Reviewer's report

Title: Hexane fraction of Ardisia crispa Thunb D.C root inhibits inflammation-induced angiogenesis

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Major Compulsory Revisions
1. Methods: Plant material: the extraction is performed by Soxhlet method with 80% Ethanol at room temperature. How it was performed? Soxhlet method needs application of temperature.
2. Compound AC-2: Publication reference required. No need to produce detailed data.
3. Figure 1: Give title to fig.1. Values should be self defined, give the subtitles to values.
4. In RESULTS: Further separation of ACRH yielded about 2.3 g (38.38% w/w) of QRF. Here the % value seems incorrect.

Minor Essential Revisions:
1. ABSTRACT: Conclusion (.) should be removed from beginning of sentence. And also (...) from last line of Results.
2. In place of root, “roots” may be written.
3. Separation of (QRF): hexane: ethyl acetate (9:1 5:5 (v/v), 500 ml): There should be "-" between values.
4. Figure 2, 3, 4: Title required
5. No need to write “Graph not shown” in oral toxicity

Discretionary Revisions:
1. Number of references can be limited as it is research paper and not the Review Article.

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.