

Impacts of microplastics on the soil biophysical environment

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Section 1: Libraries

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library(PMCMRplus) #for Tukey post-hot on kruskal-wallis

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library(plotly) # for fancy 3D plots online

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library(ggplot2) #needed for some graphs
library(sfsmisc) #for proper y axis on base 10
library(scales) #for proper y axis on base 10 in ggplots
library(scatterplot3d) # for simple 3D plots
library(dplyr) # for dataframe manipulation
library(ggthemes) # for changing the themes of ggplot2
library(wesanderson) # for colour palletes
library(RColorBrewer)# for colour palletes
library(cowplot) # for multiple ggplot pannels
library(nlme) # for gls and lme function
library(lme4) # for lmer function
library(MuMIn) # for linear model inference
# library(shiny) # sometimes need to load shiny to plotly proper work

# If not all packages are installed, run the following commands
#install.packages("shiny") # it seems that shiny is not working at IGB pc
#install.packages("dplyr")
#install.packages("RPostgreSQL")
#install.packages("lubridate")
#install.packages("RColorBrewer")
#install.packages("PMCMRplus") #for Tukey post-hot on kruskal-wallis
#install.packages("ggplot2") #needed for some graphs
#install.packages("sfsmisc") #for proper y axis on base 10
#install.packages("scatterplot3d") # for simple 3D plots
#install.packages("plotly")
#install.packages("ggthemes")
#install.packages("cowplot")
#install.packages("scales")
#install.packages("wesanderson")
#install.packages("nlme")
#install.packages("lme4")
```

```
#install.packages("MuMIn")
```

```
#try to get the right version of plotly and ggplot but it did not work
```

```
#install.packages("devtools")
```

```
#library("devtools")
```

```
#install_github("ropensci/plotly") # plotly is part of ropensci
```

```
#install.packages("tidyverse", dependencies=TRUE, type="source")
```

```
#packageVersion("plotly")
```

```
#packageVersion("ggplot2")
```

```
##### Section 2: Getting all data #####
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```

```
experiment=read.table("Supporting_information_S2.txt", header=T, dec= ",", na.strings=NA)
```

```
attach(experiment)
```

```
summary(experiment)
```

```
View(experiment)
```

```
detach(experiment)
```

```
#The data imported includes
```

```
# Sample label (1 to 180);
```

```
# Treatment (Control, PAB= Polyamide beads, PAF= Polyacrylic fibres, PEB= Polyethylene high
```

```
# density beads, PEF= Polyester fibres); Concentration (% os dry soil weight);
```

```
# Concretion (fractions Large and Smaller than 630?m)
```

```
# IMPORTANT: FDA was modified so that its current form is 1000*  $\mu\text{M}$  FDA/min/g soil
```

```
##### Creating another object with the mean, standard deviation, and standard error of each relevant variable
```

```
se = function(x) { sd(x, na.rm=T) / sqrt(length(na.omit(x))) } # Creating a function for computing standard error
```

```
resume= experiment %>% group_by(Treatment, Material, Type) %>%
  summarise_all(funs(mean(., na.rm=T),sd(., na.rm=T), se)) %>%
  ungroup() %>% as.data.frame
```

```
View(resume)
```

```
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```
# REMEMBER TO CREATE AN DATA FRAME WITH NUMERICAL VARIABLES CENTERED
```

```
center_scale <- function(x) {scale(x, scale = FALSE)}
```

```
test= center_scale(experiment) #doesn't work because of NAs and categorical
```

```
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```
#creating a vector with colour by plastic type
```

```
attach(experiment)
```

```
MP=factor(Material)
```

```
levels(MP)
```

```
colors=MP
```

```
levels(colors)=c("gray30", "gray65", "gray70", "gray100", "gray0")
```

```
colors=as.character(colors)
```

```
detach(experiment)
```

```
#trying the colours
```

```
par(mfrow=c(1,1), mar=c(4,5,3,1), oma=c(1,1,1,1))
```

```
attach(experiment)
```

```
options(scipen="10") # avoids scientific notation
```

```
plot(FDA~WSA,log="y", pch=21, bg=colors, col="black", ylab=expression("Microbial activity (FDA abs.
min-1.g soil-1~")), xlab="Water Stable Aggregates (%)", axes=F)
```

```
axis(2,las=1)
```

```

axis(1)
title(main="A", outer=F, adj=0)
detach(experiment)

##### Section 3: First figure explorations #####
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attach(experiment)

plot(experiment)
plot(WSA~FDA)
plot(FDA~D_L_630microm)
plot(FDA~D_L_1mm)
plot(FDA~WHC)
plot(WSA~Bulk_D)
plot(WHC~Bulk_D)
plot(FDA~Bulk_D)
plot(FDA~DosePartNumber, log="x")
boxplot(FDA~DosePartNumber, log="x")
boxplot(WHC~Concentration, notch=T, xlab=" Material", ylab="WHC", col=(c("gray100","gray80",
"gray60","gray30","gray0")), axes=T)
boxplot(WSA~Material, notch=T, xlab=" Material", ylab="WSA", col=(c("gray100","gray80",
"gray60","gray30","gray0")), axes=T)
boxplot(FDA~Material, notch=T, xlab=" Material", ylab="FDA", col=(c("gray100","gray80",
"gray60","gray30","gray0")), axes=T)
detach(experiment)

# With ggplot

ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Concentration, WHC)) +
  geom_smooth(method = "loess", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +

