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Journal Name:	Physical Review & Research International
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Title of the Manuscript:	A Fast and Simple Algorithm for Detecting Large Scale Structures
Type of the Article	Case study

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<u><b>Compulsory</b></u> REVISION comments		
T G n	he authors should explain more clearly why the PM is fast (e.g., how much faster than other lethods?).	
Minor REVISION comments		
	<ol> <li>Fig1: why is the potential well asymmetric? Is the modified number density also asymmetric?</li> <li>Line 186: I guess the authors refer to the virial mass. Please specify it.</li> <li>Line 186: sentence is incomplete.</li> <li>Line 269: there is no Sect. 5 in the manuscipt. Maybe Sect. 3.7? (typo?)</li> <li>Line 301: I don't understand delta_{sh,7}=0. From Fig. 3 I read delta(D=51Mpc)=8.67. Am I missing something?</li> <li>Sect. 3.7: is the cosmology assumed to compile the SCLCAT and GMBCG catalogs the same?</li> <li>Line 414: I don't understand reference to Fig. 1 here. Maybe Fig. 2?</li> <li>Sect. 3.8: what is the accuracy of photometric redshifts? Have the authors tried to account for</li> </ol>	

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	photometric uncertainties by means of a Monte Carlo simulation?
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	What is the authors's expectation for the application of the GPM to galaxy samples with the aim of identifying galaxy clusters?

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