

# Review of: "Valorization of palm oil wastes into oyster mushrooms (Pleurotus HK-37) and biogas production"

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[http://The authors have done very good work. However, I have these major corrections for them.](#)

• In the last sentence of paragraph 3 of the introduction section, these papers should be cited as viable waste management strategy for POME.

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• In the sample collection subsection on page 4, the authors should avoid the use of personal pronouns like "we". Hence, the word "we" on the 3rd line of the subsection should be removed and the sentence recasted. This correction should be effected across the entire manuscript because I have seen such errors even under mushroom production subsection.

• Avoid the use of the word "arriving" on line 5 of the sample collection subsection. This is because "POME and sediments" are not humans and can't move on their own. Authors should correct the sentence accordingly.

• Under substrate characterization subsection, the equations for TS and VS should be given equation numbers, and the equation numbers should be mentioned in the write up that refers them in the manuscript.

• In the entire manuscript, equations should be given equation numbers, as well as the equation numbers mentioned in the write up that introduces them.

• Generally, the entire manuscript should be English edited properly by professional English writer.