

Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	Journal of Applied Life Sciences International
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JALSI_81787
Title of the Manuscript:	Antibacterial and Antifungal Activities of a Medicinal Soap made from Ginger (<i>Zingiber officinale</i>) and Clove (<i>Syzygium aromaticum</i>) Essential Oils
Type of the Article	Short 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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Title can be changed as "Evaluation of Antibacterial and Antifungal Activities of a Medicinal Soap made from <i>Zingiber officinale</i>, <i>Syzygium aromaticum</i> and Essential Oils". It may look better. Impact of essential oils on skin to be included in introduction portion. Italicize all the microbes name throughout the article. In 2.1.3 MCB should be changed as MBC. In 2.2.1 Extraction of essential oils, show the reference number (8) at the end. That would be right. No furthermore discussion about the reference antibiotic Ciprofloxacin for Bacteria. Why didn't use reference antibiotic for fungi? 	
Minor REVISION comments	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Show the reference for 2.2.2. Soap preparation. No details about the consumer in case of 9-Point hedonic scale analysis results of the acceptability of the soap. 	
Optional/General comments	While the extraction of essential oils you have used Na ₂ SO ₄ which is a neutral salt (reference 8). So, the pH of this soap is 7. The reliability of this soap will increase if you let it know its pH level. It is my opinion. This Research Article is very well written. Because of commercial soap damage the skin, we should concentrate on alternatives to that. So, I suggest this article for publication.	

PART 2:

	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)
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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