```

```
theme(text=element_text(size=16))+  
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=WHC_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=WHC_mean-WHC_sd, ymax=WHC_mean+WHC_sd), width=.0) +  
  geom_line() +  
  geom_point()+  
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=WHC_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=WHC_mean-WHC_se, ymax=WHC_mean+WHC_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_line(size=0.7) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_few()+  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.8, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Concentration, WSA)) +  
  geom_smooth(method = "loess", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+  
  facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Concentration, FDA)) +  
  geom_smooth(method = "loess", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+  
  facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Concentration, Hyd_cond)) +
```

```
geom_smooth(method = "loess", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
theme(text=element_text(size=16))+
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
##### GRAPHS FOR THE MANUSCRIPT #####
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```
cbPalette= c("gray20", "#E69F00", "#009E73", "#D55E00", "#0072B2") # to use in plots with control
treatment in black
```

```
cPalette= c("#E69F00", "#009E73", "#D55E00", "#0072B2") # to use in plots without control
treatments (log scale of microplastic levels)
```

```
pd= position_dodge(0.06) # The errorbars overlapped move them .06 to the left and right
```

```
# Figure: Water holding capacity
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=WHC_mean, colour=Material)) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=WHC_mean-WHC_se, ymax=WHC_mean+WHC_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +
  geom_line(size=0.7) +
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
  geom_rangeframe() +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
  facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
F1A=ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=WHC_mean, colour=Material)) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=WHC_mean-WHC_se, ymax=WHC_mean+WHC_se), position = pd,
width=.0, size=0.8) +
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material), position=pd) +
```

```
theme_tufte() +  
theme(text=element_text(size=16), legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)
```

```
F1B=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Material, y=WHC, fill = Material, alpha= 0.1)) +  
geom_violin(trim= F) +  
theme_tufte() +  
scale_fill_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
geom_boxplot(width=0.1)
```

```
F1C=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, WHC)) +  
geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
theme_tufte() +  
theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
F1D=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, WHC)) +  
geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
theme_tufte() +  
theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```



```

F1E=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, WHC)) +
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%
c("Polyacrylic", "Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')

plot_grid(F1A, F1B, cols = 2, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")
plot_grid(F1C, F1D, F1E, cols = 3, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")

# plot_grid(F1A, F1B, F1C, F1D, F1E, cols = 3, rows = 2, labels = "AUTO")

#check this figures for control variance
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, WHC)) +
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')

ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, WHC)) +
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')

ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, WHC)) +

```

```

geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')

```

Figure: Water stable aggregates

```

ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=WSA_mean, colour=Material)) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=WSA_mean-WSA_se, ymax=WSA_mean+WSA_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +
  geom_line(size=0.7) +
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
  geom_rangeframe() +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
  facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")

```

```

F2A=ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=WSA_mean, colour=Material)) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=WSA_mean-WSA_se, ymax=WSA_mean+WSA_se), position = pd,
width=.0, size=0.8) +
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material), position=pd) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)

```

```
F2B=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Material, y=WSA, fill = Material, alpha= 0.1)) +  
  geom_violin(trim= F) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  scale_fill_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  geom_boxplot(width=0.1)
```

```
F2C=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, WSA)) +  
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
F2D=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, WSA)) +  
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
F2E=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, WSA)) +  
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
plot_grid(F2A, F2B, cols = 2, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")  
plot_grid(F2C, F2D, F2E, cols = 3, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")
```

```
# plot_grid(F2A, F2B, F2C, F2D, F2E, cols = 3, rows = 2, labels = "AUTO")
```

```
# Check this for position of control
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, WSA)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, WSA)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, WSA)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
```

```
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
### Figure: Microbial activity
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=FDA_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=FDA_mean-FDA_se, ymax=FDA_mean+FDA_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_line(size=0.7) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  geom_rangeframe() +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
F3A=ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=FDA_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=FDA_mean-FDA_se, ymax=FDA_mean+FDA_se),position = pd, width=.0,  
size=0.8) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material), position=pd) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)
```

```
F3B=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Material, y=FDA, fill = Material, alpha= 0.1)) +  
  geom_violin(trim= F) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  scale_fill_manual(values=cbPalette)+
```

```
theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+
geom_boxplot(width=0.1)
```

```
F3C=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, FDA)) +
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
F3D=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, FDA)) +
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
F3E=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, FDA)) +
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
plot_grid(F3A, F3B, cols = 2, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")
```

```
plot_grid(F3C, F3D, F3E, cols = 3, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")
```

```
# plot_grid(F3A, F3B, F3C, F3D, F3E, cols = 3, rows = 2, labels = "AUTO")
```

```
# Check this for position of control
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, FDA)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

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ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, FDA)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
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  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, FDA)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
#### Figures Bulk density
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=Bulk_D_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Bulk_D_mean-Bulk_D_se, ymax=Bulk_D_mean+Bulk_D_se), width=.0,  
size=0.8) +  
  geom_line(size=0.7) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  geom_rangeframe() +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
F4A=ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=Bulk_D_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Bulk_D_mean-Bulk_D_se, ymax=Bulk_D_mean+Bulk_D_se),position = pd,  
width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material), position=pd) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)
```

