

***Interactive comment on “Assessment of Soil Erosion Vulnerability in the Heavily Populated and Ecologically Fragile Communities in Motozintla De Mendoza, Chiapas, Mexico” by Selene B. González-Morales et al.***

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The paper aims an interesting topic that should be taken into account because of its relevance (soil erosion). The paper shows a great effort to study this problem and contrast this information with the people. However, the introduction is very general. Several sentences have not any references. The study area regions are not well explained. If you don't live in Mexico, you cannot know where are the different regions and why soil erosion is higher or not. The conducted RUSLE did not show where you can find more soil erosion, no maps with soil erosion rates are showed. The survey is described with nor scientific spelling. Statistical analysis was not explained. There is

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not discussion! Also, conclusions are really long and not specific. For me, the paper cannot be accepted in this form. So sorry.

Please also note the supplement to this comment:

<https://www.solid-earth-discuss.net/se-2017-85/se-2017-85-RC1-supplement.pdf>

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