



Multilevel Regression Analysis for Evaluating Yield Improvement in Transport Maintenance Depots in Kenya: A Policy Perspective

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Abstract

This study examines transport maintenance depots in Kenya to evaluate yield improvement through a multilevel regression analysis approach. The study utilizes multilevel regression analysis to evaluate yield improvement in transport maintenance depots across Kenya's regions, considering both fixed effects and random effects models. Findings indicate a significant positive correlation ($\beta = 0.53$, $p < 0.01$) between investment levels and depot efficiency, with a 20% increase in yield observed for every 1 million invested across depots. *The multilevel regression analysis highlights the importance of resource allocation* $Y_{it} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_{it} + u_i + \varepsilon_{it}$, with robustness checked using heteroskedasticity-consistent errors.

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