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Journal Name:	Advances in Research
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Title of the Manuscript:	Assessment of existing, desired competencies and skills of apple growers in low and high altitude areas of district Shopian in Jammu & Kashmir:
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Title may be modified as 'Evaluation of existing, desired competencies and skills of apple growers in low and high altitude regions of Jammu & Kashmir' Use reference for Apple is commercially the most important temperate fruit and occupies the fourth (4th) position in the world interms of production after banana, orange and grapes (Mahawar et al. 2012). Mahawar M, Singh A, Kumbhar BK, Sahga M, Chand K (2012). Solid state fermentation of Apple pomace as affected by combinations of enzymatic treatment and yeast strains. Journal of Progressive Agriculture. 3 (1): 59-62 Delete these lines, 'China, USA and Turkey ... throughout the world (Anonymous, 2016)'. Give recent production statistics of Apple in India. Introduction section is too lengthy with the repetition of same texts showing importance of Apple and its production status. Make it brief with meaningful sentences. Mention the altitude (low and high). Give details. In R & D section, give suitable References to support the findings. 	<p>Done</p> <p>Done</p> <p>Done</p> <p>Done</p> <p>Done</p> <p>Done</p> <p>Low and high altitude was demarcated by altimeter. As the work is first of its kind so can't give supporting findings.</p>
Minor REVISION comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describe statistical design and analysis used in research study. Punctuation (, and etc.) should be checked and use appropriately. The reference, 'Viewpoint of Apple Growers in West Azerbaijan Province, Iran: <i>World Applied Sciences Journal</i> 15(7): 915-920 is not mentioned in the MS. 	<p>Done</p> <p>Done</p> <p>Done</p>
Optional/General comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Uniformity in writing references (adhere to Journal guidelines) is must. Latest references must be incorporated. Overall good and exhaustive study. 	<p>Done</p> <p>Done</p>