

Review of: "Revitalizing Key Conditions and Integrated Watershed Management Approach to Sustain Water Availability and Agriculture in Semi-Arid Regions"

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The manuscript discusses in a concise and comprehensive way the conditions related to successful water harvesting undertakings.

- It represents a good review of water harvesting conditions and the issues that have to be provided and considered for successful water and soil conservation programs.
- It represents a concise managerial account for water and soil management to maximize social, economic and ecological benefits of water harvesting in arid and semi-arid climatic zones.
- The paper is a good and useful **review article** of water and soil conservation and related issues, but **it cannot be classified as a "pure or applied science piece of work"** with own data, interpretation and findings.
- Nonetheless, it is worth being published, especially at present, because of its potential impacts on people working to develop water and soil conservation in semi-arid and arid climatic zones, not quite aware of the necessities of sound water and soil conservation considerations.

A major problem of the manuscript is that the references cited in the text have nothing to do with those listed in the references list.

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