

IDENTIFICATION OF STABLE AND ADAPTABLE HYBRID RICE GENOTYPES

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ABSTRACT

Development of varieties with high yield potential coupled with wide adaptability is an important plant breeding objective. Presence of genotype and environment (G×E) interaction plays a crucial role in determining the performance of genetic materials, tested in different locations in different years. This study was under taken to assess yield performance, stability and adaptability of seventeen hybrid rice genotypes evaluated over 12 environments. The analysis of variance for growth duration and grain yield ($t\ ha^{-1}$) for genotype, environment year, environment × genotype, year × environment, year × genotype and year × environment × genotype were highly significant ($p < 0.01$) showing the variable response of the genotype across environments and year. GE interaction patterns revealed by AMMI biplot analysis indicated that the hybrid rice genotypes are broadly adapted. Genotypes BRR153A/BRR126R, Jin23A/507R, Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12 and IR79156A/F2277R were best for the environment: Gazipur and Rangpur at second and third year. Genotypes Jin23A/PR344R, BRR111A/AGR and IR79156A/BRR120R showing high yield performance and widely adapted to all environments.

Key words: Adaptation, Hybrid rice, AMMI analysis, GEI, PCA.

INTRODUCTION

Development of varieties with high yield potential coupled with wide adaptability is an important plant breeding objective. Genotype by environment (G×E) interaction plays a crucial role in determining the performance of genetic materials, tested in different locations and in different years, influencing the selection process (Purchase et al., 2000). Multilocation trials provide useful information on genotypic adaptation and stability. The G×E interaction estimates help breeders to

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decide the breeding strategy, to breed for specific or general adaptation, which depends on stability in yield performance under a limited or wide range of environmental conditions.

The AMMI model is a hybrid analysis that incorporates both additive and multiplicative components of the two way data structure. AMMI is the only model that distinguishes clearly between the main and interaction effects and this is usually desirable in order to make reliable yield estimations (Gauch, 1992). AMMI biplot analysis is considered to be an effective tool to diagnose GE interaction pattern graphically. The AMMI model describes the GE interaction in more than one dimension and it offers better opportunities for studying and interpreting GE interaction than analysis of variance (ANOVA) and regression of the mean. In AMMI additive portion is separated from interaction by ANOVA. Then the Interaction Principle Components Analysis (IPCA), which provides a multiplicative model, is applied to analyze the interaction effect from the additive ANOVA model. The biplot display of IPCA scores plotted against each other provides visual inspection and interpretation of the GE interactions. Integrating biplot display and genotypic stability statistics enables genotypes to be grouped based on similarity of performance across diverse environments.

Concerning the use of AMMI in METs (multi-environmental trials) data analysis, which partitions the GE interaction matrix into individual genotypic and environmental scores, an example was provided by Zobel et al. (1988), who studied the GE interaction of a soybean MET. Among multivariate methods, AMMI analysis is widely used for GE interaction investigation. The biplot shows both the genotypes and the environments value and relationship using singulars vectors technique (Tarakanovas and Ruzgas, 2006).

This study was undertaken to interpret GE interaction obtained by AMMI analysis of yield performance of 17 hybrid rice genotypes over 12 environments, visually assess how to vary yield performances across environments based on the biplot and group the genotypes having similar response pattern across environments.

MATERIALS AND METHOD

The experiments were conducted under breeding division of Bangladesh Rice Research Institute (BRRI) at four different agro-ecological zones in the country for three years (2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11: table1). Seventeen commercial rice varieties including two inbred BRRI dhan28 and BRRI dhan29 as checks and 15 hybrid varieties were evaluated. The experiments were carried out in a randomized complete block design, with three replications. Each experimental plot was comprised of 5 x 6 m. Standard agronomic practices were followed and plant protection measures were taken as and when required. Two border rows were used to minimize the border effects. Ten randomly selected plants were used for recording observations on plant

height (cm). The grain yield ($t\ ha^{-1}$) data was estimated and corrected at 14% moisture.

