

Review Form 1.6

Journal Name:	Current Journal of Applied Science and Technology
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Title of the Manuscript:	Effect of processing methods on the nutritional composition of ripe pumpkin fruit
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)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments	This manuscript requires profound changes prior to publication.	
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<u>Optional/General</u> comments	The methodology for the preparation of products should be described and the flow diagrams attached in annexes. In the "data analysis" section he/She mentions that a DBCA was applied to analyze the results of the sensorial evaluation. However, this information does not appear in the manuscript. In the analysis of results he/She only explains that the values of a product are higher or lower, but he does not mention the possible causes of these differences. Finally, in order to compare the results of the different products, they must be expressed on the same basis (dry or wet).	

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