

Review of: "Impact of entrepreneurial orientation on business performance: Analysis of small-medium sized corn enterprises"

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Abstract

- I suggest the authors should indicate where East Java is located for the benefit of the readers. For example, they should indicate thatEast Java, Indonesia.
- I also suggest capitalizing each word of SMEs throughout the whole document, like Small and Medium Enterprises.
- The second sentence in the abstract is too long. I suggest breaking it into 2 for it to sound better.

Introduction

- There is need to improve the grammar in this section of the article since there are some incomplete sentences for example sentence number 3 in this section which reads *Employment and increased agricultural productivity*. This sentence appears to be incomplete. Check also second from last paragraph of the introduction which appears to be incomplete. It reads *Various evidence of the significant influence of entrepreneurial orientation on performance (Magar et al., 2021); (G Tom Lumpkin & Dess, 1996); and (Lyon et al., 2000)*. Also, last sentence in the first paragraph under the heading "Entrepreneurial Orientation Theory "which reads... Five dimensions, including: can measure entrepreneurial orientation...
- The citations in the whole document need to be corrected since it has some issues.
- Please indicate the source including the year of the *BPS data* which provided the statistics given in the first paragraph of the introduction.
- The third paragraph is too short to be a paragraph. I suggest merging it with the previous or next paragraph.
- I do not see the reason to talk about Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) in this research because the focus is on SMEs and not MSMEs.

Methodology

There is need to indicate the reasons for using the snowball sample and resorting 47 units. In general, the methodology appears to be weak. I suggest adding scholarly views during discussion, that is those scholars who reached the same conclusions or those who had opposing results, to make the discussion strong.

Conclusion

The scholars indicated thatIn the entrepreneurial literature, *many researchers* emphasize..... There is need to indicate some of the many researchers who has that opinion.

References

The references are not up to the required standard and some with incomplete detail. For example, Bernardin, H. (2013). John and Russel, Joice. EA, 2013. Human Resource Management. This reference seems to have some missing information. Hence, I suggest the need to relook at the references and write them accordingly.