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| Journal Name: | International Journal of Plant & Soil Science |
| Manuscript Number: | Ms_IJPSS_103544 |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Effect of Phosphorus and Potassium on Growth and Yield of Maize (<i>Zea mays</i> L.) |
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