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# **SME interaction capabilities and participation in high value manufacturing global value chains**

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## **Abstract**

This study focusses on a survey instrument aiming to capture the effect of interaction capabilities on SMEs' participation in global value chains. An index to capture the extent of participation was also advanced based on the Ansoff matrix. The paper reports the instrument development prior to conducting the large-scale empirical study.