

Interactive comment on “The alerting system for hydrogeological hazard in Lombardy Region, northern Italy: rainfall thresholds triggering debris-flows and “equivalent rainfall” method” by A. Cucchi et al.

Anonymous Referee #1

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I have started to review the paper “The alerting system for hydrogeological hazard in Lombardy Region, northern Italy: rainfall thresholds triggering debris-flows and “equivalent rainfall” method” by A. Cucchi, I.Q. Valsecchi, M. Alberti, P. Fassi, M. Molari, and G. Mannucci. The paper presents an interesting research topic but the manuscript is not acceptable for publication in its present form.

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cite articles that reported specific results relevant to your study throughout the body of the paper. This literature has to form the basis of your Introduction and Discussion. A section including a basic description of your study area has to be added! Items to consider in writing this section are geographical location, climate, geology, soils, etc.

I suggest reading guidelines and tutorials for writing scientific paper.

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