

Factors Affecting Turnover Tax Collection Performance: A Case of West Shoa Zone Selected Districts

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Abstract: Factors affecting turnover tax collection performance. A case of West Shoa Zone selected districts. In 2017/18 the targeted revenue was 9041224 birr with the actual revenue being 7888536 birr (equivalent to 87.25% or a difference of 1152688) was existence of turnover tax collection gap. This study was using mixed research approach. Sampling technique used by Systematic random and purposive sampling. Sample sizes of 373 respondents were selected and distributed questionnaires and interview. Data analyze by SPSS software 20 and factor analysis. Findings revealed that; employee qualification and manpower, taxpayer registrations, technology and information system, management commitment level and tax knowledge affects revenue performance of turnover tax positively. It was also revealed that the perpetuation of tax fairness affects negatively whereas compliance cost has a negative statistically insignificant. They concluded that there are problems facing the revenue administration office while collecting turnover tax revenue. Based on the study it is recommended that revenue authority need to develop their strategic management commitment, recruit sufficient number of employees and continues training on qualification, maintaining tax fairness and equity, improve taxpayer identification and registration, should increase the number of users of Electronic Tax Register, conducting extensive tax knowledge (awareness) creation programs to update and maximize frequency tax audit effective on field compromising should be a priority task.

Keywords: Revenue Collection Performance, Revenue Authority, West Shoa, Ethiopia

1. Introduction

Turnover tax is available to individuals who elective qualifying small businesses can choose to register for the standard tax system or for turnover tax. Turnover Tax will be calculated by simply applying a tax rate to a “taxable turnover”. Turnover taxes have parameters in place to determine when such taxes should be assessed, and at what rate [21]. Turnover tax is favorable for the business concerned implemented to simplify very complex tax rules and regulations. Turnover tax is perceived simpler to comply with does not necessarily mean that the associated tax payable is fair and tax system may potentially be burdening the taxpayer even more than the complex income tax system [13]. Ethiopian government Proclamation No. 308/2002, TOT is applicable to any resident person whose turnover from business does not exceeds 500,000 during any year of income. Turnover tax is imposed on the supply of taxable goods and services by persons not registered for VAT. It is

chargeable at 2 per cent on locally sold goods and 10 per cent on all other services (FDRE, 2002).

Therefore, turnover tax collection performance can be affected by different factors. In turnover tax revenue practice there are internal and external factors which affect the tax revenue amount selected districts. The researcher declares that; identify factors affecting Turnover tax collection performance from those; this paper focused on enforcement of law and regulation, effectiveness of TOT administration practice and taxpayers attitude toward payment of tax in selected districts.

1.1. Statement Problem

Revenue collection is enables the government to acquire assets which are not liable to debt and which the government uses to develop its economy. Tax administration therefore, should aim at improving on laws regarding the registration, assessment, collection revenue, and exploiting fully taxation potential of a country [36]. Previous studies (Ngungi, 2011;

Meena, 2013; Ndungu, 2013) posits identified factors affecting revenue collection that include services delivery, staff motivation, legislation, public participation, employee competency and integrating information and technology and payment was identified to be the main challenges that inhibits revenue collection [26, 27, 30]. Simiyu (2013) further argues that challenges affects turnover tax collection that include taxpayers' ignorance of their obligations, prohibitive rate of turnover tax, rate of payment affects tax collection [31].

In Ethiopia has faced budget deficit every year since introduction of TOT is an affirmative action which was aimed at incorporating the SME sector into national taxation system. However, the performance of TOT has not been satisfactory and TOT revenue has been below average in 2017/2018 years since its inception. According to ERCA (total revenue collected from the TOT less than against target collection each year). On TOT recruitment, the performance has on average been below 70% (ERCA, 18).

Others studies (Tigistu, 2014 & Tadele, 2015) for warded that Imposition of tax couldn't still bring the required result due to a number of reasons such as lack of clear understanding about the tax system by the tax payers, tax payers don't comply with their tax obligation, hostility between the tax payers and tax officials, economical factors, negative attitude of tax payer towards the tax system, that is, understating their taxable income by significant amount and related [33, 35]. For these reasons, the actual amount of tax couldn't be collected properly. However; these studies were the gap into measure revenue performance and identify the problem that this study sought to address. Despite of selected districts revenue authority has been facing various factors affect which make it not to attain at most (100%) the projected targets. In 2017/18 the targeted revenue was million 9041224 with the actual revenue being million 7888536 (87.25%) the existence of turnover tax collection gap.

This study was, therefore; undertaken to bridge the research gap through discovering factors which affect TOT performance by taking the case of some selected districts of West Shoa Zone of Oromia Region through answering the following research questions.

1.2. Research Question

1. What are factors that affect the effectiveness of TOT administration?
2. How taxpayer's attitudes affect TOT payment?

1.3. Hypothesis

H0₁: There is no significant relationship between employee qualification and manpower with performance of TOT collection.

H0₂: There is no significant relationship between management commitment and performance of TOT collection.

H0₃: There is no significant relationship between taxpayer's registrations and performance of TOT collection.

H0₄: There is no significant relationship between

technological and information system and performance of TOT collection.

H0₅: There is no significant relationship between compliance cost and performance of TOT collection.

H0₆: There is no significant relationship between tax knowledge and performance of TOT collection.

H0₇: There is no significant relationship between tax fairness and performances of TOT collection.

