ¥6	36.63
g, P <sub>b</sub>	28.22
Mn g/t	383.42
g/t	65.82
Mo g/t	36.40
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Sample oxides	Sapropelles
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Table 2

# Chemical composition of sapropelles. Content of micro- and macroelements

Loss  %  by 1273 K	19.97
K₂O %	1.83
Na <sub>2</sub> O %	2.13
CaO %	15.46
MgO %	2.68
MnO %	0.04
Fe0/ %	4.57
A1 <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	11.69
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.70
SiO <sub>2</sub>	39.76
Sample Oxides	Sapropelles

## Content and fractional composition of humus after 45 days incubation of sapropelles in CPS (Planosol)

%C from Co of humic acids	Bound with	Ca humic	acids, %		16,95		00'0		86,41		100	The state of the s	100		100	
%C from Co o humic acids	Free and	bound with	R <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> h.a,%		83,08		100,00		13,59		00'0		00'0		00'0	
SCha/Cfa		ì			0,75		0,56		0,68		0,26		0,26		0,26	
Insoluble	residue	1%1			0,364	51,60	0,135	47,79	0,083	46,54	3,4162	84,75	3,3964	85,34	3,351	85,48
W	ith	들동	Fulvo	acids	0,195	27,65	0,095	33,92	0,057	31,70	0,4887	12,12	0,4613	11,59	0.4503	11,49
om C <sub>G</sub>	Extracted with	Na <sub>2</sub> P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> /NaOH	Humic	acids	0,176	20,77	0,053	18,62	0.039	21,76	0,1261	3,13	0,1223	3,07	0,1187	3,03
%Co from C <sub>G</sub>	ω ω	eN	Gene-	rally	0,34	48,39	0.148	52,20	960'0	53,46	0,6148	15,25	0,5836	14,66	0,5690	14,51
	Extracted	with 0,1n	H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>		0,059	8,33	0,105	37,10	0,086	48,00	•				ı	
Gene -ral	ပိ		1%/		0,70		0,28		0,18		4,031		3,98		3,92	Manage Water History
Deep of horizon	/cm/				0-10		10-28		28-40		Sapropei	~	Sapropel	2	Sapropel	က

Legend:  $C_G-general\ content\ of\ carbon$   $C_O-\ organic\ carbon$   $C_{o^-}\ organic\ carbon$   $C_{ha}/C_{fa}-\ correlation\ between\ C\ of\ humic\ acids\ and\ C\ of\ fulvo\ acids$ 

Content and fraction composition of humus after 45 days incubation of sapropelles in CPS (Planosol)

Table 4									
Tak	n C <sub>g</sub> of acids ed with laOH	Bound	with Ca /%/	-	T.	40,63	1,05	3,1587	68,71
	%C from C <sub>g</sub> of humic.acids extracted with 0,1n NaOH	Free and	bound with C R <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> .%	<u>0,108</u> 100	0,0821 100	0,03 <u>8</u> 59,37	0,0851 98,95	<u>0,0736</u> 96,842	<u>0,0194</u> 31,29
	Ch.a.	Cf.a.		0,58	0,53	0,74	0,44	0,49	62'0
(Inscr		Nonhyd- rolized	residue /%/	0 <u>,61</u> 67,4	0,077 24,68	0,068 31,19	0 <u>,625</u> 69,06	0,509 68,88	0,167 54,4
O (FIAIL	2	NaOH	Fulvo acids/ %/	0,187 20,66	0,153 49,04	0,086 39,45	0,194 21,44	0,154 20,84	<u>0,078</u> 25,41
	%,' C,	Extracted with 0,1m Na <sub>2</sub> P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>7</sub> + 0,1n NaOH	Humic acids /%/	0,108 11,93	0,0820 26,28	0,064 29,36	0 <u>,086</u> 9,50	<u>0,076</u> 10,28	<u>0,062</u> 20,20
or sapropelles ill or s (riallosol)		Ex 0,1m Na <sub>2</sub> F	Gene- ral C /%/	0,295 32,6	0,235 75,32	0,15 68,81	0 <u>,28</u> 30,94	0,23 31,12	0.14 45,60
0		Extracted with 0,1n	H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	0,075 8,29	0,057 18,27	<u>0,104</u> 47,71	0,075 8,29	0,0818 11,07	<u>0,0614</u> 20,00
	Gene- ral org. C	lios ui		906'0	0,312	0,218	0,905	0,739	0,307
1	Horizon, depth	/cm/		A <sub>1</sub> A <sub>2</sub> L <sub>/g/</sub> 0 - 10	A2l <sub>19</sub> / 10 – 28	A2l <sub>1g</sub> / 28 – 40	A <sub>1</sub> A <sub>2</sub> L <sub>19</sub> , 0 - 10	A <sub>2</sub> l <sub>lg</sub> / 10 – 28	A <sub>2</sub> I <sub>19</sub> / 28 – 40
	Con- tent of	sap- ropel	1%1		1,0 %			2,0 %	

Notice: The values of numerators of fractions are absolute %, and in undermarks – relative %.

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Content and fractional composition of humus in Zlatosel Planosol
(Plovdiv district, forest) and Blak Sea sapropelles

Table 5

C <sub>0</sub> % from all ha,% Humic acids extracted	with 0,1n NaOH		2000	Comple-		16,95		00.00		86,41		100		100		100	
C <sub>0</sub> %f	with (		Free or		ponnded	83,08		100,00		13,59		00.00		00'0		00.00	4
Cha Cfa						0,75		0,56		0,68		0,26		0,26		0,26	
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Deep of Horizon						A <sub>1</sub> A <sub>2</sub> L <sub>/g/</sub> 0 -10		A <sub>2</sub> I <sub>19</sub> , 10 –28		A <sub>2</sub> I <sub>1g</sub> , 28 –40		Sapropel 1		Sapropel 2		Sapropel 3	

Legend:  $C_t$  – total carbon organic in soil,  $C_0$  - organic carbon for fraction Cha – correlation between C of humus acids and C of fulvo acids Cfa

## IV. CONCLUSIONS

1. Sapropel is a factor of humus content increasing at its inert part – non-hydrolized residue, without any influence of its quality  $(C_{h.a.}/C_{f.a.})$ .

2. In the extracted humus residue was marked increasing of fulvo acids content at

the sinamonic layer by the variety with 1,0%.

3. By lower content of sapropel (1%) dominates the correcting effect by the side of aluminum and iron compounds over the acid-alkali soil system, and by more higher content (2.0%), this effect is a consequence of influence of calcium and magnesium compounds in its composition.

4. The Black sea sapropelles can be used for improving the quality and quantity

of the humus by soils poor of organic matter.

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