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Type of the Article	Research Paper

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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	General: The work was done in the past – use past tense to describe it. The mathematical symbols are not consistent. The citation style is not standard conform. For a more detailed review, please find an annotated version of your paper attached. Introduction: There is no clear thesis. No motivation is given. The introduction talks about eggs and birds and not about problems and their solutions. Methodology: The data is not discussed. Results and analysis: The result analysis is not clear. As a direct consequence, there is no way of assessing the results, presented in Table 5.1. Conclusion : The conclusion lacks a thesis.	General: Information has been updated in consonance with the reviewer comments. Introduction: Introduction section has been modified to make it more explanatory. Table 4.1 has been given which shows analogy b/w natural system & artificial system. Methodology: Data has been described in analysis section. Proper result has been provided in table 5.1 & 5.2. Results and analysis: Otsu's & kapur's method [10], [15], [16] have been compared with proposed method which shows better performance of our work.
Minor REVISION comments		



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<u>Optional/General</u> comments	The following sentence comes one to one from: Yang, X.-S., and Deb, S. (2010), "Engineering Optimisation by Cuckoo Search", Int. J. Mathematical Modelling and Numerical Optimisation, Vol. 1, No. 4, 330–343 (2010). "If a host bird discovers the eggs are not its own, it will either throw these alien eggs away or simply abandons its nest and builds a new nest elsewhere." This sentence was discovered, because the authors forgot to change the reference. To be specific, [42] in the paper indicates that the passage / sentence was taken from another source.	Correct reference has been made in the text.