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ABSTRACT

Unfortunately, the abstract of the revised version is too long without direction. The abstract should be between 250 and 300 words. The objectives are not stated in the abstract.

INTRODUCTION

Objectives are now loosely stated.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

Satisfied

RESULTS

Figures are unsatisfactory. For instance, Figure 2 has no standard errors.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

I’m convinced that the in vitro data in this manuscript is of significance in the absence of in vivo studies. There are tangible markers in vivo of antioxidant status which would help to verify the in vitro studies.

Level of interest: An article of limited interest

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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

Declaration of competing interests:

N/A