

Review of: "Assessing the Challenges and Opportunities of Micro and Small Scale Enterprises (MSEs) in Hawassa City Administration of Sidama Region, Ethiopia"

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Abstract

- Introduce the MSEs before the term "the aim of this study was to identify the challenges and opportunities of MSEs in Hawassa city."
- Correct the term "Both primary data and descriptive statistics analysis were collected."
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- It was better to say "the findings of the study indicates that," not say "Then, the findings of the study, the descriptive results of the study, indicate that finance-related challenges of MSEs include"
- correct the language error "lack of access to credit for my business, lack of startup capital to start my business,"
- correct many language errors "my business,"
- correct the term "not access to new technology for running my business,"
- Make clear, for whom do you recommend. a specific office, government body, make it clear.
- Make the abstract very short. Maximum of one page, not extended.

• Introduction

- Take the sentence "To this end, this study was designed to assess the challenges of micro and small enterprises in Hawassa city related to finance, marketing, infrastructure, and technology (Zerihun, 2019)." from paragraph one to the end part of the introduction. Because it reduces the quality of the logic in your writing. You know the terms in the introduction will be written in the logical order of world, continent, country, study area.
- Starting from paragraph three, totally rearrange the introduction. Unnecessary terms were written here. For example, "This study focuses on identifying and understanding these challenges in order to provide insights and recommendations for improvement. One of the major challenges faced by MSEs in Hawassa City Administration is a lack of access to finance. Many small businesses struggle to secure loans from financial institutions due to limited collateral or a lack of business history. This restricts their ability to expand operations or invest in new technologies. Additionally, high interest rates and stringent loan requirements further exacerbate the financial constraints faced by these enterprises (Anne, 2014)." This expression was needed in the result part, not in the introduction part.

• Research objectives

- Make all specific objectives in the form of “To analyze the”
- Merge the two specific objectives “**infrastructure and technology-related challenges** faced by micro and small-scale enterprises in Hawassa city administration”.
- **Review of the Literature**
 - Start your literature with the definition of important terms. There are many terms to be defined like: MSEs, and others.....
 - Classify your literature into conceptual literature, empirical literature, and theoretical literature.
 - Your literature tells only about Hawassa city. Include the world, Africa, Ethiopia.
- **Materials and Methods**
 - Say methodology of the study, not “Materials and Methods”
 - **Data Type and Sources:** In this study, both primary and secondary data were used. “The primary data sources were Sidama Region Employees’ Road Construction and Transport Authority. The secondary data sources were published and unpublished materials available in libraries and on internet websites related (Yure and Deyganto, 2024)”. HOW ??????????????????????
 - Make the sampling design logical.
 - What is your sampling procedure?
 - Methods of Data Collection
 - : Do you have FGD and KII ? If so, who are they?
 - Methods of Data Analysis: Grammatical errors, for example, “After the accomplishment of the data collection procedure”. Correct it as “After the accomplishment of the data collection”. Also, correct the grammatical errors in: “it was classified as per each variable; the qualitative data was coded to be measured quantitatively. In this research, data was analyzed with the help of SPSS version 21.0. After the accomplishment of the data collection procedure, it should have been classified as per each variable; the qualitative data was coded to be measured quantitatively. In this research, data were analyzed by descriptive statistics such as maximum and minimum values, average, correlation, frequency, percentage, variance, and standard deviation with the help of SPSS Version 23.0 in order to get reliable findings”