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Title of the Manuscript:	Effect of Microbial Inoculants on Leghemoglobin Content in Nodules and Microbial Populations in Rhizosphere of Soybean in a Vertisols
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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><b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</p> <p>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</p> <p>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</p> <p>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</p> <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>	<p>1. yes</p> <p>2. yes</p> <p>3. yes</p> <p>4. yes</p> <p>5. Yes, if we consider the application of the technical aspects. However, I really missed a more comprehensive discussion, particularly concerning leghemoglobin. Furthermore, the justifications for the observed growth shouldn't have been as assertive but rather expressed using phrases like 'highly likely,' correlating to previous data from the literature."</p> <p>6. No, especially considering that the article should have a more comprehensive discussion.</p>	
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