

Review of: "Evaluation of Expenditure Control Measures on State Spending in Nigeria: An Empirical Approach with Internal Auditors of Ministries, Departments, and Agencies"

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- 1. Good hypothesis and literature section
- 2. The research methodology provides relevant details, but the mixed methods research section lacks clarity. Need to provide clear research methods with details for each of them.
- 3. Samples are also not clear for both approaches
- 4. Method of data analysis is confusing. PLS-SEM requires variables and a proper conceptual framework, which is missing.
- 5. Results are provided but do not align with PLS-SEM.
- 6. Quantitative results are provided, but qualitative results are missing.
- 7. Discussion is missing.
- 8. Weak conclusion