THE EFFECT OF STRATEGIC PERFORMANCE MEASUREMENT SYSTEM AND SERVICE STRATEGY ON A FIRM'S PERFORMANCE

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ABSTRACT

Purpose: In regard of the significant contribution of service to a firm's performance, this study investigates the impact of strategic performance measurement sytstem (SPMS) on sustainability. **Design, Methodology, and Approach:** Our survey method is to collect the research data by distributing questionnaires to the top management at airline industry office in Indonesia. **Findings:** Based on the 105 usable data analysed using SmartPLS, this study shows that service strategy and SPMS affect a firm's performance. SPMS has a significant influence on a firm's performance when it is related to business strategy, especially service strategy. More specifically, the alignment of service strategy with the business strategy can improve financial performance in the Indonesian airline industry. **Research limitations and implications:** This study implies that organizations should design SPMS that links to service strategy with the company environment to improve performance. **Originality and Value:** The study contributes to the literature of SPMS, service strategy and company performance in in the airline industry in a way that is hardly to be found in the management accounting field.

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Introduction

The popularity of management accounting studies of strategic performance measurement (SPMS) encourages system management accounting researchers to produce new literature on that topic (Bento and Ferreira White, 2010). SPMS is important because it provides financial and nonfinancial information to build organizational capability (Mohamed et al., 2008; Bento and Ferreira White, 2010). Bisbe and Malagueño (2012) show a positive relation between SPMS and performance mediated by a complete order of strategic decision. On the other hand, Verbeeten and Boons (2009) find that it does not always improve performance. More research is needed Franco-Santos et al. (2012). Previous work on SPMS looks at service industries (Mohamed et al., 2008; Kolehmainen, 2010; Yuliansyah and Khan, 2015) especially airlines. Moeller (2010)emphasises that service has unique and interesting

characteristics different from manufacturing. Four characteristics typify services: intangibility, heterogeneity, inseparability, and perishability (IHIP). Airlines have a great influence on the world's economy (Huettinger, 2014; Torlak et al., 2011). They are the world's fastest and most needed transportation (Gittens et al., 2017).

Historically, airlines double in size every 15 years and grow faster than other industries. In 2016, airlines across the globe carriy about 3.8 billion passengers and 53 million tons of cargo on more than 100 000 flights a day – more than 10 million passengers a day (Gittens et al., 2017). The industry's contribution to global GDP (2014 figures) is USD 2.7 trillion (Aviation Benefits Beyond Borders, 2016). In the last five years the number of Indonesian passengers continuously increases. In 2013, 3.75 million people, in 2014, 4.04 million, in 2015, 4.3 million, in 2016, 4.6 million, and 5.3 million passengers in 2017 (Haryanti, 2018).

Some disturbing facts regarding the airlines performance emerge, for example flight delays, lost goods, crashes caused by a pilot's negligence, wrongly printed tickets, discrimination against people with disabilities (Poerwanto, 2015). There are nine crashes in 2014, 11 in 2015, and 15 in 2016 (Nistanto, 2016). These cases trigger a temporary ban on passenger and baggage activity at Soekarno-Hatta International Airport by the Directorate General of Civil Aviation of the Ministry of Transportation (Nistanto, 2016). The growth of airline business in Indonesia is not aligned with better Human Resources (HR) and infrastructure. whose costs would decrease performance (Hakim. 2016). То improve management must adopt the performance, appropriate strategy.

Airlines to must be competitive, and must have effective performance management to be successful in business strategy implementation. SPMS is an instrument to develop organizational ability to enhance the competitiveness of an organization (Mohamed et al., 2008). However, the strategic performance measurement system is only effective if it is aligned with an organization's strategy (Krishnan, 2008). The importance of alignment between strategic performance measurement system and the organization's reflected based environmental strategy on uncertainty is indicated by contingency theory. Contingency theory predicts the organization's characteristic relation such as performance measurement system and firm performance based on a certain contingency or condition (Donaldson, 2001; Hayes, 1977; Otley, 1980). This is one way to develop competitiveness, but only if it is based on contingency theory.

SPMS increases service provision. As one of the organization's internal strengths, it must have different and more positive values than the competitors' service has (Huang and Rust, 2017). Organizations need to identify appropriate service strategies to address higher market complexity and competition (Gebauer, 2008). Service strategies are important for a firm to develop and provide service benefits different from its competitors (Brady and Arnold, 2017). However, evidence of the theoretical foundation for development of service strategies is still scarce (Wieland et al., 2017). The theoretical foundation is still insecure. We aim to clarify strategies for airlines in Indonesia operating both nationally and internationally.