1.4. Research Objective

1.4.1. General Objective

Identify Factors affecting Turnover tax collection performance of West Shoa Zone Revenue Authority selected districts.

1.4.2. Specifics Objective

1. To identify factors that affects the effectiveness of TOT administration.
2. To examine how taxpayer's attitudes affects TOT collection performance.

2. Review Literature

2.1. Determinant of Turnover Tax Collection Performance

2.1.1. Effectiveness of TOT Administration

i. Employee Qualification and man power

Staff training is the establishment of learning, development and teaching opportunities in order to advance individual, team and managerial performance [12]. Bird (2015) argues faults revenue collection is inadequate tax assortments and academic faces a problem of incompetent tax supervision. The preceding problem is attributed to with inadequate administrative work with necessary skills, and high level of illiteracy among taxpayers and tax collectors [4].

ii. Management Commitment level

Managers Operations are also agents of the people and stewards of the democratic process and are morally obligated embody achieve goals, objectives and its mission of public interest and the constitutional governance process during strategic planning. Decision-flow processes are vehicles to integrate results into coherent patterns for developing, implementing, and controlling decision making [37]. Also management culture is a set of socially acquired values that managers accepts as a whole and transmits to its members through language, symbols and more proactive and tax compliant.

iii. Taxpayers registration

Taxpayer enumeration and registration: A good Tax Administration system should identify all those required to pay taxes, registration, recording of taxpayer information and issue unique identification numbers that are fed into a master file upon which updates are made and from which retrievals can be made [22]. According to Baingana (2011) that taxpayer identification are most important aspects of tax administration which more taxpayers are located and registered otherwise evade are reduced [3]. Then [4]

taxpayers are identified and registered results to enhance efficiency and significantly ease revenue collection.

iv. Technology and Information system

A cash register is an electronic tool used to calculate and records sales transaction with a cash drawer that will be used to store cash. The computerized processes are minimizing errors, standardization operational procedures and reducing costs. Furthermore, computerized tax system reduces operational costs of expenditure revenue collections to enhance the citizens' welfare prioritizing the society needs [10].

v. Compliance costs

Compliance costs are costs associated with obeying the law including planning and administration, direct time and money spent filing paperwork. The tax laws and regulations are legal documents with legal language which is complicated for ordinary taxpayers to comprehend and given the numerous legal amendments every year, taxpayers lack necessary expertise to complete the tax returns. Tax laws should be simplified save time and money SMSs business to lower both compliance costs and administrative costs, to reduce uncertainty faced by taxpayers' and to improve the levels of tax compliance [17].

2.1.2. Taxpayers Attitudes Toward Payment of Tax

i. Tax knowledge

According to Palil and Mustafa (2011) tax education is knowledge about tax laws to determining taxpayers' compliance behavior. Tax educations promote taxpayers understanding of the tax systems, processes, law and associated penalty for defaulting. This tends to increase peoples propensity to comply with tax obligation [29]. Asrinanda (2018) provides tax knowledge affect tax attitudes towards the tax system fair. Knowledge of taxation owned by the taxpayer will affect the obedience of the taxpayer itself in carrying out its tax obligation and affect tax revenue received by the state if the people already have low tax knowledge [1].

ii. Tax Fairness

According to Lemessa (2007) state that all taxpayers dealt a given taxpayer would accord the same treatment [19]. Kayaga (2010) stated three types of fairness's, namely: horizontal, vertical. Horizontal equity expresses the principle that similarly situated taxpayers should pay the same amounts of taxes because they have the same ability to pay. Vertical equity is principles that are "better off" bear a larger proportion of the tax burden while those who are "worse off" should bear less [16].

2.2. Performance of Tax Collection

As to Simon James & Clinton Alley (2004) the USA IRS has two definitions for tax gap - gross tax gap and the net tax gap. The gross tax gap is the amount of 'true' tax liability that is paid 'voluntarily' and on time and the net tax gap is amount less tax paid late or collected by the IRS through enforcement activities [32]. Baingana (2011) Asserts that without adequate tax revenues, governments cannot provide the necessary public services to foster growth. Tax revenue

pushes governments to levy ever more distortionary taxes in attempts to raise funds. Thus, improvement in administration would lead to increased revenue performance [3].

2.3. Empirical Evidence

Simiyu (2013) Was Studied On "Challenges Affecting Collection Of Turnover Tax". This study identified factors were; Taxpayer's ignorance of their obligations, mode of payment and the frequency of filing returns, Corruption and collusion between taxpayers, Government Policy formulation and quality of services to taxpayers [31].

Prisely (2013) Carried out the study on "Assessment of the challenges facing revenue collection in Tanzania". This study identified were; Weak administrative capacity to assess taxes and levies and enforce revenue laws and by laws, Taxpayer resistance and low morale on the part of citizenry, Corruption including embezzlement of revenue, Political pressure on the revenue collectors to relax in revenue collection, broadening the tax base, informal sector included in the tax net, Improving staff integrity, ensuring that all due government revenue is collected, tax evasion and avoidance are controlled [30].

