Report: Does Human Capital of Entrepreneurs Matter to Survive? 
New Evidence from French Microdata

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This paper is an econometric analysis of the factors that could explain the survival duration of firms, especially about the key role of entrepreneur’s human capital. Nevertheless, some strong heterogeneities are observed between the different sectors of activity, and the positive effect of human capital is only positively correlated in the service sector.

This paper is interesting, as a purely empirical paper. Although as a non-specialist of econometrics, I can not assess clearly the methodological interest of the regression methods, as a minor remark, I would say that the literature review before describing data is quite long and could be shortened, as the paper is only empirical. Overall, I guess it is too long (as far as page numbers are not indicated, 32 pages is too long for what it brings as original results).