Reviewer’s report

Title: Effects of Salvia miltiorrhiza extract with supplemental liquefied calcium on osteoporosis in calcium-deficient ovariectomized mice

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This manuscript described that Salvia miltiorrhiza extract combined with liquefied calcium prevented bone loss in OVX mice. This work was carefully conducted; however, the paper can be improved dramatically by addressing the following points.

Specific comments:

Table legend

1. Please rewrite Table 1 legend as same as Table2.

Values are given as mean +/- S.E.M. n=7 for all groups (better writing).

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