

# Review of: "Land Size Class Wise Growth of Crop Diversification Index: A Case Study From Murshidabad District of West Bengal"

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The article provides a comprehensive analysis of crop diversification trends in the district over a two-decade period, shedding light on notable improvements in specific blocks like Kandi, Bharatpur-I & II, Murshidabad-Jiaganj, Burwan, Raghunathganj-II, Raninagar-I, etc. The focus on diversification indices at both land size class and block levels adds depth to the study.

A noteworthy observation is the significant enhancement in diversification index across marginal and small land holdings, indicating positive developments in this segment. Despite the large land class showing a maximum increase, its overall contribution remains negligible due to its limited share among total farmers in the district.

The article appropriately recognizes the continuous growth of diversification and wisely recommends capacity-building programs for farmers. This proactive approach is crucial to sustaining and optimizing the benefits of crop diversification. Overall, the study provides valuable insights and actionable recommendations for fostering agricultural development in the region.