

**Table 1. Median Concentration of Nutrient Elements in Soil Solutions**

<b>Nutrient</b>	mmol L <sup>-1</sup>	mmol L <sup>-1</sup>	ppm
Nitrogen (total)	0.46	0.014	0.05
Phosphorus	0.0004	0.0002	0.005
Sulfate	0.18	0.16	1.67
Potassium	1.28	0.09	3.5
Calcium	1.87	0.8	32
Magnesium			25

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