

SUCCESS STORIES USING STIMBLUE+

TOMATO CULTIVATION

ABOUT THE TRIAL

TRIAL CONDUCTED BY

SynTech
Research

LOCATION OF TRIALS



MEXICO

Jalisco



SEASON

JUL – NOV 2024



MACROCYSTIS VS ASCOPHYLLUM

CLIMATE

Temperate - dry winter, hot

+\$2,650

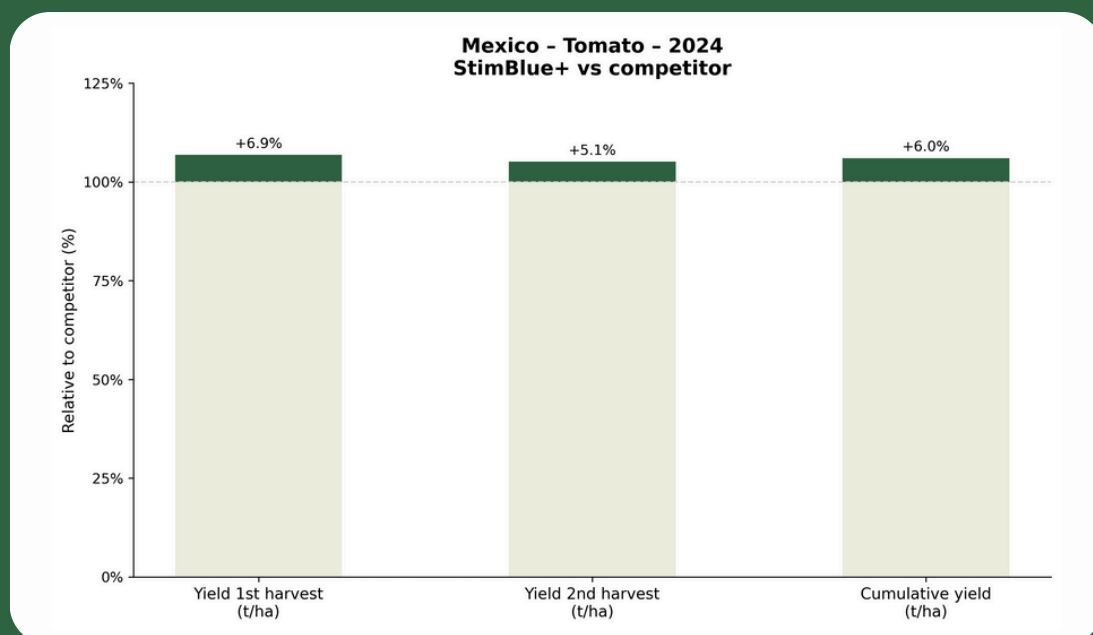
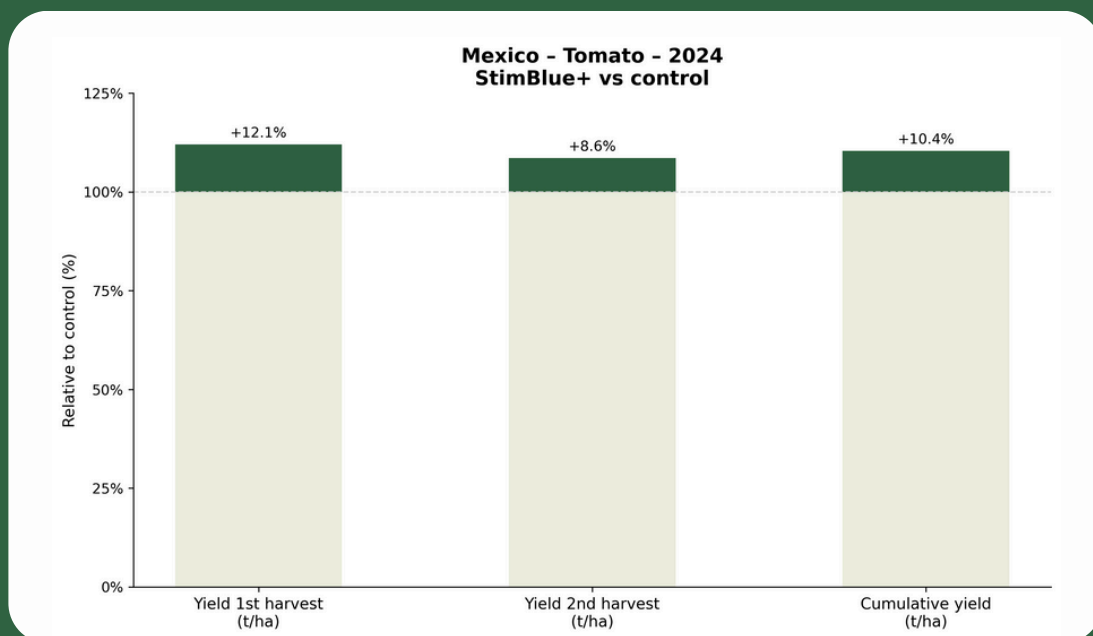
increased economic
returns per hectare


