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PART 1: Review Comments

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<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The basis of selection of the 5 sites should be elaborated. The objective does not align with the title of the article. The methodology part needs to be elaborated; just giving the reference is not enough. GPS location of all sites should be included. Result and discussion part is very poor. IUCN status of the plant biodiversity of Shirui NP should be mentioned. Indices such as species diversity, richness should also be calculated and discussed. (Should be elaborated in the methodology section). Status of all the species recorded in the selected sites should be included as appendix in tabular form. The finding of the study recorded basal area of shrubs, orchids- the methods of this data collection should be detailed in the methodology section. Trees and shrubs/orchids species should be segregated. How are the species listed in the findings classified as endangered? Scientific names of plant species should include the authors name also. 	

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