```
F4B=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Material, y=Bulk_D, fill = Material, alpha= 0.1)) +  
  geom_violin(trim= F) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  scale_fill_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  geom_boxplot(width=0.1)
```



```
F4C=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, Bulk_D)) +  
  
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
  
  theme_tufte() +  
  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
F4D=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, Bulk_D)) +  
  
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
  
  theme_tufte() +  
  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
F4E=ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, Bulk_D)) +  
  
  geom_point(size=2, aes(colour = Material), data = subset(experiment, Material %in%  
c("Polyacrylic","Polyamide", "Polyester", "PolyethyleneHD"))) +  
  
  theme_tufte() +  
  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16),legend.position="none", axis.line = element_line(colour =  
"grey10", size = 0.3, linetype = "solid"))+  
  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cPalette)+  
  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
plot_grid(F4A, F4B, cols = 2, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")  
plot_grid(F4C, F4D, F4E, cols = 3, rows = 1, labels = "AUTO")
```

```
# plot_grid(F4A, F4B, F4C, F4D, F4E, cols = 3, rows = 2, labels = "AUTO")
```

```
# Figure: Hydraulic conductivity (Supporting information)
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=Hyd_cond_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Hyd_cond_mean-Hyd_cond_se, ymax=Hyd_cond_mean+Hyd_cond_se),  
width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_line(size=0.7) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  geom_rangeframe() +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=Hyd_cond_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Hyd_cond_mean-Hyd_cond_se, ymax=Hyd_cond_mean+Hyd_cond_se),  
position=pd, width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material), position=pd) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Material, y=Hyd_cond, fill = Material, alpha= 0.1)) +  
  geom_violin(trim= F) +  
  geom_rangeframe() +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  scale_fill_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_fill_manual(values=cbPalette)
```

```
geom_boxplot(width=0.1)
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, Hyd_cond)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, Hyd_cond)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, Hyd_cond)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

Figure: Concretion (Supporting information)

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=Concretion_L_630_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Concretion_L_630_mean-Concretion_L_630_se,  
ymax=Concretion_L_630_mean+Concretion_L_630_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +
```

```
geom_line(size=0.7) +  
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
geom_rangeframe() +  
theme_tufte() +  
theme(text=element_text(size=16))+  
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=Concretion_L_630_mean, colour=Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Concretion_L_630_mean-Concretion_L_630_se,  
ymax=Concretion_L_630_mean+Concretion_L_630_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Material, y=Concretion_L_630, fill = Material, alpha= 0.1)) +  
  geom_violin(trim= F) +  
  geom_rangeframe() +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  scale_fill_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  geom_boxplot(width=0.1)
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=DosePartNumber, Concretion_L_630)) +  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +
```

```
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Area, Concretion_L_630)) +
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(x=Dose_Vol, Concretion_L_630)) +
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
scale_x_continuous(trans='log10')
```

Figure: Microbial function and soil aggregation

```
ggplot(experiment, aes (FDA, WSA))+
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey20")+
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
geom_point(size=4, aes(colour = Material))
```

```

ggplot(experiment, aes(FDA, WSA)) +
  geom_point(size=3, data = transform(experiment, Material = NULL), colour = "grey85") +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
  facet_wrap(~Material)

```

```

##### Supporting information #####
#####

```

```

# Figure clumps

```

```

ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, colour = Material)) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Concretion_L_630_mean-Concretion_L_630_se,
ymax=Concretion_L_630_mean+Concretion_L_630_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=Concretion_S_630_mean-Concretion_S_630_se,
ymax=Concretion_S_630_mean+Concretion_S_630_se), width=.0, size=0.8) +
  geom_line(aes(y = Concretion_L_630_mean)) +
  geom_point(size=3.5, shape=17, aes(y= Concretion_L_630_mean)) +
  geom_line(aes(y = Concretion_S_630_mean))+
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(y= Concretion_S_630_mean)) +
  geom_rangeframe() +
  theme_tufte() +
  theme(text=element_text(size=16))+
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+

```

