

INTISARI

Penelitian yang berjudul “Formulasi Briket Kompos Enceng Gondok (*Eichhornia Crassipes*) Sebagai Pelepas Lambat Pupuk NPK Pada Budidaya Tanaman Cabai (*Capsicum Annum L.*) Di Tanah Pasir Pantai” bertujuan untuk mengetahui pengaruh serta menetapkan formulasi dan bentuk campuran antara enceng gondok dan pupuk NPK terhadap pertumbuhan tanaman cabai di tanah pasir pantai. Penelitian ini dilaksanakan pada bulan Juli - Oktober 2015 bertempat di Kebun Percobaan Fakultas Pertanian UMY, Jl. Lingkar Barat, Tamantirto, Kecamatan Kasihan, Kabupaten Bantul, DIY.

Penelitian ini dilaksanakan menggunakan metode percobaan yang disusun dalam Rancangan Acak Lengkap (RAL). Adapun perlakuan yang diuji : A) 15 ton/ha enceng gondok + 1,5 ton/ha NPK (Briket); B) 15 ton/ha enceng gondok + 1,5 ton/ha NPK (Butiran); C) 20 ton/ha enceng gondok + 1 ton/ha NPK (Briket); D) 20 ton/ha enceng gondok + 1 ton/ha NPK (Butiran); E) 25 ton/ha enceng gondok + 0,5 ton/ha NPK (Briket); F) 25 ton/ha enceng gondok + 0,5 ton/ha NPK (Butiran).

Hasil penelitian menunjukkan bahwa Formulasi campuran kompos enceng gondok dan NPK dalam bentuk briket dan butiran berpengaruh nyata pada semua parameter kecuali berat buah. Namun demikian, penggunaan kompos enceng gondok 25 ton/hektar bisa menggantikan 1 ton/hektar pupuk NPK dalam bentuk butiran.

Kata Kunci : Briket, Enceng Gondok, Pupuk NPK, Cabai dan Pasir Pantai

ABSTRACT

The aim of research "Briquette Formulation of Hyacinth Compost (Aichhornia crassipes) as a Slow Release NPK Fertilizer for Chili Plants (Capsicum annum L.) in the Sand Land" aimed to determine the effect and set the formulaton and mixture form of water hyacinth and NPK fertilizers for Chili plant growth in the sand land. The research carried out since July – October 2015 in the Experimental Garden Faculty of Agriculture UMY, Lingkar Barat Street, Tamantirto, Kasihan, Bantul, DIY.

The method of this research is an experimental research that arranged in Randomized Completely Design. The treatments were : A) 15 ton/ha hyacinth + 1,5 ton/ha NPK (Briquette); B) 15 ton/ha hyacinth + 1,5 ton/ha NPK (Ganule); C) 20 ton/ha hyacinth + 1 ton/ha NPK (Briquette); D) 20 ton/ha hyacinth + 1 ton/ha NPK (Ganule); E) 25 ton/ha hyacinth + 0,5 ton/ha NPK (Briquette); F) 25 ton/ha hyacinth + 0,5 ton/ha NPK (Ganule).

The result of this research showed that the mixture formulation of hyacinth compost and NPK fertilizer in the briquette and granule form significantly defferent to all parameters except the fruit wight. However, the use of 25 ton/ha hyacinth compost can replace 1 ton/ha NPK fertilizer in form of granule.

Keyword : briquette, water hyacinth, NPK fertilizer, Chili, sand land