

# 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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It was my pleasure to review the paper entitled [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. This review has an interesting and important topic. The paper could be published but with minor changes. My comments and questions are bellow

- Why was this particular time range taken for the literature review?
- Elaborate the part about resistance and state the big problem of bacterial biofilms and that resistance at the community level is different from resistance at the level of individual cells
- To list all plants and extracts and essential oils and pure compounds
- Separate a section on the chemical composition of selected plants
- Added a section on why herbs are important in the fight against resistance, what are the benefits of herbal products
- Instead of writing mcg write symbol for micro
- The reference Ventola et al., 2018 is missing from the list
- Check if Subba et al or Subbo et al
- Is it Hanley or Hanely