Reviewer’s report

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Discretionary Revisions
The authors appropriately revised their manuscript according to my comments except abbreviation. I can still see INF-gamma (e.g. page 7, lines 2, 5, 7) and IFN-gamma (e.g. page 13, line 3) in the revised manuscript. If this is due to the computer software, the revised manuscript can be accepted.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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

Declaration of competing interests:
I declare that I have no competing interests.