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Comments are found in sticky notes throughout the text. This study involves a 1-year study only. Yield as well as many other variables used in the study could be affected by the environment. Another year of data or planting in a different season would have been desirable. Authors need to clarify various points in the materials and methods section, please see sticky notes.

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