

Editor's Comments:

I fully support publication of this article. You may wish to inform the authors that in my research work for Masters in soil science, at Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI) New Delhi, I used the same technique of measuring soil aggregate stability. The abstract of my thesis was published in proceedings of Science Congress in 1953. My Ph.D work at Iowa State University (1962) also used this technique.. They may wish to use it as reference in their publication .

Following references may be useful and relevant for the authors to add to their paper:

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