



SDI FINAL EVALUATION FORM 1.1

PART 1:

Journal Name:	Journal of Experimental Agriculture International
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JEAI_34346
Title of the Manuscript:	Zinc and organic fertilization in maize augments enzymatic activities and nutrient bio-availability rendering higher production
New Title of the Manuscript	Enzymatic and nutritive evaluation of zinc and organic fertilization on field maize yields in Islamabad - Pakistan
Type of Article:	Original Research Article

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
Lots of missing spaces in ms. See attached Some undefined abbreviations used. It's quite a bit better, but still concludes interactions could only come from N sources whereas the manure could also be adding another nutrient to account for the response. it would be ideal if there was also a 100% manure treatment or a complete analysis of the manure components.	Corrections have been made throughout the MS. Yes, other nutrients are also present in manure which supplement the dose of PK fertilizer, however, it was unavoidable during the experiment. The conclusion has been changed accordingly. Analysis of farmyard manure has been mentioned at Page 4 line 83.