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| Journal Name:            | Asian Journal of Fisheries and Aquatic Research   |
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| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_AJFAR_130075   |
| Title of the Manuscript: | An investigation on population dynamic of Shield-head catfish Synodontis schall in Upper Atbara and Setit dam complex |
| Type of the Article      | Research Article  |

#### PART 1: Comments

|   | Reviewer's comment   | Author's Feedback (I<br>part in the manuscript.<br>his/her feedback here) |
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| Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?   | The authors used a very simple expression in the article, and I want to thank them for the English version.  |   |
| Optional/General comments   | First, I would like to thank the authors for their work. I read it with pleasure. The article was written on a subject where aquatic ecosystem monitoring and evaluation studies are decreasing, and according to the referee, it is very valuable. Such publications should be valued more. I hope that the article will be published in your esteemed journal as soon as possible. |   |

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