Table 1: Code, name of each genotype, environment and growing years

Env	Cropping season	Location	Code of Env	Genotype no.	Genotype	Code of genotype
1	2008-09	Gazipur	A	1	BRR17A/BR1543-1-1-1-1	G1
2	2009-10	Gazipur	B	2	BRR111A/F2277R	G2
3	2010-11	Gazipur	C	3	BRR111A/BR1543-1-1-1-1	G3
4	2008-09	Rangpur	D	4	BRR113A/PR828R	G4
5	2009-10	Rangpur	E	5	BRR128A/BRR126R	G5
6	2010-11	Rangpur	F	6	BRR148A/3028R	G6
7	2008-09	Comilla	G	7	BRR148A/BRR126R	G7
8	2009-10	Comilla	H	8	BRR133A/BRR131R	G8
9	2010-11	Comilla	I	9	Jin23A/PR344R	G9
10	2008-09	Satkhira	J	10	BRR111A/AGR	G10
11	2009-10	Satkhira	K	11	IR79156A/BRR120R	G11
12	2010-11	Satkhira	L	12	BRR153A/BRR126R	G12
				13	Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12	G13
				14	Jin23A/507R	G14
				15	IR79156A/F2277R	G15
				16	BRR1 dhan28	G16
				17	BRR1 dhan29	G17

AMMI model was used to quantify the effect of different factors (genotype, location and year) of the experiment. It uses to make standard ANOVA for separating the additive variance from multiplicative variance (genotype and environment interaction). Thereafter, it uses a multiplicative procedure- PCA- to extract the pattern from the G x E portion of the ANOVA (Zobel et al., 1988). The AMMI model is:

$$Y_{ge} = \mu + \alpha_g + \beta_e + \sum_{n=1}^N \lambda_n \gamma_{gn} \delta_{en} + \rho_{ge}$$

Where:

Y_{ge} = yield of the genotype (g) in the environment (e)

μ = grand mean

α_g = genotype mean deviation

β_e = environment mean deviation

N= No. of IPCAs (Interaction Principal Component Axis) retained in the model.

λ_n = singular value for IPCA axis **n**

γ_{gn} = genotype eigenvector values for IPCA axis **n**

δ_{en} = environment eigenvector values for IPCA axis **n**

ρ_{ge} = the residuals

The model further provides graphical representation of the numerical results (Biplot analysis) with a straight-forward interpretation of the underlying causes of G x E (Gauch, 1998).

RESULTS

Analysis of variance was done to determine the effects of year, location, genotypes and interaction among these factors on growth duration and grain yield of promising hybrid rice genotypes. There were genotype \times location, year \times location, year \times genotype and three way interaction, genotype \times location \times year significant for growth duration and grain yield ($p < 0.01$; Table 2). However, genotypic main effect averages are presented in table and even in the presence of cross-over interactions in a data set, when it comes to select widely adapted genotypes, breeders are interested in selecting lines with high genotypic effect (average over location and years) and with low fluctuation in yield or other traits of interest (stable).

The effects of genotype \times environment interaction could be divided into four components, ie. IPCA1, IPCA2, IPCA3 and IPCA4 where first three components were significantly different for yield but last component were not significant (Table 3). In case of growth duration IPCA1 is significant but IPCA2, IPCA3 and IPCA4 were not significant. The variation in soil structure and moisture across the different environments were considered as a major underlying causal factors for the G \times E interaction.

Among the genotypes BRRI7A/BR1543-1-1-1-1, BRRI11A/F2277R, BRRI11A/BR1543-1-1-1-1 and BRRI dhan28 showed negative phenotypic index (Pi), insignificant regression coefficient (bi) and deviation from regression (S^2_{di}) indicating the stability of genotypes over all environments with short growth duration

