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Journal Name:	International Journal of Plant & Soil Science
Manuscript Number:	Ms_IJPSS_112905
Title of the Manuscript:	Effect of foliar spray of nano fertilizer on growth characters of Rabi maize (<i>Zea mays</i> L.) in Mandsaur region (MP)
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>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</p>	<p>Yes: A field experiment was conducted to examine the effect of foliar spray of nano fertilizer on growth characters of maize (<i>Zea mays</i> L.). Obtained results revealed that the application of 100% NPK + 2 spray of nano fertilizer is more beneficial in terms of growth, productivity, maximum gross return, net return, beneficial cost ratio and sustainability. This study recommends applying additional dose of nano fertilizer in along with chemical fertilizers in maize crop. However, the article has some shortfalls with the language that needs to be attended to by thoroughly editing the manuscript's language. Please make sure that the manuscript is thoroughly reviewed. Numerous typos and syntax issues are still present.</p> <p>2. Yes</p> <p>3. Yes</p> <p>4. Yes</p> <p>5. Yes</p> <p>6. Yes</p>	
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