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Journal Name:	**Asian Journal of Economics, Business and Accounting**
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Title of the Manuscript:	**Effect of COVID 19 on the total production of Sardines in Bulan, Sorsogon, Southern Luzon, Philippines**
Type of the Article	**Original Research Article**

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PART 1: Review Comments

	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)*
Compulsory REVISION comments	The manuscript has important messages of unfolding impact of COVID 19 on Sardine production and marketing, which directly linked to food and security and livelihood of many Filipinos. The manuscript presents some research based both on primary and secondary data and should be considered for publication in AJEBA. A few issues, however, need to be addressed: 1. **In Title something like –"Impact of COVID… instead "Effect of COVID …. " would be more meaningful** 2. In "Abstract" section, some critical issues especially socioeconomic aspects are not addressed. Rewording of abstract needs for improvement. I offer some issues that the author/s needs to consider in the abstract. 3. Intro is well written but needs to be a bit shorter; My concern is that the introduction is a bit too long and you'll lose the reader. However, rewording/rephrasing of the last two parts of "Introduction" section to clarify the goal would be helpful to the readers. I offer some issues that the author/s needs to consider in this regard. 4. Methodology is well stated; no comments 5. Results- I offer some issues that the author/s needs to consider 6. Conclusion overstated and need rewording for shortening	
Minor REVISION comments	In the article, somewhere the phrase used as "Sardine fishery" or (Sardine's fishery) (Sardines' fishery). Clarify the issue with appropriate form. My suggestion is "Sardine fishery"	
Optional/General comments	Correction/comments/suggestion made in the body of the manuscript with a view to improving the quality of the article	

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