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PART 1:

Journal Name:	European Journal of Nutrition & Food Safety
Manuscript Number:	Ms_EJNFS_45667
Title of the Manuscript:	Mycotoxin contamination of food and associated health risk in Cameroon: A 25-years review (1993-2018)
Type of Article:	Review Paper

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
The authors made modifications to their initial manuscript and improved it (especially regarding table presentation). One information of interest could have been added (in the text but more probably in table 3): it is the % of samples exceeding regulations. Indeed, these samples are of major concern regarding both sanitary and economic impacts of mycotoxins and this % is more important than the mean or extreme values that can be encountered since it corresponds to food batches that may represent a real hazard and/or shall be withdrawn. Their frequency is a good indicator of the probability of exposure of consumers.	Thank you dear reviewer for your comments which contribute in improving the quality of our review paper. As you are recommending, we had thought about inserting the “% of samples exceeding regulations” when writing the paper but the matter was that this information was not always available in the research papers we mentioned. In fact, authors generally present the range of concentration they obtained, the % of positive samples and evaluate exposition level through a deterministic approach. Furthermore for some indigenous food (sorghum, cassava and derived products...) there is not yet a regulation. However we have reported in the text the general comments authors have made when comparing their results to standards when it was the case.