```
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

```
# Figure Dry Aggregates
```

```
ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, colour = Material)) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=(D_S_630microm_mean-D_S_630microm_se)*100/Total_D_mean,  
ymax=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_S_630microm_se)*100/Total_D_mean), width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean-  
D_L_630microm_se)*100/Total_D_mean,  
ymax=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_se)*100/Total_D_mean),  
width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean-  
D_L_1mm_se)*100/Total_D_mean,  
ymax=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean+D_L_1mm_se)*100/Total  
_D_mean), width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  
  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean+D_L_2  
mm_mean-D_L_2mm_se)*100/Total_D_mean,  
ymax=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean+D_L_2mm_mean+D_L_2  
mm_se)*100/Total_D_mean), width=.0, size=0.8) +  
  
  geom_line(aes(y = D_S_630microm_mean*100/Total_D_mean)) +  
  
  geom_point(size=3, shape=18, aes(y= D_S_630microm_mean*100/Total_D_mean)) +  
  
  geom_line(aes(y = (D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean)*100/Total_D_mean)) +  
  
  geom_point(size=2.5, shape=16, aes(y=  
(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean)*100/Total_D_mean)) +  
  
  geom_line(aes(y =  
(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean)*100/Total_D_mean)) +  
  
  geom_point(size=2.5, shape=17, aes(y=  
(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean)*100/Total_D_mean)) +  
  
  geom_line(aes(y =  
(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean+D_L_2mm_mean)*100/Total_D  
_mean)) +  
  
  geom_point(size=2.5, shape=15, aes(y=  
(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean+D_L_2mm_mean)*100/Total_D  
_mean))+  
  
  geom_rangeframe() +
```

```

theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")

ggplot(resume, aes(x=Concentration_mean, y=D_S_630microm_mean*100/Total_D_mean,
colour=Material)) +

  geom_errorbar(aes(ymin=(D_S_630microm_mean-D_S_630microm_se)*100/Total_D_mean,
ymax=(D_S_630microm_mean+D_S_630microm_se)*100/Total_D_mean), width=.0, size=0.8) +

  geom_point(size=3.5,shape=18, aes(colour = Material)) +

  theme_tufte() +

  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+

  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)

#geom_area(aes(y = D_S_630microm_mean*100/Total_D_mean, fill="darkolivegreen1")) +
#geom_area(aes(y = (D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean)*100/Total_D_mean,
fill="yellow4")) +
#geom_area(aes(y =
(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean)*100/Total_D_mean,
fill="orange3")) +
#geom_area(aes(y =
(D_S_630microm_mean+D_L_630microm_mean+D_L_1mm_mean+D_L_2mm_mean)*100/Total_D
_mean, fill="darkred")) +

# Water holding capacity and dry stable aggregates
ggplot(experiment, aes(WHC, D_L_1mm)) +
  geom_point(size=3, data = transform(experiment, Material = NULL), colour = "grey85") +
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
  theme_tufte() +

```



```
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(Bulk_D, WHC)) +
geom_point(size=3, data = transform(experiment, Material = NULL), colour = "grey85") +
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
facet_wrap(~Material, scales="free_x")
```

Figure: Dry and wet stable soil aggregation

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(D_L_1mm, WSA))+
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey20")+
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
geom_point(size=3, aes(colour = Material))
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(D_L_1mm, WSA)) +
geom_point(size=3, data = transform(experiment, Material = NULL), colour = "grey85") +
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
```

```
facet_wrap(~Material)
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(FDA, WSA)) +  
  geom_point(size=3, data = transform(experiment, Type = NULL), colour = "grey85") +  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
  facet_wrap(~Type)
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes (FDA, WSA))+  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey20")+  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = DosePartNumber))+  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_color_gradient(low = "darkgreen", high = "orange")
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes (FDA, WSA))+  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey20")+  
  geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Dose_Area))+  
  theme_tufte() +  
  theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
  scale_color_gradient(low = "darkgreen", high = "orange")
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes (FDA, WSA))+  
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey20")+
```

```
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Dose_Vol))+  
theme_tufte() +  
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
scale_color_gradient(low = "darkgreen", high = "orange")
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(D_L_1mm, WSA)) +  
geom_point(data = transform(experiment, Type = NULL), colour = "grey85") +  
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+  
geom_point(aes(colour = Material)) +  
theme_tufte() +  
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
facet_wrap(~Type)
```

Not used in the supplementary material

```
ggplot(experiment, aes (FDA, D_L_1mm))+  
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey20")+  
theme_tufte() +  
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =  
"solid"))+  
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+  
geom_point(size=4, aes(colour = Material))
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(FDA, D_L_1mm)) +  
geom_point(size=3, data = transform(experiment, Material = NULL), colour = "grey85") +  
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+  
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +  
theme_tufte() +
```

```
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
facet_wrap(~Material)
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes (WSA, D_L_1mm))+
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey20")+
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
geom_point(size=4, aes(colour = Material))
```

```
ggplot(experiment, aes(WSA, D_L_1mm)) +
geom_point(size=3, data = transform(experiment, Material = NULL), colour = "grey85") +
geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = TRUE, colour = "grey10")+
geom_point(size=3.5, aes(colour = Material)) +
theme_tufte() +
theme(text=element_text(size=16), axis.line = element_line(colour = "grey10", size = 0.5, linetype =
"solid"))+
scale_colour_manual(values=cbPalette)+
facet_wrap(~Material)
```

Section 4: Additional graphs for blogs, presentations, and my future website

#####

```
plot_ly(experiment, x = ~WSA, color = ~Material, type = "box")
```

```
plot_ly(experiment, x = ~FDA, y = ~WSA, color = ~Material) %>%
```

```
slice(which.max(FDA)) %>%
```

```
add_annotatons(text = "Maximum slope")
```

```

plot_ly(experiment, x = ~FDA, y = ~WSA, z = ~DosePartNumber, color = ~Material) %>%
  add_markers() %>%
  layout(scene = list(xaxis = list(title = 'FDA'),
    yaxis = list(title = 'WSA'),
    zaxis = list(title = 'DosePartNumber')))

```

