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Title of the Manuscript:	Prevalence of mosaic and leaf curl diseases of okra (<i>Abelmoschus esculentus</i> L. Moench) in the Central region of Ghana
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	The title of the manuscript is confusing; it gives the impression that a purposeful survey was conducted in the study areas and the detection of those diseases using diagnostic methods. It should be reflected in the title that it is purely based on the questionnaires administered on farmers in the specific study areas. I cannot see where the author(s) related the specific symptoms to the individual viruses using any diagnostic method except for symptomatology, which of course is not conclusive in determining presence/absence of a virus. This is a major flaw in the methodology. The author(s) therefore will be required to present only the analysis of the questionnaire administered to the farmers after changing the title to reflect same.	
<u>Minor</u> REVISION comments		
<u>Optional/General</u> comments		

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