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<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>Title: The title is not indicating influence of mulch but the research is based on studies of mulch, tillage and nutrient management practices.</p> <p>Introduction: Rewriting of sentences and checking of grammar is required in certain places. The introduction is well describing the need for taking the study; however it should also provide information regarding previous studies and research gaps.</p> <p>Material and methods Information on statistical analysis should be included. The number of plants in each replication may be mentioned</p> <p>Result and discussion: The result is written comprehensively and relevant discussions are included, however at place, the sentence formation needs to be re-checked and re-written.</p> <p>General comments: The manuscript is based on farmer-centric research and will be useful to strawberry growers of the region as rice-fallow intervention.</p> <p>Final Recommendation: Keeping all the above mentioned points into consideration, in my opinion, the article should be accepted with minor corrections of grammar and sentence rewriting.</p>	

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