

Table 3 pH of water and soil within cassava processing industries

Environment	pH of site A	pH of site B	pH of site C
Well water (within industry)	7.53 ±0.02 ^b	Not Sampled	Not Sampled
Effluent from pressing unit within industry	5.79 ±0.08 ^b	6.02 ±0.02 ^a	Not Sampled
Topsoil around pressing unit	6.53 ±0.02 ^{ab}	6.29 ±0.02 ^a	7.19 ±0.27 ^c
Subsoil	7.62 ±0.03 ^d	6.89 ±0.07 ^a	7.43 ±0.17 ^c

Note: A= Igbatoro cassava processing industry, B= Road block cassava processing industry and C= Aba oyo cassava processing industry; Each value is Means ±Standard deviation of three replicates. Values followed by the same letter in the same column are not significantly different using Turkey's HSD Test at P<0.05