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Journal Name:	Journal of Scientific Research and Reports
Manuscript Number:	Ms_JSRR_120141
Title of the Manuscript:	Development of a scale to measure the attitude of extension personnel towards ICT
Type of the Article	Original Research Article

PART 1: Review Comments

Compulsory REVISION comments	Reviewer's comment	Author's Feedback (Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences regarding this manuscript to justify your answer)	Yes. The manuscript provides valuable insights into the relationship between ICT and extension personnel in agricultural development. It has the potential to serve as a standard reference for researchers studying similar issues. However, the research title has to be more specific to enhance the precision of the scale. This would help to avoid any ambiguity and ensure that the instrument development process is focused and targeted	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	The critique of the title highlights the need for a more specific and focused approach in measuring attitudes towards ICT implementation in agriculture. The ambiguity of the title raises questions about whether the scale is intended to gauge extension personnel's attitudes towards ICT for their own capacity building or for farmers' capacity building, or if it pertains to their attitudes towards using ICT to support farmers in their functions	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?	Yes	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?	Yes	
Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct? (Please write few sentences regarding this manuscript to justify your answer)	The manuscript shows promise in adhering to necessary steps in its development. However, to meet scientific standards and procedures, it is essential to clearly define objective and research questions that would guide what the scales are going to measure.	
Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.	Yes	

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<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	<p>Yes</p>	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>Optional/General Comments</p> <p>The article is decisive and has the potential to be used as a standard reference for scientific research dealing with ICT and extension personnel, and their relation and commitment in agricultural development. However, there is still some doubt over the perfection of the approaches followed to scrutinize questions, as the title is so wide and open for subjective interpretation. Thus, the following things could be considered while the instrument was under development:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The title should be specific. Is it about extension personnel's readiness and capacity to implement ICT or personnel's attitude about the farmers' capacity to use ICT? Based on this question, some questions would be unnecessarily rejected or included. 2. There should be research questions and objectives through which the respondents of the questionnaire and the reader can be guided. 3. I still have some confusion on the procedure of computing t-test which needs to be clarified. For example, in the t-test computation part, it says "high score respondents and low score respondents." Personally, as long as we are rating respondents' attitude, the word in quotation is not suitable. 	

PART 2:

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<p>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</p>	<p><i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i></p>	

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