

## Equations

### Canopy Radiation

$$\delta = -23.5 \cdot \cos\left(\frac{360(D_j + 10)}{365}\right) \quad (1)$$

$$\cos(\theta) = \sin(\Omega) \sin(\delta) + \cos(\Omega) \cos(\delta) \cos(15 \cdot (t - t_{sn})) \quad (2)$$

$$I_{dir} = I_s \alpha^{\frac{(P/P_o)}{\cos(\theta)}} \quad (3)$$

$$I_{diff} = 0.5 \cdot I_s \cdot (1 - \alpha^{(P/P_o)/\cos(\theta)}) \cos(\theta) \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \cos((15 \cdot t_{len}) - \lambda) = -\tan(\lambda) \tan(\delta) \quad (5)$$

$$(6)$$

### Weather Downscaling

$$\text{Mean} = T_1 + T_2 \cdot \sin\left(2\pi \frac{D_j - D_{\text{start}}}{365}\right) \quad (7)$$

$$\text{Range} = T_3 + (T_4 - T_3) \cdot \sin\left(2\pi \frac{D_j - D_{\text{start}}}{365}\right) \quad (8)$$

$$\text{Excursion} = \sin\left(2\pi \frac{h_r - 10}{24}\right) \quad (9)$$

$$T_{air} = \text{Mean} + \text{Range} \cdot \text{Excursion} \quad (10)$$

$$(11)$$

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$$q = \frac{n_r}{n} \quad (12)$$

$$N_{eff} = \frac{\frac{(1-q)}{q}}{C_{ov}^2} \quad (13)$$

$$r^{\sim} = \frac{m_r}{n} \quad (14)$$

$$h = \frac{r^{\sim}}{q} \quad (15)$$

$$(16)$$

## C4 Photosynthesis

$$V_{\max} = V_{\max,o} \cdot Kt(E_{vcmax}) \quad (17)$$

$$R_d = R_o \cdot Kt(E_{Rd}) \quad (18)$$

$$M = \min \frac{(V_{\max} + \alpha_{\text{slope}} I_{\text{abs}}) \pm \sqrt{(V_{\max} + \alpha_{\text{slope}} I_{\text{abs}})^2 - 4(V_{\max} \alpha_{\text{slope}} I_{\text{abs}}) \theta_{\text{curve}}}}{2\theta_{\text{curve}}} \quad (19)$$

$$A_{\text{gross}} = \min \frac{(M + k_t \cdot \frac{c_i}{P}) \pm \sqrt{(M + k_t \cdot \frac{c_i}{P})^2 - (4 \cdot M \cdot k_t \cdot \frac{c_i}{P} \cdot \beta)}}{2 \cdot \beta} \quad (20)$$

$$(21)$$

## C3 Photosynthesis

From Appendix 2 in Bernacchi et al 2003 Plant, Cell and Environment 26, 14191430 doi: 10.1046/j.0016-8025.2003.01050.x

$$A = (1 - \Gamma^*/C_i) \quad (22)$$

$$W_c = \frac{V_{c\max}c_i}{c_i + K_c(1 + O/K_0)} \quad (23)$$

$$W_j = \frac{Jc_i}{4.5c_i + 10.5\Gamma^*} \quad (24)$$

$$\Gamma^* = \exp(19.02 - 37.83/(R(T_1 + 273.15))) \quad (25)$$

$$K_c = \exp(38.05 - 36.38/R(T_1 + 273.15)) \quad (26)$$

$$K_0 = \exp(20.30 - 36.38/R(T_1 + 273.15)) \quad (27)$$

$$V_{c,\max} = V_{c,\max,25^\circ C} \exp(26.35 - 65.33/R(T_1 + 273.15)) \quad (28)$$

$$J = \frac{Q_2 + J_{\max,T} - \sqrt{(Q_2 + J_{\max,T})^2 - 4\Theta_{PSII}Q_2J_{\max,T}}}{2\Theta_{PSII}} \quad (29)$$

$$J_{\max,T} = J_{\max,25^\circ} \exp(17.57 - 43.54/(R(T_1 + 273.15))) \quad (30)$$

$$(31)$$

From Appendix 1, Equations 7-9 in Long 1991 Plant, Cell and Environment 14, 729-739. doi:10.1111/j.1365-3040.1991.tb01439.x

