Paper: **"Vulnerability of Women and Climate Change in Coastal Bangladesh"**

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**The TITLE is clear and it is adequate to the content of the article.**

Consider
"Vulnerability of Women and Climate Change in Coastal Bangladesh"

**The ABSTRACT clearly presents objects, methods, and results.**

The abstract is fairly well explained. However the selection of sample area, sample magnitude lacks a rationale.

**There are a few grammatical errors and spelling mistakes in this article.**

The draft has some grammatical errors and spelling mistakes. Needs a thorough editing

**The study METHODS are explained clearly.**

Methodology is short in explaining a rationale for selecting the two districts and the sample size of 60.
No statistical tools used have been explained. The secondary sources of information needs to be tabulated and explained

**The body of the paper is clear and does not contain errors.**

Introduction is sketchy. Needs more conceptual content. It needs to discuss the historical trends and their impact of climate on Women in the coastal areas. How are the sample areas been impacted by Climate change in the past. Classify the Vulnerabilities that women face when a climate disaster hits. Discuss the livelihoods that the women in the region are normally dependent on.
Objectives need to be more focussed and sharp expressed in bullet points
The literature review is hardly discussed. It is too short. It needs to be thematically classified into three relevant categories. For Example A) Seasonality Hazards in Coastal Bangladesh, B) Vulnerability of Women C) Adaptation and Rehabilitation or any other
The body of the paper may then be divided as per the results obtained into three or four sub themes. Accordingly the tables and figures may be divided. The results will not merely be stated but their interpretations must be explained. For example, in fig no 1 shows cyclone as a major type of disaster. This needs to be further explained in terms of its occurrence, losses and fatalities. Thus the field based results need to be related with the macro level observations .

**The CONCLUSION or summary is accurate and supported by the content.**

Conclusion does not seem to emerge from the results found. It is too general. Needs to be in the context of field based analysis. The para is more appropriate for introduction.

**The list of REFERENCES is comprehensive and appropriate.**

Needs to be in APA style. Some of the references are not properly quoted

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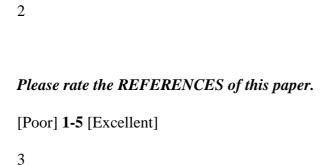*Please rate the METHODS of this paper.*

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**Overall Recommendation!!!**

Accepted, minor revision needed

**Comments and Suggestions to the Author(s):**

Every figure and Table must be with a number and suitable title. References must be in APA style. Paper is on a relevant theme. A little bit of improvement will enhance its value manifold

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it is clear. however relationship of the title with the manuscript is difficult to understand

**The ABSTRACT clearly presents objects, methods, and results.**

Not really. This manuscripts needs overall overlook. The main problem of manuscript is that is provided with some distinct information here and there but you can not see flow in writing and is really hard to follow.

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acceptable

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The methodology part need complete explanation. even though you can see that manuscripts has an background effort for conducting a research; it is not properly presented.

**The body of the paper is clear and does not contain errors.**

it is really hard to follow

**The CONCLUSION or summary is accurate and supported by the content.**

The conclusion needs revision. Paper requires overlook. it is really hard to understand based on information provided how and what manuscript wants to offer. the references provided are poor. It is suggested that deep overlooking is necessary. it has the potential to make more effort on it.

**The list of REFERENCES is comprehensive and appropriate.**

it is poor.

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**Overall Recommendation!!!**

Return for major revision and resubmission


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