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<b>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.</b>	This study is significant for the scientific community because it addresses the growing need for environmentally friendly methods to combat insect-pest, which are crucial for ensuring the health and yield of staple crops like rice.	
<b>Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</b>	Yes, Title of the article is suitable.	
<b>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.</b>	The abstract of the article is well-suited to the manuscript, providing a concise and comprehensive summary of the research. It effectively outlines the main objective- organic grain protectants for enhancing storability of rice seeds.	
<b>Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b>	Yes, subsections and structure are appropriate.	
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