

# Phenocart - Ground based field phenotyping

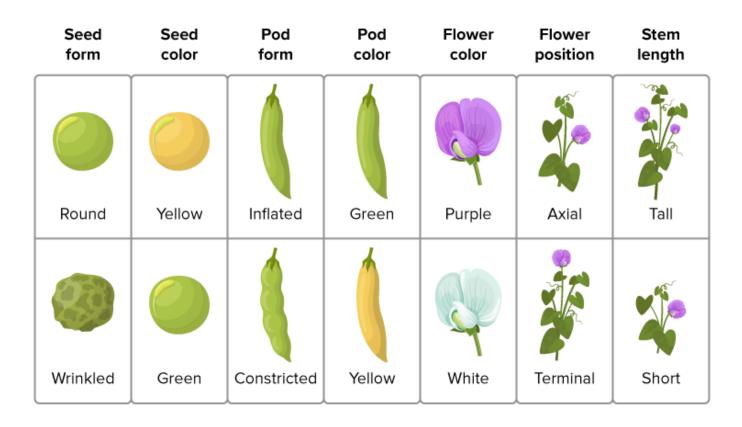
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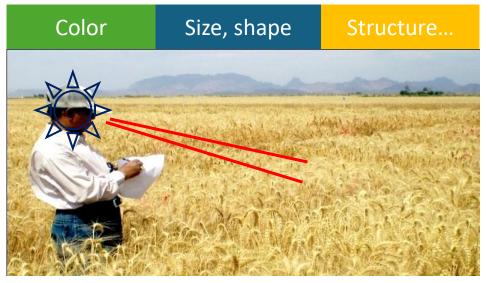
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# How do you describe the characteristics of your plants in the field?

