Supplementary Material

Endophytic colonization of *Eucalyptus* by *Beauveria bassiana* and *Metarhizium anisopliae* and their effects on plant growth

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Table S1. Summary of deviance analysis for counting of endophytic colonization by *B. bassiana* and *M. anisopliae* 15, 30, and 45 days after inoculation (d.a.i.) in different parts of *Eucalyptus* plants. The pseudo R^2 was calculated considering McFadden's proposal (1972).

Source of variation	Degrees of Freedom	Deviance	
		Leaves	Roots
Fungus (F)	1	19.24**	0.82
Method (M)	1	0.56	0.09
Time (T)	2	20.71**	-
AIC	-	386.16	125.36
Pseudo R^2	-	0.09	0.01

** and * significant at 1% and 5% probability by chi-square test.

Table S2. Summary of the analysis of variance for the traits of plant height (in cm), stem diameter (in mm), number of branches and number of leaves for the three fungi, two methods and four times evaluated in Gurupi (TO), 2020. SD stands for standard deviation.

Source of variation	DF	F value			
		Plant height (cm)	Stem diameter (mm)	Number of branches	Number of leaves
Time (T)	3	204.42**	91.65**	3.53*	113.71**
Method (M)	1	2.82	<0.01	8.36**	9.05**
Fungus (F)	2	5.23**	2.22	4.45*	6.36**
T x M	3	0.75	0.84	0.38	4.33**
T x F	6	0.09	1.10	0.09	1.41
M x F	2	0.71	1.16	0.65	0.05
T x M x F	6	0.40	0.22	0.35	0.08
Maximum	-	85.00	8.10	11.00	82.00
Mean	-	59.92	3.96	4.60	26.14
Minimum	-	32.00	1.95	0.00	10.00
SD	-	13.88	0.93	2.23	14.93

** and * significant at 1% and 5% probability by F test.

Table S3. Summary of the analysis of variance for the fresh biomass (shoot, root and total, in grams) and dry biomass (shoot, root and total, in grams) for the three fungi, two methods and four times evaluated in Gurupi (TO), 2020. SD stands for standard deviation.

Source of variation	DF	F value					
		Fresh biomass			Dry biomass		
		Shoot	Root	Total	Shoot	Root	Total
Method (M)	1	0.31	1.22	0.60	0.19	1.04	0.48
Fungus (F)	2	1.51	0.67	0.49	1.44	0.74	0.58
M x F	2	0.02	1.16	0.76	0.04	1.13	0.72
Maximum	-	28.00	61.00	85.00	20.00	43.00	59.00
Mean	-	21.75	32.02	53.77	14.33	23.69	38.02
Minimum	-	12.00	17.00	29.00	7.00	12.00	19.00
SD	-	3.79	11.89	13.79	2.92	7.97	9.53

