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### PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	<ul> <li>Lines 82-86. In the antimicrobial assay it seems that no positive control was used. This is very crucial at least for the final production that was performed under optimised conditions and is presented in figure 10. For each case (gram+, gram -, fungi) please give positive control values.</li> <li>Line 93. It is not clear if the experiments for measuring the pH and temperature took into consideration the results of incubation time.</li> <li>Lines 93-123. The conditions of cultivation are missing. For all experiments performed please give details: incubation time, temperature, pH, etc.</li> <li>Line 150 should be corrected to : "Metabolites collected from 10-day old culture of S.crystallinus AZ-A151producing Hygromycin-B exhibited good anti microbial activity"</li> <li>Reference 30 appears in the text after reference 35. Please correct it.</li> <li>References 45 and 46 are missing from the reference list.</li> </ul>	
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