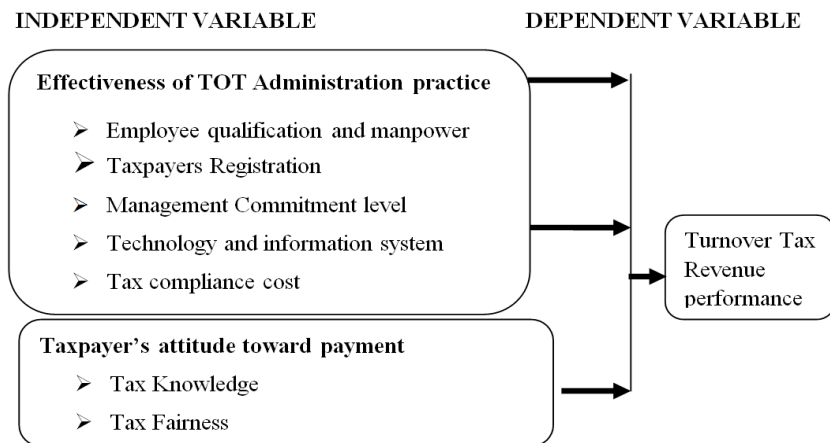
Dave (2014) Carried study on "factors influencing turnover tax compliance in the Kenya revenue authority". This study identified crucial factors that were; taxpayer's perception of the tax system, taxpayer's level of awareness, enforcement efforts by the revenue authority, costs of compliance [7].

Tadele (2015) study on "Analysis of Tax Buoyancy and Its Determinants in Ethiopia." forwarded that Imposition of tax couldn't still bring the required result due to a number of reasons such as lack of clear understanding about the tax system by the tax payers, tax payers don't comply with their tax obligation, hostility between the tax payers and tax officials, economical factors, negative attitude of tax payer towards the tax system, that is, understating their taxable income by significant amount and related. Generally empirical studies undertaken far for developing countries, particularly for Ethiopia, bothered little or no to see the potential challenges faced by taxpayers and the tax authorities in administering different tax activities such as turnover tax collection performance [33].

2.4. Research Gap

The researcher believes that some gaps in the area of tax collection not tested and addresses the issue in depth archive full potentiality on turnover tax collection performance. This are little study has been carried out on the factors turnover tax rate, tax evasion, compliance cost, employment qualification and manpower, management commitment level, tax knowledge, tax fairness, tax audit, low usage of Electronic tax register, tax avoidance and tax registration. Therefore a research gap exists that need to be filled by doing a through survey on the factors affecting turnover tax collection performance revenue authority.

2.5. Literature Framework



Source: Researcher their own literature review (2019)

Figure 1. Literature frame work.

3. Methodology

3.1. Description of Study

This research has been factors affecting turnover tax

collection performance on conduct in Zonal town is Ambo which it located 112 Kms West of the capital Addis Ababa, on the road to Nekemte [8]. This research were study on West Shoa Zone such as:-Chaliya, Ejere, and Nono select districts of revenue authority.

Table 1. Geographical location and climatic condition of the study districts.

District	Geographical location		Altitude (m.a.s.l.)	Temperature (°C)	Rainfall (mm)
	Latitude	Longitude			
Chaliya	9°02'-9°1N	37°25'-37°16E	1700 -3060	8- 25°	750 -1000
Ejere	8°51'-9°15'N	38°25'- 38°28'E	1872-3238	9- 28°	900-1200
Nono	7°41'-8°12'N	36°23'- 36°25'E	2152-3558	15- 32°	1100-1500

(EFEDO, 2012; FanosMekonnen, 2012; NFEDO, 2014; CFEDO, 2015)



Source: Google Map, West Shoa Zone (Chaliya, Ejere, Nono)

Figure 2. Location of West Shoa zone setting.

3.2. Research Design

Research design is the arrangement of conditions for collection and analysis of data in a manner that aims to combine relevance to the research purpose with economy in procedure. Cross sectional design is based on observations made at one point in time. Data collection strategy is broader in scope and involves systematic data collection we use and difficult to make inferences about processes that occur over time and hence cause and effect [18].

3.3. Research Approach

Qualitative research approach was used to provide descriptive forms using in-depth interview questionnaires which would enable the researcher to gather detailed information allow exploring and better understanding the complexity of a phenomenon [6]. Quantitative research approach has generates precise, statistically reliable, extensiveness of attitudes held by people, numerical data from survey sizes and provides objective measure of reality [6].

3.4. Target Population

According to Mugenda and Mugenda (2011), explain that the target population should have some observable characteristics, to which the researcher intends to generalize the results of the study [23].

Table 2. Taxpayers Profile.

No	Districts	TOT taxpayers
1	Toke Tutaye	1418
2	Chaliya	1250
3	Ejere	1180
	Total	3655

Sources: west shoa zone RA, 2018

3.5. Sampling Methods

A sample Design is a definite plan for obtaining a sample from a given population. It refers to the procedure the researcher would adopt in selecting items for the sample and determined before data are collected for his research study [18]. Systematic sampling is first item would be selected randomly and the remaining units of the sample are selected at fixed intervals. Purposive sampling was used to judgmental, selective or subjective sampling of the study [6].

3.6. Sample Size Determination

According to Taro (1967) formula assumes homogeneity of the taxpayers and the existing resources to determine the sample size by the precision level. Sample size for taxpayers [34];

$$n = \frac{N}{1 + N(e)^2} \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$n = \frac{3655}{1 + 3655(0.05)^2} = 361$$

Table 3. Respondents profile.

No	Type	Sampling method			Total
		Chaliya	Ejere	Nono	
1	Sample size Taxpayers	123	117	121	361

Revenue officers and department heads=12, Total sample=373.