(Table 4). Shorter growth duration is favorable for hybrid rice. On the other hand, BRRI13A/PR828R and BRRI48A/3028R showed the negative phenotypic index (P_i), significant regression coefficient (b_i) and insignificant deviation from regression (S^2_{di}) indicating shorter growth duration and highly adapted to the environments of Gazipur 3rd year, Rangpur 1st year, Comilla 1st and 3rd year, Satkhira 1st, 2nd and 3rd year. Variation in grain yield was recorded among genotypes BRRI28A/BRRI26R, Jin23A/PR344R, BRRI11A/AGR, IR79156A/BRRI20R, BRRI53A/BRRI26R and Jin23A/507R showed higher yield as well as stable over environment (Table 5). Genotypes BRRI48A/BRRI26R, Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12, IR79156A/F2277R and BRRI dhan29 were higher yielding but had significant regression coefficient (b_i) and non significant deviation from regression (S^2_{di}) indicating they are highly responsive to the favorable environments Gazipur 1st year, Comilla 1st year, Satkhira 1st and 3rd year.

As shown table 6, based on IPCA score, a genotype in the AMMI analysis are an indication of the adaptability over environments and association between genotypes and environments can be clearly observed (Albert, 2004). Regardless of positive or negative signs, genotypes with large scores have high interaction and unstable where as genotypes with small scores close to zero have low interaction and stable (Zobel et al., 1988). Thus genotypes BRRI48A/BRRI26R, Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12 and IR79156A/F2277R have large IPCA scores and are unstable genotypes, whereas the genotypes Jin23A/PR344R, BRRI11A/AGR and IR79156A/BRRI20R have small IPCA1 scores close to zero and are stable. Of the three stable genotypes in IPCA1 scores have a grain yield greater than grand mean. Among the environment Comilla 2nd and 3rd year, Satkhira 1st, 2nd and 3rd year have small IPCA scores close to zero and are stable. Remaining seven environments have large IPCA1 scores and are unstable environments.

In the AMMI model biplot, the IPCA scores of genotypes and environments are plotted against their respective means, the plot is helpful to visualize the average productivity of the genotypes, environments and their interaction for all possible genotype-environment combinations. The magnitude of interaction can be visualized for each genotype and each environment using IPCA1 vs. IPCA2 biplot model (Yan and Hunt, 1998; Fentie et al., 2013). The AMMI 1 biplot for grain yield of seventeen genotypes at twelve environmental conditions is presented in Fig. 1. AMMI biplot gave a best model for fit of 84.75%. This result is in agreement with the findings of Misra et al., 2009; Chrispus, 2008; Yan and Hunt, 1998; Naveed and Islam, 2007.

According to AMMI biplot environment showed high variation in both main effect and interactions (IPCA1). Environments Gazipur 2nd and 3rd year, Rangpur 1st, 2nd and 3rd year have large positive IPCA1 scores, which interact positively with genotypes that had positive IPCA1 scores and negatively those genotypes with negative IPCA1 scores. Environment Gazipur and Comilla 1st year had large negative IPCA1 score which interact positively with genotypes had negative IPCA1 scores

and negatively with genotypes that had positive IPCA scores. Environment Comilla 2nd and 3rd year, Satkhira 1st, 2nd and 3rd year have relatively small IPCA1 scores, suggesting that it had little interaction with genotypes indicating stable environment.

The genotypes BRR128A/BRR126R, BRR148A/BRR126R, BRR153A/BRR126R, Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12, Jin23A/507R and IR79156A/F2277R had higher average yields and these genotypes adapted to favorable environments. Genotypes Jin23A/PR344R, BRR111A/AGR and IR79156A/BRR120R placed closer to the biplot origin and were, therefore the most stable, but had average main effects close to the grand mean. Genotypes BRR148A/3028R, BRR133A/BRR131R and BRR1 dhan29 had relatively higher average mean grain yield but had large IPCA1 scores, which made them unstable genotypes. Genotypes BRR17A/BR1543-1-1-1-1, BRR111A/F2277R, BRR111A/ BR1543-1-1-1-1, BRR113A/PR828R and BRR1 dhan28 had low yield and large IPCA1 scores, which are unstable. The result is an agreement with the findings by Alberts, 2004; Misra et al., 2009; Yan and Hunt, 1998; Naveed and Islam, 2007; Anandan et al., 2009.

