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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	<p>This article focused on an important topic which is an attempt to assess financial feasibility of layer farms of poultry birds in Chittoor district of Andhra Pradesh, India.</p> <p>The abstract well written and properly structured (objective, methods, results)</p> <p>The overall structure of the paper clear and appropriate</p> <p>The author clearly explains the methodology followed on the basis of NPV, BCR and IRR. Investment in layer farming was found to be most profitable in large farms followed by medium and small farms. This was due to the fact that the benefits per bird were highest and cost of production was lowest on large farms. The study revealed that poultry layer farming is a profitable business in Chittoor district.</p> <p>The paper is based on a statistical analysis, performed in the correct way, the sampling is sufficiently large. In total 60 farms were considered for the study, 20 each of small, medium and large size. The data was collected from poultry farmers with the help of a pretested questionnaire</p>	
Minor REVISION comments	<p>The numerical data presented in tables, are well-organized and structured</p>	
Optional/General comments	<p>The conclusion is well motivated and sufficiently discussed</p> <p>On the basis of NPV, BCR and IRR, investment in layer farming was found to be most profitable in large farms followed by medium and small farms. This was due to the fact that the benefits per bird were highest and cost of production was lowest on large farms. Thus, poultry layer farming is a profitable business and there is still scope for its growth due to increase in demand for poultry products</p>	

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