

Review of: "Spatial Analysis of Soil Fertility Using Geostatistical Techniques And Artificial Neural Networks"

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The paper has been written very thoughtfully. I really enjoyed reading it. I have identified some minor issues that the authors may wish to consider:

1. The notations x_i and x_{i+h} under formula 1 must be clearly defined.
2. I suggest adding the formulas used for computing the indices ME, MES, RMS, RMSS, ASE, and CL.
3. It is advisable to use the same number of digits for all cells in Tables 1 and 2.
4. I believe the column name "C+C₀₁" in Table 2 needs to be fixed.
5. Figure 4 indicates that the variability will increase by h , and it might be worth considering this property in model fitting.
6. The RMSE in Table 3 is not defined.