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Title of the Manuscript:	MULTIVARIATE ANALYSIS FOR DESIGNING OKRA CROP IDEOTYPE WITH ENHANCED YIELDS AND STRATEGY FORMULATION: A CROP PHYSIOLOGY PERSPECTIVE
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**PART 1: Review Comments**

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<p><b>Minor</b> REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</b></li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Language/English Quality:</b> The language quality is generally good but requires minor proofreading to correct typographical and grammatical errors. For example, ensure proper use of punctuation and capitalization.</li> </ol>	
<p><b>Optional/General</b> comments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Importance for Scientific Community:</b> The manuscript is important for the scientific community as it offers a novel approach to enhancing okra yield through the use of plant growth regulators. This research can guide breeders and physiologists in developing and managing okra cultivars with optimized traits for higher productivity.</li> <li><b>Title Suitability:</b> The title is suitable and accurately reflects the content and scope of the manuscript.</li> <li><b>Abstract Comprehensiveness:</b> The abstract is comprehensive, summarizing the objectives, methods, key findings, and implications of the study. However, including specific data points for key findings, such as the impact of specific plant growth regulators on yield, would enhance its clarity.</li> <li><b>Structure and Subsections:</b> The subsections and structure of the manuscript are appropriate. The manuscript follows a logical flow from introduction to methodology, results, discussion, and conclusion.</li> <li><b>Scientific Correctness:</b> The manuscript is scientifically correct. The experimental design, data collection, and analysis methods are well described and appropriate for the study.</li> <li><b>References:</b> The references are sufficient and recent. The manuscript cites relevant and current literature. However, adding a few more recent studies on plant growth regulators in similar crops could strengthen the literature review.</li> </ul> <p><b>Additional Suggestions/Comments:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ensure consistency in the use of units (e.g., ppm, cm, and kg/ha).</li> <li>Clarify the timing and frequency of plant growth regulator applications in the methodology.</li> <li>A brief discussion on the potential economic benefits of implementing the proposed</li> </ul>	

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	ideotype for farmers could add value to the study.	
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**PART 2:**

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

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