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	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	The article deals with a simple study, but of local importance. It needs several corrections to be considered suitable for publication.	
	Authors must make it clear to readers what the hypothesis of the study is and what its objective is. And that's not in the manuscript!	
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	After making these corrections, I believe that the work will be ready for publication.	
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