

Review of: "Cruises Italian Tourism: Scenarios and Trends After Global Pandemic — The MSC Case"

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- 1. From Fig. 1, axis markings and relevant data for its complete understanding are not visible.
- 2. In the text where age generations are mentioned, Fig. 11 is wrongly referred to instead of Fig. 12.
- 3. Keywords are given in general and should indicate the main topic of the paper.
- 4. In the article, it is necessary to highlight the basic problem and purpose of the research and the methodology used.
- 5. In the article, more emphasis should be placed on the general changes that have taken place in the cruise tourism sector and tourism in general, which refer to "green" tourism, because the awareness of an increasing number of tourists is focused on the protection of the environment and nature.
- 6. European legislation is aimed at reducing the level of environmental pollution by certain deadlines, as well as the necessary technical improvements that must be implemented in maritime transport (construction of port infrastructure for electric ships and electricity supply from land, etc.), which needs to be additionally emphasized in the article. In this context, an analysis should be made of the case used the MSC shipping company how it adapts to the necessary changes occurring in the cruise market and maritime traffic, and what this means for the business of each individual cruise shipping company.
- 7. Highlight the results of the conducted research, point out their implications for the operations of cruise companies, and state the main contribution of this paper.
- 8. State directions for future research.