Reviewer’s report

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**Reviewer:** Tae-Han Yook

**Reviewer’s report:**

This manuscript specifically, there is nothing to revision. The manuscript will be useful to researchers who are interested in these studies. The quality of the language of the manuscript is appropriate. There seems to be no need to look specifically for statisticians.

**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.