On the basis of AMMI2 the environment felt into four section with respect to the environments Gazipur 2nd and 3rd year for the genotypes BRR153A/BRR126R and Jin23A/507R were the best respectively. For the environments of Rangpur 2nd and 3rd year the genotypes of Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12 and IR79156A/F2277R were the best (Figure2). For the environment Rangpur 1st year the genotype BRR128A/BRR126R and BRR148A/BRR126R were the best. The specific responsive environments might have been due to evenly distribution of rainfall, temperature, soil and other abiotic stresses. Genotypes located near the plot origin were less responsive than the vertex genotypes. Genotypes Jin23A/PR344R, BRR111A/AGR and IR79156A/BRR120R gave the highest average yield (largest IPCA1 scores) but was relatively stable in across environments.

In contrast the non adapted genotypes of BRR111A/F2277R, BRR111A/BR1543-1-1-1-1, BRR113A/PR828R and BRR1 dhan28 low yielded and small IPCA2 score as indicated they are relatively stable. In this fact relative large IPCA2 score and BRR148A/3028R and BRR148A/BRR126R genotypes have unstable. The biplot shows not only the average yield of a genotype but also how it is achieved stability. That is the biplot also shows the yield of a genotype at individual environments.

DISCUSSION

There are two major strategies for developing genotypes with low $G \times E$ interactions. The first in sub-division or stratification of a heterogeneous area into smaller more homogeneous sub-regions, with breeding programs aimed at developing genotypes for specific sub-regions. However, even with this refinement, the level of interaction can remain high, because breeding area does not reduce the interaction of genotypes with locations and years. The second strategy for reducing G

\times E interaction involved selecting genotypes with better stability across a wide range of environments in order to better predict behaviour (Eberhart and Russell, 1966). Various methods use $G \times E$ interaction to facilitate genotype characterization and as a selection index together with the mean yield of the genotypes.

Numerous methods have been used for an understanding of the causes of $G \times E$ interaction (van Eeuwijk et al., 1996). Among the multivariate approaches AMMI model is widely used (Mahalingam et al., 2006; Das et al., 2008). The AMMI model describes the GE interaction in more than one dimension and it offers better opportunities for studying and interpreting GE interaction than analysis of variance (ANOVA) and regression of the mean. In AMMI, the additive, portion is separated from interaction by ANOVA. Then the Interaction Principle Components Analysis (IPCA), which provides a multiplicative model, is applied to analyze the interaction effect from the additive ANOVA model. The biplot display of IPCA scores plotted against each other provides visual inspection and interpretation of the GE interactions. Integrating biplot display and genotypic stability statistics enables genotypes to be grouped based on similarity of performance across diverse environments.

In this study the result of AMMI analysis indicated that the AMMI model fits the data well and justifies the use of AMMI2. This made it possible to construct the biplot and calculate genotypes and environments effects (Kaya et al., 2002). The Interaction Principle Component Axes (IPCA) scores of a genotype in the AMMI analysis indicate the stability of a genotype across environments. The closer the IPCA scores to zero, the more stable the genotypes are across their testing environments (Carbonell et al., 2004). In this study, Jin23A/PR344R, BRR11A/AGR and IR79156A/BRR120R gave the higher average yield and small IPCA scores that was relatively stable over the environments. This result is in agreement with the findings of Muthuramu et al., 2011. In contrast the non adapted genotypes of BRR11A/F2277R, BRR11A/BR1543-1-1-1-1, BRR113A/PR828R and BRR1 dhan28 low yielded and small IPCA2 scores as indicated they are relatively stable. In this fact relative large IPCA2 score and BRR148A/3028R and BRR1 dhan29 genotypes have unstable.

The most accurate model for AMMI can be predicted by using the first two IPCAs (Kaya et al., 2002). Conversely, Sivapalan et al. (2000) recommended a predictive AMMI model with the first four IPCAs. These results indicate that the number of the terms to include in an AMMI model cannot specify a prior without first trying AMMI predictive assessment. In general, factors like type of crop, diversity of the germplasm and range of environmental conditions will affect the degree of complexity of the best predictive model (Crossa et al., 1990).

