

Parameter	Unit	Definition
$F_{Nfix}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	$\text{N}_2$ fixation rate
$F_{Nfix}^{max}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Maximum $\text{N}_2$ fixation rate
$[O_2]_P$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	$\text{O}_2$ concentration in photosynthetic cells ( $P$ )
$[O_2]_N$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	$\text{O}_2$ concentration in non-photosynthetic cells ( $N$ )
$[O_2]_B$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	$\text{O}_2$ concentration in boundary layers ( $B$ )
$[O_2]_E$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	$\text{O}_2$ concentration in the environment ( $E$ )
$[O_2]_{crit}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Critical oxygen concentration
$C_{Sto}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	C storage
$C_{Sto}^N$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	C storage per total volume of non-photosynthetic cells in a trichome
$C_{Sto}^{max}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	maximum C storage
$K_C$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Half saturation constant of C storage
$N_{Sto}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	N storage
$N_{Sto}^{max}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Maximum N storage
$K_N$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Half saturation constant of N storage
$t$	s	Time
$F_{Cfix}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	C fixation rate
$F_{Bio}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Biomass production rate
$Y_{Nfix}^{C:N}$	$\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	C:N of $\text{N}_2$ fixation
$F_{Res}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Respiration rate
$Y_{Bio}^{N:C}$	$\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	N:C of biomass
$V_P$	$\text{m}^3$	Total volume of photosynthetic cells in a trichome
$V_N$	$\text{m}^3$	Total volume of non-photosynthetic cells in a trichome
$V_B$	$\text{m}^3$	Volume of boundary layers
$V$	$\text{m}^3$	Volume of a trichome
$J_{O2}^{ij}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	$\text{O}_2$ flux from $i$ to $j$ . $i, j = P, N, B, E$
$Y^{O2:C}$	$\text{mol O}_2 \text{ mol C}^{-1}$	$\text{O}_2:\text{C}$ in respiration and photosynthesis
$F_{Res}^P$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Respiration rate in photosynthetic cells
$F_{Res}^N$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Respiration rate in non-photosynthetic cells
$F_{Bio}^{max}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Maximum biomass production rate
$F_{Cfix}^{Chl}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	C fixation rate per chlorophyll C
$F_{CfixMax}^{Chl}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$ $\text{mol}^{-1}$	Maximum C fixation rate per chlorophyll C

$K_I$	$\mu \text{ mol}^{-1} \text{ m}^2 \text{ s}$	Light saturation coefficient
$I$	$\mu \text{ mol m}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Light intensity
$f_P$	dimensionless	Fraction of photosynthetic cells
$f_N$	dimensionless	Fraction of non-photosynthetic cells
$f_{NITROGE}$	dimensionless	Fraction of cells with nitrogenase among non-photosynthetic cells
$Chl_P$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Chlorophyll in photosynthetic cells
$Chl_{full}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Chlorophyll in a trichome
$Y^{Res:Bio}$	$\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Respiration for biomass production : Biomass production
$\mu_{max}$	$\text{s}^{-1}$	Maximum growth rate
$F_{Cfix}^{Qc}$	$\text{s}^{-1}$	C fixation rate per cellular carbon quota
$Y^{Bio:Cfix}$	$\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Biomass yield of production
$Q_C$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Cellular C quota
$F_{RP}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Respiratory protection
$F_{ResN2}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	Respiration for $N_2$ fixation
$Y^{Res:Nfix}$	$\text{mol mol}^{-1}$	Respiration for $N_2$ fixation: C consumption for $N_2$ fixation
$J_{O2}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$	$O_2$ flux between cells and boundary layer
$D_{O2}$	$\text{m}^2 \text{ s}^{-1}$	Diffusion coefficient of water
$\varepsilon_m$	dimensionless	Diffusion coefficient of cell membrane layers : diffusion coefficient of water
$L$	m	Length of a cylinder for $J_{O2}$
$R$	m	Radius of cytoplasm
$L_g$	m	Thickness of the cell membrane layers
$[O_2]_{out}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Oxygen concentration right outside of the cell membrane
$[O_2]_{in}$	$\text{mol m}^{-3}$	Oxygen concentration of cytoplasm
$A$	$\text{s}^{-1}$	Diffusion coefficient of oxygen through cell membrane layers

The volume of a trichome is used for normalization unless stated otherwise.