

Comments of “ The moderating effect of corporate governance on corporate social responsibility and information asymmetry: An empirical study of Chinese listed companies” [Economies] Manuscript ID: economies-1930099

The title of paper is interesting but the content needs to be revised and restructured. The moderating effect of corporate governance (CG) on corporate social responsibility (CSR) and information asymmetry (IA) is a good research question but the content of this paper is not clear for readers to follow up. Comments and suggestions are as follows.

1. The current version of Abstract is too long. For example, in Line 20-21, some control variables not included does not need to be shown here. What is IA in abbreviation (Line 28)? In Line 31-33, that is not a complete sentence. In Line 33-34, is “CSR promote transparency between managers and stakeholder groups” the main purpose of this study?
2. Line 39 (China, practice CSR.....), Line 45 (... To.....), Line 58 (courage Supervisors.....), Line 60 (...IA.....) etc. Are they typos?
3. In Line 88, Secondly, One sentence for the second contribution is too short and not clear.
4. In Line 147, “2.2 CG as well as asymmetry information” is not easy to understand the subtitle.
5. In Line 358-359, where is the definition of this variable (annual trading value) in the equation model?
6. Please read the content again and make sure your research questions and research design clear and easy for readers to follow up.