However, the prediction assessment indicated that AMMI with only two interaction principal component axes was the best predictive model (Zobel et al., 1988). Further interaction principal component axes captured mostly noise and

therefore did not help to predict validation observations. In this study, the interaction of the 17 genotypes with 12 environments was best predicted by the first two principal components of genotypes and environments.

AMMI Stability Value (ASV) is in effect the distance from the coordinate point to the origin in a two dimensional scattergram of IPCA1 scores against IPCA2 scores (Purchase et al., 2000). Stability in itself should however not be the only parameter for selection, as the most stable genotype wouldn't necessarily gives the best yield performance. As example, consider G8 which was the highest yield performance but large IPCA1 value is not stable.

Genotypes evaluation must be conducted in multiple locations for multiple years to fully sample the target environment (Cooper et al., 1997). Genotype in the presence of unpredictable G×E interaction is a perennial problem in plant breeding (Bramel-Cox, 1996). To select for superior genotypes, it seems that there is no easier way other than to test widely (Troyer, 1996) and select for both average yield and stability (Kang, 1997).

CONCLUSION

In conclusion, the multivariate approaches have shown that the largest proportion of the total variation in grain yield was attributed to environments in this study. Genotypes Jin23A/PR344R, BRR111A/AGR and IR79156A/BRR120R had the highest yield and were hardly affected by the GEI effects as a result of which they will perform well across a wide range of environments. Environments Comilla at second and third year and Satkhira at first, second and third year were stable for all the genotypes. Genotypes BRR153A/BRR126R, Jin23A/507R, Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12 and IR79156A/F2277R were specifically adapted to the environment Gazipur second and third year, Rangpur second and third year respectively. Genotypes BRR17A/BR1543-1-1-1-1, BRR111A/F2277R, BRR111A/BR1543-1-1-1-1 and BRR113A/PR828R were low yielded and unstable these genotypes needed further improvement.

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Table 2: Mean square values of combined analysis of variance (ANOVA) for hybrid rice and their components analyzed over 4 locations in 3 years

Source of variation	df	Mean sum of squares	
		Days to maturity	Yield (t ha ⁻¹)
Year	2	421.36**	3.29**
Location	3	196.61**	9.93**
Replication	2	153.77**	0.54 ^{ns}
Genotype	16	270.62**	38.15**
Location x Genotype	48	10.78**	1.14**
Year x Location	6	85.52**	20.32**
Year x Genotype	32	17.36**	0.88**
Year x Location x Genotype	96	6.51**	1.81**
Error	406	1.65	0.17

** Significant level at p<0.01, * Significant level at p<0.05

Table 3: Full joint analysis of variance including the partitioning of the G x E interaction of commercial rice hybrids

Source of variation	df	Mean sum of squares	
		Days to maturity	Yield (t ha ⁻¹)
Genotype (G)	16	90.21**	12.72**
Environment (E)	11	58.96**	4.80**
Interaction (GEI)	176	3.22**	0.49**
AMMI Component 1	26	11.25**	1.87**
AMMI Component 2	24	3.00 ^{ns}	0.56**
AMMI Component 3	22	2.56 ^{ns}	0.37*
AMMI Component 4	20	1.80 ^{ns}	0.23 ^{ns}
G x E (Linear)	16	14.99**	2.81**
Pool deviation	84	1.30	0.128
Pooled error	160	2.04	0.25

** Significant level at p<0.01, ns= Not significant, * Significant level at p<0.05

Table 4: Stability analysis for growth duration of 17 commercial rice hybrids over 12 environments.

