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Title: GLOBAL SUPPLY CHAINS MANAGEMENT IN A DEVELOPING ECONOMY A CASE STUDY OF NIGERIA ECONOMY

Recommendation:

Accept as it isYES.....

Accept after minor revision.....

Accept after major revision

Do not accept (*Reasons below*)

Rating	Excel.	Good	Fair	Poor
Originality			✓	
Techn. Quality			✓	
Clarity		✓		
Significance		✓		

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Reviewer's Comment for Publication.

Abstract Evaluation:

The abstract provides a comprehensive overview of the scope, relevance, and objectives of the study. It begins by explaining the concept of Global Supply Chain Management (GSCM) and its significance in balancing resources across developed and developing economies. The Nigerian context is appropriately highlighted, identifying key sectors (oil and gas, agriculture, manufacturing) and the economic barriers that impede optimal gains from GSCM.

The research aims are clearly stated: measuring the effect of SCM in manufacturing, evaluating its broader economic impact, and identifying the constraints and advantages GSCM offers Nigerian industries. The methodology section is concise yet informative, indicating a quantitative approach with descriptive and inferential statistical analysis. The outcome—showing a strong positive correlation yet rejecting the null hypothesis for significance—adds a nuanced insight into the complexity of GSCM's real impact on Nigeria's economic growth.

The concluding remarks emphasize the broader challenges faced by developing countries and underscore the strategic necessity of addressing infrastructure and policy gaps to benefit fully from global supply chains.

Introduction Evaluation:

The introduction effectively sets the historical and theoretical context of global value chain integration, tracing it back to early globalization trends during the colonial era. The citation of Allen (2011) and

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Dicken (1998) grounds the discussion in established academic literature and supports the claim of globalization's long-term influence on economic structuring.

It successfully transitions from a general historical perspective to the more recent economic transformations of developing economies under global supply chains. The connection between globalization and Nigeria's industrial engagement is implied, serving as a foundation for the case study.

Overall Assessment:

The paper addresses a relevant and complex topic at the intersection of global trade, economic development, and supply chain logistics. It combines contextual background, theoretical grounding, and empirical research to investigate the impact of GSCM on a major African economy. The abstract and introduction align well in terms of focus and clarity, and the statistical analysis adds credibility to the research findings. The report is informative and pertinent to scholars, policymakers, and practitioners engaged in international trade and development economics.