

Editor's Comment:

This paper uses both quantitative and qualitative method to assess the profitability of ginger farming to the smallholder farmers in same district Tanzania. I have some comments and suggestions for the paper:

1. In Section 3.3, calculations in Table 1 are not correct total cost is 3,490,000 and not 3,450,000.
2. The paper's writing format still is arbitrary, the capital letters and lowercase letters are missed somewhere. The same happens in the chapter title.
3. The footnote of this paper's writing format also is arbitrary. See Table 1
4. The format of the reference list is not standard, author(s), book title, article title, publisher, date of publication, and page number(s), capital letters and lowercase letters are missed somewhere. Strictly speaking, the citation of literature in the text is not a standard report format.
5. The author need to check published papers in this journal for a guide.
6. Finally, the empirical results do not provide much detail and deep analysis. I believe that the current study makes only marginal contribution to the literature. Hence, I am reluctant to recommend the study for publication in present form. The additions and revisions still is needed.

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