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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	<b>Reviewer's comment</b>	<b>Author's comment</b> <i>(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)</i>
<b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments	<p>The topic of this manuscript is interesting but the author must improve the clarity of the work presented and expand on the method and discussions. I would recommend to be “<b>Bioremediation of used lubricating oil contaminated three Brazilian soils</b>”</p> <p>Introduction did not see the objective of this research.</p> <p>In the title used “lubricating oil” but in content sometime use motor oil, engine oil or spent oil, I would suggest the author use the same word.</p> <p>In 2.4 Determination of the physicochemical soil properties, the author should be added the method for soil texture and moisture assay.</p> <p><b>In discussion, need more literature review or research and the. It is necessary to update some references</b></p>	
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