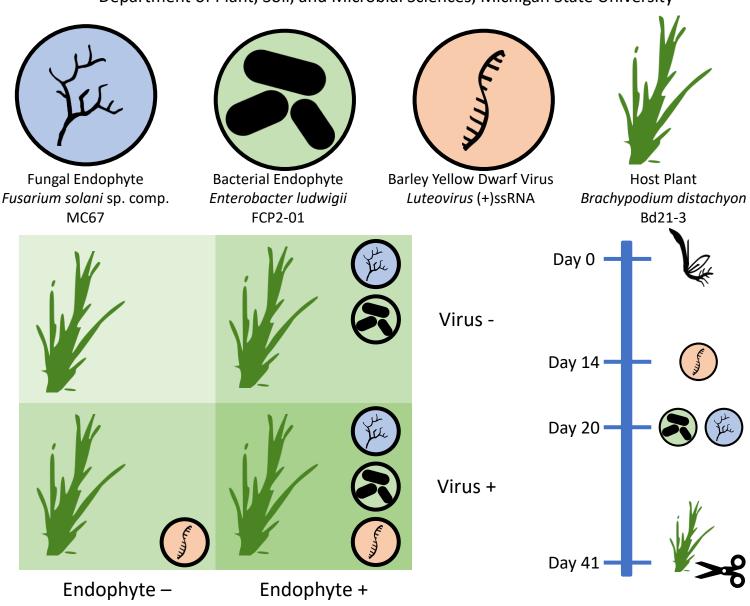
Four-way interactions in the plant holobiont: How does plant viral disease alter fungal and bacterial community assembly?

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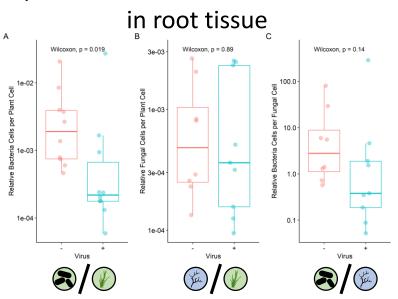
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Plant traits

eaf Area (cm²) (G С 0.08 0.06 Dry Shoot Mass (g) Dry Root Mass (g) 0.06 0.04 0.04 E Height Ratio shoot Ratio 1.00 0.75 Root: 0.50

qPCR-based microbial abundance



Conclusions

- Virus infection decreases bacterial abundance in roots
- Endophyte and virus infection have non-interacting effects on host

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