Gn	Environments												Over all mean	Pi	bi	S ² di
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L				
G1	149.7	150.0	147.7	148.7	150.7	152.0	148.7	151.7	147.7	149.0	151.0	151.7	149.9	-0.6	0.604	1.25
G2	151.0	150.0	146.7	147.0	150.3	152.0	148.3	152.3	146.3	150.0	152.0	151.0	149.8	-0.7	0.833	2.47
G3	149.0	149.7	146.7	148.7	150.7	150.7	151.7	153.0	149.0	149.7	149.3	149.3	149.8	-0.7	0.565	1.59
G4	150.0	150.0	147.3	148.7	150.3	152.7	148.0	151.0	149.7	151.0	151.0	148.3	149.8	-0.7	0.613*	1.13
G5	150.3	150.7	144.0	148.3	154.3	155.7	149.0	151.0	150.0	151.7	149.3	153.3	150.6	0.1	1.487*	1.73
G6	150.0	149.3	148.3	147.7	149.3	150.7	148.0	149.7	150.0	150.0	148.7	151.0	149.4	-1.1	0.306*	0.84
G7	148.3	152.0	147.7	149.3	155.0	155.3	147.0	151.0	151.7	151.7	152.3	148.3	150.8	0.3	0.973	4.60
G8	152.0	151.0	150.7	151.7	151.0	151.3	152.0	151.3	151.0	151.0	151.3	152.0	151.4	0.9	0.056*	0.22
G9	151.7	152.3	151.7	151.3	152.7	152.7	153.0	152.7	152.3	150.7	152.3	152.3	152.1	1.6	0.166*	0.40
G10	156.3	154.0	148.0	152.7	157.0	161.7	153.3	153.0	152.7	149.7	151.3	151.7	153.4	2.9	1.664	3.63
G11	153.0	149.0	147.7	149.0	154.7	155.0	152.0	151.3	148.0	149.7	150.0	149.7	150.8	0.3	1.166	1.46
G12	155.7	153.0	146.7	152.0	159.7	158.7	153.0	152.7	150.0	152.0	151.7	150.0	152.9	2.4	1.769*	2.62
G13	153.3	150.3	144.7	147.3	153.0	154.3	152.0	150.7	152.0	151.3	150.7	151.0	150.9	0.4	1.268	1.54
G14	153.3	151.3	144.3	147.3	158.7	157.7	153.0	152.0	149.0	149.0	149.3	150.7	151.3	0.8	2.075*	1.73
G15	153.0	153.0	145.7	147.3	155.3	160.3	152.0	152.3	148.7	153.0	147.7	150.3	151.6	1.1	1.968*	2.81
G16	141.7	139.3	135.3	139.7	142.7	143.3	142.0	140.0	140.0	141.3	141.3	143.3	140.8	-9.7	0.973	1.76
G17	154.3	153.3	148.3	149.3	152.7	151.3	154.0	152.7	152.3	153.7	154.0	153.0	152.4	1.9	0.520	2.86
Mean	151.3	150.5	146.5	148.6	152.8	153.8	150.4	151.1	149.4	150.3	150.2	150.4	150.5			
Ei(Ij)	0.8	0.0	-4.0	-1.9	2.3	3.3	-0.1	0.6	-1.1	-0.2	-0.3	-0.1				
LSD (0.05)	2.84	2.64	2.55	2.66	2.73	2.63	1.17	1.03	0.95	1.00	1.47	1.53				

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Environment: A=Gazipur 1st year, B= Gazipur 2nd year, C=Gazipur 3rd year, D=Rangpur 1st year, E=Rangpur 2nd year, F=Rangpur 3rd year, G=Comilla 1st year, H=Comilla 2nd year, I=Comilla 3rd year, J=Satkhira 1st year, K=Satkhira=2nd year and L=satkhira 3rd year

Table 5: Stability analysis for yield of 17 commercial rice hybrids over 12 environments.

