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Journal Name:	<a href="#">Asian Soil Research Journal</a>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_ASRJ_48555</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Effect of silicon and phosphorus additions and their interactions on wheat plants grown on a clay soil</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

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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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	<p>1. In materials and methods Some physical and chemical properties is written .donot use word some instead write as physical and chemical properties.</p> <p>2.In materials and methods ammonium nitrate (33.5% N) at a rate of 100 kg N fed<sup>-1</sup> for wheat cultivation is written .what does fed<sup>-1</sup> means. Please justify. Write the silicon content of sodium metasilicate penta-hydrate.</p> <p>3. In table 1 c. Sand ,f.sand, wp, fc, aw, om are the short form used. Please write the full form of all these parameters.</p> <p>4. the results expressed is not properly discussed with proper reasons. please concentrate on results and discussion section to include proper reason for discussion.</p> <p>5. the conclusion section must include all the salient finding in study .Try to write all salient findings in conclusion.</p> <p>6. In reference section try to follow standard format of writing journal citation in English. Donot mix the reference in English and regional language.</p>	<p>1. We wrote some due to there are many properties physical or chemical and we had chosen some of them to determine.</p> <p>2. fed means feddan, 13% Si.</p> <p>3. All these abbreviations of these parameters are famous and well known for all researchers. C. Sand means coarse sand, F. Sand means fine sand, WP means wilting point, FC means field capacity, AW means available water, OM means organic matter.... And we added them under the Table.</p> <p>4. We can't understand this section, please specify main points.</p> <p>5. What do you mean with salient findings?. Please give an example.</p> <p>6. OK, we will write references according to the journal style.</p>
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments	<p>1. In text use et al as italics (<i>et.al.</i>,)</p> <p>2. In introduction "Silicon deposition of silica in shoots" can be written as silicon deposition as silica in shoots.</p> <p>3. The name of author along with their years must be inside the brackets everywhere in text. It is not followed in all sides. Please follow the standard rule.</p> <p>4. In material and methods 29° 58' 55.046" N is written rewrite it as 29° 58' 55.06" N</p>	<p>1. OK,</p> <p>2. OK, done.</p> <p>3. OK, we will follow the journal style.</p> <p>4. What's the difference between them?</p>
<u>Optional/General</u> comments	<p>1. In abstract add the space between two works like metasilicatepenta-hydrate, phosphate was, soil to,</p> <p>2. In introduction the sentence "productivity, and, according to statistics of Egyptian Ministry of Agriculture" is written . please donot use comma before and after word "and".</p> <p>3.in materials and methods It added before plant cultivation is used correct the sentence as it was added before plant cultivation.</p>	<p>1. OK, done.</p> <p>2. OK,</p> <p>3. OK, done.</p>

**PART 2:**

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