

Editor's Comment:

I have gone through the manuscript and find certain small corrections. One is a factual error. These are listed below as well as highlighted in the PDF version. The manuscript is otherwise well written and is a compilation of useful information for the researchers.

1. It is written: 'about 500 g/kg L-Theanine': The quantity given is very high; This means that 50% of the dry weight of leaves is Theanine only. As per the statement given in the Introduction, theanine makes up to 1-2% of the dry weight of leaves, which means the quantity will be 10-20 g from 1.0 kg dry weight of leaves. Please check as this is a gross mistake.

2. P. 7 and 8: It is mentioned at two or three places as 'cystine' . The authors may check whether it is cystine or cysteine. These are two different amino acids.

3. Formatting is needed as italics is avoided for certain terminologies such as 'in vitro', 'in vivo' etc.

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The manuscript could be got corrected before final acceptance.

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