

## Recycling Expo 2018: Agro-reminders, municipal bio-wastes and sulfur recovered from refineries as sulfur-based organic fertilizer - Muscolo Adele - University Mediterranea di Reggio Calabria

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In the continuing work, we assessed environmentally sound technology to provide soil improver with balanced level of vitamins, and top-quality agronomic traits. Sulfur received from the residues of the desulfurization of herbal gasoline and oil, became linked with agricultural wastes (orange pulp or olive pomace) or compost from municipal wastes to provide amendments. The experiment became a randomized complete block layout with three replications. Our results confirmed that the pastilles of sulfur bentonite advanced soil quality in appreciate to control (now not amended soil). Pastilles of sulfur bentonite connected with agricultural and/or municipal wastes have been more effective than sulfur bentonite itself. They had been capable of reducing the pH of soils and undoubtedly affect the organic soil houses, growing significantly the labile fraction of soil organic count number.

The greatest growths become discovered by using the usage of sulfur bentonite combined with orange pulp or orange pulp and municipal waste. Regarding crop productivity, all the species applied (red onion: *Allium cepa*, garlic: *Allium sativum*) grew better in amended soils. A fertilizer specie-specificity become also verified for the first time. Red onion grew higher (leaf and root period, leaf variety and fruit size) with sulfur-bentonite pelletized with orange waste, whilst garlic grew higher with sulfur-bentonite tied up with olive pomace. In quick, this have a look at demonstrated that recalcitrant Agro remainders, municipal bio-wastes and sulfur represent a first-rate aid for producing sustainable organic fertilizers. The outcomes are strictly depending on the quantity and composition of wastes used, and at the sort of crop species. Therefore, this waste control system represents an opportunity for supplying valuable merchandise with discount of environmental pollution. Circular economy – which prescribes that the production of fertilizers ought to be closed in a loop – is not handiest encouraged with the aid of the EU however also the European Industrial Organization of Fertilizers. Some of the raw materials have to be substituted with residual biomass, e.g. Publish-harvest residues, residues from farm animals' production and slaughter or food processing. Closing the loop will prevent fertilizing vitamins from being dissipated in the surroundings and becoming pollution. The concept of circularity consists of the

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