

Review of: "Clinical and Subclinical Bovine Mastitis: Staphylococcus aureus Isolation and Identification from Dairy Farms Located in and Around Hawassa Town, Southern Ethiopia"

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"The work is intriguing due to the significance of mastitis as a serious problem in the dairy industry. However, there are several limitations in this paper that need attention:

- 1. The isolation and identification method of S. aureus is not clearly stated, which could impact the reliability of the findings.
- 2. The use of an old reference raises concerns about the currency and relevance of the information presented.
- 3. Inconsistencies in the data used by the researchers are apparent. For instance, the introduction relies on CSA 2018 data for the livestock population, while the methodology section refers to CSA 2020 data for the same case.
- 4. Editorial issues, such as the use of "et al" for references, need to be addressed.

Despite these limitations, the paper contributes valuable insights to the field. Addressing these concerns would enhance the overall quality of the work."

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