ABSTRACT

Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) play a crucial role in driving the national economy but often face challenges such as intense competition, limited marketing reach, and rapid shifts in industry trends. This research focuses on Kitanata, a furniture-based MSME from Bogor, and aims to formulate a business development strategy by integrating the Business Model Canvas (BMC) with SWOT analysis to enhance competitiveness. The study employs a descriptive qualitative approach with a case study strategy. Data were collected through indepth interviews, field observations, and documentation. The findings reveal that Kitanata excels in product quality and customization services but struggles with competition from low-priced imported goods, the absence of a customer loyalty program, and limited offline marketing channels. Through SWOT analysis on the nine BMC elements, development strategies were formulated, including implementing a loyalty program, expanding digital marketing channels, and strengthening brand value as a premium local furniture provider. These strategies were developed using the SWOT matrix to construct a new, more adaptive BMC model. This study contributes to MSME strategic development by presenting the integration of BMC and SWOT frameworks as a comprehensive approach to navigating dynamic industry challenges. The study also recommends similar strategic integration for other MSMEs seeking sustainable competitiveness in a rapidly evolving market.

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