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Methodology:	2.1. Study sites: It is better to complement the chemical properties of the soil: pH, CEC, N-total, P available and total, K available and total, etc. Not only ecological traits. 2.2. Land preparation, experimental design and treatments: Please consider adding references: e.g. Darma et al. (2022). 2.3. Data collection and analysis: Writing consistency of ton/ha.
Results:	3.1. Rice paddy yield: The importance of the description of CropLiftBio so that it affects rice yields. In addition, Tables 2 – 9 do not contain columns, but only explain a few sentences. This should be carefully revised.
Discussion:	Nothing.
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