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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)
Compulsory REVISION comments A table containing the average land area, production, and productivity of black gram in Tamil Nadu	This research needs to present a table containing the average land area, production, and productivity of black gram in Tamil Nadu in the period 1990-91 to 1999-2000, 2000-01 to 2009-10, 2010-11 to 2018-19, and 1990-91 to 2018-19.	
Minor REVISION comments A graph of the development of area, production, and productivity of black gram	Researcher(s) should supplement the results of this study by presenting a graph of the development of area, production, and productivity of black gram in the Theni District of Tamil Nadu.	
Optional/General comments Further research	<p>The increase in production and improved productivity in the period 2010-11 to 2018-19 especially compared to the period 2000-01 to 2009-10 is most likely due to the increase in revenue targeted by the Government of India. The increase in black gram production and productivity can be expected due to better cultivation techniques, quality seeds, and the use of fertilizers and manure as recommended.</p> <p>Further research needs to look at the influence of the presence of the Farmer Producer Organization (FPO) as Farmer Producer Company (FPC). Farmer producer companies normally carry out the activities such as production, harvesting, processing, procurement, grading, handling, marketing, selling, export of primary produce of the members or import of goods or services for their benefit. Farmer producer companies also renders technical services, consultancy services, training education, research and development and all other activities for the promotion of the interests of its members. In connection with the research, the increase in production and productivity is the dependent variables while the added value through processing, procurement, grading, etc., technical services, consultancy services, and all other activities for the promotion of the interests of its members is the independent variables</p>	

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<u>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</u>	

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