

Review of: "[Review] The antibacterial activity of Allium sativum, Thymus vulgaris, Origanum vulgare, Curcuma longa, Rosmarinus officinalis, and Cinnamomum species against various antibiotic-resistant strains of bacteria: A Literature Review"

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- 1. Introduction: The authors cited to many times the same bibliographic source (Ventola 2015). There are many literature about antibiotic resistance, other authors should be cited.
- 2. Under S.aureus (6.1), only allicin is presented as active molecule, the other products are presented as complete extracts with no discussion about possible active compounds (molecules). Even if the criteria that authors selected for this review is only referred to full-text articles, more deep discussion must be presented.
- 3. Remember that disc zone of inhibition is not a quantitative method, studies using microdilution method should be reviewed. In other part of the review, the MIC is presented, there should be an unified criteria
- 4. In general, the authors should unify criteria to develop the review, in some cases, the discussion is too general (extracts), while, for other microorganisms and for plant species, it is discussed at the level of active principles or molecules. This makes reading difficult, as it goes from the general to the specific and vice versa.

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