Dear Editors,

Here are the final corrections of our manuscript you asked for.

We are thankful for your remarks and your patience. We once again humbly apologize for being one day late and we are grateful for your understanding.

We hope this final version will please you and match your expectations.

Kind regards,

Maha DEEB

Line 43: only two references selected (Paton, 1978; Wilkinson and Humphreys, 2005).

Line 46: changed in “when technogenic ...”

Line 58: “,” has been deleted

Line 62: “)” has been deleted

Line 66: “a” has been added

Line 68-70: “in this study...until structural properties” has been deleted to avoid repetition.

Line 88: the order of authors has been changed

Line 128: change to “the main agronomic”

$k_L$, $k_M$, $k_N$ has been replaced in the whole manuscript by $K_L$, $K_M$, $K_N$

Line 294: “)” has been deleted

Line 336: “percentage” has been added

Line 399: the order of the authors has been changed

Line 340: “percentage” has been deleted

Line 411: corrected to (2013)

Line 433: “*” has been replaced by “×”

Supplementary information: “were” has been replaced by “was”

All the references have been reviewed.