Table 2 Effect of date of pinching on male, female flower and sex ratio of Cucumber (*Cucumis sativus* L. cv. Kamini) at Kawasoti, Nepal (2024)

Treatment	Male flower	Female flower	Sex ratio
Pinching at 15 days	51.65^{b}	27.25^{ab}	2.01^{c}
Pinching at 20 days	54.00^{b}	33.92^{a}	1.64^{c}
Pinching at 25 days	58.35^{b}	29.32^{ab}	1.98^{c}
Pinching at 30 days	98.87^{a}	21.25^{bc}	4.67^{b}
Control	114.75^{a}	15.12^{c}	7.64^{a}
Grand mean	3.05	25.37	3.59
SEM (±)	12.10	3.14	0.75
LSD (0.05)	32.29	8.39	2.01
CV (%)	27.75	21.48	36.27
F- test	**	**	***

Note: Means followed by common letter(s) within column are non-significantly different based on DMRT at P=0.05; LSD: Least Significant Difference; SEM: Standard Error of Mean; CV: Coefficient of Variation; DAT: Days After Transplanting; ** significant at 1% level of significance, *** significant at 0.1% level of significance