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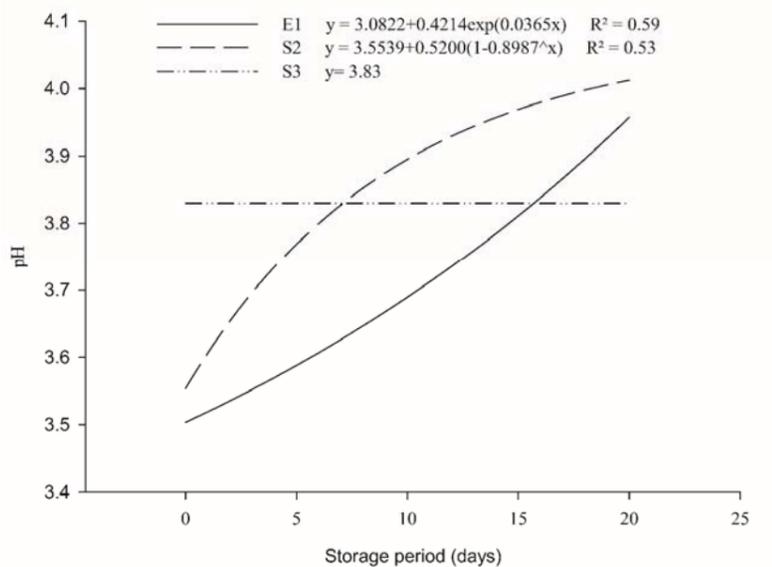
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PART 1: Review Comments

	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	<p>1) Generally, farmers prefer to harvest red pitaya fruit at any stage, the above harvesting stage, how bad is it?. Authors should add details this section.</p> <p>2) Material and Method: Line 71-72: five assessment intervals (1, 5, 10, 15 and 20). But recorded data in all Fig show the assessment at 0, 5, 10, 15 and 20 days. It is therefore conflicting.</p> <p>3) Fig 1: No any symbol represent to S1, S2 or S3</p> <p>4) What is amide?. Authors should write more details about it.</p> <p>5) Decreasing changes of amide and increasing total sugar, how are they related?. Authors should write more details in this section.</p> <p>6) Due to red pitaya fruit as nonclimacteric fruit, why fruit age at S1 showed different responses from fruit age at S2 and S3 (Fig 5 and Fig 8).</p> <p>7) Fig 7, why is there only one line. What is this one line? S1, or S2 or S3? Where are the other two lines gone?.</p>	
Minor REVISION comments	<p>1) Fig 9</p>  <p>Text above the graph: No E1, authors should be change to S1</p> <p>2) Line 335: Senho RF et al. authors should specify details of et al.</p> <p>3) Line 342: Magaña BW et al. authors should specify details of et al.</p> <p>4) Line 372: Silva CC et al. authors should specify details of et al.</p> <p>5) Line 377: (<i>Opuntia ficus indica</i>) change to (<i>Opuntia ficus indica</i>)</p> <p>6) Line 399: Braz VB et al authors should specify details of et al.</p> <p>7) Line 402: Centurión YAR et al authors should specify details of et al.</p>	
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