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| Journal Name: | [**South Asian Journal of Research in Microbiology**](https://journalsajrm.com/index.php/SAJRM) |
| Manuscript Number: | **Ms\_SAJRM\_134952** |
| Title of the Manuscript: | **Antifungal Activity of Different Extracts of Ocimum gratissimum on Fungi Isolated from Salon Equipment in Rivers State, Nigeria** |
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