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Journal Name:	Annual Research & Review in Biology
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Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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Compulsory REVISION comments	Abstract: Rephrase the last sentence in the study design to delete using and full stop to arranged in a Line 14: Replace has contributed for contributes, Products for product Line 24: Delete of between 1650 and species Line 26-27: Rephrase to this species grows well in both high and low altitudes Line 28: Rephrase to besides ease of growth Kangkung cultivation is favoured due to its quick maturity period Line 32: Replace that involve to involved Line 38: Replace supply for supplied Line 39: Replace also is to is also Line 42: Replace resulting for results Use a grammar checking software like Grammarly to correct the English Line 52-53: Delete repeated photosynthesis Line 61: Insert acid after phenolic; Replace plant for plants; Insert are after plant Line 68: Not clear what increased? Nitrogen? Lines 192, 361, 421, 426: Italicise scientific names Line 214: Replace significantly for significant Results in lines 354-357 are conflicting	
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