Source: West shoa zone RA, February, 2019

3.7. Data Collection Methods

Structured questionnaire & personal interview was contact face-to-face primary data collection allowed the participants respond statement collect information on their attitudes, feelings under study [18]. Secondary data was obtained from annually turnover tax performance reports of six year (2013-2018) revenue authority.

3.8. Method of Data Analysis

Qualitative data was used in-depth, descriptive character, often not attainable using quantitative measures [6]. Quantitative data analysis (Field A. 2009; Hair et al., 2010; Joshi, 2012) show that the estimation technique, OLS, desirable properties and end diagnostic tests are violated [9, 11, 15]. Homoskedasticity refers the dependent variables have equal levels of variance across explanatory variables. The variance is unequal across values of the explanatory variable known as heteroskedasticity [11]. Skewness and Kurtosis are two statistical measures to test normality describe the shape of any distribution. Normally distributed errors: It is assumed that the residuals in the model are random, normally distributed variables with a mean of 0. This assumption means that the differences between the model and the observed data are most frequently zero or very close to zero and that differences much greater than zero happen only occasionally. In fact, predictors do not need to be normally distributed [9]. According to Field (2009) suggests that a small degree of association between explanatory variables will almost always occur but will not cause too much loss of precision. However, a problem occurs when the explanatory variables are very highly correlated with each other [9].

3.8.1. Factor Analysis

Factor analysis is test the multi-dimensional scale in which all variables, extraction variances a Factor loading is how much the variable contributes to the factor and high factor loading scores indicates better accounted by the variables [9].

3.8.2. Correlation

A value of +1 represents a perfect positive correlation means two variables are precisely related and values of one variable increase as turn as other variable will increase. By contrast, a value of -1 represents a perfect negative correlation means two variables are precisely related; as the values of one variable increase those of the other decrease. Within business research it is extremely unusual to obtain perfect correlations [20].

3.8.3. Model Specification

Structure questionnaire process was analyses by SPSS version 22 to regress multi-linear model. Multiple regressions

are analysis of two or more than two independent variables [18]. Following multiple regression equation as:

$$\text{TOT performance} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \text{EQMP} + \beta_2 \text{MCOMT} + \beta_3 \text{TREG} + \beta_4 \text{ITS} + \beta_5 \text{TCC} + \beta_6 \text{TKNOW} + \beta_7 \text{TFAIR} + \varepsilon$$

3.9. Operationalization and Measurement of Variable

Table 4. Operational Measurement of independent and dependent variables of study.

Independent Variables	Symbol	Categorical	Unit Measurement	Expected outcome (+/-)
Employee qualification and manpower	ESMP	Scale	Likert-type scale (strongly disagree, Disagree, Neutral, Agree, strongly agree)	+
Management Commitment	MCOMT	Scale	Likert-type scale	+
Taxpayers Registration	TREG	Scale	Likert-type scale	+
Technology and Information system	ITS	Scale	Likert-type scale	+
Compliance cost	TCC	Scale	Likert-type scale (very low, low, fair, high, very high)	+/-
Tax Knowledge	TKNOW	Scale	Likert-type scale	+
Tax Fairness	TFAIR	Scale	Likert-type scale	-
Dependent Variables			Measures	Expected outcome (+/-)
Turnover tax performances	TOTP	Continuous	Tax ratio	+/-

Source: Own literature review (2019)

Table 5. Response rate.

NO	Questionnaire	Frequency	Percent
1	Administered	361	100%
2	Returned	325	90%
2	Non-returned	36	10%

Source: Field survey, February, 2019

4. Result and Discussion

4.1. Responses Rate

Out of the 361 questionnaires issued, 325 (90%) questionnaires were returned, while 36 (10%) questionnaire was not returned from respondents. High rate of participation

conducted for fit analysis whose participated rate was 70% and above is very excellent for analysis and start to preparation of reports support by (Mugenda and Mugenda, 2011).

4.2. Factor Analysis

Factor analysis measured by Bartlett's test and Kaiser-Meyer-Olkin (KMO) which occur 0 to 1, 0.5 was tested variable. Factor-loadings are those values which explain how closely the variables are related to each one of the factors discovered [18]. Factor loadings are significance items are retained only when the absolute size of their factor loading is above 0.50 as satisfactory in social sciences research [9].

Table 6. KMO Sampling Adequacy and Bartlett's Test Sphericity.

Variable	Kaiser-Meyer-Olkin Measure of Sampling Adequacy.		.836
EQMP	Bartlett's Test of Sphericity	Approx. Chi-Square	692.539
		Df	5
		Sig.	.001
MCOMT	Bartlett's Test of Sphericity	Approx. Chi-Square	734.180
		Df	15
		Sig.	.002
TREG	Bartlett's Test of Sphericity	Approx. Chi-Square	618.925
		Df	11
		Sig.	.000
ITS	Bartlett's Test of Sphericity	Approx. Chi-Square	835.007
		Df	8
		Sig.	.000
TCC	Bartlett's Test of Sphericity	Approx. Chi-Square	888.428
		Df	7
		Sig.	.001
TKNOW	Bartlett's Test of Sphericity	Approx. Chi-Square	714.738
		Df	4
		Sig.	.005
TFAIRN	Bartlett's Test of Sphericity	Approx. Chi-Square	915.548
		Df	9
		Sig.	.000

Table 7. Shows the factor loadings after rotation.

