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PART 1: Review Comments

	Editor's comment	Author's comment
Compulsory REVISION comments	In the abstract, it was stated that " The result also shows that college graduate farmers tend to use more insecticides, fungicides and nematocides, compared to other farmers. The authors must clarify, whether the graduates use proper amounts or overuse the amounts. - The same must be mentioned in the conclusions Table 1: The total frequency is less than 60 and the percentage is Less than 100	It has been clarified- to show overuse The total frequency is 60 and total percentage is 100
Minor REVISION comments	The line just above the MATERIALS AND METHODS , it was indicated that " Therefore extension agents should train pineapple farmers to improve on production technique (16). It should be corrected to:.... farmers to improve production technique In the "RESULTS AND DISCUSSION All the graduate words must be corrected to graduates in terms of educational attainment, 28.3% of the respondents were high school graduates	It has been corrected the changes have been effected as suggested



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	Line 220: It was stated that " This shows that education does not influence fertilizer usage" The authors must clarify or give more explanation. Line 259: It was stated that "Results show that regardless of education attainment farmers handle insecticides between 1-3 years." What does the author/s mean by 1-3 years???	More information has been given Clarification provided
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		