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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">International Research Journal of Pure and Applied Chemistry</a>                                                 |
| Manuscript Number:       | 2013_IRJPAC_8592                                                                                                             |
| Title of the Manuscript: | CHARACTERIZATION OF BIOACTIVE SESQUITERPENES AND ORGANIC ACIDS AND THEIR DERIVATIVES FROM THE LEAVES OF PSIDIUM GUAJAVA LINN |
| Type of the Article      | Original research                                                                                                            |

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**PART 1: Review Comments**

|                                            | <b>Reviewer's comment</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | <b>Author's comment</b> (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)              |
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| <b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments | <p>Can be accepted for publication if following comments addressed properly</p> <p>Voucher specimen number should be included.<br/>Is there any specific reason drying leaf for 30 days.<br/>Extraction process needs some clarity, please provide reference.<br/>Validation of analytical method or produced reference if used any published methodology.<br/>Single instrument identification not accepted for identification of compounds. Better use at least one or two compounds and quantify either on HPLC or GCMS.<br/>Literature survey not properly done major articles related to this study were not cited<br/>i.e. Chemical composition of the leaf volatile oil of Psidium guajava L. Flavour &amp; Fragrance Journal Vol 18, issue 2, 136-138 (2003).</p> | <p>The leaves were found to be properly dried on the 30<sup>th</sup> day; no specific reason.<br/>Ok.</p> <p>Your comment not clear/understood</p> <p>All related articles must not be cited.</p> |
| <b><u>Minor</u></b> REVISION comments      |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments    | Poor quality of figures.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Figures were drawn with Chemdraw software.                                                                                                                                                        |