```

plot_ly(experiment, x = ~FDA, y = ~WSA, z = ~D_L_1mm, color = ~Material) %>%
  add_markers() %>%
  layout(scene = list(xaxis = list(title = 'FDA'),
    yaxis = list(title = 'WSA'),
    zaxis = list(title = '1mm')))

```

```

attach(experiment)
scatterplot3d(FDA,Material,WSA,pch=16, highlight.3d=TRUE, type="h", main="Trial") #concentration
(y) is not so relevant as there are beads- high concentration*Low effec
scatterplot3d(D_L_1mm,FDA,WSA,pch=16, highlight.3d=TRUE, type="h", main="Trial")
detach(experiment)

```

```

##### Section 5: Statistical Inference #####
#####

```

```

## Note: lm for traditional linear regression, normal errors, constant variance
# example: lm (y~x, data) means y= a+ bx + error
## Note: glm for linear models, possible non-normal errors, possible non-constant variance
# example: glm (y~x, data, family=poisson) means y= e^(a+bx)+ error
## Note: gls for least square models, possible non-normal & correlated errors, possible non-constant
variance with spatial temporal trends

```

```
### That is why I prefer to use the gls function generally, with simple structures gls is pretty much equivalent to lm
```

```
# Making selection of particle types
```

```
PA=experiment[129:168,]
```

```
summary(PA)
```

```
PAN=experiment[49:88,]
```

```
summary(PAN)
```

```
PES=experiment[9:48,]
```

```
summary(PES)
```

```
PEHD=experiment[89:128,]
```

```
summary(PEHD)
```

```
control=filter(experiment, Treatment=="Control")
```

```
summary(control)
```

```
### Bulk density
```

```
# Exploratory
```

```
kruskal.test(Bulk_D~Treatment, experiment) #it is not significant per individual treatment
```

```
kruskal.test(Bulk_D~Type, experiment) #it is significant per type (control, linear, volumetric; p=0.0265)
```

```
attach(experiment)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=Bulk_D,g=Type, method="Tukey") #control and fibers may differ (p=0.019) but ties are present: check with linear models
```

```

detach(experiment)

kruskal.test(Bulk_D~Material, experiment) # quasi significant per material, check linear model
because low power

# Testing effects of particle type

bulk_type=glm(Bulk_D~Type, family=poisson, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(bulk_type)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
summary(bulk_type)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: significant effects of fibers (p=0.02)
plot(bulk_type)
anova(bulk_type)

bulk_material=glm(Bulk_D~Material, family=poisson, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(bulk_material)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
summary(bulk_material)# Linear model confirms all materials had an effect (p<0.0026)
plot(bulk_material)
bulk_material0=glm(Bulk_D~1, family=poisson, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
anova(bulk_material,bulk_material0, test="F") # F test with poisson is tricky!

# Testing the effects of concentration per particle

bulk_PAN=gls(Bulk_D~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(bulk_PAN)# not Significant
summary(lm(Bulk_D~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude))
anova(bulk_PAN)

bulk_PEHD=gls(Bulk_D~Concentration, PEHD, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(bulk_PEHD)# not Significant
anova(bulk_PEHD)

bulk_PA=gls(Bulk_D~Concentration, PA, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(bulk_PA)# not Significant

```

```
anova(bulk_PA)
```

```
bulk_PES=glms(Bulk_D~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(bulk_PES)# Significant effects of polyester fibres (p= 0.0217)
```

```
plot(bulk_PES)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(bulk_PES)) #fit of the model does not seem too problematic so I believe it.
```

```
anova(bulk_PES)
```

```
# Testing effects of contamination level disconsidering particle properties
```

```
bulk_c0=glms(Bulk_D~Concentration+Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment,  
na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(bulk_c0)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
```

```
summary(bulk_c0) ### Significant negative effect of concentration (p=0.0338)
```

```
bulk_c1=glms(Bulk_D~Concentration, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(bulk_c1)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
```

```
summary(bulk_c1) ### Not significant effect of concentration (p=0.64)
```

```
anova(bulk_c1)
```

```
bulk_c2=glms(Bulk_D~Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(bulk_c2)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
```

```
summary(bulk_c2) ### Significant negative effect of volume (p=0.0403) and area (p=0.0204)
```

```
AICc(bulk_c0, bulk_c1, bulk_c2) # model whc_c1 has smaller AICc (AIC corrected by sample  
sizedwithin library MuMIn less AICc means better model)
```

```
# CONCLUSIONS: all particles had significant effects on bulk density, with PES showing strongest  
dose response
```