$$c_i = 0.7c_a \left( \frac{1.6740 - 6.1294 \cdot 10^{-2}T + 1.1688 \cdot 10^{-3}T^2 - 8.8741 \cdot 10^{-6} + T^3}{0.73547} \right) \quad (32)$$

$$c_i = 0.7c_a \text{ at } 25^\circ C \quad (33)$$

$$O_i = 210 \left( \frac{4.7000 \cdot 10^{-2} - 1.3087 \cdot 10^{-3}T + 2.5603 \cdot 10^{-5}T^2 - 2.1441 \cdot 10^{-7}T^3}{2.6934 \cdot 10^{-2}} \right) \quad (34)$$

$$O_i = O_a \text{ at } 25^\circ C \quad (35)$$

$$\phi = \frac{A_{I=50} - A_{I=25}}{25f} \quad (36)$$

## Leaf Water Potential

$$h_s = \frac{e_l - VPD}{e_l} \cdot 100 \quad (37)$$

$$g_s = g_0 + g_1 \cdot A_{\text{gross}} \cdot \frac{h_s}{C_a} \quad (38)$$

$$g_{w,\text{mod}} = \left( \frac{\Psi_l - \Psi_t}{1000} \right) \cdot g_{ws} \quad (39)$$

$$g_1 = g_1 \cdot (1 - g_{w,\text{mod}}) \quad (40)$$

$$A_{n,\text{water stress}} = A_n \cdot h_s \quad (41)$$

$$(42)$$

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$$J_a = 2 \cdot I_{\text{abs}} \cdot \left( \frac{1 - r - \tau}{1 - \tau} \right) \cdot \ell \quad (43)$$

$$L_b = (2.126 \cdot 10^{-5} + 1.48 \cdot 10^{-7} \cdot T_{\text{air}}) / 0.004 \cdot \sqrt{L_w / u_{\text{layer}}} \quad (44)$$

$$u_a = \frac{u \cdot 0.41}{\log((u - d) / z_o)} \quad (45)$$

$$g_a = \frac{(u_a^2 / u_{\text{layer}}) \cdot L_b}{(u_a^2 / u_{\text{layer}}) + L_b} \quad (46)$$

$$\rho'_v = 610.78 \cdot e^{(17.269 \cdot \frac{T_a}{T_a + 237.3})} \quad (47)$$

$$\Delta \rho_{va} = \rho'_v \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{h_s}{100} \right) \quad (48)$$

$$\gamma = \frac{\rho \cdot c_p}{\lambda} \quad (49)$$

$$s = 18 \cdot (2501 - 2.373 \cdot T_a) \cdot \left( \frac{\rho'_v}{8.314 \cdot (T_a + 273)^2} \right) \quad (50)$$

$$R_{lc} = 4 \cdot 5.67 \cdot 10^{-8} \cdot (273 + T_{\text{air}})^3 \cdot \Delta T \quad (51)$$

$$\Phi_N = J_a - R_{lc} \quad (52)$$

$$\Delta T = T_{\text{leaf}} - T_{\text{air}} = \frac{\Phi_n \left( \frac{1}{g_a} + \frac{1}{g_c} \right)}{\lambda \left[ s + \gamma \left( 1 + \frac{g_a}{g_c} \right) \right]} - \frac{\lambda \Delta \rho_{va}}{\lambda \left[ s + \gamma \left( 1 + \frac{g_a}{g_c} \right) \right]} \quad (53)$$

$$E = \frac{s \cdot \Phi_N + \lambda \cdot g_a \cdot \Delta \rho_{va}}{\lambda \cdot [s + \lambda \cdot (1 + g_a / g_c)]} \quad (54)$$

$$\mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{c}} = \sum_{\text{layer}N}^{\text{layer}1} (\mathbf{E}_{\text{sun}} \cdot l_{\text{sun}}) + (\mathbf{E}_{\text{shade}} \cdot l_{\text{shade}}) \quad (55)$$

$$\mathbf{E}_{\text{tot}} = \int_{D=365}^{D_j=1} \int_{hr=24}^{hr=0} \mathbf{E}_{\mathbf{c}} \quad (56)$$

$$(57)$$

## Sun / Shade Canopy

$$k = \frac{\sqrt{\chi^2 + \tan^2(\theta)} \cdot \cos(\theta)}{\chi + 1.744 \cdot [\chi + 1.183]^{-0.733}} \quad (58)$$

