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Journal Name:	<a href="#">Journal of Experimental Agriculture International</a>
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JEAI_129616
Title of the Manuscript:	Effect of neem ( <i>Azadirachta indica</i> ) and castor ( <i>Ricinus communis</i> ) leaf extracts on root-knot nematodes of the genus <i>Meloidogyne</i> in tomato ( <i>Solanum lycopersicum</i> ) culture
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