

## Review of: "Palm Oil Expansion and Subnational Food Security"

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This is an interesting article, but it needs some improvement: 1. The introduction is too long. It covers 10 pages. It should be very precise. 2. The article covers many topics (from oil palm, palm oil, food security to afforestation and fires). It should be arranged chronologically, e.g. first everything about oil palm and palm oil, then about food security, food hazard, and then describe the research methodology. 3. Econometric analysis is carried out at a high level. All dependent and independent variables are explained. There is a lack of in-depth discussion that could introduce some political and social recommendations of the country.

Kind regards.

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