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Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_AJAEES_117360</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>Entrepreneurial Behaviour of Sugarcane Growers in Shahpura Block of Jabalpur District, Madhya Pradesh</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

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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)
<p><b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Is the manuscript important for scientific community?</b> (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</li> <li><b>Is the title of the article suitable?</b> (If not please suggest an alternative title)</li> <li><b>Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</b></li> <li><b>Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b></li> <li><b>Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</b></li> <li><b>Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</b></li> </ol> <p><b><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></b></p>	<p>Review comments:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Importance for the scientific community:</b> The findings of the study can be valuable for extension professionals, policymakers, and researchers working in the areas of agricultural entrepreneurship, sugarcane cultivation, and farmer behavior. It provides insights into the factors influencing entrepreneurial behavior and the constraints faced by sugarcane growers.</li> <li><b>Is the title of the article suitable?</b> Yes, the title "Entrepreneurial Behaviour of Sugarcane Growers in Shahpura Block of Jabalpur District, Madhya Pradesh" accurately reflects the content of the study.</li> <li><b>Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</b> The abstract covers the key aspects of the study, including the objectives, methodology, major findings, and conclusions. However, it could be improved by providing some quantitative details about the significant relationships and constraints identified.</li> <li><b>Are subsections and the structure of the manuscript appropriate?</b> The manuscript follows a logical structure with appropriate subsections, including Introduction, Materials and Methodology, Results and Discussion, and Conclusion. However, the Results and Discussion section could be better organized by separating the various aspects (entrepreneurial dimensions, entrepreneurial behavior, relationships, and constraints) into distinct subsections for better clarity.</li> <li><b>Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</b> Based on the information provided, the methodology and analysis appear to be scientifically sound. The use of appropriate statistical tests (frequency, percentage, mean, and correlation coefficient) for analyzing the data is appropriate.</li> <li><b>Are the references sufficient and recent?</b> The manuscript includes a good number of references (15 in total). However, some of the references are relatively old (e.g., Pandya 1996, Patel et al. 2004), and more recent references could be included to strengthen the literature review and support the findings.</li> </ol>	
<p><b>Minor</b> REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</b></li> </ol>	<p>Based on the excerpt provided, the language and English quality of the article appear to be generally suitable for scholarly communication, with a few minor issues:</p> <p>Positive aspects:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The writing style is formal and academic, appropriate for a research article.</li> <li>The sentences are well-structured and grammatically correct for the most part.</li> <li>The technical terminology related to entrepreneurship and sugarcane cultivation is used appropriately.</li> </ol> <p>Areas for improvement:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There are a few instances of awkward phrasing or wordiness that could be improved for better</li> </ol>	

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	<p>clarity and conciseness. For example: "The sugarcane grower according to their entrepreneurial dimensions is presented in Table 1."</p> <p>2) There are a couple of minor grammatical errors, such as subject-verb agreement issues: "The higher percentage (60.84%) of sugarcane growers had medium level of Entrepreneurial behavior."</p> <p>3) The article could benefit from some copyediting to ensure consistent use of capitalization, punctuation, and formatting (e.g., spelling out numbers below 10, using the Oxford comma consistently, etc.).</p>	
<b>Optional/General</b> comments	<p>In summary, while the study addresses an important topic and follows a sound methodology, there is room for improvement in certain areas, such as the abstract, subsection organization, and the inclusion of more recent references. Overall, with some revisions, the manuscript could make a valuable contribution to the scientific literature on agricultural entrepreneurship and sugarcane cultivation.</p> <p>Overall, while the language quality is not perfect, it is generally acceptable for a scholarly article, especially in the context of it being written by non-native English speakers. With some minor editing and proofreading, the language and English quality could be improved to meet the standards expected in high-quality academic journals.</p>	

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<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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