

Review of: "Enhancing Cocoa Crop Resilience in Ghana: The Application of Convolutional Neural Networks for Early Detection of Disease and Pest Infestations"

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In your manuscript, I have the following concerns:

- 1. The abstract of the article is written more generically. It must address the introduction, problem statement, and then connect the proposed technique with the problem statement.
- 2. What is the motivation for using the proposed model?
- 3. There are some strange sentences in the paper. The authors should revise the use of English and secure the quality of the presentation.
- 4. The introduction is 'verbose,' meaning that it performs a kind of literature review, failing at the end to depict the open research questions and how these are managed by the current work. In my opinion, such a discussion could be incorporated into a separate section, being extended to holistically cover the research subject.
- 5. Make all figures symmetric. They all are in different sizes (i.e., width), so try to make figures of the same width to improve the visual impact of the article.
- 6. I am not satisfied with the references either. Please use the latest and relevant references, which are not older than 2-3 years.

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