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## ***Interactive comment on “An assessment of landslide distribution in the Faifa area, Saudi Arabia, using remote sensing and GIS techniques” by T. Alharbi et al.***

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I would like to thank Dr. Wulamu on behalf of all the Co-Authors for his thorough review, his overall positive evaluation, and for his valuable and constructive comments.

The reviewer had minor concerns:

Reviewer’s comment: 1) Shorten the conclusion if possible. Authors’ Response: Shortened the conclusion as requested.

Reviewer’s comment: 2) Add a paragraph or a figure that illustrates for non-geologists and for remote sensing readers, the relationship between slope, dip angle, and fracture

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plane and potential landslides.

Authors' Response: A sketch diagram that illustrates the relationship between slope amount and direction, dip angle amount and direction for fracture plane and potential landslides was added as suggested.

Reviewer's comment: 3) Correct a typographical error on Page 6693 paragraph 5; change "special" to "spatial". Authors' Response: The word "special" was changed to "spatial".

The final revised version of manuscript will be submitted to the editorial office as soon as the remaining comments are received.

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