Variable		Factor loading
EQMP	Revenue authorities have sufficient employee skills deep understanding of tax structure and understand tax laws.	.841
	Tax offices provide you ineffective on continuous clarification & training about tax collection.	.837
	Revenue authority staffs technically competent in executing their duties and responsibilities.	.800
	Revenue authority employees staffs have tax administration skills and returns analysis skills.	.780
	Revenue authority has adequate manpower who can participate in turnover tax collection.	.621
MCOMT	Management employee's achievement adequate plans to motivate towards turnover tax revenue growth.	.808
	The current management is slow in strategic leadership and implementing turnover tax collection policies.	.710
	The current management has legal enforcement dishonest of revenue collectors to improved turnover tax collections performance.	.828
	The tax officers engage employee management with the goal of gaining competitive advantage.	.888
	Management employees are well-motivated and skilled workforce compete turnover tax collection compliance.	.738

Source: Field survey, February, 2019

**Factor loadings above 0.50 used.

Table 8. Continued Factor loading.

Variable		Factor Loading
TREG	Identification methods used by tax officers are ineffective in registering all potential taxpayers.	.620
	Tax officers are ineffective in identifying and registering all potential taxpayers to obtain a TIN.	.796
	Taxpayers' are continues actual revenue reported to tax officers timely.	.822
	Taxpayers able to record involvement of tax officers.	.858
	Taxpayer's has effective manipulated cash register when purchasing and sales good and services.	.810
ITS	TOT payment increases after your organization using cash register machine, comprehensive information system (on social medias and Notice board, etc) and automate tax affairs.	.846
	Taxpayer's process and operation are driven advance technology to tax collection process and taxpayers are compliant.	.764
	Using cash register machine facilitates the TOT collection process and your work.	.635
TCC	How do you rate incurred cost of hiring for tax agents?	.845
	How do you find the cost of travelling in order to file a return?	.853
	How do you rate cost of compliance incurred by experience revenue authority?	.695
	How do you rate the cost of filing a tax return?	.919

Source: Field survey, February, 2019

** Factor loadings above 0.50 used.

Table 9. Continued Factor Loading.

Variable		Factor Loading
TKNOW	Taxpayers have adequate tax knowledge on the consequences of not voluntarily registering for TOT.	.855
	Tax official have inadequate advice knowledge of tax laws and their respective regulations.	.876
	Taxpayers have developed their obligation and good culture in their environment for payment of tax.	.816
	I have little idea about the tax rate that I can claim as taxpayers in the computations of my tax liability.	.724
	The trust of taxpayers doesn't determine tax compliance.	.679
TFAIRN	I pay my tax liability whether the tax administration of the tax system unfairly and not transparent.	.801
	I did not believe that income in relation to benefits that you received.	.832
	Personally, would you agree that the perception of current income affects your decision to under report your income?	.842

Source: Field survey, February, 2019

Factor loadings above 0.50 used.

4.3. Test Relates to Classical Linear Regression Model Assumptions

Table 10. White test regression.

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.567 ^a	.321	.298	.001499862

Source: SPSS regression output

4.3.1. Test for Heteroskedasticity

According to white test value of chi square calculated is greater than chi square tabulated given significant level, reject the H_0 of no heteroskedasticity otherwise fail reject it and accept alternative to exists heteroskedasticity.

Table 11. Chi Square calculated and tabulated Chi Square calculated and tabulated.

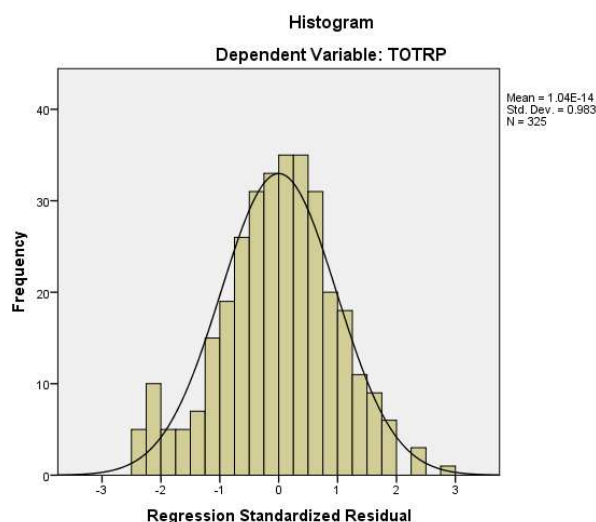
Test	Test t-statistics χ^2 calculated = nR^2	χ^2 (5% sig. level) $\chi^2 \alpha$ (p), where $p = xi + 1$
White's test	104	190.112

Source: SPSS regression output

The t-statistics value (chi square calculated) from table 11 above is 104 which are less than chi square tabulated at 5% significant level, 190.112. Hence 104 are less than 190.112 fail and no heteroskedasticity. They have no treatment required for heteroskedasticity.

4.3.2. Test for Normality

The skewness and kurtosis data are normally distributed the range of values need to be from -3 to +3. Because without probability sampling, error estimates cannot be constructed [9].



Source: SPSS output by the researcher

Figure 3. Normality of residual.

4.3.3. Linearity

Conclude that normal distribution residuals around mean were zero and inferences of the researcher made population parameter valid.

