Table 2 Effect of spawn rate on fruiting body number, cap diameter, and stipe length

Treatment	Fruiting bodies (No./bag)	Cap diameter (cm)	Stipe length (cm)
T_1 (4%)	24.3 ± 0.95^{d}	5.8 ± 0.21^{a}	4.9 ± 0.18^{a}
T_2 (6%)	29.1 ± 0.95^{c}	5.4 ± 0.21^{ab}	4.5 ± 0.18^{ab}
T_3 (8%)	34.8 ± 0.95^{b}	5.0 ± 0.21^{b}	4.0 ± 0.18^{b}
T_4 (10%, farmer practice)	38.2 ± 0.95^{a}	4.6 ± 0.21^{bc}	3.6 ± 0.18^{bc}
T_5 (12%)	39.0 ± 0.95^{a}	4.1 ± 0.21^{c}	3.2 ± 0.18^{c}
F-value	43.34^{***}	10.45^{***}	14.43^{***}
p-value	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001
CV (%)	6.02	7.44	8.11
Grand mean	33.08	4.98	4.04

Note: Means in a column followed by different lowercase letters differ significantly at $p \leq 0.05$ (DMRT). ** $p \leq 0.01$; *** $p \leq 0.001$. SE: standard error (n = 4); CV: coefficient of variation