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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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	Suppress from Table 1 all categories with "0". You can describe such results as text. Only fixed assets are subjected to depreciation. I am not quite sure if bowls and containers qualify for depreciation. If so, how long is its estimated life? Also, you include an item "rent", what is this for? In Table 3 suppress the expression "(61)" and "100" that is repeated inside the cells. They could be rather placed at the end of each category of variables	-I have removed all categories with "0" in Table 1 and the results in the text actually stated what is the table.(See highlighted area with yellow) -The bowls and containers are fixed items. The bowls are made of rubbers. They are used in measuring ogbono and the average life span given by the marketers was 20 years as many of them claimed they have been using it from inception of their business. It is usually sold by the marketing board at ₦160. The containers are bigger bowls used to carry ogbono on the tables where they are sold. The average life span and average selling price were 9 years and ₦1800 respectively. -Rent is the price paid per annum for shop. It is a variable cost. - I have suppressed the expression "(61)" that is repeated inside the cells and indicated it at the end of the tables. (See highlighted area with yellow) . The "100" which is just one is a result obtained from ranking formula so it can not be suppressed.
Minor REVISION comments	In the Abstract, how "the urgent need" to plant ogbono is justified? You do not give convincing arguments. In several places you say "militating", I guess it should be "limiting" Not all references were written according to journal's guidelines. Please check.	- I justified the urgent need" to plant ogbono under discussion (please read the highlighted area with yellow) and only recommended it in abstract and conclusion. - "Militating" may be too strong a word since it means outright prevention. I replaced with limiting as suggested by you. (See highlighted area with yellow) - I have checked the references. (See highlighted area with yellow)
Optional/General comments	For the most, paper is fine. Most comments are related to form issues, not to technical or methodological problems. However, it is recommended to check thoroughly grammar and spelling.	- I have again check thoroughly for grammar and spelling. Thank you.