Response to Reviewers

Responses are in blue

Review 2

Introduction is very poor and need to improve

Introduction was re-evaluated by all authors.

I did not see the source of pathogen

Please see lines 75-77

how many replicate you used in your experiment

Five replicates were used in the controlled environment study see lines 89-90. Three replicates of each treatment combination were used at each site in the field experiments see lines 156-157.

references are old and need to update

70% of papers were published within the last decade with an average of 2013. Authors would suggest that they are relevant and that more recent alternatives not available.

Add DOI for all your references.

According to instructions to authors of MDPI Agronomy DOI's are not required.

The style and font of all references should be the same.

Style and font of references have been amended to comply with MDPI Agronomy formatting.