

Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Research in Zoology
Manuscript Number:	Ms_AJRIZ_83684
Title of the Manuscript:	Effect of Sub-Lethal Concentrations of Vernonia amygdalina (Bitter Leaf) on Testes of Clarias gariepinus (African Catfish) Juveniles
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

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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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	NIL	
Minor REVISION comments	1. Page no 4- Experimental Design- size (striked off) and age of fish used not mentioned. Male/ female and their number used not mentioned. 2. . Page no 4-In 2.4 Sub-Lethal Concentrations of Aqueous Crude Leaf Extract of V. amygdalina and Test Procedure- The weighed samples were macerated in 1 L of distilled water for 24 hours at room temperature (27.0°C) to obtain the stock solution.- The weighed samples – how much quantity should be specified. 3. Page no 4- the fish was fed to satiation at 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. with commercial fish feed (Vital feed®).- Composition of feed should be given. 4. Page no 4- The fish was transferred into aquaria containing dechlorinated municipal tap water- Author should give the physico- chemical parameters of the aquaria water. 5. Author should suggest a concentration of bitter leaf which could be non toxic to the fish used in the experiment.	
Optional/General comments	Good work , need few changes as suggested	

PART 2:

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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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