```
# trust model c1= effects of concentration or other dose metrics ignoring particle properties might  
be not significant
```



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```
### Water holding capacity
```

```
# Exploratory
```

```
kruskal.test(WHC~Treatment, experiment) #it is not significant per individual treatment
```

```
kruskal.test(WHC~Type, experiment) #it is not significant per type (linear vs volumetric)
```

```
kruskal.test(WHC~Material, experiment) #it is not significant per polymer
```

```
# Testing the effects of concentration per particle
```

```
whc_PAN=glm(WHC~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(whc_PAN)# not Significant
```

```
whc_PEHD=glm(WHC~Concentration, PEHD, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(whc_PEHD)# not Significant
```

```
whc_PA=glm(WHC~Concentration, PA, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(whc_PA)# not Significant
```

```
whc_PES=glm(WHC~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(whc_PES)# Significant effects of polyester fibres (p= 0.016)
```

```
summary(lm(WHC~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude))
```

```
anova(whc_PES)
```

```
plot(whc_PES)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(whc_PES)) #fit of the model does not seem too problematic so I believe it.
```

```

# Testing effects of contamination level disconsidering particle properties

whc_c0=glis(WHC~Concentration+Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment,
na.action=na.exclude)

qqnorm(resid(whc_c0)) # it has one point with big error, but generally fine
summary(whc_c0) ### Significant positive effect of concentration (p=0.0419)

whc_test=lm(WHC~Concentration+Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment,
na.action=na.exclude)

summary(whc_test)

whc_c1=glis(WHC~Concentration, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(whc_c1)) # error might be problematic in the higher quantiles
summary(whc_c1) ### Not significant effect of concentration (p=0.14)

whc_c2=glis(WHC~Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(whc_c2)) # it has one point with big error, but generally fine
summary(whc_c2) ### no significant effect of concentration

AICc(whc_c0, whc_c1, whc_c2) # model whc_c1 has smaller AICc (AIC corrected by sample
sizedwithin library MuMIn less AICc means better model)

anova(whc_c0, whc_c1) # anova is not the best to compare because they have different fixed
effects, but it gives same AICc result

# CONCLUSIONS: only PES seem to have dose-response effect

# trust model whc_c1= effects of concentration or other dose metrics ignoring particle properties
might be not significant

#####
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### Hydraulic conductivity

# Exploratory

```

```
kruskal.test(Hyd_cond~Treatment, experiment) #it is not significant per individual treatment
kruskal.test(Hyd_cond~Type, experiment) #it is not significant per type
kruskal.test(Hyd_cond~Material, experiment) # quasi significant per material, check linear model
because low power
```

```
# Testing the effects of concentration per particle
```

```
hyd_PAN=glms(Hyd_cond~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(hyd_PAN)# not Significant
```

```
hyd_PEHD=glms(Hyd_cond~Concentration, PEHD, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(hyd_PEHD)# not Significant
```

```
hyd_PA=glms(Hyd_cond~Concentration, PA, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(hyd_PA)# not Significant
```

```
hyd_PES=glms(Hyd_cond~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(hyd_PES)# Not significant
```

```
# Testing effects of contamination level disconsidering particle properties
```

```
hyd_c0=glms(Hyd_cond~Concentration+Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment,
na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(hyd_c0)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
summary(hyd_c0) ### Concentration and Dose_volume almost significant, but not really (p 0.054
and 0.08, respectively)
```

```
hyd_c1=glms(Hyd_cond~Concentration, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(hyd_c1)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
summary(hyd_c1) ### Not significant effect of concentration (p=0.78)
```

```
hyd_c2=glm(Hyd_cond~Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(hyd_c2)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
summary(hyd_c2) ### Significant negative effect of volume (p=0.0403) and area (p=0.0204)
```

```
AICc(hyd_c0, hyd_c1, hyd_c2) # model whc_c1 has smaller AICc (AIC corrected by sample sizes within
library MuMIn less AICc means better model)
```

```
# CONCLUSIONS: effects of concentration or other dose metrics might be not significant
```

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```

```
### Water Stable Aggregates
```

```
# Exploratory
```

```
attach(experiment)
```

```
kruskal.test(WSA~Treatment, experiment) #it is significant per individual treatment (p=0.002252)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=WSA,g=Treatment, method="Tukey") #but it cannot find which
treatments, i.e. low power in replication for that
```

```
kruskal.test(WSA~Type, experiment) #it is significant per type (control, linear, volumetric;
p=0.00089)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=WSA,g=Type, method="Tukey") # linear and volumetric MPs may
differ (p=0.00007)
```

```
kruskal.test(WSA~Material, experiment) #it is significant per polymer (p=0.002957)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=WSA,g=Material, method="Tukey") # the difference in type seems
to be because polyacrylic fibers differ from polyamid (p=0.0051) and polyethylene (p=0.0182)
```

```
detach(experiment)
```

```
# Testing effects of particle type
```

```

wsa_type=glm(WSA~Type, family=poisson, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(wsa_type)) # generally fine
summary(wsa_type)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: significant effects of linear MPs
(p=0.00019)

wsa_material=glm(WSA~Material, family=poisson, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(wsa_material)) # generally fine
summary(wsa_material)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: polyacrylic fibers differ from the rest
(p=0.0294)
wsa_material0=glm(WSA~1, family=poisson, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
anova(wsa_material, wsa_material0, test="F")

# Testing the effects of concentration per particle

wsa_PAN=glm(WSA~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(wsa_PAN)# not Significant

wsa_PEHD=glm(WSA~Concentration, PEHD, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(wsa_PEHD)# not Significant

wsa_PA=glm(WSA~Concentration, PA, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(wsa_PA)# not Significant

wsa_PES=glm(WSA~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(wsa_PES)# Significant effects of polyester fibres (p= 0.0027)
plot(wsa_PES)
qqnorm(resid(wsa_PES)) #fit of the model does not seem too problematic so I believe it.
anova(wsa_PES)

# Testing effects of contamination level disconsidering particle properties