4.3.4. Test for Multi-Collinearity

Current model VIF values are below 10 and tolerance statistics above 0.2 so there is no variable suffered from excessive and any treatment for multi-collinearity of the data.

Table 13. Pearson Correlation Matrix between Variables.

	TOTRP	ESMP	MCOMT	TREG	ITS	TCC	TKNOW	TFAIR
Pearson Correlation	1.000	.462**	.414**	.449**	.454**	-.232*	.448**	-.472**
Sig. (1-tailed)		.000	.000	.000	.000	.000	.000	.000
N	325	325	325	325	325	325	325	325

Source: Correlation matrix result by the researcher

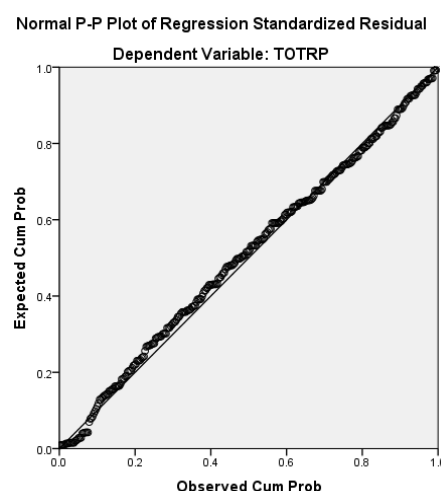
Accordingly,

1. The correlation between TOT performance and employee qualification and manpower positive (0.462**) with p-value $0.000 < 0.05$. Thus employee qualification and manpower had 46.2% positive relationship with TOT performance.
2. The correlation between TOT performance and management commitment level is positive (0.414**) with p-value $0.000 < 0.05$. Thus management

Table 12. Correlation Matrix: Explanatory Variables.

Model	Collinearity Statistics	
	Tolerance	VIF
(Constant)		
ESMP	.715	1.398
MCOMT	.495	2.022
TREG	.575	1.738
ITS	.562	1.779
TCC	.616	1.623
TKNOW	.679	1.473
TFAIR	.861	1.162

Source: SPSS regression output by the researcher



Source: SPSS regression output by the researcher

Figure 4. TOT Performance Residuals P-P Plot.

4.4. Regression Analysis

Correlation Analysis

Pearson's product moment correlation coefficient (PMCC) assess the degree of agreement and strength relationship between both variables contain quantifiable dependent variable and one or more quantifiable independent variables [20].

commitment level had 41.4% positive relationship with TOT performance.

3. The correlation between turnover tax performance and taxpayers registration is positive (0.449**) with p-value $0.000 < 0.05$. Thus taxpayer's registration had 44.9% positive relationship with TOT performance.
4. The correlation between TOT performance and technology and information system is positive and strong (0.454**) with p-value $0.000 < 0.05$. This more

technological factor such as electronic tax register machines are crucial TOT income collection use each firms in districts.

5. The correlation between turnover tax performance and tax compliance cost is negative and weak close to zero (0.232*) with p-value $0.000 < 0.05$. Thus tax compliance cost had 23.2% negative relationship with TOT performance.
6. The correlation between turnover tax performance and tax knowledge is positive and strong (0.448**) with p-

value $0.000 < 0.05$. Thus tax knowledge had 44.8% positive relationship with TOT performance.

7. The correlation between turnover tax performance and tax fairness is strong negative (0.472**) with p-value $0.000 < 0.05$. Thus tax fairness had 47.2% negative relationship with TOT performance.

4.4.1. Test for Model summary

A small value of R^2 casts a doubt about the usefulness of the regression equation.

Table 14. Model Summary.

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	.720 ^a	.518	.501	.555

Source: SPSS regression output by the researcher

From outcome of the value of R square was (0.518) 51.8 percent of deviations in turnover tax collection are caused by changes explanatory variable. 48.2 percent of the variations in turnover tax collection not included in the model in revenue authority.

4.4.2. Analysis of One Way ANOVA

Table 15. Analysis of Variance.

ANOVA ^a						
Model		Sum of Squares	Df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1	Regression	103.532	11	9.412	30.573	.000 ^b
	Residual	96.357	313	.308		
	Total	199.889	324			

a. Dependent Variable: TOTRP

Source: SPSS regression output by the researcher

Hypotheses were tested at significance level 0.05 and conventionally used. Probability values of the boundary between rejecting and not rejecting null hypothesis [28]. The F critical at 5% level of significance was 0.000 and F calculated (30.573) is greater than the F critical so this shows overall model was significant.

4.4.3. Multiple Regression Coefficients

Table 16. Multiple regression coefficients.

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients		Standardized Coefficients	T	Sig.
	B	Std. Error	Beta		
(Constant)	86.462	.204		423.417	.000***
ESMP	.133	.034	.180	3.873	.000***
MCOMT	.146	.032	.257	4.597	.000***
TREG	.161	.041	.205	3.968	.000***
ITS	.142	.036	.208	3.981	.000***
TCC	-.043	.044	-.052	-1.035	.301
TKNOW	.102	.037	.132	2.773	.006***
TFAIR	-.100	.025	-.169	-3.988	.000***

Source: SPSS regression output by the researcher

The Regression Model Equation

$$\text{TOT performance} = 86.462 + 0.133\text{EQMP} + 0.146\text{MCOMT} + 0.146\text{TREG} + 0.142\text{ITS} - 0.043\text{TCC} + 0.102\text{TKNOW} - 0.10\text{TFAIR} + \varepsilon$$

4.5. Discussion of the Findings and Hypothesis Test

4.5.1. Effectiveness of Turnover Tax Administration

H0₁: There is no significant relationship between Employee qualification and manpower with performance of TOT collection.

