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Capsicum annuum
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**B**

Supplementary material. (A) Humid chamber with immature fruits after injury created in the middle region of each fruit with a sterilized needle followed by inoculation with 20 μ L of the *C. gloeosporioides* fungus spore solution. (B) Immature and ripe fruits ranging from 2 to 5 cm in length and 1 to 1.5 g per fruit after 48h of inoculation with *C. gloeosporioides* fungus spore. Arrows indicate the point of inoculation.