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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)
<p><b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments</p> <p>1. <b>Is the manuscript important for scientific community?</b> (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. <b>Is the title of the article suitable?</b> (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. <b>Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</b></p> <p>4. <b>Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b></p> <p>5. <b>Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</b></p> <p>6. <b>Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</b></p> <p><b>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</b></p>	<p>While the results of the study suggest a significant difference between smokers and non-smokers in terms of ocular surface symptoms, there may be some confounding factors that were not addressed by the authors. For example, the study does not consider the potential impact of other lifestyle factors, such as diet, other medications, environmental factors, effect of age, UV index or exercise, on ocular surface health. Additionally, the study only includes current smokers, and does not consider the effects of previous smoking or smoking cessation.</p> <p>It is possible that some of the observed differences between smokers and non-smokers may be due to underlying factors, examination setting and small sample size rather than smoking itself.</p> <p>Overall, while the results of the study suggest a relationship between smoking and ocular surface symptoms, there may be some confounding factors that were not addressed. Further research is needed to fully understand the impact of smoking on ocular health and to control for potential confounding variables.</p> <p>Finally, this study did not report anything new, and similar to other previous studies. This report can be strengthened by adding a comprehensive literature review and summarizing previous studies.</p>	
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