

**Review Form 1.7**

Name:	<b>Asian Journal of Research in Botany</b>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_AJRIB_106806</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Updated review on post-harvest diseases of onion and strategies for their management</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Review Article</b>

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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<p><b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments</p> <p><b>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community?</b> (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p><b>2. Is the title of the article suitable?</b> (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p><b>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</b></p> <p><b>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b></p> <p><b>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</b></p> <p><b>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</b></p> <p><b><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></b></p>	<p><b>YES</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To be considered important for the scientific community, the manuscript would need to undergo significant revisions and improvements.</li> <li>Instead of stating that production is "fairly low" compared to other nations, provide a comparison with concrete statistics. For instance, you could mention the production levels of India and China compared to a few other major onion-producing countries.</li> <li>It should include in-depth analysis when discussing the health benefits of onions, provide references to specific studies or research that support the claims about reducing blood pressure and preventing diseases. This adds credibility to the health-related information</li> <li>Briefly describe the unique characteristics or uses of red, yellow, and white onion varieties, providing insights into their popularity or distinct features.</li> <li>Presenting original research or case studies with clear methodologies and results would enhance the manuscript's potential significance</li> </ol> <p>The title is clear and straightforward, conveying the main focus of the article. However, it's still relatively brief and lacks some context that could make it more engaging and informative</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Managing Post-Harvest Onion Diseases</li> </ol> <p style="text-align: center;">Or</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strategies for Onion Post-Harvest Disease Management</li> </ol> <p>YES</p> <p>YES</p> <p>YES</p> <p>YES</p> <p>Some statements could be strengthened with specific data or references to scientific studies in this article.</p>	
<p><b><u>Minor</u></b> REVISION comments</p> <p><b>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</b></p>	<p>YES it is up to the mark</p>	
<p><b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments</p>	<p>Ensure consistent use of scientific terminology and terminology that would be understandable to the intended technical readers. This would help readers better understand how to practically apply these concepts.</p>	

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