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	21.	3	1	4	The red circles indicate the 4 locations where field investigations were carried out in the study area.	The red circles indicate the four locations in the research area where the field investigations conducted.
	22.	3	--	--	Figure 3: Map of Study Area showing the four locations of Study in Ado-Odo/Ota Metropolitan	Map showing the four locations in the study area (Ado-Odo/Ota Metropolitan).
	<b>Methods</b>					
	23.	4	3	1	potential electrode were used	potential electrodes were used
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	27.	9	1	2	contaminants on ground water	contaminants in groundwater
	28.	9	1	5	estimate flow velocity	estimate the flow velocity
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