

## Review Form 1.7

Journal Name:	<b>International Journal of Plant &amp; Soil Science</b>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_IJPSS_107793</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>“Effect of date of sowing and cultivars on germination, emergence and rosette termination of safflower”</b>
Type of the Article	

### PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments 1. <b>Is the manuscript important for scientific community?</b> (Please write few sentences on this manuscript) 2. <b>Is the title of the article suitable?</b> (If not please suggest an alternative title) 3. <b>Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</b> 4. <b>Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b> 5. <b>Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</b> 6. <b>Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</b> <b>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</b>	<p>The manuscript is important for the determination of sowing dates and cultivars on emergence, germination, and rosette termination of safflower.</p> <p>Yes.</p> <p>The abstract requires re-writing, because it is not comprehensive.</p> <p>Most parts are appropriate. However, the chemical analysis stated at the material methods section should be stated as study area soil description.</p> <p>Yes.</p> <p>Please, additional references are required</p> <p>Generally, the article has important information.</p>	
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