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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	Material and Methods -The detail information of the NDV1-2 virus vaccine is required ie storage requirement - The information on 260 cockerel broods is redundant as only150 were usedThere are A, B, C, D, E and F groups where B and D received overdoses of vaccine from 50 and 200 doses preparation. What are the differences between group A, C, E and F are not clearly described State clearly the purpose of Haemagglutination test used in this study. Briefly described how HA test was performed although reference was included.	
	Results Referring Table 2. and Table 3 Which column is meant for post vaccination HI tire value? HI values for week-12 are missing.	
Minor REVISION comments		
Optional/General comments	-Statistical analyses may require to show if result in group B and D are significant compared to other groups. -All live vaccines give to chicken are expected to elicit antibodies production but what matters most is whether the antibodies induced are able to protect chicken against NDV infection. -Challenge studies test is necessary to compare the antibodies titres induce by overdose and normal dose vaccinations are able to confer protection against NDV disease. - The conclusion may be written to reflect the objective of the study, where overdose of thermostable vaccine may be in used in a situation where low vaccine virus titre may be expected due to inappropriate storage and unavailability of cold chain. -The suggestion of using overdose vaccine to curb wastage by using all the left over vaccine to vaccinate the chicken sound a bit inappropriate.	

PART 2:

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

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