$$F_{\text{sun}} = \frac{1 - e^{(-k \cdot F_{\text{canopy}} / \cos(\theta))} \cdot \cos(\theta)}{k} \quad (59)$$

$$F_{\text{shade}} = F_{\text{canopy}} - F_{\text{sun}} \quad (60)$$

$$F_{\text{canopy}} = F_{\text{sun}} + F_{\text{shade}} \quad (61)$$

$$I_{\text{sun}} = I_{\text{dir}} \cdot k / \cos(\theta) + I_{\text{shade}} \quad (62)$$

$$I_{\text{shade}} = I_{\text{diff}} \cdot e^{(-0.5 \cdot F_{\text{canopy}}^{0.7})} + I_{\text{scat}} \quad (63)$$

$$I_{\text{scat}} = 0.07 \cdot I_{\text{dir}} \cdot (1.1 - 0.1 \cdot f) \cdot e^{-\cos(\theta)} \quad (64)$$

$$I_{\text{total}} = I_{\text{dir}} + I_{\text{dif}} \quad (65)$$

$$(66)$$

## Total Canopy Assimilation

$$A_c = (A_{c,\text{sun}} \cdot F_{\text{sun}}) + (A_{c,\text{shade}} \cdot F_{\text{shade}}) \quad (67)$$

$$F_{\text{sun}} = \sum_{\text{layer}N}^{\text{layer}1} l_{\text{sun}}; \quad l_{\text{sun}} = \frac{1 - e^{(-k \cdot F_{\text{sun}})}}{k} \quad (68)$$

$$F_{\text{shade}} = \sum_{\text{layer}N}^{\text{layer}1} \ell_{\text{shade}}; \quad \ell_{\text{shade}} = F_{\text{sun}} - \ell_{\text{sun}} \quad (69)$$

$$F_{\text{canopy}} = F_{\text{sun}} + F_{\text{shade}} \quad (70)$$

$$I_d = I_{\text{diff}} \cdot e^{(-k \cdot F_{\text{sun}})} \quad (71)$$

$$I_{\ell,d} = k \cdot I_d \quad (72)$$

$$I_{\ell,s} = k \cdot I_{\text{dir}} + I_{\ell,d} \quad (73)$$

$$A_c = \sum_{\text{layer}N}^{\text{layer}1} (A_{c,\text{sun}} \cdot F_{\text{sun}}) + (A_{c,\text{shade}} \cdot F_{\text{shade}}) \quad (74)$$

$$A_{c,\text{tot}} = \int_{D_j=365}^{D_j=1} \int_{\text{hr}=24}^{\text{hr}=0} A_c \quad (75)$$

$$g_c = \sum_{\text{layer}N}^{\text{layer}1} (g_{s,\text{sun}} \cdot l_{\text{sun}}) + (g_{s,\text{shade}} \cdot l_{\text{shade}}) \quad (76)$$

$$g_{c,\text{tot}} = \int_{D_j=365}^{D_j=1} \int_{\text{hr}=24}^{\text{hr}=0} g_c \quad (77)$$

$$(78)$$

## Allocation

$$A_{\text{stroot}} = \text{abs}(\omega_{\text{stroot}} \cdot k_{\text{stroot}}) ; k_{\text{stroot}} < 0 \quad (79)$$

$$A_{\text{total}} = A_c + A_{\text{seed}} + A_{\text{stroot}} \quad (80)$$

$$\omega_{\text{leaf}} = \omega_{\text{leaf}} + (A_{\text{total}} \cdot k_{\text{leaf}}) \quad (81)$$

$$\omega_{\text{stem}} = \omega_{\text{stem}} + (A_{\text{total}} \cdot k_{\text{stem}}) \quad (82)$$

$$\omega_{\text{sroot}} = \omega_{\text{sroot}} + (A_{\text{total}} \cdot k_{\text{sroot}}) \quad (83)$$

$$\omega_{\text{froot}} = \omega_{\text{froot}} + (A_{\text{total}} \cdot k_{\text{froot}}) \quad (84)$$

