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<i>El método está explicado de forma correcta y cumple con la explicación de los procesos. The method is explained correctly and complies with the explanation of the processes.</i>	
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<i>The title fulfills the general norms of the scientific writing.</i>	
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<i>The ABSTRACT is structured in a correct way in its sections: Introduction, Materials and methods, Results and Discussion</i>	

3. There are few grammatical errors and spelling mistakes in this article.	1
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <i>In the text of the article problems of number agreement; for example, in the ABSTRACT: “El rendimiento del jamón cocido, se relacionaron positivamente con la concentración de almidón de plátano y el mayor tiempo de masajeo (30 min), donde se obtuvieron los mayores valores (121.4 ± 0.36 %).</i> ▪ <i>Lack of clarity exists in some parts of the text of the article; for example: in the first paragraph of the INTRODUCTION the authors refer: “Los países consumidores de productos cárnicos son China (27 %), Estados Unidos (16 %), Unión Europea (15 %)...”;</i> however, all the countries of the world consume meat products, not alone those that are related. ▪ <i>It is recommended not to use the old norms of the inorganic chemical nomenclature, because the IUPAC from the year 2005 intend not to make it; for example: it is suggested to write saltpeter of sodium and not sodium saltpeter.</i> ▪ <i>In the text of the article redundancies and verbosity appear; for example: “García-Solis et al., (2018) evaluaron el uso de harina de plátano verde para preparar galletas sin gluten con alto contenido de fibra dietética. Los resultados indicaron que la harina de plátano verde se puede utilizar como sustituto de los ingredientes comerciales para producir galletas sin gluten con alto contenido de fibra dietética y un bajo índice glucémico.”</i> ▪ <i>Some decimal numbers don't fulfill the norms of the scientific writing in Castilian, because they are written with point (.), and not with coma (,) as is correct.</i> ▪ <i>Some orthographic errors exist.</i> ▪ <i>Some measure units are not written according to the International Norma; for example: ml is written when it is mL.</i> ▪ <i>Numbers of a digit are written in number form, and not in letters like it is correct; for example: “...se agitó con una varilla de vidrio por 1 minuto.”</i> ▪ <i>The comma is used to separate the numbers in classes, when the correct thing is a space; for example: “...se centrifugaron los tubos por 15 min a 10,000 rpm...”</i> ▪ <i>The first paragraph of the section Results and Discussion should be located in the Introduction.</i> ▪ <i>The conceptualization that is given on sensorial evaluation in the page 10 is suggested that it passes for the INTRODUCTION.</i> 	
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<i>The authors Jiménez-Marín et al., 2019 y Zamora & Mendoza, 2018 they appear</i>	

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<i>El título se adecua perfectamente al trabajo realizado y de acuerdo con el objetivo y lo descrito en la metodología así como resto del documento. Es claro y bien redactado abarcando los puntos esenciales de la investigación dándonos una idea clara del tema abordado.</i>	
2. The abstract clearly presents objects, methods and	5

results.	
<i>Hay una pequeña introducción al tema. Enseguida se describen claramente el objetivo seguido de metodología la cuál es clara, para finalizar con resultados y conclusiones. El resumen nos da una idea clara y completa de lo que aborda el trabajo de investigación incluyendo todos los puntos importantes de la misma.</i>	
3. There are few grammatical errors and spelling mistakes in this article.	4
<p><i>Después de una revisión minuciosa del documento solo se encontraron algunos errores ortográficos que no cambian para nada el contexto o interpretación del trabajo de investigación. Se numeraron los renglones para su fácil identificación.</i></p> <p>Renglón 70: que no se obtienen (Falta la n).</p> <p>Renglón 102: (Ssonko y Muranga, 2017). Debe ser: (Ssonko & Muranga, 2017).</p> <p>Renglón 134: esta tenía... sería: estas tenían... (En plural)</p> <p>Renglón 138: La abreviación M. balbisiana C, podría referenciarse desde el renglón 131. Los frutos de M. balbisiana Colla (M. balbisiana C) o de otro renglón anterior donde se mencione porque no menciona anteriormente la abreviación.</p> <p>Renglón 153: cuadrado M. balbisiana... Falto la C para que quedara: M. balbisiana C.</p> <p>Renglón 193: comparación medias... comparación de medias. (Falta la palabra de)</p> <p>Renglón 196: Falta punto final del párrafo.</p> <p>Renglón 209: aún, es separado a un tiempo de masajeo...</p> <p>Renglón 250: La palabra: optimas... lleva acento: óptimas...</p> <p>Renglón 324: (Jiménez-Marínet al., 2019). (Jiménez-Marínet et al., 2019). (Falta et)</p> <p>Renglón 335: adicionados almidón... Adicionados con almidón... (falta la palabra con)</p> <p>Renglón 346: Detectaron un comportamientos.. (Quitar la palabra un o poner en singular el párrafo: Detectaron un comportamiento similar...).</p> <p>Renglón 349: (Tofiño-Rivera y col., 2017) debe ser: (Tofiño-Rivera et al., 2017).</p> <p>Renglones 374 y 395: Espacios al inicio. Son la bilbiografía 1 y 7.</p>	
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6. The conclusions or summary are accurate and	5

supported by the content.	
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