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Title of the Manuscript:	Maximizing land use efficiency of intercropped wheat with faba bean under slow - release nitrogen fertilizer in newly reclaimed sandy soil.
Type of the Article	

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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment <i>(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)</i>
Compulsory REVISION comments	I found that the paper contains material from uncited sources: The lines: “In Egypt, the present distribution of land use is principally the result of long-term historical processes, resulting from the interaction between socio-economic, political and environmental factors.” Are copy-past from the FAO web site http://www.fao.org/3/a-y5863e/y5863e06.htm The lines: “..beans, being legumes, are able to fix and use atmospheric N whilst wheat only uses N already in the soil.” And “The effects of intercropping on the yield of the intercrop components can be evaluated by observing how the yield of one crop at constant seed rate alters in response to changes in seed rate of the other” Are copy paste from: T Döring (Döring, T. Beans and wheat intercropping: a new look at an overlooked benefit.). The lines :	

