## Reduction of Fe(III)-EDTA by an intact Prunus root inserted in the DSPC 8 mL



Whole Prunus plant

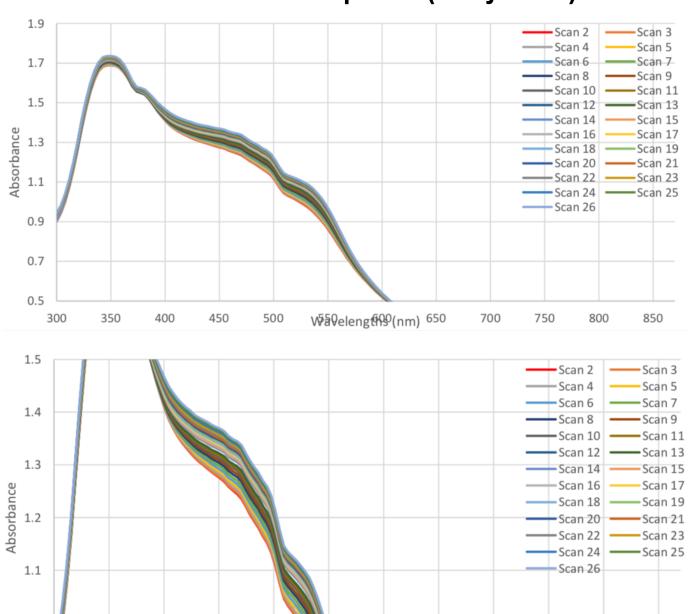
Intact root inserted in DSPC 8 mL

 $300 \mu M$  BPDS,  $500 \mu M$  Fe(III)-EDTA (6 mL)

Initial spectrum (time 0) spectra every 5 min last spectrum 135 min

slits 3.16 int time 0.5 s

## Raw spectra (every 5 min)

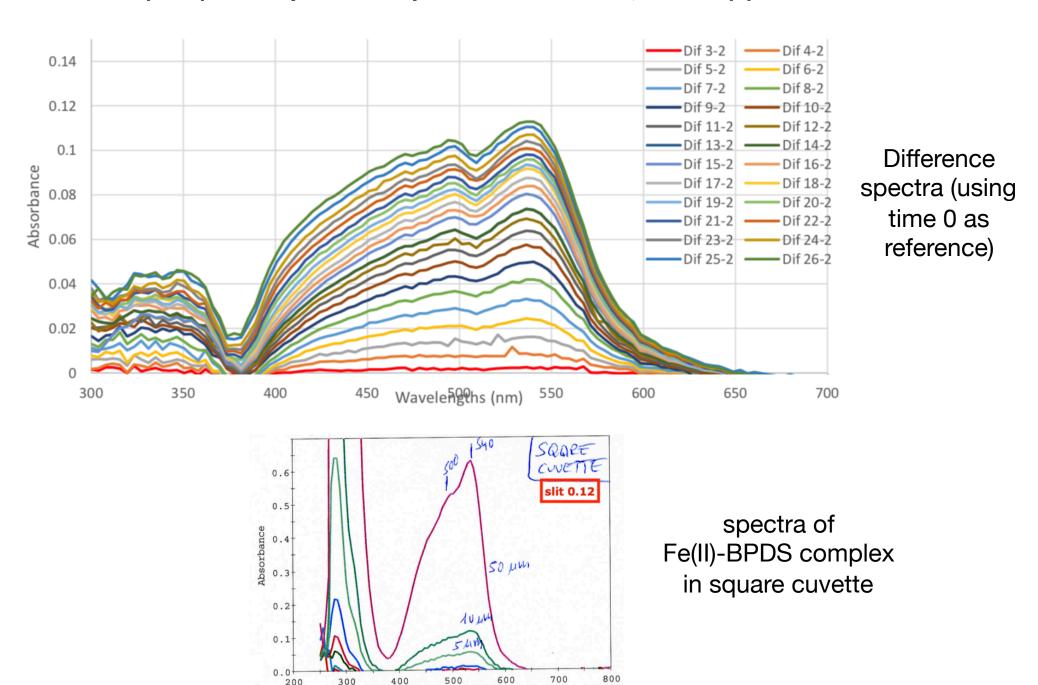


0.9

Wavelengths (nm) 650

(blow-up)

## Fe(III) is reduced progressively to Fe(II) by the ferric chelate reductase (FCR) of the plant root plasma membrane, and Fe(II)-BPDS is formed



Excitation Wavelength, nm

200