

# Review of: "Facility Management Challenges of Public Educational Facilities in Nigeria"

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## Comment to authors of the manuscript: Facility Management Challenges of Public Educational Facilities in Nigeria

### General comments

Authors must define all acronyms and abbreviation on their first appearance in the abstract and in the main text.

### Abstract

The authors must endeavor to organize the text in the abstract to reflect the themes introduction, objective(s), methods, results/findings and conclusion, even if the authors or the journal policy is not to put them under the stated themes. As it stands, there is no structural organization of abstract.

### Introduction

This component should shed more light on what the problem is, some of the literature cited are also very old. The tradition is to cite articles not more than 10 years. The introduction should be refined. The first few lines should be informative enough to tell the reader what to be expected

### Methodology (materials and methods)

This component should be re-organized include the following thematic areas: the design of the study; the sites involve and reason for the selection of these sites. How the sampling/sample size was chosen; data collection methods and data collection tools used.

The author have endeavoured to describe what went into the **data collection tool** or instrument which is good. However they must also mention how many questions in total the instrument is comprised of. The must also expand on the themes

“The questionnaire began with identifying the likely causes of the poor maintenance of the core built assets of the HEIs as well as drivers of improvement of the current scenario.”, to include number of questions under each theme(s) for the reader to appreciate how exhaustive the instrument is.

It is good also to give an idea of how many questionnaires were distributed before making this statement “Forty four responses were obtained regarding these aspects which was then analysed and interpreted.”

## Results

This is a reflection of what you set out to find, therefore the stated results should be clear. For example

“the majority of the sample is male with about 64% ” should include information on the actual numbers e.g “the majority of the sample is male with about 64% (28)” . This is the only way the reader can appreciate what constitutes 64%