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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	The study is good and timely as it highlights the constraints to the full realization of the productive potentials of cocoa (an economy cash crop) in the study area. The findings on the peak seasons of relative abundance of pests and disease pathogens has really provided baseline information for the development of an integrated pest management plan and routine control program by mandate institutions for increase yield and income to cocoa farmers and reduce the environmental effect of pesticides in the area and sub Saharan African countries with similar climatic conditions.	
Minor REVISION comments	Areas marked with comment icons in the manuscript are areas that need revision and corrections. Authors should please effect all the corrections properly as required. The methodology adopted especially in the determination of insect pest populations should be reviewed to be scientifically inclined and acceptable. The study did not mention any specific indigenous knowledge like the use of specific botanicals for control other than cultural practices only. All journals cited in the references should be written in full and not abbreviated to enable for easy citation count and source referencing. All cited work in the text must be reflected in the references.	
Optional/General comments	Good work and presentation.	

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