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| Journal Name: | Asian Food Science Journal |
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| Title of the Manuscript: | Effect of Some Packaging Materials on the Storage, Carotenoid Content and Storage Properties of Ground Pepper |
| 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) |
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| Compulsory REVISION comments | In Abstract, fat (6.97-16.17%) is wrong. It might be 16.97-16.17%. According to the moulds identification methods, the count of moulds (10^{-4}) might be wrong. Because it will be difficult to observe after dilution. Line 133, there was no significant ($P < 0.05$) should be $P > 0.05$. | Corrected to read "fat (16.97 - 16.17%). Mounds counts has been corrected Corrected to read " $P > 0.05$ " |
| Minor REVISION comments | Line 80, pepper was stored for 3 months. Why the quality parameters was only measured on day 60? | Three (3) months statement was wrong. Pepper samples was stored for two months. That is, 30 and 60 days storage. Hence, has been corrected. |
| Optional/General comments | In this study, effects of PP package with different thickness on pepper quality was evaluated. The paper write well and can give useful information for prolonging the storage period of dried pepper. | |

PART 2:

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