This study contributes to the literature in (1) strategic performance measurement system related to service strategy in the airline companies in Indonesia, and (2) Influence of strategic performance measurement system on performance through service strategy.

Our Section 1 reviews the relevant theory. Section 2 discusses our hypotheses. Section 3 defines the variable. Section 4 presents the results of statistical analysis. Section 5 summarizes our main findings, acknowledges the limitations of the study, and suggests future research in the field.

The Literature Review – Conceptual Framework and Hypothesis Development

SPMS translates business strategies into various financial, operational and strategic steps, and provides guidelines for managers and employees to take action to achieve overall business goals (Yuliansyah and Jermias, 2018). The four main attributes of SPMS are (1) a long term goal, (2) strategic and operational indicators, (3) cause-effect relations, and (4) target dates for scheduled actions (Micheli and Manzoni, 2010). SPMS looks at both financial and non-financial items from various perspectives (Elijido-Ten, 2013). This is in line with Chenhall (2005), who states that SPMS is designed to convey information to management regarding financial and nonfinancial measures in different perspectives, and to consolidate strategies into a set of interconnected performance measures. SPMS is effective if it illuminates many strategic and important factors (Silvi et al., 2015). In brief, SPMS is performance measurement system using performance measurement information to control feedback and

feed forward to achieve the organization's objectives.

SPMS influences performance through the strategic agendas and decisions resulting from reformulation of strategies based on the level of environmental dynamics (Bisbe and Malagueño, 2012). Service strategy develops the ways companies can serve others (Wieland et al., 2017) by (1) increasing the number of services offered, and (2) emphasising them to customers (Gebauer, 2008). The service strategy must underwrite marketing activities (Roth and Van Der Velde, 1991; Brady and Arnold, 2017). To summarize, service strategy responds to business changes by satisfying customers in order to be competitive, and SPMS are fundamental to its success (Micheli and Manzoni, 2010). An organization's performance is the achievement of the organization's goals (Prayhoego and Devie, 2013; Munizu, 2010) in products and services, finance and marketings, customer focus, processes, and leadership (Jaafreh and Al-abedallat, 2013). "Performance" can relate to both financial and non-financial goals (Wang et al., 2018).

The discussions above lead us tothefollowing conceptual framework (see Figure 1 below) to help us guide the study:



Figure 1: Conceptual Framework of the Study

There is a positive relation between SPMS and firm performance (FP) mediated by service strategies (Sainaghi et al., 2017; Gebauer et al., 2012; Brady and Arnold, 2017). Based on the conceptual framework above, we provide the following explanation for each of the hypotheses:

2.1. SPMS and Service Strategy

The relations between the strategic planning process and formulation of performance

measurement system must be close, relating the measurement system to the organizations' sustainable strategy (Gates and Germain, 2010). The integrated performance measurement system is the main innovation in the firm's performance measurement. However, this system is not effective without a linkage to the organization's strategy. Environmental uncertainty significantly influences the changing organization's strategy (Krishnan, 2008). According to Gimbert et al. (2010), SPMS efficiently interprets strategic information to achieve the strategy implementation. SPMS is necessarily needed to identify the appropriate approach to business opportunities (Mohd Amir, 2014).

SPMS helps managers in making decisions to provide variant information (Bisbe and Malagueño, 2012). Another important factor for the development of PMS is the impact of competition (eg prices, competitor actions, regulations) on the role of PMS, such as providing relevant information and control strategies (Lee and Yang, 2011). SPMS is a good instrument for communicating with managers who should not only focus on financial and customer relations but also on products and services that have an important role in sustainable strategic success (Aranda and Arellano, 2010).

Thus, we assume that there is a relation between SPMS and service strategy to improve firm performance as shown in the following hypothesis:

H1: Strategic Performance Measurement System positively affects Service Strategy

2.2. Service strategy (SS) and Firm Performance

The SS paradigm explicitly considers the strategic role of operations as a competitive instrument in better performance (Roth and Van Der Velde, 1991). Strategic compatibility has implications for performance (Gebauer, 2008). The SS are crucial for business development in the long term (Edvardsson and Enquist, 2002). Service strategies are important for improving firm performance (Brady and Arnold, 2017). SS needs to be developed to maximize profitability (Payne and Frow, 1999). Implementation of SS is indeed difficult, but it is important for organizations to be competitive (Kumar et al., 2009). Other studies show that SS elevates a firm's performance (Tiong et al., 2017; Viana et al., 2018; Yuliansyah and Jermias, 2018). Thus, our hypothesis is:

