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PART 1: Review Comments

	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>
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	<p>The conceptual framework needs to be revised. As it is, no conceptual issue is shown.</p> <p>The theoretical framework is a 'stand along' write-up, which has no bearing with the central issue</p> <p>The model specified can not show Impact of Government Agricultural Expenditure on Agricultural Output. What the model can show will be the impact of recurrent agric expenditure on real GDP. Besides, some of the variables included may not have sound theoretical bases for their inclusion in the model while some important ones are omitted, especially the production inputs.</p> <p>For instance, the sentences under conceptual framework are direct quotations from a previously published work without any reference to the work. (see Iganiga, B.O. and Unemhilin, D.O.(2011): The impact of federal government agric. Expenditure on agric. Output in Nigeria, J.Economics 2(2): 81-88.</p>	<p>The researchers had appreciated the reviewer of this paper for his effort to shape this paper.</p> <p>The paper is taken a different look resulting from your recommendations, which were aptly worked upon.</p> <p>Some the macroeconomic variables—such as: inflation rate; interest rate; etc are important since credit facilities and markets are involved.</p>
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments		
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		