

***Interactive comment on “Does thermal carbonization (Biochar) of organic material increase more merits for their amendments of sandy soil?” by Y. Wu et al.***

**Anonymous Referee #3**

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This manuscript presents a interesting aspect of using furfural and its biochar in soil ammendments not so normally found in the literature.

Even I am not a native in english I see that there are several parts of this manuscript that should be improved for a better understanding for potential readers.

There is one point where I want to see clarify and is the type of statistical test applied. That is my major concern, it is not a good way to applied a one way ANOVA as they present with these results and I am concern then about their conclusions. Please, think about the statistical test and improve it.

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