Reviewer's report

**Title:** Preliminary study of antioxidant property of flowers and roots of Pyrostegia venusta (Ker Gawl) Miers.

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**Reviewer:** Patrícia Valentão

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The authors have improved their work by addressing the questions previously raised. The study constitutes a basic overview on the anti-radical potential of Pyrostegia venusta. The results evidence its potential as source of antioxidants but I failed to find a relationship with the folklore use of the species, as stated in the conclusion.

**Level of interest:** An article of limited interest

**Quality of written English:** Needs some language corrections before being published

**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