

## Review of: "Growth, Instability and Trend Analysis of Rice Production Indicators in Nigeria"

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The article is interesting and provides information for the advancement of knowledge. In the summary there is a spelling error in the date 1960-61, where 19660-61 is found. When interpreting the decomposed results, the very low productivity of the crop is highlighted, compared to international standards that are 6 to 8 times higher. This shows that the management standard and technological conditions have a great influence on this low performance. It is suggested to deepen the study regarding productivity by reporting whether there is a lack of technological information (research) or a lack of money to apply the technology. Another aspect that should be addressed is the climatic conditions throughout the years of the study. How much this has interfered with rice production in Nigeria. Regarding cultivation problems, what would be the main ones: control of weeds, diseases, insects, etc. A description of the production system would be interesting to situate the reader. Increased area and use of natural resources to meet consumer demand is not sustainable.

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