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PART 1: Review Comments

	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)
Compulsory REVISION comments	<p>The author has done a thorough job in this research article. I only have a couple of suggestions for improvement:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. As Jubaedah (2006) stated, changes in the ecosystem from flowing to inundated are thought to cause changes in the composition of species and fish populations. What were the changes after inundation around the Jatigede Reservoir area? Did any native species disappear after inundation? What was their abundance before inundation? Was there any fishing activity going on before inundation? How were the fishermen affected after inundation? The mapping data would be more meaningful if it could be compared to the situation before inundation. 2. There have been some interesting studies in recent years that can significantly improve the quality of mapping data. For example: David A. Gill, Hazel A. Oxenford, Rachel A. Turner, Peter W. Schuhmann, Making the most of data-poor fisheries: Low cost mapping of small island fisheries to inform policy, Marine Policy, Volume 101, 2019, Pages 198-207, ISSN 0308-597X, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.marpol.2017.10.040. <p>These scientists found that relative values of fishing effort and yield are likely to be more accurate than absolute values. They also demonstrated some simple cost-effective methods such as validation of the spatially and temporally explicit data with fishermen and government authorities. This data can be used to fill important information gaps for marine resource management and spatial planning.</p>	
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Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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