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Book Name:	Business, Management and Economics: Research Progress
Manuscript Number:	Ms_BPR_2554
Title of the Manuscript:	Analysis of the Rice Value Chain in East Timor—The Consumers’ Perspective
Type of the Article	Book Chapter

PART 1: Review Comments

Compulsory REVISION 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)
Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. Why do you like (or dislike) this manuscript? A minimumof 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	I appreciate this study because it provides a comprehensive analysis of the rice value chain from the consumer's perspective, offering valuable insights into consumer behavior and preferences in East Timor. The focus on consumer perspectives allows for a deeper understanding of the market dynamics and potential areas for improvement within the value chain. Additionally, the study's findings can inform policy decisions and interventions aimed at enhancing food security and economic development in the region.	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	The title Analysis of the Rice Value Chain in EastTimor—The Consumers’ Perspective .However if want to change it as well read “Understanding Consumer Dynamics in East Timor’s Rice Value Chain: A Comprehensive Analysis”.	
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.	Abstract: We need the results to be very clearer as found and synthesesd from the study. The methodology should be very clearly stated in the abstract. I have highlighted what needs to be deleted on the manuscript so that we can improve it further	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?	The methodology section should be subdivided into section for better. Right now it is difficult to see the settings of the study, sampling , data analysis etc. Methodology should be made very clearer as stated on the manuscript	
Please write a few sentences regarding the scientific correctness of this manuscript. Why do you think that this manuscript is scientifically robust and technically sound? A minimumof 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	Analysis of the Rice Value Chain in East Timor—The Consumers’ Perspective" is a solid study. However, there is room for improvement in the methodological layout, and the results could be presented more effectively. Additionally, attention should be given to refining the English grammar to minimize typographical errors. We need to attend to it accordingly	
Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form. :	I think the reference is ok. Well done. We can as well look at the citations	

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Minor REVISION comments	Better we improve it further	
Is the language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?	We need to improve on the English as earlier stated	
Optional/General comments	The book chapter titled "Analysis of the Rice Value Chain in East Timor—The Consumer's Perspective" is generally well-executed. However, it requires further enhancement in several key areas. First, the methodological layout needs refinement to ensure clarity and coherence. Second, the presentation of results should be more structured and detailed for better comprehension. Lastly, attention to English grammar and the reduction of typographical errors is necessary to improve the overall readability and professionalism of the chapter. Well done authors. Let us try to review it for more improvements.	

PART 2:

	Reviewer’s comment	Author’s comment(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?	(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)	

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