Reviewer’s report

Title: Gentamicin release from new commercially available bone cements in a simulated prosthesis-related interfacial gap and their antibacterial efficacy

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Interesting study. Paper is well written, although used methods are to my opinion sometimes hard to understand for the average orthopedic surgeon.

Nice conclusion as companies declare there is no difference between new and old generation Palacos cement.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

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'