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PART 1:

Journal Name:	Journal of Experimental Agriculture International
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JEAI_31864
Title of the Manuscript:	Leaf Tip Die- Back of <i>Yucca elephantipes</i> caused by <i>Lasiodiplodia theobromae</i> Pat. and Production of Phytotoxin in Culture Filtrate and Infected Leaves
New title	Leaf Tip Die- Back of <i>Yucca elephantipes</i> by <i>Lasiodiplodia theobromae</i> Pat. and Production of Phytotoxin in Filtrate and Infected Leaves
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PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
The manuscript should be accepted for publication after incorporating the following minor changes. 1. Abstract: In the sentence the isolated fungus was grown in Czapek- Dox liquid medium "in"should be replaced with "on". 2. Material and methods: a) Line no. 66-67. The sentence "The small pieces were surfaced sterilized by dipping in a 0.5% solution of sodium hypochlorite for 2 min and rinsed in three changes of sterile distilled water in order to remove all traces of the disinfectant" Should be replaced with "The small pieces were surfaced sterilized by dipping in a 0.5% solution of sodium hypochlorite for 2 min and rinsed thrice with sterile distilled water to remove all traces of the disinfectant" b) Line 78, under x10 and x40 magnifications...should be modified to...under 10x and 40x magnifications. c) Line 90, "in three changes of"....should be replaced by "thrice." d) Line 94,97.... "4^oC" should be replace with "4°C" e) Line 115, was should be deleted f) Line 116, "mins"should be replace with "minutes". g) Line 126 "Amusa and others [11]" should be replaced with "Amusa et al. [11]" and should be joined with the second sentence. h) Line 127.... "Litre" should be replace with "L" i) Line 136...for Anova Which software was used?, write its name and version	



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3. References

All references are not formatted uniformly and should be formatted as per the journals guidelines. Author name is not written as per the format (line no. 281). Sometimes journal name is abbreviated (mostly) and sometimes written in full (line no. 285). For referencing the use of endnote is encouraged.

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