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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)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	Authors have made mistakes in the References section. The list of references should be prepared according to the general guideline for Authors, eg: 1. Hilly M, Adams ML, Nelson SC. A study of digit fusion in the mouse embryo. Clin Exp Allergy. 2002;32(4):489-98.	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>lines 47, 143</b> is: “..Candida..”, should be: “..Candida..”</li> <li>- <b>line 65</b> is: “..80 %..”, should be: “..80%..” - change in each case in the manuscript</li> <li>- <b>line 74</b> is: “..and 20µl of each..”, should be: “..and 20 µl of each..”</li> <li>- <b>line 76</b> is: “..of 80µl of..”, should be: “..of 80 µl of..”</li> <li>- <b>line 84</b> is: “* FL flower; LE leaves; UG Underground parts, FR Fruits”, should be: “* FL flower; LE leaves; UG underground parts; FR fruits”</li> <li>- <b>line 87</b> is: “..mixing 25µl..”, should be: “..mixing 25 µl..”</li> <li>- <b>line 88</b> is: “..(2.5mg/ml)..”, should be: “..(2.5 mg/ml)..”</li> <li>- <b>line 89</b> is: “..with 10µl of AlCl<sub>3</sub>..”, should be: “..with 10 µl of AlCl<sub>3</sub>..”</li> <li>- <b>line 98</b> is: “..25µl of..”, should be: “..25 µl of..”</li> <li>- <b>line 99</b> is: “..and Gallic acid..”, should be: “..and gallic acid..”</li> <li>- <b>line 111</b> is: “AAI=[DPPH] (µg ml<sup>-1</sup>)/IC<sub>50</sub> (µg ml<sup>-1</sup>)”, should be: “AAI=[DPPH] (µg/ml)/IC<sub>50</sub> (µg/ml)”</li> <li>- <b>line 115</b> is: “..in table 2..”, should be: “..in Table 2..”</li> <li>- <b>line 121</b> is: “..of 18 hour old..”, should be: “..of 18 h old..”</li> <li>- <b>line 122</b> is: “..108 CFU/ml..”, should be: “..10<sup>8</sup> CFU/ml..”</li> <li>- <b>line 127</b> is: “..and Percent Inhibition (PI)..”, should be: “..and percent inhibition (PI)..”</li> <li>- <b>line 132</b> is: “..(10mg/mL) and..... (32µg/mL)..”, should be: “..(10 mg/mL) and.... (32 µg/mL)..”</li> <li>- <b>line 135</b> is: “..method [27] Plant extract..”, should be: “..method [27]. Plant extract..”</li> <li>- <b>line 137</b> is: “..be 5 mg/mL..”, should be: “..be 5 mg/ml..”</li> <li>- <b>line 139</b> is: “..of 1 × 10<sup>4</sup> to 5 × 10<sup>4</sup> colony-forming..”, should be: “..of 1 × 10<sup>4</sup> to 5 × 10<sup>4</sup> colony-forming..”</li> <li>- <b>line 140</b> is: “..(CFU/mL)..”, should be: “..(CFU/ml)..”</li> </ul>	



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	<p>- <b>line 141</b> is: “..from 5 mg/mL down to 0.039 mg/mL..”, should be: “..from 5 mg/ml down to 0.039 mg/ml..”</p> <p>- <b>line 144</b> is: “..from 250-1µg/mL for gentamicin, and from 16.0-0.125µg/mL for..”, should be: “..from 1-250µg/ml for gentamicin, and from 0.125-16 µg/ml for..”</p> <p>- <b>line 151</b> is: “..(0.4mg/ml)...”, should be: “..(0.4 mg/ml)..”</p> <p>- <b>line 153</b> is: “..(5 µg/mL)..”, should be: “..(5 µg/ml)..”</p> <p>- <b>line 171</b> is: “..TPC..” – Authors should explain this abbreviation</p> <p>- <b>line 172</b> is: “..of 0.53-14.9 mg..”, should be: “..of 0.53-14.91 mg..”</p> <p>- <b>line 173</b> is: “..(14.9 mg GAE/g extract)..”, should be: “..(14.91 mg GAE/g extrat)..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 173, 199, 218, 222, 231, 253, 254, 273, 277</b> is: “..<i>Rhus coriaria</i>..”, should be: “..<i>R. coriaria</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 175, 187, 198, 200, 231, 254, 278</b> is: “..<i>Epilobium hirsutum</i>..”, should be: “..<i>E. hirsutum</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 175, 187, 203</b> is: “..<i>Pistacia palaestina</i>..”, should be: “..<i>P. palaestina</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>line 176</b> is: “..<i>Ephedra aphylla</i>..”, should be: “..<i>E. aphylla</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 188, 197, 202</b> is: “..<i>Urginea maritima</i>..”, should be: “..<i>U. maritima</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 189, 191, 196, 202, 253, 279</b> is: “..<i>Lycium schweinfurthii</i>..”, should be: “..<i>L. schweinfurthii</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 190, 207, 233</b> is: “..<i>Ceratonia siliqua</i>..”, should be: “..<i>C. siliqua</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>line 191</b> is: “..<i>Echinops adenocaulos</i>..”, should be: “..<i>E. adenocaulos</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 196, 202, 220, 221, 223, 233, 254, 255</b> is: “..<i>Ailanthus altissima</i>..”, should be: “..<i>A. altissima</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>line 196</b> is: “..<i>Alcea setosa</i>..”, should be: “..<i>A. setosa</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 201, 221, 232, 253, 273</b> is: “..<i>Eucalyptus camaldulensis</i>..”, should be: “..<i>E. camaldulensis</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>line 219</b> is: “..60.9- 76.2..”, should be: “..60.8-76.2..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 227, 235, in Table 4</b> is: “..(mg/mL)..”, should be: “..(mg/ml)..”</p> <p>- <b>line 247</b> is: “..anti-dematophytic..”, should be: “..antidermatophytic..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 251, 256</b> is: “..<i>Microsporum canis</i>..”, should be: “..<i>M. canis</i>..”</p> <p>- <b>lines 251, 257</b> is: “..<i>Trichophyton rubrum</i>..”, should be: “..<i>T. rubrum</i>..”</p>	
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	- <b>line 263</b> is: “..plant Extracts..”, should be: “..plant extracts..”	
<b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments	This manuscript is an original and well-written. The title of the manuscript describes its content.	

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