

Review of: "Evaluating the parameter of visibility adopted for CPTED for user safety in public open space of Haat Bazar: Isovist and VGA"

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The case study is very interesting in discussing about the CPTED. The most vital part is the issue of the implementation towards the successful design concern. The data of the crime rate or the safety issues would be more concrete if the data is the current 3 years (2020-2023) to give the latest gist about the current situation : *(As per India's National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB), the national capital Delhi has a rate of 1,306 IPC crimes every 1 lakh population in 2017.)*

The authors suggested to elaborate the case study selection , as the readers would like to know more about the case study especially non-Indian. This also contribute to the introduction new place in India to the world. The location plan. *(This study primarily explored the POS of Haat bazaar in Delhi, though the crimes can occur at any location- be it a built or an open space.)*

The aim is precisely stated. But the problem statements can be elaborated more. What bring the authors to do the research about this place. *(....explore the effectiveness of Isovist and Visibility Graph Analysis (VGA) in evaluating the parameter of visibility of CPTED for user safety in the public open space of Haat bazaar.)*

The methodology is well shown.

The tools of Isovist and VGA are agreed *can be used as a way of evaluating the visibility based on real-time vision and human-based vision respectively.* However, the authors need to elaborate how the analysis and synthesis can be done by showing the graph or diagrammatic layout. The data from the survey in diagram.

The analysis and solutions proposed show clearly in the page. It is suggest that the authors also propose the CPTED through the design or the tangible method. The design consideration and layout programming that improved the case study. The authors can show through the sketches or the 3D views.

Overall, this manuscript has potential to be the good source for writing if it improvised and convinced with the structural data and analysis.

