

Review Form 1.7

Journal Name:	Asian Plant Research Journal
Manuscript Number:	Ms_APRJ_116712
Title of the Manuscript:	Evaluation of In-vitro Antibacterial activity of extracts of <i>Horsfieldia iryagedhi</i> grown in Sri Lanka.
Type of the Article	

PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</p> <p>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</p> <p>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</p> <p>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</p> <p>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</p>	<p>Yes. This manuscript has brought new findings to the scientific community. Results may be used as bench marks for others researchers/authors who focus in this work.</p> <p>Title is ok for me. It is SMART and can tell what the paper is all about.</p> <p>Yes.</p> <p>Yes.</p> <p>Yes.</p> <p>The references are sufficient, however, very recent publications from the years 2023 and 2024 are also advised to be included. Specially for comparing current results with results in the literatures.</p> <p>Correct spelling of IC₅₀.</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	<p>Yes.</p>	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<p>You may refer recent publications: [1] Wasihun Y, Habteweld HA, Ayenew KD. Antibacterial activity and phytochemical components of leaf extract of <i>Calpurnia aurea</i>. <i>Sci Rep.</i> 2023;13(1):9767. doi: 10.1038/s41598-023-36837-3; [2] Assefa, A., Belay, S., & Kloos, H. (2024). Evaluation of <i>in-vitro</i> antibacterial activity of extracts of <i>Calpurina aurea</i>, <i>Vernonia amygdalina</i> and <i>Rumex nepalensis</i> in Goba district, southeastern Ethiopia. <i>Egyptian Journal of Basic and Applied Sciences</i>, 11(1), 69–83. https://doi.org/10.1080/2314808X.2024.2312785</p>	

PART 2:

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<p>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</p>	<p>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</p>	

Review Form 1.7

Reviewer Details:

Name:	Mebrahtu Hagos Khsay
Department, University & Country	Mekelle University, Ethiopia