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| Journal Name            | <a href="#">Journal of Experimental Agriculture International</a>                                                            |
| Manuscript Number       | <b>Ms_JEAI_32557</b>                                                                                                         |
| Title of the manuscript | <b>Mineral nutrients in inflorescence sap produced from various coconuts (Cocos nucifera L.) cultivated in Côte d'Ivoire</b> |
| Type of the Article     | <b>Original Research Article</b>                                                                                             |

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#### **Part 1: Review comment**

|                              | Reviewer's comment                                                                                                                                                                                                         | Authors comment |
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| Compulsory: Revision Comment | Plagiarism issue:<br>Sap harvested twice (Abstract; methodology) was mentioned in a paper presented at international conference on "fixed film biological processes" first kings Island, Ohio. April 20-23; 1982 Volume II |                 |
| Minor: Revision Comment      | The manuscript was well written with some correction that need to be address:<br>43. Minerals represent 4% human body and are provided by the food(need to be referenced)<br>73 &90. ten mg should be in figure as 10mg    |                 |
| Optional/ General Comment    | 77. Ash content should be express in %<br>144. Macro mineral elements are consisted in.... Should be change to "the macro nutrient are...."                                                                                |                 |

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