Gn	Environments												Over all mean	Pi	bi	S ² di
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L				
G1	4.801	5.442	5.301	5.509	5.591	5.333	5.239	5.405	5.605	5.450	4.400	5.509	5.299	-1.084	0.352*	0.10
G2	4.285	5.496	4.780	4.643	5.160	5.300	5.166	5.348	5.629	5.599	5.515	5.181	5.175	-1.208	0.239*	0.17
G3	4.122	4.047	4.149	4.373	4.707	4.313	4.635	4.339	4.378	4.484	4.471	4.500	4.376	-2.007	0.010*	0.04
G4	4.902	5.266	5.617	5.595	5.175	5.111	5.517	5.550	5.141	5.937	5.458	5.279	5.379	-1.004	0.046*	0.09
G5	4.669	6.952	6.414	7.856	8.419	7.507	4.206	7.399	6.658	6.511	7.238	7.536	6.780	0.397	1.917	0.55
G6	6.766	6.366	6.926	6.279	6.832	6.730	7.053	6.526	6.519	5.756	5.784	6.123	6.472	0.089	-0.02*	0.20
G7	4.607	7.137	7.171	7.795	7.029	8.598	4.573	6.497	6.671	5.777	7.322	6.559	6.645	0.262	2.031*	0.27
G8	8.534	7.645	8.019	8.655	7.735	8.522	8.170	8.219	8.188	7.763	7.577	7.950	8.081	1.698	-0.034*	0.15
G9	6.410	7.162	7.115	7.292	7.578	7.767	6.569	7.649	7.677	7.432	6.717	7.444	7.234	0.851	0.683	0.08
G10	4.823	6.617	7.088	7.236	7.793	8.220	6.622	7.397	6.853	5.947	7.219	7.499	6.943	0.56	1.386	0.28
G11	5.214	8.036	7.803	7.706	7.194	9.062	6.376	7.561	6.509	6.735	7.273	5.668	7.095	0.712	1.596	0.45
G12	5.004	8.225	9.092	6.823	7.386	8.412	5.931	6.337	7.173	6.613	5.962	7.074	7.003	0.62	1.784	0.50
G13	4.656	7.951	7.756	7.750	8.618	8.698	4.628	6.828	7.556	7.098	6.720	6.201	7.038	0.655	2.368*	0.23
G14	5.771	7.954	7.778	8.176	8.627	8.460	6.210	5.768	7.410	6.485	5.331	7.203	7.098	0.715	1.712	0.54
G15	4.185	6.954	8.115	8.144	7.946	8.689	4.292	6.120	6.151	6.480	5.940	7.340	6.696	0.313	2.605*	0.24
G16	4.319	4.503	4.437	4.455	4.346	5.135	4.486	4.691	4.568	4.921	4.640	4.762	4.605	-1.778	0.175*	0.05
G17	6.031	6.252	6.149	6.596	6.500	6.672	6.412	7.097	6.521	6.894	6.958	6.965	6.587	0.204	0.151*	0.12
Mean	5.241	6.588	6.689	6.758	6.861	7.208	5.652	6.396	6.424	6.228	6.148	6.400	6.383			
Ei(Ij)	-1.142	0.205	0.306	0.375	0.478	0.825	-0.731	0.013	0.041	-0.155	-0.235	0.017				
LSD (0.05)	1.06	0.81	0.67	0.56	0.71	0.47	0.54	0.50	0.37	0.46	0.37	0.56				

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Table 6: AMMI mean yield and IPCA1 scores for 17 rice hybrids grown in 12 environments.

Genotypes	ID	AMMI mean yield (t ha ⁻¹)	IPCA1 scores
BRR17A/BR1543-1-1-1-1	1	5.299	-0.462
BRR111A/F2277R	2	5.175	-0.548
BRR111A/BR1543-1-1-1-1	3	4.376	-0.67
BRR113A/PR828R	4	5.379	-0.638
BRR128A/BRR126R	5	6.78	0.639
BRR148A/3028R	6	6.472	-0.675
BRR148A/BRR126R	7	6.645	0.748
BRR133A/BRR131R	8	8.081	-0.687
Jin23A/PR344R	9	7.234	-0.26
BRR111A/AGR	10	6.943	0.161
IR79156A/BRR120R	11	7.095	0.385
BRR153A/BRR126R	12	7.003	0.57
Jin23A/BR7881-25-2-3-12	13	7.038	0.958
Jin23A/507R	14	7.098	0.525
IR79156A/F2277R	15	6.696	1.124
BRR1 dhan28	16	4.605	-0.565
BRR1 dhan29	17	6.587	-0.605
Environments	Year		
Gazipur	1 st	5.241	-1.359
Gazipur	2 nd	6.588	0.545
Gazipur	3 rd	6.689	0.664
Rangpur	1 st	6.758	0.64
Rangpur	2 nd	6.861	0.765
Rangpur	3 rd	7.208	1.061
Comilla	1 st	5.652	-1.426
Comilla	2 nd	6.396	-0.317
Comilla	3 rd	6.424	-0.079
Satkhira	1 st	6.228	-0.329
Satkhira	2 nd	6.148	-0.136
Satkhira	3 rd	6.400	-0.027

