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PART 1:

Journal Name:	Annual Research & Review in Biology
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Title of the Manuscript:	CORRELATION ANALYSIS OF TOXIC METALS DISTRIBUTION AND POLLUTION INDICES IN SOIL, BEANS AND MAIZE SAMPLES OF KANO STATE, NIGERIA
Type of Article:	Original Research Article

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
Little has been attended to of the previous comments. The major concern is that it is not clear how the soil samples were digested. The text suggests analysis methods only for the vegetation samples and it is not clear how the soil samples were treated. Without such clarity the results cannot be interpreted	It was already stated that acid digestion was used for soil samples, I have now included the protocol in the revised manuscript. Thank you