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Journal Name:	<b>Asian Journal of Research in Agriculture and Forestry</b>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_AJRAF_120726</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Assessment of Soil Carbon Stock Potential in a University Campus in Tamil Nadu, India: Insights from Different Soil Layers</b>
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<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's Feedback</b> (Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Please write few sentences regarding the importance this manuscript for scientific community. Why do you like (or dislike) this manuscript? Minimum 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	Purpose of study conducted is good, but not mentioned about the ecosystem of each section, what are all the components involved, how they contributed for the enhancement in observed parameters is not mentioned in a scientific way. It should be revised	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	Assessment of Soil Carbon Stock Potential in Different Soil Layers	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.	Without explaining the background of ecosystem, very difficult to findings correlation among the factors	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?		
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