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The Impact of covid-19

on Firms' Performance

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Introduction

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In 2019, a new worldwide situation has occurred with the spread of the Covid-19 pandemic. According to (He & Harris, 2020; Laato et al., 2020), the pandemic will have a huge unprecedented long-lasting economic, and social impact on the world.

Introduction

Due to the rapid spread of the covid-19 virus, many countries implemented compulsory restrictions to eliminate the risk and reduce the spread of the virus such as lockdowns limiting people's gatherings, during that time.

Definitions

⊳ COVID-19:

COVID-19 stands for coronavirus disease, is a large family of viruses that cause illnesses ranging from the common cold to more severe diseases. (World Health Organization [WHO], 2022.

⊳ Firm performance:

Performance is a set of financial and non-financial indicators that offer information on the level of accomplishment of objectives and results (Lebans and Euske, 2006).

Definitions cont.

- Impact of Covid-19 on the firm's performance:
- The performance of the firms was impacted in terms of increasing costs, reducing sales, and labor-related challenges, delays in production.
- (Shen et al., 2020; Rababah et al., 2020) stated that companies' performance declined significantly in 2020.

Why my Topic is Trendy

Theoretical Framework

Methodology

- Literature review
- Secondary data
- 14 papers were reviewed on the impact of covid-19 on firms performance.

Summary of Literature Review

Previous Studies- Healthcare Industry

- ▷ (Piotr Korneta et al., 2021)
- The Impact of COVID-19 on the Performance of Primary Health Care Service Providers.
- ▷ secondary and primary data, through interviews
- ▷ 4 clinics in Poland
- Comparison between the changes in the performance in precovid-19 and during covid-19.
- ▷ The number of services provided decreased in all clinics.
- sales revenues of Clinic 1,2,3 have grown and Clinic 4 decreased.

Previous Studies- Hospitality Industry

- ▷ (Yu-Chen Lin & Chiang-Ming Chen, 2021)
- ▷ The impact of Covid-19 on hotel performance
- Secondary data (monthly operating reports)
- 137 international tourist hotels in Taiwan
- Room revenue: five-star ITH with high product varieties (high) whereas, non-five-star ITH with low product varieties (low).
- food and beverage revenue: ITHs located in scenic areas (low) whereas, ITHs located in non-scenic areas (high).

Previous studies-Rice Company

- ⊳ (Bello Adamu Dambatta,2021).
- Covid-19 Pandemic And Its Effect On The Performance Of Business Enterprises In Nigeria
- ▷ Primary data, through Questionnaire.
- Covid-19 restrictions: Social distancing- the prevention of large gatherings.
- ▷ Communicating with customers.
- ▷ Reduction of employees.
- ▷ production process.

Previous Studies - Airline Industry

- Pol Fontanet-P´erez et al., 2022) The impact of the COVID-19 crisis on the US airline market.
- secondary data obtained from the Bureau of Transportation Statistics (BTS).
- \triangleright 10 airlines.
- Decrease in net income: average is a loss of 8.6 cents per mile while the highest is 22 cents per mile flown during the pandemic period.(revenue passenger mile)
- Profit: the losses were more than double that of the profit before the pandemic.

Reflection

Reflection

- Instruments of collecting data: quantitative method through questionnaires/ surveys.
- ▷ Obtaining from secondary data.
- ▷ The majority of the articles were published in 2021.
- Based on the literature covid-19 has a negative effect on banks, airlines, food and beverage, hospitality, and construction industries.
- The impact of Covid-19 on construction financial services food and beverage industries in different cities.

Construction Industry

- Indonesia:
- public ownedconstruction enterprise
- Secondary data.
- Revenue of publicowned enterprises has declined.
- Decrease in profitability

- Vietnam:
- public and privately owned- construction enterprise.
- Questionnaire
- Revenue of public-owned enterprises has declined.
- Profitability increased in public-owned enterprises.

Financial services

- Indonesia
- 12 Islamic banks
- secondary data
- Decrease in profitability.
- ROA hasn't changed much during the pandemic

- Sri Lanka
- 24 bank
- secondary data (annual reports)
- decrease in revenues due to covid-19 restrictions which reduced economic activities.
- ROA hasn't changed much during the pandemic

Food and beverage industry

- India
- MacDonald's
- Online questionnaire
- Customers
- The number of customers visiting the store has decreased
- experienced a decline in their sales.

- India and Malaysia
- Starbucks
- Online questionnaire
- Customers
- The number of customers visiting the store has decreased
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Limitations and Recommendations

Limitations

- There are limited articles that are relevant to my topic.
- ▷ Most of the articles are unclear.
- Researchers not explaining much about the changes in the variables.

Recommendations & implantations

- This research aimed to determine only brick-and-mortar stores' performance.
- To investigate the effects of covid-19 on online business performance.
- from my point of view, businesses must provide some plans to deal with obstacles that might face if another crisis happened, to eliminate its negative effects.
- The results have implications that covid-19 has a significant impact on the industries of all countries in the world.

Conclusion

- The Corona Virus Diseases (Covid-19) pandemic that hit the world resulted in a decline in the performance of most companies, including reducing the performance of the world economy. (Sutrisno Sutrisno et al., 2020).
- All industries have been affected negatively by covid-19, except the healthcare industry which has been affected positively by Covid-19.
- Banks have also been affected but not much as the food and beverage industry which experienced a significant decline in its profitability and revenue.

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Thanks! Any questions?