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| Journal Name: | Journal of Experimental Agriculture International |
| Manuscript Number: | Ms_JEAI_126398 |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Calcium silicate application as a salt stress mitigation strategy for vegetables in the salt-affected soils of sandy plains of Kerala, India |
| Type of the 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> |
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| 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. | According to climatic change we faced now, this topic is important. The references which are used in this manuscript is very old and need to renew. Also the discussion of results need more clarification. PLEASE SEE ATTACHMENT | |
| 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 | |
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| Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form. : | No Alleviation of salt injuries on green bean's morpho-physiological properties by application of calcium with other amendments. 2023, European Chemical Bulletin , V.12, special issue-7,3254-3269 | |
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