$$\Psi_{\text{adl}} < \Psi_{\text{pt}};$$

$$k_{\text{leaf}} = k_{\text{leaf}} \cdot k_{\text{mod}};$$

$$k_{\text{stem}} = k_{\text{stem}} \cdot k_{\text{mod}};$$

$$k_{\text{stroot}} = k_{\text{stroot}} \cdot k_{\text{mod}};$$

$$k_{\text{mod}} = (\Psi_{\text{adl}} - \Psi_{\text{pt}}) \cdot \Psi_g; 0 \leq k_{\text{mod}} \leq 1 \quad (85)$$

$$\Delta F_{\text{canopy}} = \frac{\omega_{\text{leaf}}}{Sp_{\text{leaf}}} \quad (86)$$

$$\Delta L_{\text{stem}} = \frac{\omega_{\text{stem}}}{Sp_{\text{stem}}} \quad (87)$$

$$\Delta L_{\text{sroot}} = \frac{\omega_{\text{root}}}{Sp_{\text{sroot}}} \quad (88)$$

$$(89)$$



## Soil Evaporation

$$E_{\text{soil}} = \sum \frac{(\Psi_{\text{si}} - g \cdot z_i - \Psi_x)}{R_{\text{si}} + R_{\text{ri}}} \quad (90)$$

$$R_{\text{ri}} = R_r \cdot \frac{\sum L_i}{L_i} \quad (91)$$

$$\Psi_x = \sum \frac{(\Psi_{\text{si}} - q_w \cdot z_i)}{R_{\text{si}} + R_{\text{ri}}} / \sum \frac{1}{R_{\text{si}} + R_{\text{ri}}} \quad (92)$$

$$\Psi_L = \Psi_x - E \cdot R_L \quad (93)$$

$$E_d = \begin{cases} E_p, & \theta^* \geq \theta_1 \\ E_p \left( \frac{\theta - \theta_2}{\theta_1 - \theta_2} \right), & \theta_2 < \theta^* < \theta_1 \\ 0, & \theta^* \leq \theta_2 \end{cases} \quad (94)$$

$$\theta_{i+1} = \theta_i - \frac{E_i \cdot \theta_i}{\rho_w \cdot d_s} \quad (95)$$

$$g_{a,\text{soil}} = \frac{(2.126 \cdot 10^{-5}) + (1.48 \cdot 10^{-7}) \cdot T_{\text{soil}}}{\left( 0.004 \cdot \sqrt{\frac{S_{\text{size}}}{u_{\text{soil}}}} \right)} \quad (96)$$

$$R_{lc,\text{soil}} = ((4 \cdot 5.67 \cdot 10^{-8}) \cdot (273 + T_{\text{soil}})^3 \cdot \Delta T) \quad (97)$$

$$J_{a,\text{soil}} = 2 \cdot I_{\text{soil}} \cdot \left( \frac{1 - S_r - S_\tau}{1 - S_\tau} \right) \quad (98)$$

$$\Phi_{N,\text{soil}} = J_{a,\text{soil}} - R_{lc,\text{soil}} \quad (99)$$

$$E = \frac{s \cdot \Phi_{N,\text{soil}} + \lambda \cdot g_{a,\text{soil}} \cdot \Delta \rho_{va}}{\lambda \cdot [s + \gamma]} \quad (100)$$

$$(101)$$

## Respiration

$$R_{\text{total}} = (a \cdot A_n) + (b_{\text{stem}} \cdot \omega_{\text{stem}}) + (b_{\text{root}} \cdot \omega_{\text{root}}) \quad (102)$$

$$(103)$$

## Energy Balance

$$HS_{\text{soil}} = HO_{\text{soil}} \cdot \exp\left[\frac{h_{\text{soil}}}{46.97 \cdot (T_s + 273.16)}\right] \quad (104)$$

$$HO_{\text{soil}} = 1.323 \cdot \exp\left[\frac{17.27 \cdot T_s}{273.3 + T_s}\right] \bigg/ T_s + 273.16 \quad (105)$$

$$G_{\text{soil}} = -\lambda_{\text{soil}} \frac{\delta T}{\delta x} \quad (106)$$

$$G_{\text{soil}} = -\lambda_{\text{soil}} \cdot \left[\frac{T_2 - T_s}{\Delta z}\right] + (T_s - T_l) \cdot C \cdot \frac{\Delta z}{(2 \cdot \Delta t)} \quad (107)$$