H2: Service Strategy has a positive effect on Firm Performance

2.3. SPMS and Firm Performance

Organizations that monitor their activities improve their financial and non-financial performance (Spencer et al., 2009). SPMS contribute effectively to firm performance. Indeed, superior performance will be achieved (Lee and Yang, 2011). SPMS can provide comprehensive feedback on various performance measures to improve performance (Hall, 2008). The company plans a strategy by including indicators about customers such as complaints or satisfaction and market share to improve company performance (Belay et al., 2011). The use of financial and nonfinancial measures improves the performance of financial or non-financial organizations (Spencer et al., 2009). Previous studies found that there is a positive effect of SPMS on firm performance (Yuliansyah and Jermias, 2018; Micheli and

Manzoni, 2010; Bento and Ferreira White, 2010). Therefore, our hypothesis is:

H3: Strategic Performance Measurement System positively affects firm performance

Research Methodology

3.1 Data Collecting

We work in Indonesia because there is still a lack of research on management accounting development in Asia. Scapens and Bromwich (2010) identify only 4% of 205 researches in 2000-2009. We choose a service industry for the same reason. Chenhall and Smith (2011) find only 18 of a total of 231 papers published by 10 leading management accounting journals during 1980-2009 (30 years). We look at airlines because their SPMS meet company standards only, and still need improvement (Amran and Indrawan, 2014).

Respondents in this study are the top managers of marketing, finance, customer service, and HR in national and international airlines in Indonesia. Addresses and contacts come from the websites of the Directorate General of Civil Aviation and the Soekarno Hatta Airport.

Questionnaires to senior management of Indonesian airlines yield 105 usable replies analysed using SmartPLS. The questionnaire return rate is 26.25% from 400 questionnaires distributed to 80 organizations. The demographic information of the respondents is presented below in Table 1:

No.	Characteristics	n	%	Cumulative (%)
1	Gender:			
	Men	28	26.7	26.7
	Women	77	73.3	100.0
2	Age (years):			
	<30 years old	50	47.6	47.6
	31 - 40 years old	41	39.0	86.6
	41 - 50 years	11	10.5	97.1
	> 51 years old	3	2.9	100.0
3	Last education:			
	S2 / S3	8	7.6	7.6
	Bachelor degree	66	62.9	70.5
		31	29.5	100.0

Table 1. Demographic Information

	High School /			
	Diploma			
4	Division of Work:			
	Marketing	33	31.4	31.4
	Finance	20	19.0	50.4
	Customer Service	21	20.0	70.4
	HR	19	18.1	88.5
	Other	12	11.4	100.0
5	Years of service:			
	<1 year	42	40.0	40.0
	2 - 10 years	50	47.6	87.6
	> 11 years	13	12.4	100.0

Table 1 shows that most respondents are female (73.3%), aged under 30 years (47.6%), with a bachelor degree (62.9%), working in marketing (31.4%), with two to 10 years working experience (47.6%).

Variables descriptive analysis to describe the data in this research is in Table 2 below, containing minimum and maximum scores, predicted and real scores, and also mean scores.

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Variable	n	Theor Rat	retical nge	Actua	ll Score	Mean
		Min	Max	Min	Max	
Use of Performance Information For						
Feed Forward Control (FF)	105	1	5	1	5	4.08
Use of Performance Information For						
FeedBack Control (FB)	105	1	5	1	5	4.00
Service Strategy (SS)	105	1	5	1	5	4.12
Financial Firm Performance (FFP)	105	1	5	3	5	3.76
Non-Financial Firm Performance	105	1	5	2	5	3.97
(NFFP)						

Table 2. Variables Descriptive Statistics

Table 2 above shows that the dimensions of SPMS variables (namely use of performance information for feed forward control, use of performance information for FeedBack control, and SS) are good. On the other hand, the firm performance variables (financial firm performance and non-financial firm performance) still need improvement.

3.2 Variable Instrument3.2.1 Strategic Performance MeasurementSystem (SPMS)

SPMS questionnaire indicators in this study are from the research literature of Grafton et al. (2010), that is, performance measurement information in SPMS to control feed forward and feedback.

Four functions of feed-forward control are (1) setting performance objectives of employees, (2) guiding the strategy implementation, (3) developing action plans, and (4) communicating crucial aspects in business strategy.