+6–15%

cumulative yield increase
vs control

TRIAL DESCRIPTION

Mexico is among the leading producer of tomatoes worldwide, producing over 330 Mt over 50.000 ha. We conducted a series of 2 different trials using 2 tomato varieties: Recoba and Gabby. The main objective of the study was to evaluate the efficacy of StimBlue+ applied at different dosages compared to the reference competitor, an *Ascophyllum nodosum* based biostimulant, and untreated control. The results are summarised below.

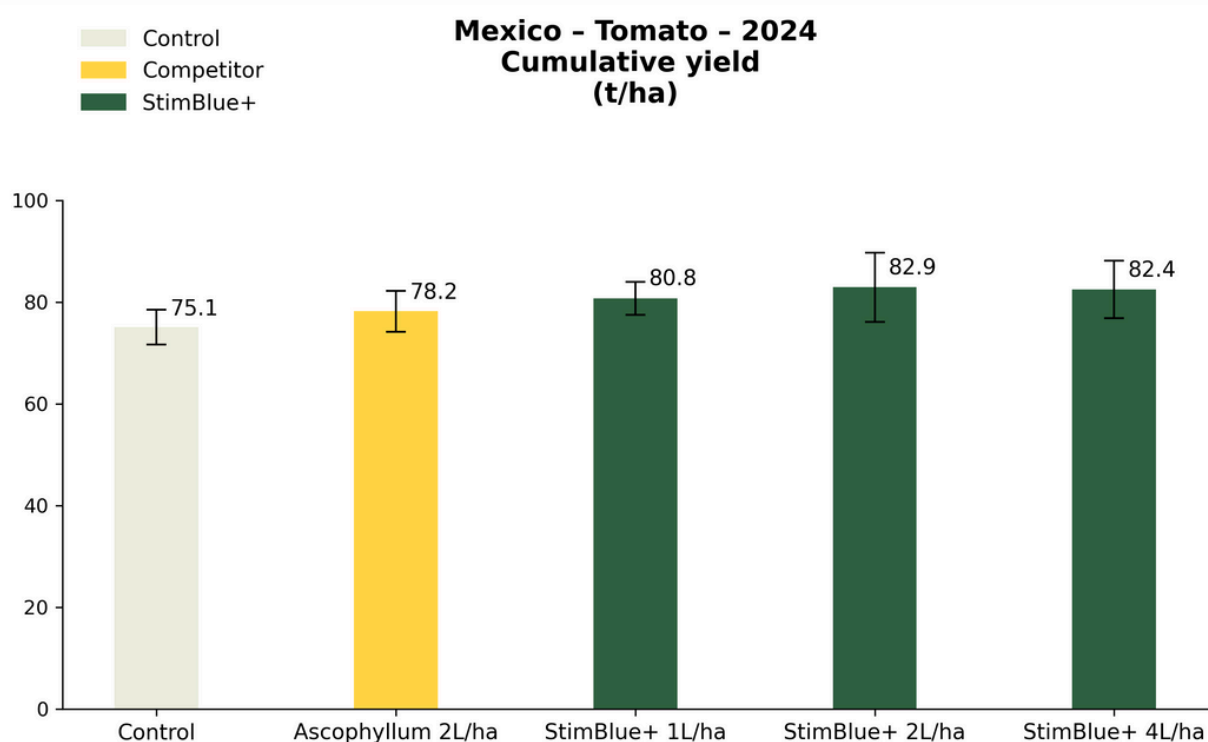


The background image shows a person in a green wetsuit and a white cap harvesting seaweed from a boat. They are holding a long pole with a net or basket at the end, which is filled with yellowish-brown seaweed. The scene is set against a bright, hazy sky. In the foreground, there is a close-up of seaweed, showing its long, thin, yellowish-brown blades. The overall image has a warm, slightly desaturated color palette.

