

# Review of: "A Dataset of Small-Mammal Detections in West Africa and Their Associated Micro-Organisms"

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The article is well written in terms of language and from the scientific approach. It may be needed to enrich it with more information about pathogens carried by rodents.

Other than that, the paper is approaching the threat from new view and help other teams working on rodents in their areas to figure out the nature and habits of rodents.