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| Journal Name:            | <a href="#">Asian Journal of Economics, Business and Accounting</a>                              |
| Manuscript Number:       | Ms_AJEBA_130182  |
| Title of the Manuscript: | Profitability Analysis of Women Entrepreneurs on Palm Oil Refinery in Kigoma Municipal, Tanzania |
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#### PART 1: Comments

|  | Reviewer's comment   | Author's Feedback (Please correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)   |
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| Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part. | This paper is important to the scientific community and can be a contribution to related fields. Research on women is also an interesting topic, because nowadays women also play an important role in increasing family income. In addition, the palm oil commodity is also an interesting commodity discussed in several studies.  | Received with thanks   |
| Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)   | The title of the article is appropriate.   | Received with thanks   |
| Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.      | The abstract of the article still needs to be clarified in the recommendation section. Write specific recommendations related to the research problem.   | <b>The recommendation has been strengthened to the research problem by adding the sentence "guaranteed loans to the oil palm women entrepreneurs untouched and touched in refinery process specifically at Kigoma Municipal in Tanzania".</b>  |
| Is the manuscript scientifically, correct? Please write here.  | The manuscript is scientifically correct, but needs to be improved by increasing the number of research samples.   | The research area is found to far west of the Tanzania, it is difficult to go back to the site for data collection   |
| Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.                              | References are inadequate and up to date. The author needs to add the latest references, for example about women entrepreneurs to enrich the discussion.<br><br>Gulvira, A., Ainash, M., Sagynysh, M., Meiramgul, A., & Aliya, K. (2024). The Impact of Female Entrepreneurship on Economic Growth in Developing and Developed Economies. <i>ECONOMICS</i> .<br>Sobhan, N., & Hassan, A. (2024). The effect of institutional environment on entrepreneurship in emerging economies: female entrepreneurs in Bangladesh. <i>Journal of Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies</i> , 16(1), 12-32.<br>Mari, M., Poggesi, S., Abatecola, G., & Essers, C. (2024). Women entrepreneurs and innovation: Retrospect and prospect. <i>Journal of Innovation &amp; Knowledge</i> , 9(3), 100519. | Added references and up to date are;<br>1.Gulvira, A., Ainash, M., Sagynysh, M., Meiramgul, A., & Aliya, K. (2024). The Impact of Female Entrepreneurship on Economic Growth in Developing and Developed Economies.<br>2.Sobhan, N., & Hassan, A. (2024). The effect of institutional environment on entrepreneurship in emerging economies: female entrepreneurs in Bangladesh. <i>Journal of Entrepreneurship in Emerging Economies</i> , 16(1), 12-32.<br>3.Mari, M., Poggesi, S., Abatecola, G., & Essers, C. (2024). Women entrepreneurs and innovation: Retrospect and prospect. <i>Journal of Innovation &amp; Knowledge</i> , 9(3), 100519.<br>4.Chikh-Amnache, Sabrina & Mekhzoumi, Lotfi. (2023). The Impact of Female Entrepreneurship on Economic Growth in the Asean Countries: A Panel MM-QR Approach. <i>Economics and Business</i> . 37, 37-49. <a href="http://dx.doi.org/10.2478/eb-2023-0003">http://dx.doi.org/10.2478/eb-2023-0003</a><br>5.Vracheva, V. & I. Stoyneva. (2020). Does Gender Equality Bridge or Buffer the Entrepreneurship Gender Gap? A Cross-Country Investigation. <i>International Journal of Entrepreneurial Behavior &amp; Research</i> , 26(8), 1827–1844. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1108/IJEER-03-2020-0144">https://doi.org/10.1108/IJEER-03-2020-0144</a> .<br>6.Franzke, S., Wu, J., Froese, F. J., & Chan, Z. X. (2022). Female |

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|   |   | <p>entrepreneurship in Asia: A critical review and future directions. <i>Asian Business &amp; Management</i>, 21(3), 343–372. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1057/s41291-022-00186-2">https://doi.org/10.1057/s41291-022-00186-2</a></p> <p>7. Burga, L., Gimelli, N., Muradyan, S., Robakowski, A., Miller, M., Rawlins, M., &amp; Snyder, G. (2021). Using digital solutions to address barriers to female entrepreneurship: A toolkit. Washington: The World Bank. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1596/35993">https://doi.org/10.1596/35993</a></p> <p>8. Al-Qahtani, M., Zguir, M., Ari, I., &amp; Koç, M. (2022). Female entrepreneurship for sustainable economy and development – challenges, drivers, and suggested policies for resource-rich countries. <i>Sustainability</i>, 14(20). <a href="https://doi.org/10.3390/su142013412">https://doi.org/10.3390/su142013412</a></p> |
| Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications? | The language/quality of the article's English is suitable for scientific communication.   | Received with thanks   |
| Optional/General comments   | <p>The reasons for researching women have not been explained in detail. The bibliography written is still not the same and neat. The recommendations given are also still general, and do not specifically provide suggestions that must be carried out by the government and entrepreneurs.</p> <p>There are no ethical issues in this manuscript.<br/>I declare that I have no competing interest as a reviewer.<br/>There is no suspicion of plagiarism in this article.</p> | The government is required to guaranteed loans to the oil palm women entrepreneurs untouched and touched in refinery process specifically at Kigoma Municipal in Tanzania”.  |

**PART 2:**

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|  | <b>Reviewer's comment</b>  | <b>Author's comment</b> (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here) |
| Are there ethical issues in this manuscript? | <i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i> | No   |