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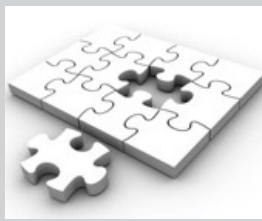
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Bibliometric Approach

Journal: Jambá: Journal of Disaster Risk Studies

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Ms de Villiers

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Abstract:

This article evaluates scientific publications on resilience of smallholder farmers to hydrometeorological hazards in disaster prone areas using a bibliometric analysis between 2010 and 2025. The analysis is used to develop a resilience framework covering both floods and droughts to enhance the adaptive capacity of smallholder farmers in the Mambwe district of Zambia, but it could be applied to other regions with similar conditions. Smallholder farmers experience greater disaster losses due to low adaptive capacity and high exposure to floods and droughts, increased social-economic inequalities and many interlinked factors such as poor soils, seed quality and lack of access to adaptation finance. This study employed bibliometric tools to examine common trends, emerging research areas, key insights and gap in knowledge, and potential future research direction. A total of 140 publications were identified in the Scopus databases using Boolean operators (AND/OR), and exported to the Visualisation of Similarities Software for analysis. The visualisation networks, influential journals, keywords, co-authorship, bibliometric coupling and academic themes on resilience and adaptive capacity were considered using mixed methods.

Contribution: The findings show an increase in vulnerability and adaptation research globally, though disaster impacts are still on the rise. There is also a steady decline in the publication of documents between 2010 and 2025, and extensive collaborative relationships among countries. The United States of America led with 33 co-authored publications. The publication by Abdul-Razak was the most cited publication with 170 citations. The study recommends more investment on co-authorship in Africa and research on adaptation financing.

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