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Journal Name:	International Journal of Plant & Soil Science
Manuscript Number:	Ms_IJPSS_118962
Title of the Manuscript:	Effect of Integrated Use of Manures and Fertilizers on Physico-chemical Properties of Soil and Yield of Coconut (Cocos nucifera L.)
Type of the Article	Original Research 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)
<p>Compulsory 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. The manuscript shows an interest in manure fertilization in the slightly acidic soils of a Coconut Garden. This paper is more dedicated to the farmers rather than to the scientists.</p> <p>2. Yes</p> <p>3. Yes</p> <p>4. Yes</p> <p>5. In order to be complete this paper needs to consider the incertitude of the measurements. The used material should be listed in the M&M section. Some graphics would help in understanding.</p> <p>6. Yes</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	I would suggest to consider the "a"/"an" or "the" articles use	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	The Tables. does not "explain" observed changes but only <u>shows</u> it. The conclusion should mention the improvements For the specific soil.	

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