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| Journal Name: | Microbiology Research Journal International |
| Manuscript Number: | Ms_MRJI_114121 |
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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) |
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| <p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript) 2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title) 3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? 4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate? 5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct? 6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form. <p>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</p> | <p>May be</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes, but it needs some improvement.</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> <p>Yes</p> | |
| <p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications? | <p>Some grammatical mistakes need to be improved throughout the manuscript.</p> | |
| <p>Optional/General comments</p> | <p>Some specific questions need to be addressed:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Please rewrite a well-structured abstract including subsections such as aim, study design, methodology, results, etc. 2. Please rewrite the introduction section with more emphasis on the original problem. 3. Please clearly write the full name of each study area. 4. Please write the sampling method in detail. 5. For Microbial plate count the following formula is used: $N=5a \times 10000/(bt)$ What is 5a, 10000 and bt represent? 6. The percentage of occurrence was calculated using the formula: Percentage (%) of Occurrence = $\frac{\text{No. of isolate}}{\text{Total No. Tested}} \times 100$ Please clearly write what is the total no. tested denotes? 7. In section 2.5 Bacterial identification, it is written... "Bacteria were identified using different biochemical tests". Where are the results of bacterial biochemical identification? Please clarify. 8. Identification of bacterial and fungal colonies obtained on agar media plates was done basis of the pattern of growth, shape of the colony, the color of the colony, elevation surface area, edge, odor, hemolysis, etc. Kindly include a table mentioning the main characteristic specific for each bacterial and fungal genera based on which identification was done. 9. Please check Journal's guidelines for reference style. 10. Please include acknowledgement, author's contribution and ethical declarations statements | |

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