RESULTS EXPLAINED

CUMULATIVE YIELD

- When assessing the cumulative yield - total amount of tomatoes harvested over a period of time, summed across multiple harvests - the application of StimBlue+ positively affected the overall harvest per plot per hectare. Results were statistically different from the control (+10%) and the competitor (+6%).

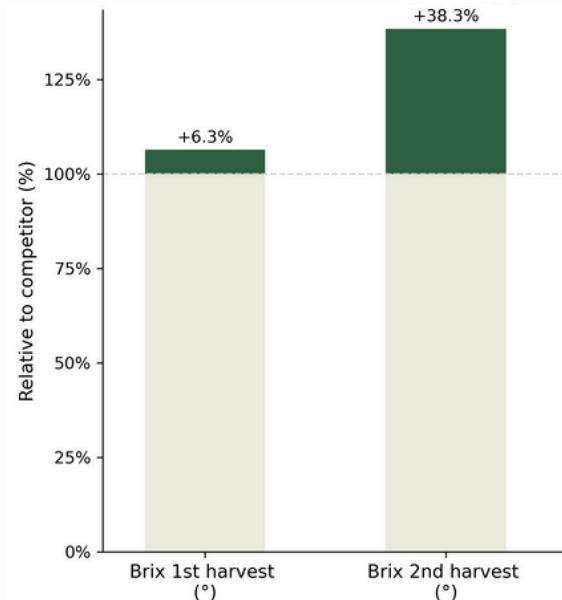


- The application of StimBlue+ at 2L/ha at the suggested applications calendar showed significant improvements in the overall productivity of tomatoes.
- Based on the current economic evaluation of the farm gate price of tomatoes being \$875/tonne, the application of StimBlue+ at 2 L/ha resulted in +\$2,650 increased economic returns for the farmer.*

