



**SDI Review Form 1.6**

Journal Name:	<a href="#">International Journal of Plant &amp; Soil Science</a>
Manuscript Number:	Ms_IJPSS_39962
Title of the Manuscript:	Soil testing scenario in India and its significance in balanced use of fertilizers
Type of the Article	Review Paper

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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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	The manuscript requires major revision which is highlighted on the text itself. Many approaches were tried to cover by just touching them. I strongly suggest the author to tried to relate the soil testing approach with climate smart agriculture which further helps to mitigate the global warming consequences.	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	English through the manuscript need to be rechecked through Grammarly or some other software.	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	"Soil testing" is one approach which could really helps in improving the livelihoods of the farmers in one or the other way. The full significance of soil testing is not delineated here.	

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