

**Review Form 1.7**

Journal Name:	<b>International Journal of Plant &amp; Soil Science</b>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_IJPSS_109839</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Effect of Inorganic Nutrients and Biofertilizers on Growth, Yield and Soil Properties of Maize (Zea mays L.) in N-W Region of Punjab</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

**PART 1: Review Comments**

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<p><b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments</p> <p>1. <b>Is the manuscript important for scientific community?</b> (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. <b>Is the title of the article suitable?</b> (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. <b>Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</b></p> <p>4. <b>Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b></p> <p>5. <b>Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</b></p> <p>6. <b>Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</b></p> <p><b>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</b></p>	<p><b>This paper adds information related to the use of inorganic fertilizers and biofertilizers on the growth and characteristics of land after being treated.</b></p> <p><b>Yes</b></p> <p><b>It is necessary to add the results of soil characteristics according to the title of the paper.</b></p> <p><b>The order of sections is appropriate but not the use of fonts, citations are not appropriate.</b></p> <p><b>The presentation of results in the table should use a letter notation or * to indicate significance.</b></p> <p><b>need to add references, at least 80% in the last 5 years of publication</b></p>	
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