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Journal Name:	Journal of Experimental Agriculture International
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JEAI_117587
Title of the Manuscript:	Compatibility of colored commercial polymers used by the seed industry for maize biological seed coating treatments
Type of the 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>The manuscript highlights the role of polymers as seed coating materials for seed bio-priming as a part of non-chemical disease management. It is of great importance from the environmental point of view.</p> <p>Ok, but better to replace the word "colored"</p> <p>Justification should be made more quantitatively. Best compatible polymer should be pinpointed.</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>I doubt..... Because the chemical nature of the polymers was not disclosed.</p> <p>Should add more reference.</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	<p>Yes.</p>	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>Introduction should be strengthened. I have reviewed the manuscript as a general audience, as I am not an expert in the subject. Editor should be more careful to request a person for reviewing a manuscript after properly judging his/her expertise.</p>	

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

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