# Definition of Terms

Term	Units	Definition	Value
$A_{\text{gross}}$	$\mu\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Gross rate of CO <sub>2</sub> uptake per unit leaf area	-
$A_{\text{net}}$	$\mu\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Net rate of CO <sub>2</sub> uptake per unit leaf area	-
$A_c$	$\mu\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Net canopy rate of CO <sub>2</sub> uptake per unit ground area	-
$A_{c,\text{tot}}$	$\text{g m}^{-2} \text{yr}^{-1}$	$A_c$ integrated over the course of a year	-
$A_{c,\text{sun}}$	$\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Net rate of CO <sub>2</sub> uptake per unit area sunlit leaves	-
$A_{c,\text{shade}}$	$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Net rate of CO <sub>2</sub> uptake per unit area shaded leaves	-
$A$	$\mu\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Predicted rate of CO <sub>2</sub> uptake	-
$C_a$	$\mu\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Atmospheric CO <sub>2</sub> concentration	378
$a$	Dimensionless	Coefficient for growth respiration	0.2
$c_i$	$\mu\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Intercellular concentration of CO <sub>2</sub> in air corrected for solubility relative to 25°C	Calculated based on $A$ , $c_a$ and $h_s$
$b_{\text{leaf}}$	Dimensionless	Coefficient for maintenance respiration for leaf	0.03
$b_{\text{stem}}$	Dimensionless	Coefficient for maintenance respiration for stem	0.015
$b_{\text{root}}$	Dimensionless	Coefficient for maintenance respiration for root	0.01
$c_p$	$\text{J kg}^{-1} \text{K}^{-1}$	Specific heat capacity of dry air	1010
$C_{ov}$	Dimensionless	Coefficient of Variation for probability of rain in each month	-
$D_j$	d	day of year	-
$D_{\text{start}}$	d	Day of year on which the sinusoidal temperature function is assumed to start	45
$d$	dimensionless	Zero plane displacement	0.77
$E$	$\text{J mol}^{-1}$	Activation energy	$R_d = 66405$ $V_{\text{max}} = 6800$
$E_l$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Evapo/transpiration rate at sunlit/shaded leaves in a canopy layer	-
$E_c$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Instantaneous canopy evapo/transpiration rate	-
$E_{\text{tot}}$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{yr}^{-1}$	$E_c$ integrated over the course of a year	-
$e_l$	kPa	Saturated water VPD in the leaf	-
$F_{\text{canopy}}$	$\text{m}^2 \text{m}^{-2}$	Canopy leaf area index	9
$F_{\text{shade}}$	$\text{m}^2 \text{m}^{-2}$	Canopy shaded leaf area index	-
$F_{\text{sun}}$	$\text{m}^2 \text{m}^{-2}$	Canopy sunlit leaf area index	-
$F_{\text{sum}}$	$\text{m}^2 \text{m}^{-2}$	Summed leaf area index from top of canopy to layer considered in calculation	-
$g_a$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Leaf boundary layer conductance	-
$g_s$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Leaf stomatal conductance	-
$g_c$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Canopy conductance of CO <sub>2</sub>	-
$g_0$	dimensionless	Stomatal slope factor	3
$g_1$	dimensionless	Stomatal intercept factor	0.08
$g_{s,\text{sun}}$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	The sum of stomatal conductance of sunlit leaves	-
$g_{s,\text{shade}}$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	The sum of stomatal conductance of shaded leaves	-
$h_r$	h	Hour of day	-
$h_s$	%	Relative humidity	-
$h_{\text{canopy}}$	m	Height of canopy	5
$h_{ms}$	m	Wind speed measurement height	2
$h_{\text{layer}}$	m	Height of canopy layer above ground	-
$I$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Photon flux	-
$h$	$\text{mmday}^{-1}$	The amount of water received on a given rainy day	-
$I_{\text{abs}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Photon flux absorbed by either sunlit or shaded leaves within a canopy layer	-

