

Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	Annual Research & Review in Biology
Manuscript Number:	Ms_ARRB_93568
Title of the Manuscript:	QUALITATIVE PHYTOCHEMICAL SCREENING AND LARVICIDAL EFFICACY OF PHYSIC NUT (<i>Jatropha curcas</i>) LEAVES, STEM-BARK AND ROOT EXTRACTS ON MOSQUITO LARVAE.
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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	No apply.	
Minor REVISION comments	No apply.	
Optional/General comments	<p>It is an interesting manuscript focused on the phytochemical screening of <i>Jatropha curcas</i> leaves and the larvicidal efficacy of extracts.</p> <p>Please consider the following comments before publication: i) State the objective of this Research work in the end of the introduction.</p> <p>ii) In the section of Results "Phytochemical Analysis", in the text it should be added more description and analysis of results. Mention table related but discuss about that, compare with similar studies from literature. Exploit the knowledge acquired from this section.</p> <p>iii) Check legends. For example, in Table 2 is missing legends.</p> <p>iv) In table 1 if it is available add information about determined quantities of the components.</p> <p>v) About methods, please consider to add if it applicable, some initial control of the used larvae, such as for example control by Microscopy; and in similar manner mention control experiments.</p> <p>vi) A final suggestion; if it is of the interest of the author to discuss it could be highlighted the main anti-larvae biocompound responsible of the effect. And by this manner discuss perspectives from natural sources and synergic synthetic mixtures.</p> <p>It is just a suggestion.</p>	

PART 2:

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

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