

Review of: "Determinants of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) Sustainable Development in Africa"

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Although the research article is capturing an interesting area of MSMEs in Africa, there are serious issues that must be addressed by the authors as follows:

1. There is a dire need for language editing so as to address a plethora of grammatical spellings.
2. The literature review is very weak. In this regard, there is no an element of critical literature review. Moreover, very limited literature sources were used in the literature review section despite the existing of a plethora of current literature sources on MSMEs in Africa. Therefore, the authors must rework the literature review. More worryingly, there is evidence of poor formulation of hypotheses (For instance, see H1).
3. Methodology is below standard. There is no sampling technique, sample frame, calculation of the sample size, validity and reliability of the research instrument.
4. Data analysis must be augmented. For instance, there is no factor loading for the constructs under investigation, and there is no Heterotrait-Monotrait ratio of correlations (HTMT) for assessing the discriminant validity.
5. There are no theoretical and practical implications of the study. Moreover, there are no areas for further research.
6. Poor in-text referencing. For instance, "and" and "&" are used interchangeably in this research article. Therefore, authors must stick to good in-text referencing.

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