

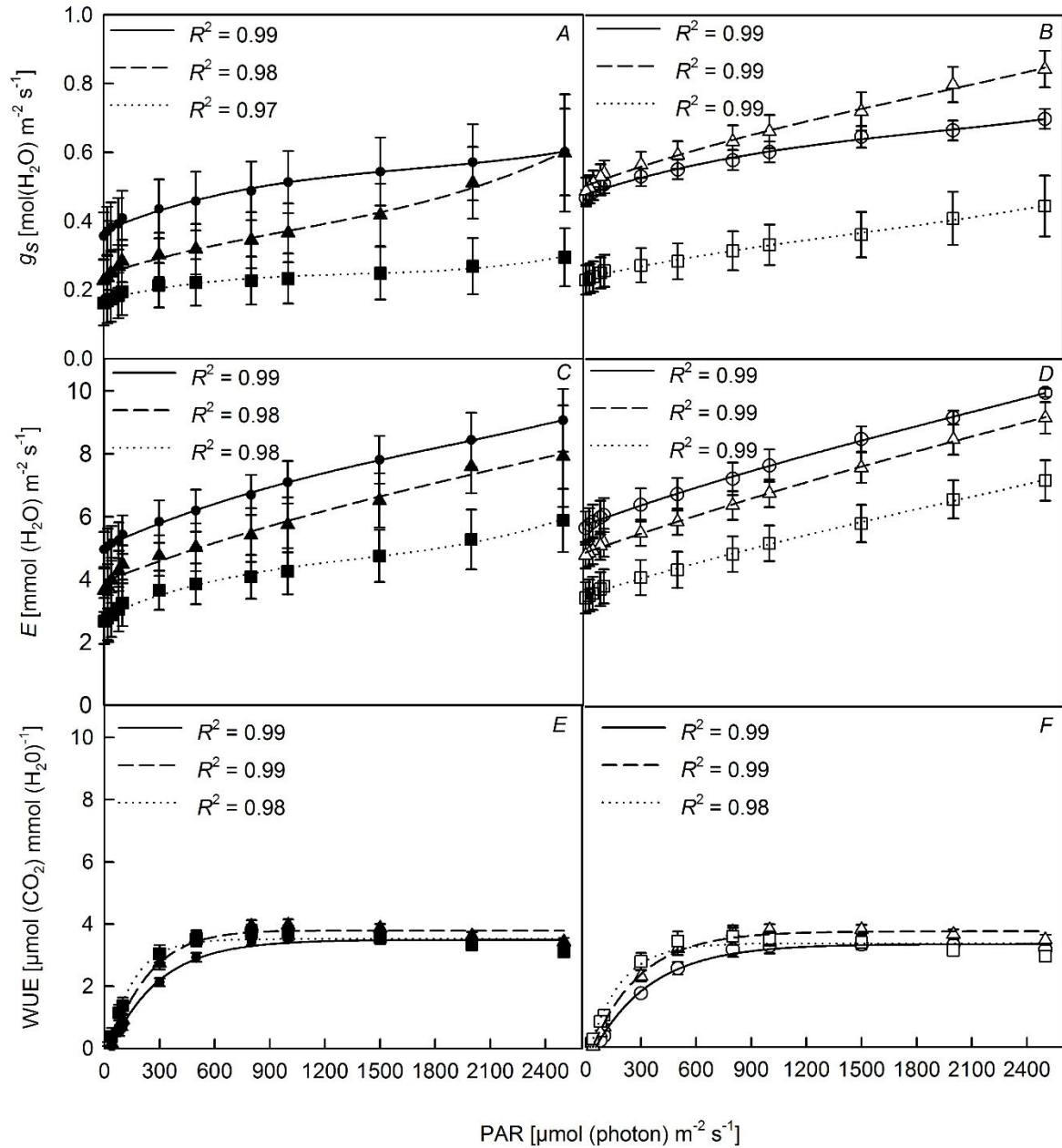


Fig. 1S. Stomatal conductance (g_s) (A,B), transpiration rate (E) (C,D) and water use efficiency (WUE) (E,F) versus light intensity of 3-month-old cassava cv. RY9 grown under irrigated (A,D,E; close symbols) and rainfed (B,D,F; open symbols) conditions. The measurement was performed in the rainy season on the upper (solid line), middle (dash line) and lower (dotted line) canopy leaves on the same plant. Means $\pm$ SE of four replicates.