

Fig. 1 Suppl. Comparison of tobacco plants treated with NaCl, sodium bicarbonate, and/or *Bacillus subtilis* var. *natto* for 21 and 49 d. B0.2 - sodium bicarbonate 2 g dm⁻³ (B0 is the control). S2 and S4 refer to 200 and 400 mM NaCl, respectively (S0 is the control). N0.2 and N1 refer to 2 and 10 g dm⁻³ *B. subtilis*, respectively (N0 is the control). DAT – days after treatments. The *scale bar* is 10 cm.

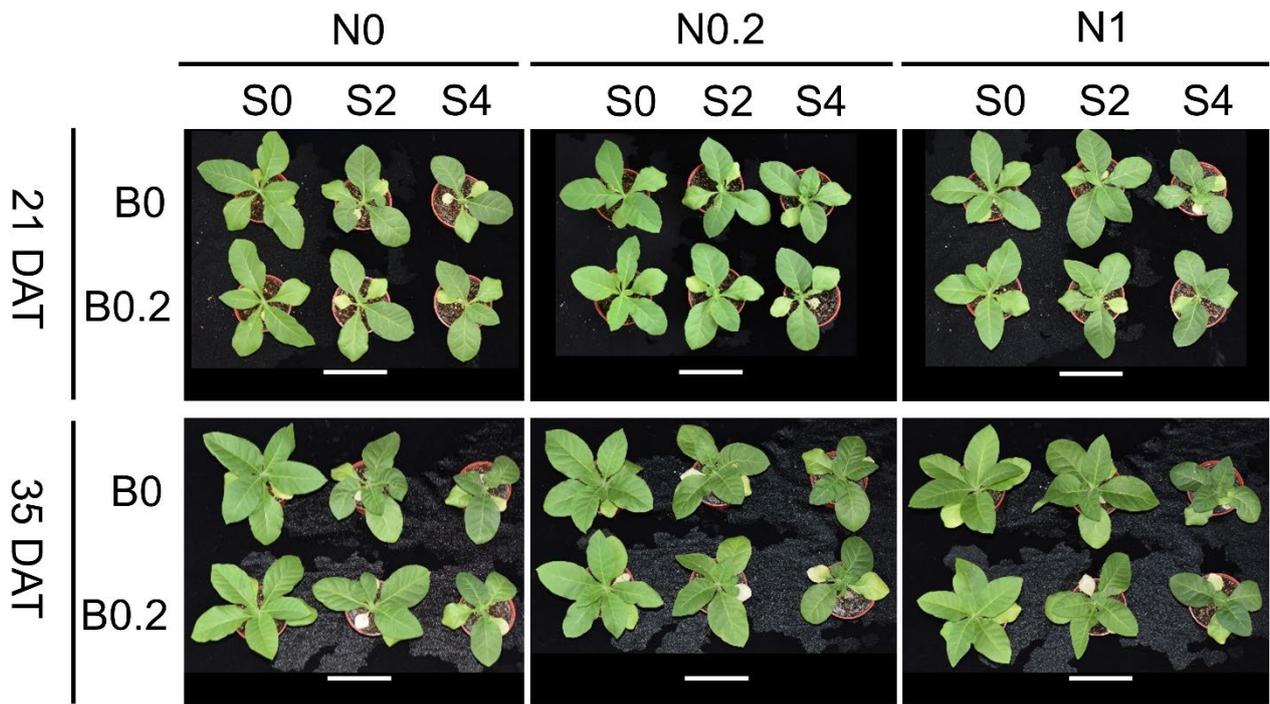


Fig. 2 Suppl. Comparison of tobacco plants treated with NaCl, sodium bicarbonate, and *Bacillus subtilis* var. *natto* for 21 and 35 d. B0.2 - sodium bicarbonate 2 g dm⁻³ (B0 is the control). S2 and S4 refer to 200 and 400 mM NaCl, respectively (S0 is the control). N0.2 and N1 refer to 2 and 10 g dm⁻³ *B. subtilis*, respectively (N0 is the control). DAT – days after treatments. The *scale bar* is 10 cm.