Four indicators of feedback control are (1) promoting organizational learning, (2) analysing 4292

the effects of past decisions, (3) evaluating the completed strategic targets, and (4) identifying needs of corrective actions.

The respondents score the importance of SPMS in their organization. Eight questions use five-point Likert scales from 1 (not important) to 5 (really important).

3.2.2 Service Strategy (SS)

The SS indicators come from Roth and Van Der Velde (1991). Ten questions cover relations between airlines, prime services, individual services, fun services, efficiency of office employees, appropriate prices, consistent services, appropriate information, accurate information, and courtesy, with five-point Likert scales from 1 (really bad) to 5 (excellent).

3.2.3 Firm Performance (FP)

FP measurements consist of four financial indicators and six non-financial indicators. The financial indicators are (1) Return on Assets (ROA), (2) Return on Investment (ROI) used in previous researches (Yee et al., 2010; Shi and Yu, 2013), (3) income (direct revenue), and (4) overall profit (Hyvönen, 2007; Yuliansyah et al., 2017).

The non-financial indicators, from Hernaus et al. (2012), are (1) maintaining and adding new clients, (2) customers' complaints, (3) the organization's reputation, (4) its relationship with suppliers, (5) suppliers' trust, and (6) product quality compared with the competition. Likert scales run from 1 (really bad) to 5 (excellent).

Research Result

Confirmatory Factor Analysis (CFA) creates a uni-dimensional variable. Second Order Confirmatory Factor Analysis gives two other multidimensional constructs, i.e. (1) the construct of SPMS measured by Use of Performance Information for Feed Forward (FF) and Use of Performance Information for Feedback, and (2) the construct of firm performance based on Financial FP and Non-financial FP . Each of the dimensions is measured by indicators.

The Structural Equation Modelling (SEM) is by Partial Least Squares (PLS) and the goal is prediction (Selvina and Yuliansyah, 2016). This study predicts the influence of SPMS and SS on FP. PLS is very useful for limited samples (Laitinen et al., 2010; Hartmann and Slapničar, 2009). Two models of SEM-PLS are measurement (Outer Model) and structural (Inner Model). The Outer Model assesses validity and reliability. The Inner Model measures the influence of latent variables (Hair Jr et al., 2016).

4.1 Measurement Model (Outer Model)

To assess the validity and reliability of a convergent model. we use validity and discriminant validity of the indicators and composite validity for the indicator block (Ghozali, 2014). Convergent validity can be seen from the correlation between the score of indicator and its construct. The individual indicator is reliable if the value of correlation loading factor is more than 0.70 (Chin, 1998). In this study, the Discriminant validity is measured by using the Fornell-Larcker criterion which compares the square of AVE with the latent variable correlation. It is valid if square root of Average Variance Extracted (AVE) along the diagonal is higher than the correlation between the constructions. A dimension is valid if AVE value is more than 0.5 (Hair et al., 2014). The construct reliability can be measured by using composite reliability from an indicator block measuring its construct. A construct is reliable if the composite reliability value is more than 0.70 (Ghozali, 2014). Rule-of-thumb testing of validity and reliability on the measurement model can be seen in Table 3 below.

 Table 3. Rule-of-Thumb Measurement Model Evaluation (Outer Model)

Validity and	Paramatan	Confirmatory	Exploratory
Reliability	Parameter	Research	Research

Validity	Loadings Factor	0.70	0.60
	Average Variance Extracted	0.50	0.50
	(AVE)		
Reliability	Composite Reliability (CR)	0.7	0.6
	Cronbachs Alpha	0.7	0.6 – 0.7 is
			still
			acceptable
Significance	Significance Level 10%	1.6	5
Weight (T- Statistics)	Significance Level 5%	1.9	6
	Significance Level 1%	2.8	5

The following is the table of loading factors. As can be seen in Table 4 above, there is no indicator eliminated from the model because loading values of all the indicators are higher than 0.70.