```

```

wsa_c0=glm(WSA~Concentration+Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment,
na.action=na.exclude)

qqnorm(resid(wsa_c0)) # generally fine

summary(wsa_c0) ### Significant effect of particle number (p=0.0029)

wsa_c1=glm(WSA~Concentration, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)

qqnorm(resid(wsa_c1)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine

summary(wsa_c1) ### Not significant effect of concentration (p=0.0992)

wsa_c2=glm(WSA~Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)

qqnorm(resid(wsa_c2)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine

summary(wsa_c2) ### Significant particle number (p=0.0023)

AICc(wsa_c0, wsa_c1, wsa_c2) # model whc_c1 has smaller AICc (AIC corrected by sample
sizen within library MuMIn less AICc means better model)

# CONCLUSIONS: Linear MPS had significant effects on WSA, with polyacrylic fiber with strong
average impact and PES steepest dose response

# trust model c1= effects of concentration or other dose metrics ignoring particle properties might
be not significant

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### Dry Aggregates & Soil structure

# Exploratory

attach(experiment)

kruskal.test(D_S_630microm~Treatment, experiment) #it is significant per individual treatment
(p=0.004939)

posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=D_S_630microm,g=Treatment, method="Tukey") #but it cannot find
which treatments, i.e. low power in replication for that

```

```
kruskal.test(D_S_630microm~Type, experiment) #it is significant per type (control, linear, volumetric; p=0.0002329)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=D_S_630microm,g=Type, method="Tukey") # linear MPs may differ from other (p=0.0017)
```

```
kruskal.test(D_S_630microm~Material, experiment) #it is significant per polymer (p=0.0004125)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=D_S_630microm,g=Material, method="Tukey") # the difference in type seems to be because polyester fibers differ from control and volumetric (p< 0.05)
```

```
detach(experiment)
```

```
# Testing effects of particle type
```

```
ds630_type=glm(D_S_630microm~Type, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(ds630_type)) # generally fine PS: only GLM with poisson would give AIC infinite!
```

```
summary(ds630_type)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: significant effects of linear MPs to controls and volumetric (p=0.00019)
```

```
anova(ds630_type)
```

```
ds630_material=glm(D_S_630microm~Material, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(ds630_material)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(ds630_material)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: polyester fibers differ from the controls (p=0.0029, F= 5.25)
```

```
anova(ds630_material)
```

```
# Testing the effects of concentration per particle
```

```
ds630_PAN=glm(D_S_630microm~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(ds630_PAN)# not Significant
```

```
ds630_PEHD=glm(D_S_630microm~Concentration, PEHD, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(ds630_PEHD)# not Significant
```

```
ds630_PA=glms(D_S_630microm~Concentration, PA, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(ds630_PA)# not Significant
```

```
ds630_PES=glms(D_S_630microm~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(ds630_PES)# not Significant
```

```
# Testing effects of contamination level disconsidering particle properties
```

```
ds630_c0=glms(D_S_630microm~Concentration+Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber,
experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(ds630_c0)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(ds630_c0) #### Significant effect of concentration (p=0.0279), particle volume (p=0.0387)
```

```
ds630_c1=glms(D_S_630microm~Concentration, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(ds630_c1)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
```

```
summary(ds630_c1) #### Significant effect of concentration (p=0.0097)
```

```
anova(ds630_c1)
```

```
plot(D_S_630microm~Concentration, experiment)
```

```
ds630_c2=glms(D_S_630microm~Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment,
na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(ds630_c2)) # it has few points with considerable error, but generally fine
```

```
summary(ds630_c2) #### Significant particle area (p=0.0434)
```

```
AICc(ds630_c0, ds630_c1, ds630_c2) # model whc_c1 has smaller AICc (AIC corrected by sample
sizedwithin library MuMIn less AICc means better model)
```

```
# CONCLUSIONS: Linear MPS had significant effects on WSA, with polyacrylic fiber with strong
average impact and PES steepest dose response
```

```
# trust model c1= effects of concentration might be significant
```



```
### Microbial activity
```

```
# Exploratory
```

```
attach(experiment)
```

```
kruskal.test(FDA~Treatment, experiment) #it is significant per individual treatment (p=0.01952)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=FDA,g=Treatment, method="Tukey") #but it cannot find which treatments, i.e. low power in replication for that
```

```
kruskal.test(FDA~Type, experiment) #it is significant per type (control, linear, volumetric; p=0.0002496)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=FDA,g=Type, method="Tukey") # linear MPs may differ from volumetric and controls (p<0.01507)
```

```
kruskal.test(FDA~Material, experiment) #it is significant per polymer (p=0.001835)
```

```
posthoc.kruskal.nemenyi.test(x=FDA,g=Material, method="Tukey") # the difference in type seems to be because polyacrylic fibers differ from polyamid (p<0.041) and polyethylene (p=0.0182) polyester quasi significant
```

```
detach(experiment)
```

```
# Testing effects of particle type
```

```
fda_type=glm(FDA~Type, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(fda_type)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(fda_type)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: significant effects of linear MPs (p=0.00019)
```

```
anova(fda_type)
```

```
fda_material=glm(FDA~Material, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(fda_material)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(fda_material)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: polyacrylic and polyester fibers differ
from the rest (p=0.0036 and 0.0213, respectively)
anova(fda_material)
```

```
# Testing the effects of concentration per particle
```

```
fda_PAN=glm(FDA~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(fda_PAN)# not Significant
```

```
fda_PEHD=glm(FDA~Concentration, PEHD, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(fda_PEHD)# not Significant
```

```
fda_PA=glm(FDA~Concentration, PA, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(fda_PA)# not Significant
```

```
fda_PES=glm(FDA~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude)
summary(fda_PES)# not significant
```

```
# Testing effects of contamination level disconsidering particle properties
```

```
fda_c0=glm(FDA~Concentration+Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment,
na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(fda_c0)) # generally fine
summary(fda_c0) ### no significant effect
```

```
fda_c1=glm(FDA~Concentration, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
qqnorm(resid(fda_c1)) # generally fine
summary(fda_c1) ### Significant effect of concentration (p=0.0152)
anova(fda_c1)
```

```
fda_c2=glm(FDA~Dose_Vol*Dose_Area*DosePartNumber, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(fda_c2)) # generally fine
summary(fda_c2) #### no significant effect
```

```
AICc(fda_c0, fda_c1, fda_c2) # model whc_c1 has smaller AICc (AIC corrected by sample sizes within
library MuMIn less AICc means better model)
```

```
# CONCLUSIONS: Linear MPS had significant effects on FDA, with polyacrylic fiber with strong
average impact and PES steepest dose response
```

```
# trust model c1= effects of concentration are significant (p=0.0152) but other dose metrics ignoring
particle properties might be not significant
```

```
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```