Employees qualification and manpower are positively

related with performance of TOT collection and most statistically significant (p-value=0.000) and t-ratio of 3.873 greater than 2 was significant. This implies that administration brings one unit changes in employee's qualification and manpower than it is now, this will results 0.133 units or 13.3% changes the performance of TOT collection. We reject the null hypothesis stated that there is

no significant relationship between employee qualification and manpower with performance of TOT collection. The authority still needs to add its man power by recruiting knowledgeable manpower and develop skills of the existing employees through trainings about understanding of tax structure and understand tax laws.

As an interview,

“We have a shortage of well trained and qualified personnel supposed to serve for returns analysis taxes and rates at the local level, even the few are not properly trained in budgetary and financial management systems. Revenue office was results responsible for not to attain target revenue collection from turnover tax sources.....” (Participants 10 male, 2 female)

This finding agrees finding of Kayaga (2010), that financial constraints has led to hiring of tax officials who lack understanding of the tax laws they are administering, inexperienced the concepts of accounting requisite to analyzing returns [16].

H0₂: There is no significant relationship between management commitment and performance of TOT collection.

Management commitment level are positively related with performance of TOT collection and most statistically significant (p-value=0.000) and t-ratio of 4.597 greater than 2 was significant. This implies that administration capability brings one unit changes in management commitment level than it is now, this will results 0.146 or 14.6% changes performance of TOT collection. We reject the null hypothesis stated that there is no significant relationship between management commitment and performance of TOT collection. Tax offices were serious managerial problem which slow strategic leadership for implementing TOT policies, not well-motivated plans to compete effectively gaining turnover tax performance.

As the interview;

“I think probably most management employees would not try detail implement turnover tax policies and strategies. There is legal enforcement and give advice direction of dishonest of experts enter into work to improved turnover tax collections performance.....” (Participant 10 male, 2 female)

The findings agree with finding of Ayugi (2015), where he found out that revenue collection functions are greatly influenced by factors such as, board characteristics’ leadership styles, top management commitment and organizational structure [2].

H0₃: There is no significant relationship between taxpayer’s registration and performance of TOT collection.

Taxpayer’s registrations are positively related with performance of TOT collection and most statistically significant (p-value=0.000) and t-ratio of 3.968 greater than 2 was significant. Administration capabilities bring one unit changes in taxpayer’s registrations than it is now, this will result in 0.161 units or 16.1% changes the performance of TOT collection. We reject the null hypothesis there is no significant relationship between taxpayer’s registrations and

performance TOT collection.

Taxpayer’s registration was inadequate effective revise their number every year from taxpayer’s record with submits their book, need of knowledge (awareness) about the time, ways of registering, exaggerated rules imposed and inconsistent TOT registration system followed by the authority.

As the interview;

“I think that there is shortage of manpower and incompetence associated with inconveniency of SIGTAS that using to decide, they need society buy goods and services without TOT and unconsciousness of the taxpayers about the responsibilities that they do have in relation to tax registration.....” (Participants 10 male, 2 female)

This finding support finding of Moyi & Ronge (2006) that increases burden of taxpayers was discouraging [22]. Similarly agree finding Katusiime (2007) as cited in Baingana, (2011) argued that inadequate tax payers’ registrations is the most important factor to affects the collection procedure and revenue collection performance [3].

H0₄: There is no significant relationship between Technological and information system and performance of TOT collection.

Technology and information system are positively related with performance of TOT collection and most statistically significant (p-value=0.000) and t-ratio of 3.981 greater than 2 was significant. We reject the null hypothesis that there is no significant relationship between technological and information system and performance of TOT collection. There is no effective control manipulation of the cash register machines when purchasing and sales good and services. Thus provide a mistaken check of gross sales. The TOT registrant was sale goods and services without tax invoices.

As the interview;

“Tax administration activities are supported by ICT partially. Tax authorities was not used computer programs which to maintain taxpayer register and process of TOT returns. This results increasing opportunity for people to evade tax....” (Participants 10 male, 2 female)

These findings validated finding by Mugo (2016) found that ICT infrastructure determines how revenue collection systems are implemented and used by customers as wheel this affects revenue collection [24].

4.5.2. Attitude towards Payment of Tax on Turnover Tax Performance

H0₅: There is no significant relationship between tax knowledge and performance of TOT collection.

Tax knowledge are positively related to performance of TOT collection and most statistically significant (p-value=0.000) and t-ratio of 2.773 greater than 2 it is significant. Tax knowledge by one unit change than it is now; this will change the performance of TOT collection by 0.102 units or 10.2%. We reject the null hypothesis that there is no significant relationship between tax knowledge and performance of TOT collection. Taxpayers didn’t have

adequate training of tax knowledge in their environment for payment of tax to undermine volume of sales. Tax as a harm not absolute duty of citizens; reduce tax liability and not feeling of guilty when tax laws are broken.