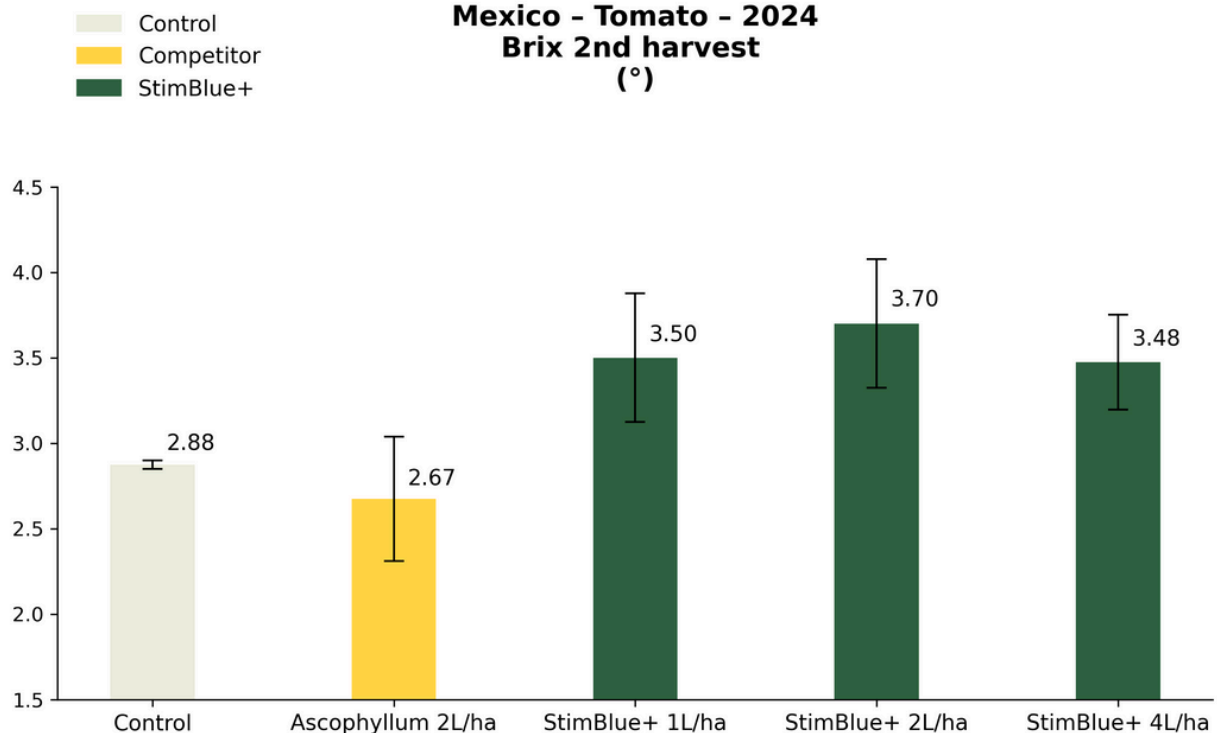
BRIX

- Just before harvest, StimBlue+ plants showed higher Brix levels than both the control and the competitor. StimBlue+ reached 3.70, while the control measured 2.88 and the competitor 2.67—representing a 29% increase over the control and a 39% increase over the competitor.

**Mexico - Tomato - 2024
StimBlue+ vs competitor**



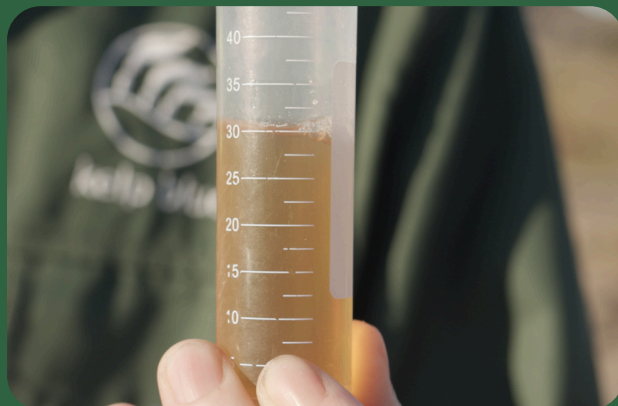
**Mexico - Tomato - 2024
Brix 2nd harvest
(°)**



APPLICATIONS

- + First application: immersion of seedling roots for 20 minutes
- + Second application: foliar spray before flowering ~ BBCH50
- + Third application: foliar spray during fruit setting ~ BBCH75

*This approach ensures the plants receive support at critical growth stages.
The results are based on StimBlue+ suggested application rates and calendars



ABOUT STIMBLUE+

StimBlue+ is a biostimulant made from 100% cultivated Giant Kelp (*Macrocystis pyrifera*) has shown to be a great solution for tomato cultivation. The trial data suggests that it offers measurable, significant economic benefits, with greater yield and elevated sugar content.

We plant kelp forests around the globe to boost the health and biodiversity of the oceans while locking away CO₂, and producing products to offer sustainable alternatives to help transition agriculture to more sustainable practices.



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