Reviewer's report

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Reviewer: Marion GRARE

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The responses to the questions of the first reviewing are well explained; and the two supplementary tables bring data indispensable to a better understanding of the study.

I have no additional questions.

Thanks to the authors for this very interesting study.

Level of interest: An article of outstanding merit and interest in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.