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Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJSSPN_114786
Title of the Manuscript:	IMPACTOF DIFFERENT METHODS OF SOWING AND SEED PRIMING ON YIELD ATTRIBUTED CHARACTERS OF RICE(Oryza sativa L.)
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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)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript) 2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title) 3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? 4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate? 5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct? 6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form. <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, important. 2. Yes, suitable. 3. Yes, comprehensive after given corrections. 4. The subsections and structure of the manuscript need to rearrange or revised as per instructions given in the bodies of the manuscript. 5. Yes, the manuscript is scientifically correct. But few corrections need to be revised as per instructions given in the bodies of the manuscript. 6. Yes sufficient. 	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Yes, suitable. 	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>I have thoroughly reviewed the paper titled: IMPACT OF DIFFERENT METHODS OF SOWING AND SEED PRIMING ON YIELD ATTRIBUTED CHARACTERS OF RICE (<i>Oryza sativa</i> L.) for 'Asian Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition'. I also have made some corrections and comments on the bodies of the given paper. My comments as reviewer's on the paper are given below:</p> <p>General comments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Title of the manuscript is well defined. • Abstract should have conclusive sentence at the end and need to revise. • Introduction is well described. • Materials and Methods is well described, need one or two corrections. • Result and Discussion part is not well organized and need to rearrange by adding few sub-headings. The Table <u>must</u> be placed after discussion. • No conclusion sub-heading part. • Major revisions are needed. <p>Reviewer's recommendation/ instruction for acceptance:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The manuscript is relevant for publication in 'Asian Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition'. The content of the paper is good and interesting. 2. Uniform style of the 'Asian Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition' need to be followed. 3. Major revisions are needed as mentioned in the bodies of the paper with marking as (Must). 	

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	<p>4. The manuscript can be accepted with the corrections given in the bodies of the manuscript, or some questions asked to be answer as per instructions.</p> <p>5. Finally, the paper could/can be accepted as a Full length scientific paper for 'Asian Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition', if the corrections/ comments will be made as per instructions given on the bodies of the paper.</p>	
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PART 2:

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment <i>(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)</i>
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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