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Journal Name:	**Journal of Advances in Microbiology**
Manuscript Number:	**Ms_JAMB_113635**
Title of the Manuscript:	**Detection of Mycobacterium Tuberculosis using Acid Fast Bacilli (AFB) Test among Subjects in Rivers State of Nigeria**
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PART 1: Review Comments

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Minor REVISION comments **1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?**	YES	
Optional/General comments	SOME WRITING ISSUES:HIGHLIGHTED AS RED IN PAPER TEMPLATE IN ABSTRACT: caused *Mycobacterium*- caused by *Mycobacterium,* larger-more extensive, IN INTRODUCTION: with potential spread- with the potential to spread, TB, occurring-TB, development of either latent or active TB- latent or active TB development, giving rise to-creating, in specific instances- remove this, disintegrate- disintegrate in specific instances, triggering- and triggering, a combination of-remove this, stands out as-is, limitations-put comma after this, aimed at mitigating the burden of this disease- to mitigate this disease's burden. play a role in expanding-expand. **MATERIALS/METHOD:** Drawn-remove this, years-remove this, -To ensure a comprehensive representation across various age groups, genders, and occupations, a stratified random sampling method was employed- A stratified random sampling method was employed to ensure a comprehensive representation across various age groups, genders, and occupations. Centres-centers, committee-Committee, with-remove this, purpose, procedures- purpose and procedures. at any time-remove this. **DISCUSSION:** other the- other than the, variables-put comma after this, there have been studies that-some studies, a significant differences- significant differences, sex-put comma after this, status-put comma after this, small- put comma after this, very low-deficient, larger-more prominent, limitations of the study-study limitations, CONCLUSION: Possibly-remove this, to further explore these complexities- to explore these complexities further,	

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