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Minor REVISION comments	<p>Abstract is more than 300 words, make them less or 300 words</p> <p>Introduction: Minor revision should be implemented in the manuscript especially on correcting typing errors and sentences to bring more meaning. I have inserted my comments in the manuscript text. Introduction has enough background about the problem to be addressed; however objectives and questions/hypotheses of the study are not presented and justified. Therefore I request authors to set some objectives of the study of which analysis will be based on.</p> <p>MATERIALS AND METHODS: Method used in this research are clearly stated and described, what missing is a study map should be provided for illustration of how vegetation is distributed and their adjacent areas. The map will show how different vegetation are and habitat types are there in the area under study, if possible a map will show Tudun-Wada, Doguwa and Sumaila Local Government Areas in the North, South and North-East respectively. From the extreme South west will expect to see Kaduna State and Lame-Burra Forest Reserve in Bauchi state on the South east. I have inserted my comments in the manuscript text.</p> <p>Data analysis: Author did not explain how the collected data were analysed, this section should be well explained for reader to understand.</p> <p>RESULTS: The general structure and craft of this section is well presented, however, author have to change a symbol of Shannon wiener diversity index to read H' instead of E'. Also author used H' to represent Shannon wiener diversity index this is not correct, the correct standard symbol is H' which must be used throughout. I have inserted my comments in the manuscript text</p> <p>DISCUSSION: This section is well presented. I have inserted some comments in the manuscript text.</p>	
Optional/General comments	<p>The Acknowledgments of people, grants, funds and others; should be brief stated, currently the section is missing. Minor revisions should be done to language and particularly in the structure of some references used. Please correct reference accordingly to the journal format, I recommend to use program that monitors referencing like "EndNote", "Zotero" and others. Yellow colour under reference indicates presence, later it can be removed by author.</p> <p>The following references used in the text are not in the references list</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Brunner <i>et al.</i> 20012. Brooks <i>et al.</i>, 20043. Lieberman <i>et al.</i>, (1996)	

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