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[P2-19]Effect of Different Types of Mulching on Soil Temperature, Growth and Rhizome Yield of Lycopi Herba (*Lycopus lucidus* Turcz.)

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The Lycopi Herba (*Lycopus lucidus* turcz.) is a perennial herbaceous plant of the Lamiaceae family, and geophyte plant in the ground. Objective of study is: to investigate the effects of mulching material during the growth and development of harvest in Lycopi Herba.

The study was conducted at the experimental site of Chungnam National University (latitude:36°36″, Longitude: 127°35″). For experiment, we applied four types of treatment to find the appropriate mulching material which were: Non-mulched, Black-PE, Green-PE, and Clear-PE. Plant spacing was performed by the randomized block design with three replications at plant density of 60cmx 30cm. The seedling date was April 10th, 2019 and the rhizome were harvested at the end of November,2019. In plant height, Clear-PE was the highest at 107.2 cm, followed by Green-PE 102.6 cm, Non-mulched 99.1 cm and Black-PE 96.6 cm, respectively, and for the LAI, highest was Clear-PE with 13.2, and the lowest was Non-mulched at 8.3. The SPAD index, found between 30 and 45 on average. The Black-PE the SPAD index was highest until the August comparing than the other treatments. The photosynthesis was highest under Black-PE and followed by Clear-PE, Non-mulched and Green-PE. The dry weight was highest with 2774.2g of Clear-PE, and the dry weight of rhizome, the Black-PE was highest with 680.0 g. The highest number of the rhizome was occurred in Black-PE. As the final results showing that highest number and weight of rhizome was observed in Black-PE treatment which is showing the most suitable mulching material.