

Review of: "Microinsurance: Bibliography of Unclassified Literature"

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Review Comments

The article is contemporary and could be impactful on microfinance and microinsurance literature

The title does not reflect the concept of microfinance. There is however an exceptional focus of MFI in the content. The title should be revised to incorporate microfinance

The abstract needs a major enhancement. It should follow the format for writing abstract. It is inadequate and does not include various key components such as background, approach and methodology and conclusions etc.

In the introduction, there is no clear integration of microinsurance and microfinance which are the main concepts of the study. The problem statement fails to articulate the interconnectedness between the two key concepts. The introduction is also silent on the key term microinsurance and it needs to be considered.

There is a disjoint among the study title, objective, and scope of the study as well as the justification. There should be clarity with their association and inter-connectedness.

Though the article mentions "Unclassified Literature", the outline for analyzing the papers should be uniform, some of the presentations are too elaborate and others too simple. Compare papers 49, 50 and 51 for instance. Some of the papers do not make reference to micro insurance which is the title of the study.

The summary and conclusion of the article do not commensurate with the introduction and objective of the paper.