As an interview from revenue officers indicate that;

“I’m not really aware of the tax laws and regulation in details such as obligation and good culture payment of tax. Taxpayers who did not announce their real taxable income for tax collectors and unknowing tax knowledge is very severe on payment of tax. This result revenue office was not pertaining adequate education and awareness training on tax issue for taxpayers.....” (Participant 10male, 2 female)

This finding agrees finding of Asrinanda (2018) states that tax knowledge for taxpayers greatly affects taxpayer's attitude of tax system fair and affect tax revenue received by the condition if the people already have low tax knowledge [1].

H0₉: There is no significant relationship between tax fairness and performance of TOT collection.

Tax fairness are negatively related with performance of TOT collection and most statistically significant (p-value=0.006) and t-ratio of 3.988greater than 2 was significant. Tax fairness by one unit change than it is now, this will changes the performance of TOT collection by 0.100units or 10%. We reject the null hypothesis that there is no significant relationship between tax fairness and performance of TOT collection. Taxpayers think that tax system is unfair if their perception towards less than pay.

As an interview;

“I think tax system is really unfair and don’t pay a lot of business based on your ability to pay. I think the main reason tax assessor committee was not accurately unbiased to determine tax liability so it is heavily relies the categorization of taxpayers’ grades on the judgment. The results exists tax fairness problem in the tax system and make decision to under report your income.....”(Participant 10 male, 2 female)

6. Summary of Findings

The main objective of this study was determining factors affecting turnover tax collection performance. Specific objectives were to identify factors that the effectiveness TOT administration, how taxpayers attitudes toward payment tax. Data was analyzed using factor analysis and multiple linear regressions method. The major findings of the study are the following:

- a) Employee qualification and manpower in tax office was not continuous training and clarification about tax collection as well as less competent of duties and responsibilities. A lot of works has to be done by one employee that overloads the employee and they do not finish their work on time. Inadequate employee qualification and man power did not cover all taxpayers in their area.
- b) Management commitment by tax officer was slow in

strategic leadership for implementing TOT collection policies. No managerial control for successive adequate plans and feasibility to compete effectively turnover tax performance.

- c) Taxpayer’s registrations ineffective in that taxpayer’s not record and undervalue their turnover, exaggerated TOT rules imposed on the taxpayers, the inconsistent TOT registration system followed by the authority. This was also found taxpayers register with involvement of tax official which results unfair competition and registered tax payers will lose their potential customers to illegal trader. Inconveniency the system and inefficiency of the employees and lack of consciousness of the taxpayers about the responsibility that the authority is using to decide from tax officers.
- d) Compliance cost on turnover tax collection revealed a strong negative relationship but compliance cost has insignificant effect on the performance turnover tax collection. The study felt that consultancy charges, filing tax returns on tax computation, traveling cost and cost of hiring professional staff are fair not high.
- e) Technology and information system efforts taken by authority did not develop such as comprehensive information system; automate tax affairs means of appropriating awareness by the social media about the tax. They also found from tax office requires TOT registrant taxpayers to sale goods and services without tax invoices, there is no effective control of manipulate cash register machine.
- f) Taxpayers did not tax knowledge on the consequences of not voluntarily registering for TOT because tax official gives inadequate advice tax laws and developed respective regulations. Taxpayers have no good culture in their environment for payment of tax. This in turn creates tax payers understate the volume of the sales. In addition to taxpayers little idea to deduct for tax liability determined because the educational level also low. Therefore revenue office is not pertaining adequate education and awareness training on tax issue for majority of taxpayers.
- g) Tax fairness by authority not fair to pay income tax depend on benefit received from government so it is categorized on judgment which increase financial position of taxpayers and not paying tax based on ability to pay. They also found tax administration system was unfairly and not transparent as a result taxpayers make decision under report income tax.

7. Conclusion

Employee qualification and manpower are key factor against which efficient tax administration shorten to qualified employees to understanding entire system of turnover tax. The management commitment is vital in the implementation of the TOT collection program. Taxpayers registrations was identify effectively assessment and collection procedures for registering all potential taxpayers without intervention of tax

officials, but there is inadequate registration was a challenges for turnover tax collection.

Technology and information system was important for local authorities because less usage of computerized information systems especially less usage of electronic tax register machines affect revenue collection positively. Tax knowledge is a cornerstone attitude of taxpayers towards tax payment and impossible to imagine about effective turnover tax collection where there is inadequate knowledge of taxpayers. In tax fairness there was no fair income distribution among taxpayers. This result was reducing tax performance.

8. Recommendation

That is why study suggests the following:

- a) Tax officer's using continuous employer's clarification and adequate manpower.
- b) Managements ensure commitment level to implement effective policy and motivated staff's employees by financial incentives to encouraged TOT collection commitment. The management was work team spirit by solving internal layers of management problem with its attendant bureaucracy.
- c) Revenue authority ensures taxpayer status occur contacts and location. Simplifying the registration of businesses with effective door- to- door inspection.
- d) ITS facilities on tax administration and effectively control taxpayers manipulate cash register machines and fake invoices to secure more input tax. Using ETRs reduces time with money of tax payers and reduces evasion.
- e) Revenue Officers have to carry out education center of TOT. Tax Fairness was an equal treatment of taxpayers with in the same income brackets equally, transparency of revenue office, unbiased tax assessor committee, and trusts in tax systems.
- f) The research has highlighted turnover tax collections. The study had determined persistent factors that hinder the Revenue Authority failure to raise adequate from TOT for economic and social developments. We recommend that further research is required in Revenue Authority to know factors that affect the quality service, politico legal factors, accountability and transparency and tax non compliance.

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