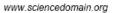
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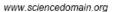


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	I am of the opinion that the sustainability part of this	
	study was not fulfilled and therefore the word	
	sustainable need to be removed from the title. Using	
	organic fertilizers for a long time has negative	
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	for a long time resulted in the building up of heavy	
	metals that become toxic to our environment. Some	
	of these elements end up in the downstream water	
	and or polluting the underground water. This study	
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	farmers use organic fertilizers in a responsible	
	manner.	
	The abstract is way too long and need to be reduced	
	into half.	
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	example, climatic conditions (rainfall, temperature,	
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	agricultural practices and the most commonly grown	
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	Statistical test was supposed to be run on Table 4 as	
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