

**Effect of Low Input Organic and Conventional farming systems on maize rhizosphere in two Portuguese OPV, ‘Pigarro’ (improved landrace) and ‘SinPre’ (a Composite Cross Population)**

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**Supplementary Table 2.** Characterization of maize populations using HUNTERS descriptors in conventional and organic farming systems.

	‘SinPre’		‘Pigarro’	
	Organic	Conventional	Organic	Conventional
H	206.2±24.45	262.3±24.86	250.4±22.09	236.4±25.46
H1E	114.6±21.12	159.85±22.4	152.6±19.47	174.3± 21.61
U	2	2.7 ±0.58	4	2
N	6	6	5	5.3±0.58
T	5	5.3±0.58	5	5.3±0.58
E	5	5.3±0.58	5.7±0.58	6.3
%R	0	0	2.5±0.89	4.1±4.81
%S	3	17.1±6.59	10.5±1.15	16±5.26

height (H); the height of 1st ear insertion (H1E), uniformity (U), Root (R%) and Stalk lodging percentage (S%).

