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Journal Name:	Journal of Advances in Biology & Biotechnology
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JABB_124504
Title of the Manuscript:	Effect of culture filtrates of Trichoderma spp. as inducer on growth parameters of tomato (<i>Lycopersicum esculentum</i> L.) against Fusarium wilt
Type of the Article	Original research paper

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PART 1: Review Comments

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Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	No. The title doesn't describe the article topic with precision. There are not results related to the influence or effects of <i>Trichoderma</i> isolates on <i>Fusarium</i> strain or their impact on the disease development. An alternative title: Effect of culture filtrates of <i>Trichoderma</i> spp. as inducer on growth parameters of tomato (<i>Lycopersicon esculentum</i> L.)	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.	According to Editorial rules Abstract section should be divided in sub-sections: Aims. Study design, methodology, results on so on. In general the manuscript does not follow the typographical standards indicated by the editors or in paper template. I suggest to the authors read carefully the instructions for submissions given in web site of Journal indicating in: https://journaljabb.com/index.php/JABB/about/submissions	
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Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.	The authors should be indicate the references according the editorial rules	
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PART 2:

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment <i>(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)</i>
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