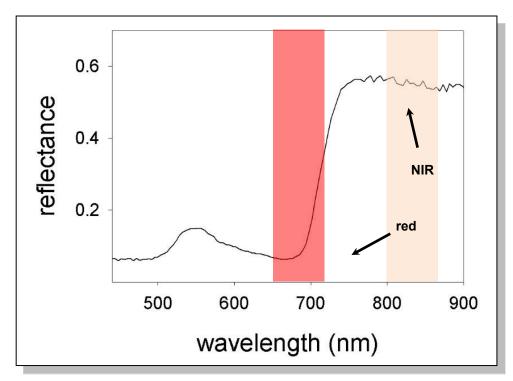








# Sensors and instruments: breaking our physiological limitations



$$NDVI = \frac{R_{NIR} - R_{RED}}{R_{NIR} + R_{RED}}$$





#### Infrared thermometer

- Canopy temperature
- Strong correlation with root capacity & yield













# Phenocart - multi sensor field phenotyping system





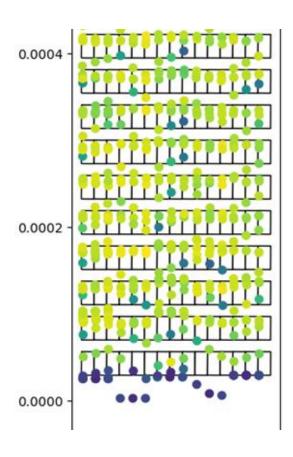


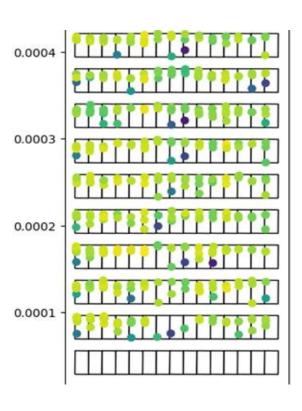


### **Phenocart - Data process and extraction**

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# Asumiendo que las columnas se llaman 'longitude' y 'latitude' (ajusta según :
trial_temperatures_shp = gpd.GeoDataFrame(trial_temperatures, geometry=gpd.point
trial_ndvi_shp = gpd.GeoDataFrame(trial_ndvi, geometry=gpd.points_from_xy(trial_
trial_pri_shp = gpd.GeoDataFrame(trial_pri, geometry=gpd.points_from_xy(trial_p
trial_spec_shp = gpd.GeoDataFrame(trial_spec, geometry=gpd.points_from_xy(trial_
#trial_spec_shp = gpd.GeoDataFrame(trial_spec, geometry-gpd.points_from_xy(trial
 #Crear el gráfico
fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize=(10, 10))
 for x in ax:
    trial_shp.plot(ax=x, color='white', edgecolor='black')
 trial_temperatures_shp.plot(ax=ax[0], column='target_temp_C')
 trial_ndvi_shp.plot(ax=ax[1], column='index_value')
 trial_pri_shp.plot(ax=ax[2], column='index_value')
 trial_spec_shp.plot(ax=ax[2], column='ndvi')
 # Agregar títulos a cada subgráfico
 ax[0].set_title("Canopy temperature", fontsize=12)
  ax[1].set_title("NDVI index", fontsize=12)
  ax[2].set_title("spec NDVI", fontsize=12)
  # Ajustar el diseño para evitar superposición
  plt.tight_layout()
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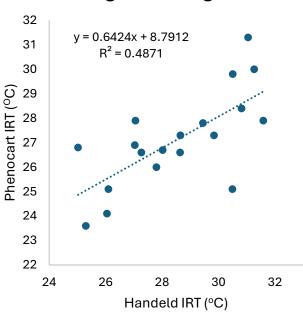




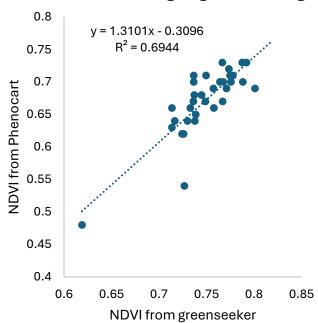


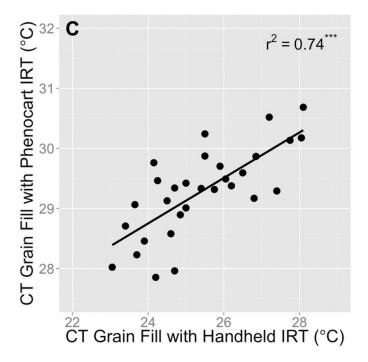
#### **Phenocart - Data validation**

# Canopy temperature at vegetative stage



#### **NDVI** during vegetative stage









# The way to breeder-ready field phenotyping platform

A few key points for discussion

- Possible adoption by NARS
- Standardization and automation
- More sets of sensors









An option of portable, affordable and reliable ground-based HTP platform





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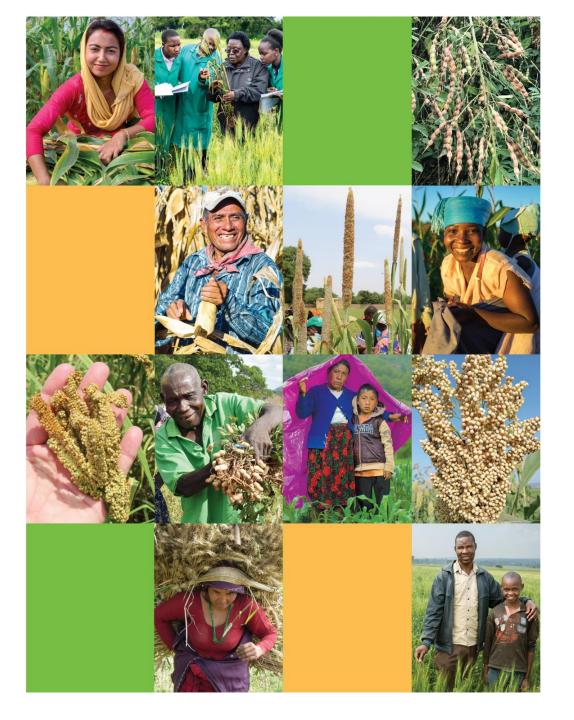












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