```
#### Functional change
```

```
# Exploratory phase
```

```
summary(lm(WSA~FDA, experiment)) # significant (p=0.0005352)
```

```
summary(lm(WSA~FDA, PA)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(WSA~FDA, PAN)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(WSA~FDA, PES)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(WSA~FDA, PEHD)) # significant (p=0.0003279)
```

```
summary(lm(WSA~FDA, control)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(FDA~D_L_1mm, experiment)) # significant (p=0.003735)
```

```
summary(lm(FDA~D_L_1mm, PA)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(FDA~D_L_1mm, PAN)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(FDA~D_L_1mm, PES)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(FDA~D_L_1mm, PEHD)) # not significant
```

```
summary(lm(FDA~D_L_1mm, control)) # not significant
```

The most comprehensive model for this could be a generalized mixed effects model with random slopes and intercept

```
f_change= lmer(WSA ~ FDA + (1+FDA|Material), data = experiment)
```

```
plot(f_change) # generally fine
```

```
qqnorm(resid(f_change)) # quite good
```

```
summary(f_change)
```

```
anova(f_change)
```

alternative model with random intercept only

```
functional=lme(WSA~FDA, experiment, random=~1|Material, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
plot(functional)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(functional)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(functional)
```

```
anova(functional)
```

```
anova.lme(functional)
```

traditional model

```
wsa_fda=lm(WSA~FDA, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
plot(wsa_fda)
```

```
summary(wsa_fda)
```

AICc(f_change,functional, wsa_fda) # The model that disregards material as random factor scores poorly compared to others

Further explorations that do not add much information but confirm that including the random factor material is better & there were no significant effects of concentration

```
m1=glm(WSA~FDA*Material, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(m1)
```

```
plot(m1)
```

```
a1=lmer(WSA~FDA+ (1|Material) , data=experiment, na.action = na.exclude) # same as  
'functional'model but the another library
```

```
plot(a1)
```

```
summary(a1)
```

```
f1=lme(WSA~FDA+Concentration, experiment, random=~1|Material, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
plot(f1)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(f1)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(f1)
```

```
f2=lme(WSA~FDA+Material, experiment, random=~1|Type, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
plot(f2)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(f2)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(f2)
```

```
### Clumps
```

```
# Exploratory
```

```
kruskal.test(Concretion_L_630~Treatment, experiment) #it is not significant per individual treatment
```

```
kruskal.test(Concretion_L_630~Type, experiment) #it is significant per type (p < 0.05)
```

```
kruskal.test(Concretion_L_630~Material, experiment) #it is not significant per polymer
```

```
# Testing effects of particle type
```

```
L630_type=glms(Concretion_L_630~Type, experiment, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(L630_type)) # generally fine
```

```
summary(L630_type)# Linear model confirm kruskal results: significant difference between linear  
and volumetric MPs (p=0.0176)
```

```
# Testing the effects of concentration per particle
```

```
L630_PAN=glm(Concretion_L_630~Concentration, PAN, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(L630_PAN)# not Significant
```

```
L630_PEHD=glm(Concretion_L_630~Concentration, PEHD, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(L630_PEHD)# not Significant
```

```
L630_PA=glm(Concretion_L_630~Concentration, PA, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(L630_PA)# not Significant
```

```
L630_PES=glm(WHC~Concentration, PES, na.action=na.exclude)
```

```
summary(L630_PES)# Significant effects of polyester fibres (p= 0.016)
```

```
plot(L630_PES)
```

```
qqnorm(resid(L630_PES)) #fit of the model does not seem too problematic so I believe it.
```