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3. **BROILERS** to BROILER CHICKENS

15. ~~j~~Jatropha

16. the overall in weight again.?

19. broiler chicken

40. 3 reported?

66. (“Dongonyaro”)

78. South-eEast

86. ~~to evaluate the phytochemical in the extracts of *Jatropha curcas* you did not make any phytochemical analyses of the *Jatropha curcas*.~~ Rather say: to evaluate the performance and carcass characteristics of broiler chickens fed *Jatropha curcas*. Need to mention the phytochemical components of *Jatropha curcas* from the literature and also state some of their functions in animal’s diets especially poultry.

110. arbor acre strain broiler chicks

128. Fish meal (72% CP), ~~Dcp~~ to Dicalcium Phosphate (DCP) which type (trade name) of premix used and what it supplies per 100kg diet should be written as foot notes

147. dressed weight.

152. ~~the~~ significant means separated using Duncan multiple range test of the same software ~~at 5%~~

153. ~~level of significance.~~ The means could be different at 1% level

155. ~~j~~Jatropha

156. in fig? in fig. 1 or 2?

161. FCR (Feed Conversion Ratio)

162. difference

178. it to the feed

181. j*Jatropha*

182. *curcas* .It to *curcas*. It

186. principale

199. Performance Characteristics of Broilers Chickens Fed *Jatropha curcas* Leaf Extract

200. Your initial body weight shows 0.4Kg= 400g. what was the actual age of the chicks at the onset of the experiment? You did not mention that in your materials and methods. How did you calculate your total weight gained? Final weight minus initial weight? In final body weight and weight gain, why are the other treatment figures not carrying any superscript letter? Is total feed consumed per bird?

208. (p<>0.05)

211. difference

217. were are

218. 4.

219. 4had to 4 had

221. treatment3 to treatment 3

237. wing or wings, thigh or thighs, drumstick or drumsticks etc. Dresses weight to dressed weight., the percentage in front should also be removed as the figures do not represent percentage. You need to show the dressing percentage also which is: dressed weight/live weight * 100. Note also that any cut up part that is not part of dressed weight is better expressed as a percentage of live weight, as it will make more meaningful decision on the physiological status of the birds e.g heart, pancreas etc.