No	Eastar	Itoma	Factor
190.	Factor	Items	Loading
		SPMS_1	0.814
1	Use of Performance Information For	SPMS_2	0.810
1	Feed Forward Control (FF)	SPMS_3	0.796
		SPMS_4	0.794
		SPMS_5	0.776
2	Use of Performance Information For	SPMS_6	0.848
2	FeedBack Control (FB)	SPMS_7	0.851
		SPMS_8	0.861
		SS_1	0.706
		SS_2	0.836
		SS_3	0.757
		SS_4	0.836
2	Sorriga Strategy (SS)	SS_5	0.711
3	Service Surategy (SS)	SS_6	0.783
		SS_7	0.803
		SS_8	0.758
		SS_9	0.807
		SS_10	0.729
		FFP_1	0.746
1	Financial Firm Derformance (FED)	FFP_2	0.834
4	rmancial rinn renormance (FFP)	FFP_3	0.765
		FFP_4	0.878
5	Non Financial Firm Performance	NFFP_1	0.778
5	(NFFP)	NFFP_2	0.783

NFFP_	3	0.794
NFFP_	4	0.805
NFFP_	5	0.733
NFFP_	6	0.742
NITT_	_0	0.742

The results of data processing in the measurement model (Outer model) to measure the validity and reliability of model are in Table 5 below.

	Validity	Relia	bility
Variable		Composite	Cronbach
	AVL	Reliability	s Alpha
Use of Performance Information For Feed			
Forward Control (FF)	0.646	0.879	0.818
Use of Performance Information For FeedBack			
Control (FB)	0.697	0.902	0.855
Service Strategy (SS)	0.599	0.937	0.925
Financial Firm Performance (FFP)	0.652	0.882	0.821
Non Financial Firm Performance (NFFP)	0.597	0.899	0.865

Table 5. Validity and Reliability

Table 5 above shows that the AVE value is more than 0.5, in line with the dimension criteria with good validity according to Hair et al. (2014) i.e. AVE value is more than 0.5 so all indicators of the dimension in this study have good validity. A dimension is reliable if its Composite Reliability (CR) value is more than 0.7 (Hair et al., 2014). The results show that for all dimensions the CR > 0.7 meaning that the indicators of each dimension have a good internal consistency. Next, Table 6 above illustrate that all the square roots of AVE along the diagonal are higher and the Discriminant Validity value of this study is good.

Latant Variables	Correlation				
Latent Variables	FF	FB	SS	FFP	NFFP
Use of Performance Information For Feed					
Forward Control (FF)	0.804				
Use of Performance Information For FeedBack					
Control (FB)	0.702	0.835			
Service Strategy (SS)	0.666	0.683	0.774		
Financial Firm Performance (FFP)	0.593	0.593	0.605	0.808	
Non Financial Firm Performance (NFFP)	0.659	0.688	0.730	0.707	0.773

Table 6. Discriminant Validity (Correlation of Latent Variable)

4.2 Structural Model (Inner Model)

The Inner Model measures the influence of the exogenous latent variable (Independent) on the endogenous latent variable (Dependent). We use the determinant coefficient (\mathbb{R}^2) for dependent variables and path coefficient (β). The R² value is higher than 0.1 so it is accepted because it shows the higher variants explained from the analyzed variable (Camisón and Villar López, 2010). The path analysis confirms that the relation between the constructs is strong, that is, the path coefficient is higher than 0.100 and the relation between latent

variables is 0.05 (Urbach and Ahlemann, 2010). Figure 2 below shows the structural model.



Figure 2: Diagram of Full Model Path

Figure 2 shows that the determinant coefficient (\mathbb{R}^2) value of the endogenous construct is higher than the recommended minimum value, so the model in this study has good predictive power. Figure 2 also shows the path coefficient value is more than 0.05, meaning that the structural

model in this study is good. Overall, the results of measurement model evaluation in this study are good.

4.3 Hypothesis Testing

		Independent	t Variables	
Dependent Variables	Feed	Food Book	Service Strategy	
	Forward	(FR)	(SS)	\mathbb{R}^2
	(FF)	(I ⁻ D)		
Service Strategy (SS)	0.367	0.426		0.535
Service Strategy (SS)	(4.222)***	(5.117)***		
Financial Firm Performance (FFP)	0.242	0.223	0.292	0.452
Financial Finit Fertormance (FFF)	(1.972)**	(1.982)**	(2.837)**	
Non-Financial Firm Performance	0.192	0.266	0.420	0.616
(NFFP)	(2.030)**	(3.016)***	(5.620)***	

Table 7. The Results of Structural Model: Path Coefficient, t-statistics, and R	el: Path Coefficient, t-statistics, and R ²	Fable 7 . The Results of Structural Model
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*** Significant at 1% (one-tailed)

**significant at 5% (one-tailed)

*significant at 10% (one-tailed)

The first hypothesis (H1) is that SPMS positively affects the service strategy. Table 7 shows that Use of Performance Information for Feed Forward Control has a positive and significant influence on the service strategy (β = 0.367, t = 4.222, p < 0.05). Likewise, the Use of Performance Information for Feedback Control has a positive and significant influence on the service strategy ($\beta = 0.426$, t = 5.117, p < 0.05). Based on the results, the first hypothesis is supported. The second hypothesis (H2) is that service strategy positively affects firm performance. The results show that SS has a positive and significant influence on both Financial firm performance ($\beta =$ 0.292, t = 2.837, p < 0.05) and Non Financial performance ($\beta = 0.420$, t = 5.620, p < 0.05). Thus, the second hypothesis is supported.

