

Review of: "Probabilistic Assessment of the Heavy Metal Pollution in Debrecen's Topsoil"

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This study is aimed at mapping the distribution of heavy metals such as As, Cd, Cr, Co, Cu, Mo, Ni, Pb, and Zn in arable land. These maps were generated using Gaussian sequence simulation. Stochastic maps, however, were used to obtain the contamination levels.

Nevertheless, there are a number of points that are worthy of attention:

1. The size of the legends on figures 2, 4, and 3 is practically imperceptible, and there are no X, Y coordinates;
2. Add a reference to "Hakanson, L. (1980) An Ecological Risk Index for Aquatic Pollution Control: A Sedimentological Approach. Water Research, 14, 975-1001. [http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/0043-1354\(80\)90143-8](http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/0043-1354(80)90143-8)".