

Review Form 3

Journal Name:	Journal of Advances in Biology & Biotechnology
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JABB_125393
Title of the Manuscript:	Genetic Variability and Correlation Studies in Red Rice (<i>Oryza sativa</i> L.) for Yield Related Traits and Grain Zinc, Iron and Protein Content
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

PART 1: Review Comments

<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	Reviewer's comment	Author's Feedback <i>(Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i>
Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. Why do you like (or dislike) this manuscript? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	The selection criteria for grain yield and quality improvement of red rice genotypes have been studied in this manuscript. Red rice is comparatively rich in nutrients than white rice. Identification of traits associated with yield will help in breeding programmes to develop varieties rich in nutrients.	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	YES	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.	YES	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?	YES	
Please write a few sentences regarding the scientific correctness of this manuscript. Why do you think that this manuscript is scientifically robust and technically sound? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	Identification of traits associated with yield in red rice will help in breeding programmes to develop varieties rich in nutrients. A good number of genotypes have been studied in this research to find traits associated with yield. This can be useful to develop varieties for crop improvement.	
Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.	YES	
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?	YES	
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	Well written	

Review Form 3

PART 2:

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

Reviewer Details:

Name:	Chumki Dutta
Department, University & Country	Assam Down Town University, India