

The final decision for manuscript number 2013IJPSS4233 entitled “Role of soil nitrogen for the conifers of the boreal forest: a critical review” by Lupi Carlo, Morin Hubert, Deslauriers Annie, Rossi Sergio, and Houle Daniel.

Following evaluation of all documents related to the manuscript I can tell that the manuscript is appropriate for International Journal of Plant & Soil Science. The revised version of manuscript is significantly improved comparing to the original one. Authors have introduced into the text many changes according to reviewer’s suggestions and requirements. However, a little correction of the text is still needed.

1. Spaces are missing between many words in entire text.
2. The numbers of literature cited should be written only in [...]; but not in ([...]). (...) must be deleted. Moreover, if there are more numbers, they should be written in one bracket.
Examples: line 4, instead of ([1],[2]) it should be [1, 2]
line 7, instead of ([3],[4], [5]) it should be [3, 4, 5]
3. All abbreviations and acronyms should be additionally explained when they appears for the first time in the text. An example could be ECM in Abstract or DON in line 13.
4. Authors should add COMPETING INTERESTS and AUTHORS’ CONTRIBUTIONS just after ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

My final decision is: Accept after minor correction.

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