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Dear Editor,

on behalf of my co-authors, I would like to submit a manuscript entitled “*Evaluation of the effect of nitrogen nutritional statuses and waterlogging conditions on growth parameters, nitrogen use efficiency and chlorophyll fluorescence in tamarillo seedlings*” to be published in [Notulae Botanicae Horti Agrobotanici Cluj-Napoca](Notulae%20Botanicae%20Horti%20Agrobotanici%20Cluj-Napoca) journal.

In general, this study also showed the susceptibility of tamarillo plants to waterlogging conditions as it has been reported for other species of the Solanaceae family such as tomato (Rao and Li, 2003), cape gooseberry (Aldana et al., 2014) and lulo (Florez-Velasco et al., 2015) as waterlogged plants showed reductions in plant height, stem diameter, leaf area, total dry weight of the plant, NUE, Fv / Fm ratio and chlorophyll content in spite of an adequate nitrogen nutrition

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1. This article is an original work and no portion of the study has been published or is under consideration for publication elsewhere.

2. None of the authors has any potential conflict of interest related to this manuscript.

3. All authors have contributed to the work, and they have agreed to submit the manuscript.

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