

## Review of: "Examining Sustainable Survival Tactics for Small-Scale Bakeries: A Case Study in Lagos State"

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This is an interesting topic and data set

To be publishable as a peer reviewed article it needs some significant revision

First there are many large claims that need evidence and citation

just a few examples

"the small-scale enterprise in Nigeria seems too stagnant, less adventurous than in developed countries"

"No country achieves viable economic growth and development without the establishment of small-scale business firms. They have always been at the forefront of development strategies. Nigeria's quest for development must be hinged on industrialization."

Statements like these (and there are many more) need evidence and citation. Perhaps the studies are cited in the end but it is important to know what statement is supported by what prior study

In the Literature Review, it is difficult to see what statements go with what sources. Please clarify this

Say more about your data sources: how, when and by whom were data collected? What is the population? How was the sample selected?

why did you start in 1986? is there a reason (some event?)

Your research objectives are very broad, too broad for your data and analysis. Restate as the impact of policies on



bakery management practices (and justify why the ones you measure are the right ones)

Most scholars are familiar with the tests (like Chi Square), you do not need to present that level of detail in my view. Just state the null hypothesis, test and p value.