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> remittances in Africa and aims to make a number of contributions to the study of the relationship between migration and food security.