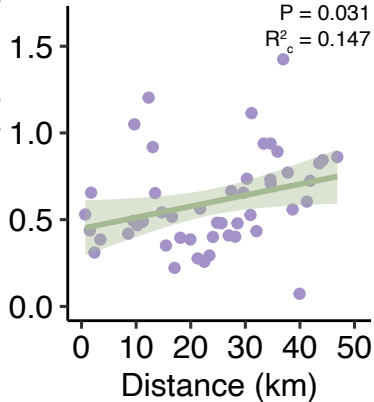


Nodule Density (no./cm)

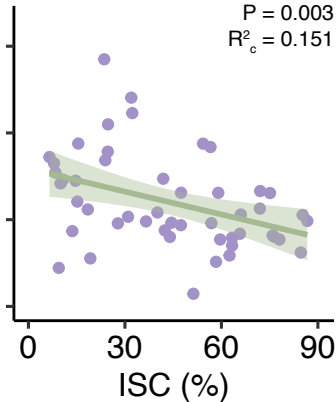
(a)

$\beta = 0.146$
 $P = 0.031$
 $R^2_c = 0.147$



(b)

$\beta = -0.199$
 $P = 0.003$
 $R^2_c = 0.151$



(c)

$\beta = 0.152$
 $P = 0.021$
 $R^2_c = 0.146$

