

## Abstract

Three field experiments were conducted in Iran during 1996-97 to determine the best rates of N (50, 100, 200 and 300 kg/ha) and P (0, 50, 100, 150 and 200 kg P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>/ha) and the best harvesting schedule for obtaining high yields of dry matter and essential oil. Three harvesting schedules were investigated: (1) plants were harvested repeatedly when they reached 15 cm height (3 harvests); (2) plants were first harvested at the same time as the second cut of schedule 1, then recut when plants reached 15 cm in height (2 harvests); and (3) plants were harvested at full-bloom (one harvest). It was found that 300 kg N and 100 kg P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>/ha and harvesting plants according to schedule 1 were the best treatments for maximizing leaf dry matter and essential oil yields.

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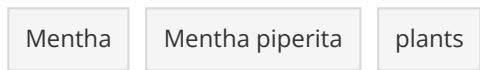
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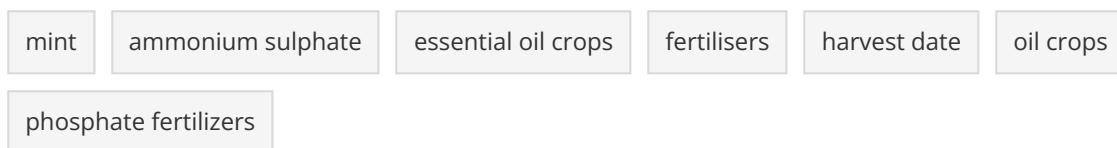
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