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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	<p>1. <b>Title:</b> It is impossible to measure effect using this study design. To measure effect, there should be advanced study design. And I suggest you to modify the title.</p> <p>2. ....55.83 per cent of the farmers had medium level of food security. The study found that age, education.....Look at this statement and please don't start a sentence using figures.</p> <p><b>Introduction</b></p> <p>3. It is too shallow and not well synthesized and synchronized.</p> <p>4. The problem is not well stated in terms of severity, risk factors, existing policies, strategies and program interventions.</p> <p>5. The study is not well justified and should consider what has been done on the topic? What remains to be done or the gap authors identified? And finally which gap will be filled by the study?</p> <p>6. You have to high light the significance of the study focusing on who are the beneficiaries, what are the benefits and how the benefits can be utilized.</p> <p><b>Methods</b></p> <p>1. To shallow.</p> <p>1.1.What is the source and study population?</p> <p>1.2.What about the inclusion and exclusion criteria?</p> <p>1.3.How maintain the quality of the data?</p> <p>1.4. What about the data analysis issues?</p> <p>2. Where is the ethical issues addressed?</p> <p>3. Why equal number of participants? Do you think the number of farmers are equal in each village? Why not proportional allocation per farmers size/population?</p> <p>4. How you calculated the sample size? It is not clear. Please put the scientific sample size calculation clearly.</p> <p><b>Results</b></p> <p>1. What is your base for age classification? What is your base for family size categorization? At least it should much with some standards either country level or international standards.</p> <p>2.</p> <p>3. When you compare your results with other study findings, please try to consider the context in to account in your discussion.</p> <p>4. There should be recommendation</p>	<p>The title has been modified.</p> <p>The data was maintained by structured interview schedule, statistical tools. No such issues. No ethical issues.</p> <p>Total sample size– 120 in which 15 farmers selected randomly from each village. Sample size does not depend on the population of the particular village. As per the criteria, minimum criteria of selecting the sample size is n= 120.</p> <p>The base for age classification and family size is according to mean and standard deviation which falls into the category of low, medium and high. The text below is an elaborated explanation of the table 6.</p>
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<p>1. The abstract is too short especially the methods and results part. Please try to make it self explanatory.</p> <p>2. Introduction first line: Better to mention the country name rather than “the phrase our country”.</p>	

**Comment [Z1]:** Don't start a sentence using figure and try to use text.

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Optional/General comments	The manuscript is good but it needs some missed and shallow parts. It is only a discrptive study but the title and abstract seems analytical. Be consistent.	
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PART 2:

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes. Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>  It does not address/write on how he/she addressed the four ethical principles.	