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THE DEGRADATION OF BOSSO DAM AND ITS IMPLICATION ON THE NEIGHBOURING COMMUNITIES IN MINNA NIGER STATE

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Abstract

Degradation of dam can be caused by large number of activities either as natural or man induced. These factors need to be avoided at all cost because of the potential or immediate effect. These factors may include: processes of sedimentation, nutrients loading and eutrophication, toxic algae blooms, pollution from farming activities among others. Therefore, this research examines the factors responsible for degradation of Bosso dam and how this has affected the neighboring communities.