** and * significant at 1% and 5% probability by F test.

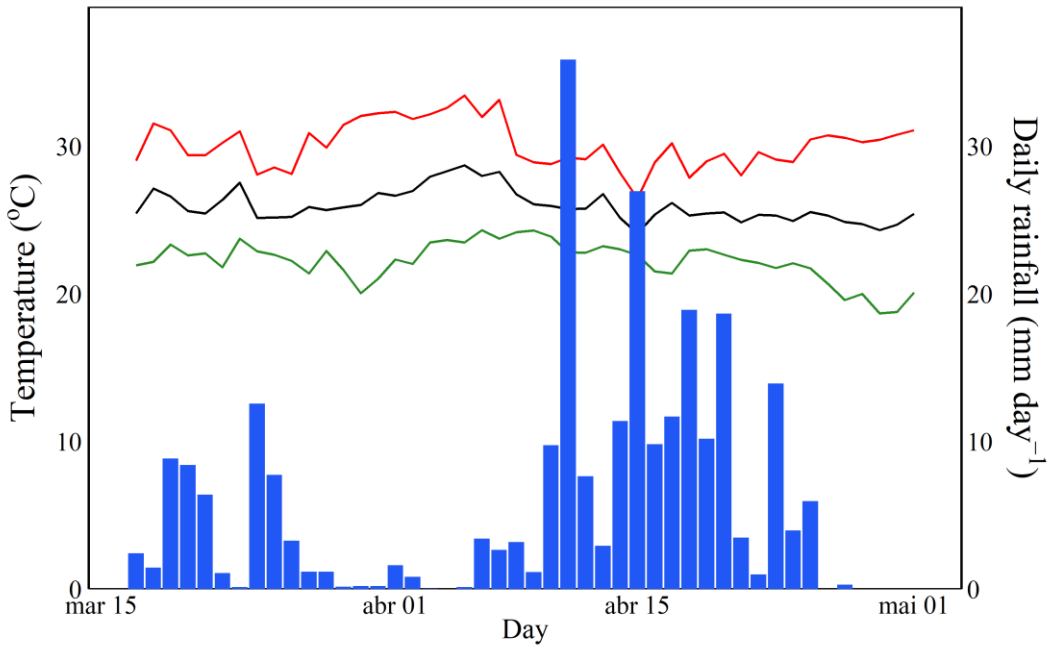

Figure S1. Average temperature (black line), minimum temperature (green line), maximum temperature (red line) and precipitation (blue column) during the experiment in Gurupi (TO), between 2020-03-17 and 2020-05-01 (Sparks, 2018).

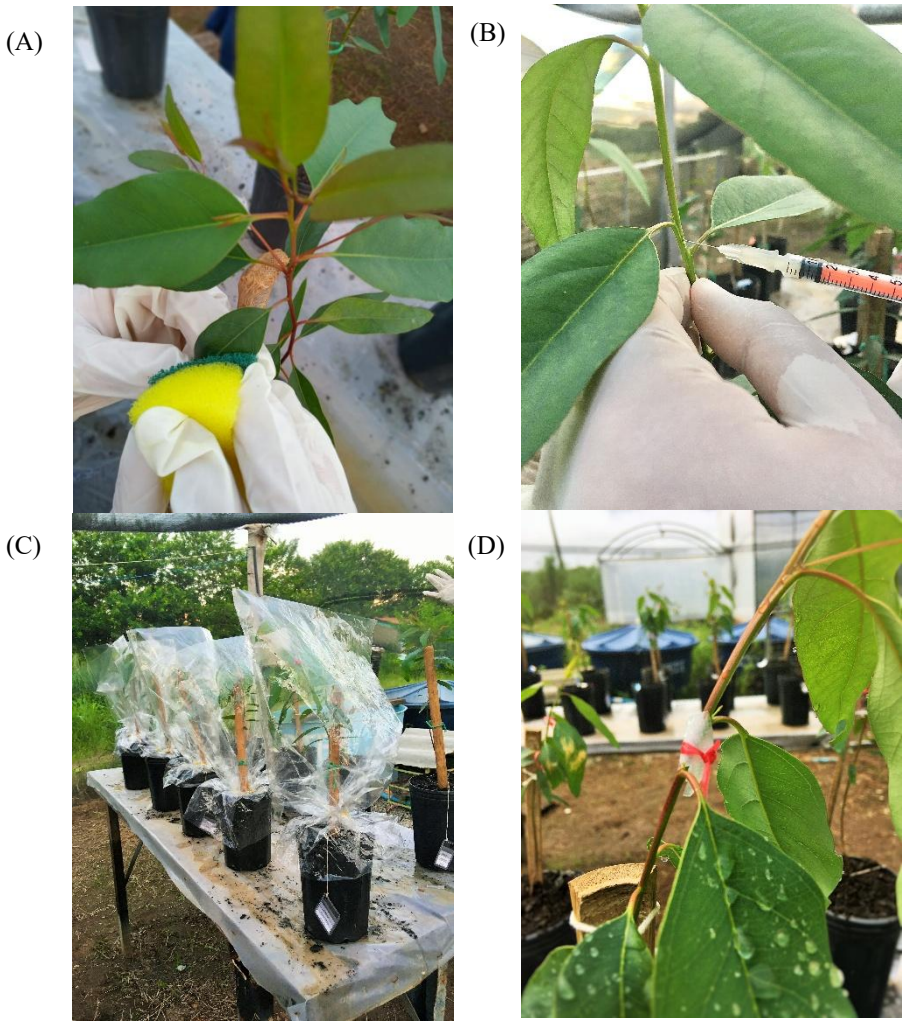

Figure S2. Inoculation methods used for *B. bassiana* and *M. anisopliae* via foliar spraying (A) and stem injection (B) in 150-day-old *Eucalyptus* plants. (C) Plants covered with plastic bags. (D) Sealing of the injection site with micropore tape.