

## Review of: "Is Indian Costus Effective Against the SARS-CoV-2 Virus?"

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- 1. Whole text is one big paragraph. It should be much better and convenient if the whole text is divided in short paragraphs explaining the group or type of discussions, e.g. plants, virus, pathology, treatment in different paragraphs.
- 2. The combination use in combination with modern medicine... However, the names of the these modern medicine must also be mention for the future researcher for further research.
- 3. The medicinal properties of the plant are just mentioned superficially. Rather it would be much better if its known of research activity was mentioned against other virues of bacteria by name.
- 4. This sentence near the end "In silico reverse docking studies of costunolide, cynaropicrin, and dehydrocostus lactone have shown potential as medications for COVID-19." ... Needs correction as the in silico docking does not prove it to be a medication at all.
- 5. Over all the paper seems fine.

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