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Term	Units	Definition	Value
$I_{\text{dir}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Photon flux in direct solar beam	-
$I_{\text{diff}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Photon flux in diffuse radiation	-
$I_{\text{total}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Total photon flux incident on canopy	-
$I_s$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Solar constant, photon flux in a plane perpendicular to the solar beam above the atmosphere	2600
$I_{\text{short}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Short wave radiation component of incident light	-
$I_{\text{soil}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Solar radiation incident upon soil surface	-
$I_{\text{sun}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Mean I for leaves which receive direct solar radiation, i.e. are sunlit	-
$I_{\text{shade}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Mean I for leaves shaded from direct solar radiation	-
$I_{\text{scat}}$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Direct beam radiation scattered by surfaces within the canopy	-
$J_a$	$\mu\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Total solar radiation absorbed by either sunlit or shaded leaves within a canopy layer	-
$k$	dimensionless	Foliar absorption coefficient	-
$K_c$	$\mu\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Michaelis constant for $\text{CO}_2$	460
$K_{\text{CO}_2}$	$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Initial slope of photosynthetic $\text{CO}_2$ response	0.7
$K_o$	$\text{mmol mol}^{-1}$	Michaelis constant for $\text{O}_2$	330
$k_{\text{slope}}$	Dimensionless	Initial slope of photosynthetic light response	0.04
$\text{LN}$	$\text{g m}^{-2}$	Leaf nitrogen concentration	-
$k_{\text{leaf}}$	Dimensionless	Partitioning coefficient for leaf	-
$k_{\text{stem}}$	Dimensionless	Partitioning coefficient for stem	-
$k_{\text{root}}$	Dimensionless	Partitioning coefficient for storage root	-
$k_{\text{froot}}$	Dimensionless	Partitioning coefficient for fine root	-
$k_{\text{stroot}}$	Dimensionless	Partitioning coefficient for structural root	-
$\omega_{\text{leaf}}$	gram	Leaf biomass	-
$\omega_{\text{stem}}$	gram	Stem biomass	-
$\omega_{\text{root}}$	gram	Biomass of storage root	-
$\omega_{\text{froot}}$	gram	Biomass of fine root	-
$\omega_{\text{stroot}}$	gram	Biomass of structural root	-
$Sp_{\text{leaf}}$	$\text{gram m}^{-2}$	Specific leaf area	50
$Sp_{\text{stem}}$	$\text{gram m}^{-1}$	Specific stem elongation factor	60
$Sp_{\text{froot}}$	$\text{gram m}^{-1}$	Specific fine root elongation factor	10
$Sp_{\text{stroot}}$	$\text{gram m}^{-1}$	Specific structural root elongation factor	60
$L_w$	m	Leaf width in the direction of the wind	0.04
$O_a$	$\text{mmol mol}^{-1}$	Atmospheric $\text{O}_2$ concentration	210
$q$	Dimensionless	The probability that there is no rainfall	-
$n$	Day	The number of days in a month	29, 30, or 31
$nr$	Day	The number of rainy days in a month	-
$O_i$	$\text{mmol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Intercellular concentration of $\text{O}_2$ in air corrected for solubility relative to $25^\circ\text{C}$	-
$P$	kPa	Atmospheric pressure at Lake Naivasha	80
$P_o$	kPa	Standard atmospheric pressure at sea level	101.324
$P_s$	kPa	Leaf surface partial pressure of $\text{CO}_2$	-
$v$		Saturated water vapour concentration	-
$Q_{10}$	dimensionless	Is the proportional rise in a parameter for a $10^\circ\text{C}$ increase in temperature	2
$r$	dimensionless	Leaf reflection coefficient for total solar radiation	0.2
$R$	$\text{J K}^{-1} \text{mol}^{-1}$	Real gas constant	8.314
$R_o$	$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Dark respiration rate at $25^\circ\text{C}$	3
$R_d$	$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Dark respiration at a given temperature	-
$R_{\text{lc}}$	$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Longwave radiation	-
$s$	kPa $\text{K}^{-1}$	Slope of saturated water vapor pressure change with respect to temperature (look up table)	-

