

# Review of: "Assessing the Impact of COVID-19 on Food Consumption Preferences"

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At the very beginning, I would like to thank the editors for reviewing the paper and congratulate the authors on the good and interesting statistical processing of the obtained research results. In the work itself, certain refinements should be made:

the analysis of research results should start with a serial number in the presentation of pictures, graphs, tables:

the socio-demographic structure of the respondents should be presented in a table. In this way, it is inappropriate and unexamined. Tip, display the results of the socio-demographic structure of the respondents in a table

in your paper, you use the name preferences, while it is actually about consumption and changes in consumption. I remind you that preference is a subjective or factual preference when choosing between realistic options. A consumer with a certain income can, in addition to the existing assortment and prices of goods, combine the choice of goods and their quantities differently, depending on his preferences. Each individual or social group, according to their needs, tastes, social position, etc., forms a system of preferences that is expressed in their actual decisions and on which the predictability of their behavior is based.

The paper shows food consumption during the pandemic, not preferences.

I suggest that you state the limitations of the work more clearly in the paper and link them with the proposal for future research.

Greeting,