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Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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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	As the experimental design was described, the total plots number was very low (9) and the DF (degrees of freedom) of Error was 4. In the agricultural research is recommended a total of plots > 20 and DF of Error > 10. Furthermore, the arrangement wasn't a split-plot, because the experiment didn't have secondary treatments (subplots) or subsamples. For the reasons considering the statistical procedures as they were done.	The experiment was conducted in a randomized complete block design (RCBD) in a split-plot arrangement with three treatment and three replications.
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments		
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		