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<b>Short Description of your Institution:</b>		
(The Soil Service of Belgium (SSB) - Bodemkundige Dienst van België, the first spin-off of KU Leuven, is an independent research and advisory institute for agriculture, horticulture and the environment. SSB is mainly active in soil and water research, fertilization recommendation, irrigation management and environmental incidence studies, in both Belgium and France)		
<b>Role in the project:</b>		
SSB is coordinator of the proposal and will lead field trials and demonstration activities in Belgium. Furthermore SSB is responsible for soil sampling and crop monitoring in the experimental fields. SSB will lead the composition of the manual for variable rate application for irrigation and N-fertilization.		

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