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Dear John,

the new WMS survey will have more information on how firm managers are responding to multiple crises – of the current inflation shock (and it's link to Ukraine and the post-Covid recovery) and also (in the longer term) of climate change. The planned WMS waves combined with longitudinal data from previous waves of the WMS (as used in the previous Bender et al, 2018, article) and with administrative data from Bundesbank will give us the ideal database to generate the knowledge, we need in this complex times.

Bundesbank is very pleased that you are launching a new wave of the World Management Survey in Germany. We as Bundesbank looking forward to our first project meeting in December, where we will plan our concrete steps in our joined project(s).

Yours sincerely



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