The third hypothesis (H3) is that SPMS positively affects firm performance. Table 7 shows that Use of Performance Information for Feed Forward Control has a positive and significant influence on both Financial firm performance (β = 0.242, t = 1.972, p < 0.05) and Non-Financial firm performance (β = 0.192, t = 2.030, p < 0.05). Likewise, the Use of Performance Information for Feed Forward Control has a positive and significant influence on both Financial FP (β = 0.223, t = 1.982, p < 0.05) and Non-Financial firm performance (β = 0.266, t = 3.016, p < 0.05). Therefore, the results of this study support the third hypothesis (H3).

The summary of hypothesis testing results can be seen in Table 8 below.

Table 8.	The summary	of hypothesis	testing results
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Hypothesis	Descriptions	Findings
1	The Strategic Performance Measurement System has	supported
	a positive effect on Service Strategy	supported
2	Service Strategy has a positive effect on Firm	supported
	Performance	supported
3	The Strategic Performance Measurement System has	supported
	a positive effect on Firm Performance	supported

4.4 Path Analysis

Hair et al. (2014) state that there are two types of influence, namely direct influence and indirect influence. The direct influence is the relationship connecting two constructs with a single arrow direction. The indirect influence is a relationship involving several constructs. Table 9 below presents the results of the estimated influence between research variables, both direct and indirect influence.

Path	Direct Effects	Indirec t Effects	Total Effects
Feed Forward -> Service Strategy -> Financial Firm Performance	0.242	0.107	0.349
Feed Forward -> Service Strategy -> Non Financial Firm Performance	0.192	0.154	0.346
FeedBack -> Service Strategy -> Financial Firm Performance	0.223	0.124	0.348

Table 9. The Results of Path Analysis Testing

FeedBack -> Service Strategy -> Non Financial	0.266	0.170	0.445
Firm Performance	0.200	0.179	0.445

Table 9 above shows that the influence of the independent variable (SPMS) on the dependent variable (firm performance) are increased more through mediating variables (service strategy) than by the direct influence of SPMS on firm performance. Therefore, it can be concluded that SS is very important to support the relationship influence of the SPMS on firm performance.

5. Conclusion

We find that (1) SPMS has a positive and very significant effect on service strategy meaning that the first hypothesis is accepted, (2) SPMS has a positive and significant effect on firm performance meaning that the second hypothesis is also accepted, (3) SPMS influences firm performance significantly indicating that the third hypothesis is also accepted. We conclude that service strategy is a full mediating variable because the influence of SPMS on firm performance is greater through service strategy than through the direct relationship between SPMS and firm performance. Grafton et al. (2010) agree that performance measurement systems facilitating feed forward control and feedback control in performance evaluation influence strategic capabilities and finally improve firm performance.

There are some consequences of this study. The first is to extend the literature on SPMS related to service strategy in airline companies. Chenhall (2005) claims that in manufacturing SPMS enhances competitiveness by clarifying the relation between objectives, strategies, and operations. Rajnoha et al. (2016) in industrial companies in Slovakia shows that SPMS improves performance when it focuses on both financial and non-financial goals and indicators. We provide new information about how to improve performance, especially in service companies.

Our second contribution is related to the influence of SPMS on FP through service strategy. Schmidberger et al. (2009) says that at EU hub

airports	a	Performance	Measurement	System
makes companies competitive and sustainable. We				
increase knowledge about the linkages between the				
SPMS, s	ervi	ice strategy, an	d performance.	

There are some limitations. We test only one independent variable (SPMS), one mediating variable (service strategy), and one dependent variable (FP). Further studies should add mediation variables such as Innovation products, Customer Satisfaction, and Differentiation Strategy. The second limitation is that this research is conducted only in the airline service sector companies operating in Indonesia, both National and International. We suggest that future researchers increase the number of samples and expand research to the hotel services sector, land transport, and marine transport. Regardless of the limitations, we conclude that all organizations must find a service strategy aligned with the company environment. In addition, a successful service strategy depends on having a SPMS in accordance with the organization's objectives.

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