

Review of: "Precipitation and Temperature Trends over the Lake Tana Basin, Ethiopia"

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The authors reviewed the existed data and field of research on trend and variabilities of precipitation and temperature extreme events, providing some information for comprehending precipitation and temperature extreme inconsistencies, tendencies, and characteristics within the Lake Tana basin. Unfortunately, there are several drawbacks can be found in this paper, so it is very difficult for me to recommend this paper to publish.

1. In methodology, author used an meta-analysis to show their results, but they do not give reader the details about the analysis, it is unclear what the purpose of the meta-analysis.

2. The authors only describe historical precipitation and temperature extremes, do not compare with present situation of precipitation and temperature extremes.

3. Also, there are few explanations of the rationale for the review.

4. It is noted that the manuscript needs careful editing by someone with expertise in technical English editing paying particular attention to English grammar, spelling, and sentence structure so that the goals and results of the study are clear to the reader.