Review Form 3

Book Name:	Seed Production and farming techniques of Indian Spiny Loach (L. thermalis)
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PART 1: Comments

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Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	This manuscript is a valuable addition to the scientific community, particularly for the field of aquaculture. It addresses the pressing need for the diversification of aquaculture species by focusing on <i>L. thermalis</i> , an indigenous fish species. The book provides comprehensive techniques for seed production and farming, ensuring sustainability and conservation of native species. Furthermore, it offers practical solutions to enhance the livelihoods of fish farmers while promoting eco-friendly aquaculture practices.	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	Yes, the title is appropriate and accurately reflects the book's content. It is concise and clearly conveys the focus on seed production and farming techniques of <i>L. thermalis</i> .	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.	Yes, the abstract is comprehensive and effectively summarizes the book's focus, findings, and importance. No changes are required.	
Is the manuscript scientifically, correct? Please write here.	Yes, the manuscript is scientifically robust and technically sound. The methodologies and results are well- structured, with a clear explanation of techniques and findings. Providing additional clarity on experimental parameters such as water quality thresholds, feeding regimes, and rearing densities would enhance its comprehensiveness.	
Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.	Yes, the references are sufficient and relevant, with key studies cited to support the manuscript's findings. Ensure that all scientific names and journal names are italicized throughout the reference list.	
- Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?	Yes, the language is suitable for scholarly communication.	
Optional/General comments	Adding a dedicated section that highlights challenges encountered during farming, such as disease outbreaks, predation, and environmental constraints, along with potential mitigation strategies, would enhance the book's practical relevance. Furthermore, the inclusion of case studies or successful farming practices of <i>L. thermalis</i> would provide valuable insights for readers and practitioners.	

<u>PART 2:</u>

		Author's comment (if agreed highlight that part in the mai write his/her feedback here)
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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