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| Is the manuscript scientifically, correct? Please write here. | The manuscript has followed scientific research procedures. The author has applied ecocritical and postcolonial theories to Ahmed Sofa’s book *Tales of Flowers, Trees and Birds*. The author has substantiated his or her argument with evidence and explanations. However, the author could pull up evidence more from peer reviewed articles rather than books and blogs. | The updated version carries references from the journal. |
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