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PART 1:

Journal Name:	South Asian Journal of Parasitology
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Title of the Manuscript:	Prevalence of Soil Transmitted Helminthes (STHs) Among Pupils of Community Primary Schools in Nkpor and Mgbodohia, Obio/Akpor Local Government Area, Rivers State, Nigeria.
Type of Article:	Original research papers

PART 2:

FINAL EVALUATOR'S comments on revised paper (if any)	Authors' response to final evaluator's comments
<p>Fig 1: The bar chart does not correctly represent the percentage of pupils not infected.</p> <p>Table 1: The calculations for the "total infected (%)" does not tally with the sum of the parasites isolated. For e.g. 11-15 years, the total number examined is 35 and total infected is 36?</p> <p>Table 1 should be revisited. There are still a lot of discrepancies in the results. The entire column for the 'Total Infected' should be re-checked.</p> <p>Class interval for the age group should be equal. The interval between 5-10 years is 6 units while that between 11-15 years is 5 units. Please, use an equal class interval.</p>	<p>The corrections have been made introducing grid lines in the graph to enhance accuracy.</p> <p>The observations have been effected in the table and in the body of the script where necessary.</p> <p>Table 1 was revisited and the discrepancies streamlined. Errors occurred during the merger of the original tables and figures into table 1.</p> <p>The observation in class interval has been made. Incidentally, our original record (laboratory notebook) indicated that no 16 year old pupil in the experimental group was positive for the parasites.</p>