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Journal Name:	Asian Soil Research Journal
Manuscript Number:	Ms_ASRJ_44853
Title of the Manuscript:	Soil Fertility as influenced by incorporation of K enriched azolla
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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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	Abstract becomes boring to read after 250 wordsyou must reduce to 300 max.  Also I expected you to conclude abstract on significant finding on azolla since its unique.	
	The recent APA style of et al has no ., and no longer in italics	
	Divide your Mat & Met into 2 subsections for easier readability. From line 78 should bear a subsection title References are quite oldplz update some of them 3 tables at same time appears boring to readerplot one into bar chat etc References must be overhauledfollow a particular style for all refs Divide your work into sections and subsections	
Minor REVISION comments	Line 36: incompletechemical fertilizer in farming/cropping etc?  Line 44: replace with "developed"/"explored" etc  Line 37-39: please add a literature background before the generalization  Line 48: is something missing?  Line 78: write full  Line 84: "was" extracted  Line 94 & others: I suggest you discuss 60% differently and 100% differently and then compare then afterwards to make it interesting  llne 101: change to parity, equivalenece, similarity etc  Linw 101/102/104/114 etc: change all ppm to mg/L or mg/kg as case may be  line 121: Plz recast  Line 157: how? was their an increase or decrease?  line 185: remove @  line 216: change to improved  line 220: furthermore  Line 74: add a reference before the next sentence  line 105: re-caption  line 118/155: re-caption  line 231/233: not consistent  line 259/268 etc: different font?	
Optional/General comments	shorten the topic to "soil Fertility as influenced by K enriched azolla" since you researched on alternative fertilizer: I think there should be a recommendation where are your keywords? Adding a picture of azolla will be smart	

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	Reviewer's comment	<b>Author's comment</b> (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)
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

As per the guideline of editorial office we have followed VANCOUVER reference style for our paper.

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