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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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments		
Minor REVISION comments	The manuscript presents a good work, however, I am in doubt about the methodological relationship of the research. Were the experiments performed in isolation? Make it clearer how they were carried out. Why still use HgCl2 for the disinfestation process since it is such a toxic compound that it can lead to the emergence of somaclonal variations in the regenerated plants. Unless this is an intention of the research group. In the conclusion, the authors include the data as if they were analyzed together, hence the doubt regarding the isolated methodology. The bibliographic references are very old and have few. I suggest inserting newer data, because for floriculture there are many updated works, even more with orchidaceas.	
Optional/General comments		

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