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<b>Introduction</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Line 23:</b> Insert 1.</li> <li>2. <b>Line 30:</b> According to (mention the author's name but no date then [3]). e.g. According to Akotiet <i>al.</i> [3], .....</li> <li>3. You should talk about the characteristics of the plant and what necessitated your choice of that particular plant.</li> <li>4. <b>Line 39</b>.....: You have not established the gap in literature that necessitated your study as well as stated in clear terms what your study entails.</li> </ol>	
<b>Materials and Methods</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Line 40:</b> Insert 2.</li> <li>2. <b>Line 41:</b> Insert 2.1</li> <li>3. <b>Line 48:</b> Insert 2.2</li> <li>4. <b>Line 50:</b> Mention the author but no date. (e.g. Aku[8])</li> <li>5. <b>Line 51:</b> Insert 2.3</li> <li>6. <b>Line 58:</b> Insert 2.4</li> <li>7. <b>Line 59:</b> Method of (mention the author [8])</li> <li>8. <b>Line 60:</b> Insert 2.5</li> <li>9. <b>Line 63:</b> as described by <b>Author's name [9]</b>.</li> <li>10. <b>Line 64:</b> by the methods of <b>Author's name [10]</b>.</li> <li>11. <b>Line 70:</b> Insert 2.6</li> <li>12. <b>Line 75:</b> Insert 2.7</li> <li>13. <b>Line 77:</b> as described by <b>Author's name [12]</b></li> <li>14. <b>Line 80:</b> Insert 2.8</li> <li>15. <b>Line 90:</b> using the method of <b>Author's name [13]</b>, while ..... <b>Author's name [14]</b></li> <li>16. <b>Line 91:</b> Insert 2.9</li> </ol>	
<b>Results and Discussion</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Line 95:</b> Insert 3.</li> <li>2. <b>Line 98:</b> ..... Similar to that of <b>Author's name</b> but no date [15]. Do same on lines 101 [16], 103 [17] and 106 [18].</li> </ol>	
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