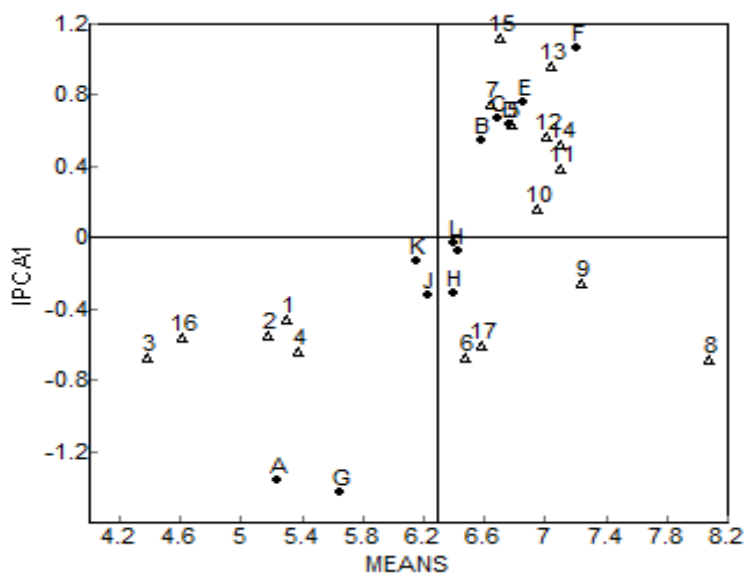


Figure 1: Biplot of the first AMMI interaction (IPCA 1) score (Y-axis) plotted against mean yield (t ha⁻¹) (X-axis) for seventeen hybrid rice genotypes over 12 environments.

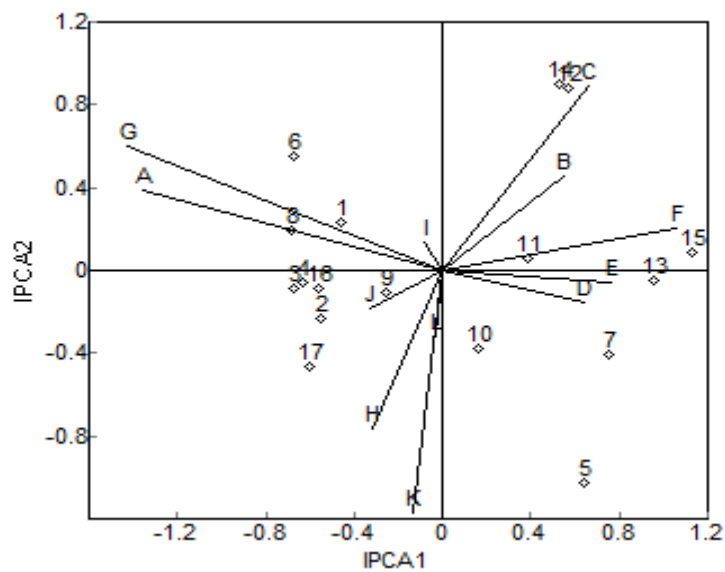


Figure 2: Graphic of AMMI biplot interaction of seventeen genotypes over 12 environments.

In graph, it is better to write the genotype name instead of just number