

Review Form 1.7

Journal Name:	Asian Journal of Food Research and Nutrition
Manuscript Number:	Original Manuscript_AJFRN_118112
Title of the Manuscript:	VULNERABILITY TO FOOD INSECURITY AND COPING STRATEGIES ADOPTED BY RICE FARMING HOUSEHOLDS IN EKITI STATE, NIGERIA.
Type of the Article	

Review Form 1.7

PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript) 2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title) 3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? 4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate? 5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct? 6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form. <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>	<p>The manuscript titled "UNDER PEER REVIEW VULNERABILITY TO FOOD INSECURITY AND COPING STRATEGIES ADOPTED BY RICE FARMING HOUSEHOLDS IN EKITI STATE, NIGERIA" is important for the scientific community due to its focus on understanding the factors influencing vulnerability to food insecurity and coping strategies employed by rice farming households in Ekiti State, Nigeria. This study contributes to the existing body of knowledge on food security and vulnerability by examining specific factors that affect rice farming households in Nigeria, which is crucial for informing policies and programs aimed at addressing food insecurity in the region.</p> <p>The title of the article is somewhat descriptive but could be improved for clarity and concision. A more suitable title might be "Assessing Vulnerability to Food Insecurity and Coping Strategies among Rice Farming Households in Ekiti State, Nigeria."</p> <p>The abstract is comprehensive in that it provides a clear overview of the study's objectives, methodology, and main findings. However, it could be further improved by including a concise summary of the implications of the study's results for policy and future research.</p> <p>The structure and subsections of the manuscript are generally well-organized and easy to follow. The introduction effectively sets the context for the study, and the methodology section provides sufficient details about the data collection and analysis procedures. The results section presents the findings in a clear and organized manner, and the discussion section effectively interprets the results and relates them to the broader literature.</p> <p>The manuscript appears to be scientifically correct in its methodology and analysis. The use of Feasible Generalized Least Square (FGLS) and Tobit regression analyses to examine the factors influencing vulnerability to food insecurity is appropriate for the study's objectives. Additionally, the study's reliance on recent and relevant references supports the validity of its findings.</p> <p>The references provided are sufficient and recent, with most of them published within the last decade. However, the study could benefit from additional references that specifically focus on the context of rice farming households in Nigeria and their vulnerability to food insecurity.</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications? 	<p>Yes</p>	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>		

[Review Form 1.7](#)

PART 2:

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment <i>(if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)</i>
Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

Reviewer Details:

Name:	Manoj Kumar Das
Department, University & Country	Sri Sri University, India