

## Review of: "Analysis of climatic parameters in the upper Awash River basin of Ethiopia"

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The manuscript entitled "Analysis of climatic parameters in the upper Awash River basin of Ethiopia" (Manuscript Qeios ID: 7EYSPY) is indeed interesting and within the scope of the Journal but it needs minor modifications for improvement, and it might be reconsidered for publication after addressing all the issues. Therefore, I have proposed a "major revision" with the following comments:

- 1. The author did not considering numbering the lines, which made the revision very complicated. The author should add line numbers
- 2. It seems crop yield is missing in the keywords
- 3. On Figure 1, the map of Ethiopia seems to have been pulled on the right, consider redoing it!
- 4. On the section 2.2. of Material and Methods, what were the reasons and criteria did the author used to select these crops amongst others and why? This should clearly be defined.
- 5. Figure 2 was pulled on the right, and this has distorted the quality of the image. It should be redone.
- 6. On figure 6, why is that the figure on the left seems different from the rest, consider adding the equations for uniformity.
- 7. The first sentence of the section 3.2 seems very confusing and difficult to understand, consider rewriting it!
- 8. The first sentence of the sub-section 3.2.1. should go under the Methodology!
- 9. The third and fourth sentences under the sub-section 3.1.2. should go under discussion!
- 10. The first and second sentence of the sub-section 3.2.2 should go under Methodology!
- 11. In the first sentence of the discussion, "thatmeher-season" stands for what exactly? Consider rewriting it
- 12. In conclusion, includes the limitations of the study.