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Term	Units	Definition	Value
$s_p$	dimensionless	Spectral imbalance	-
$S_{\text{size}}$	m	Average size of soil particles	0.04
$S_r$	Dimensionless	Soil reflectance	0.2
$S_t$	Dimensionless	Soil transmission	0.01
$\tau$	Dimensionless	Leaf transmittance coefficient	-
$t$	h	Time of day	-
$t_{\text{sn}}$	h	Time of solar noon	12
$T_{\text{leaf}}$	°C	Leaf temperature	-
$T_{\text{air}}$	°C	Ambient air temperature	-
$T_{\text{soil}}$	°C	Soil surface temperature	-
$T_1$	°C	Annual mean air temperature	18
$T_2$	°C	Annual range in air temperature	2
$T_3$	°C	Average daily range in air temperature	7
$T_4$	°C	Maximum daily range in air temperature	7
$u$	$\text{m s}^{-1}$	Measured wind speed at known height (2m)	2
$u_{\text{layer}}$	$\text{m s}^{-1}$	Wind speed in a given canopy layer	-
$u_{\text{soil}}$	$\text{m s}^{-1}$	Wind speed at soil surface	-
$V_{\text{max}}$	$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Maximum rubP saturated rate of carboxylation at a given temperature	-
$V_{c,\text{max}_o}$	$\text{mol m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Maximum rubP saturated rate of carboxylation at 25°C	39
VPD	kPa	Leaf-air water vapour pressure deficit	-
$z_o$	m	Roughness length	0.234
$\chi$	dimensionless	The ratio of horizontal:vertical projected area of leaves in the canopy segment	1
$\alpha$	dimensionless	Atmospheric transmittance	0.85
slope	$\text{mol m}^{-1}$	Initial slope of photosynthetic CO <sub>2</sub> response	0.7
$\Theta_{\text{curve}}$	dimensionless	Curvature parameter	-
$\delta$	degrees	Solar declination	-
$\Omega$	degrees	Latitude	-
$\Theta$	degrees	Solar zenith angle	-
curve	dimensionless	Curvature parameter	0.83
$\lambda$	MJ/Kg	Latent heat of vapourisation	-
$\gamma$	$\text{Pa K}^{-1}$	psychrometer constant	-
$\alpha_{\text{slope}}$	$\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	The quantum yield of CO <sub>2</sub> uptake determined by the initial slope of the response of A versus $I_{\text{abs}}$	0.04
$\beta$		C <sub>4</sub> curvature parameter	0.93
$Kt$		C <sub>4</sub> slope factor	-
$\Psi_l$	MPa	Leaf water potential	-
$\Psi_t$	MPa	Threshold leaf water potential for decreasing gs	-
$\Phi_N$	$\text{W m}^{-2}$	Net radiation	-
$\Psi_{\text{adl}}$	MPa	Average daily plant water potential	-
$\Psi_{\text{pt}}$	MPa	Threshold water potential	-
$Z$	m	Thickness of a soil layer	-
$\Psi_x$	MPa	xylem water potential	-
$\Psi_{\text{si}}$	MPa	Soil water potential of the ith layer	-
$q_w$	$\text{Kg s}^{-1}$	Flux of water	-
$R_{\text{si}}$	$\text{m}^3 \text{kg}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1}$	Soil resistance of the ith zone	-
$R_{\text{ri}}$	$\text{M}^3 \text{kg}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1}$	root resistance of the ith zone	-
$L_i$	$\text{cm cm}^{-3}$	Root density of ith zone	-
$g$	$\text{m s}^{-2}$	Gravitational constant	9.8
$R_L$	$\text{m}^3 \text{kg}^{-1} \text{s}^{-1}$	Leaf resistance	-
$E_d$	$\text{g m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Potential soil evaporation	-
$E_p$	$\text{g m}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$	Actual soil evaporation	-
$\Theta^*$	$\text{Kg m}^{-3}$	Actual volumetric water content	-
$\Theta_1$	$\text{Kg m}^{-3}$	The volumetric water content for maximizing Evaporation	-

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Term	Units	Definition	Value
$\Theta_2$	$Kg\,m^{-3}$	The volumetric water content for wilting point	-
$d_s$	m	Soil depth	-
$\rho_w$	$Kg\,m^{-3}$	Density of water	1000
$R_{lc,soil}$	$mol\,m^{-2}\,s^{-1}$	Soil longwave radiation	-
$I_{soil}$	$W\,m^{-2}$	Solar radiation on soil	-
$\Theta_i$	$Kg\,m^{-3}$	The volumetric water content of the ith day	-
$\Delta\rho_{va}$	KPa	Vapor pressure deficit	-
$HO_{soil}$	$Kg\,m^{-3}$	Saturated humidity of the air at the soil surface	-
$HS_{soil}$	$Kg\,m^{-3}$	Humidity of the air at the soil surface	-
$h_{soil}$	m	Water pressure head	-
$\lambda$	$W/(m^\circ C)$	Thermal conductivity for the soil surface	-
$G_{soil}$	$W\,m^{-2}$	Soil heat flux	-