Supplementary Material

Effects of sulfate on the photosynthetic physiology characteristics of *Hydrocotyle vulgaris* under zinc stress

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Table S1

The effects of Zn, sulfate and Zn×sulfate on each tested parameter of *H. vulgaris*

Source of variance	Zn df=3	Sulfate df=1	Zn×Sulfate df=1	Error df=12
MDIB	1.06×10^3 ***	76.21***	0.33 ns	3.52
Shoot Zn concentration	1.09×10^7***	6.41×10***	4.41×10^4 ns	1.81×10^4
Root Zn concentration	5.24×10^7***	5.43×10^5*	1.10×10^8***	8.15×10^4
TF	0.13***	0.00*	0.02*	0.00
Shoot total Zn	7.11×10^2***	78.13*	1.32 ns	7.58
Root total Zn	3.13×10^3***	21.44 ns	1.94×10^2	22.74
Total Zn	6.87×10^3***	17.76 ns	2.27×10^2*	0.00
Chla	0.23***	0.05***	0.00 ns	0.00
Chlb	0.39***	0.00 ns	3.33 ns	0.01
Chla/Chlb	0.02 ns	7.50 ns	0.01 ns	0.20
Car	0.00*	0.00 ns	0.00 ns	0.00
Pn	65.39***	13.12***	7.00***	0.14
Gs	0.10***	0.00***	0.00**	8.33
Ci	3.15×10^3 ***	1.18×10^3***	14.08 ns	38.40
Tr	2.79×10^3***	1.18×10^3***	14.08 ns	47.56
Fv/Fm	0.02***	0.00***	0.00***	0.00
Fv'/Fm'	0.02*	0.02***	0.01***	0.00
ØPSII	0.02***	0.01*	0.00*	0.00
ETR	0.66***	0.36***	0.14***	0.00
qP	0.05***	0.19*	0.01 ns	0.00
NPQ	0.34***	0.19 ns	0.15*	0.03

*, **, ***and ns indicate significance at the 0.001, 0.01, and 0.05 levels and a lack of significance, respectively.