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# Abbreviations

%	Percent
&	And
+	Plus
=	Equal
±SD	plus or minus Standard Deviation
3D	3-Dimensional
Å	Armstrong
ABTS	2,2'-azino-bis (3-ethylbenzothiazoline-6-sulfonic acid
AD	Anno Domini
ADMET	Absorption, Distribution, Metabolism, Excretion, and Toxicity
AIDS	Acquired immune deficiency syndrome
ATCC	American Type Culture Collection
ATP	Adenosine Triphosphate
BBB	Blood-brain barrier
BC	Before Christ
BHT	Butylated hydroxytoluene
BSI	Bloodstream infection
CA-MRSA	Community-acquired MRSA
CADD	Computer aided drug design
CDC	Centre for Disease Control and Prevention
CDS	Chronic Disease Score
Cm	Centimeter
CNS	Central nervous system
CV	Crystal Violet
СҮР	Cytochrome P450

Da	Dalton
DMSO	Dimethyl sulfoxide
DNA	Deoxyribonucleic acid
DPPH	2,2-diphenyl-1- picrylhydrazyl
ECM	Extracellular matrix
eDNA	Environmental DNA
EDTA	Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid
e.g.,	Example gratia
E.O.	Essential oil
EP	Exopolysachharide
EPR	Electron paramagnetic resonance
EPS	Extracellular polymeric substrate
et al.,	et alia
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
fm	Femtosecond
FRET	Forster resonance energy transfer
g	Gram (s)
GC-MS	Gas chromatography/Mass spectrometry
h	Hour (s)
$H_2SO_4$	Sulphuric acid
HA-MRSA	Hospital-acquired MRSA
HCL	Hydrochloric acid
H&E	Haematoxylin and eosin
HIA	Human intestinal absorption
i.e.,	that is
IC <sub>50</sub>	50% Inhibitory Concentration
ICU	Intensive Care Unit

K. galanga L.	Kaempferia galanga Linnaeus	
kcal/mol	Kilocalorie per mole	
Kg	Kilogram	
LB	Luria Broth	
LNCap	Lymph Node Carcinoma of the prostrate	
М	Molarity	
MD	Molecular Simulation	
MDR	Multidrug resistant	
mg	Milligram	
MHA/MHB	Muller-Hinton agar/broth	
MIC	Minimum inhibitory concentration	
min	Minutes	
ml	Milliliter	
mm	Millimeter	
mmol/L	Millimoles per liter	
mM	Millimolar	
MRSA	Methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus	
MSCRAMMs	Microbial surface components recognizing adhesive matrix molecules	
MTT	3-(4,5-Dimethyl- thiazol-2-yl)-2,5-diphenyltetrazolium bromide	
NCI	National Cancer Institute	
NIH	National Institute of Health	
NIs	Nosocomial infections	
NIST	National Institute of Standards and Technology	
NPT	Constant pressure	
NPs	Natural products	
nm	Nanometer	

NMR	Nuclear magnetic resonance
ns	Nanosecond
NVT	Constant temperature
°C	Degree centigrade or Celsius
O.D.	Optical Density
PB2a	Penicillin binding protein
PBS	Phosphate-Buffered saline
PDB	Protein Data Bank
рН	Hydrogen ion concentration
PIA	Polysaccharide intercellular antigen
PSMs	Phenol-soluble modulins
ps	Picosecond
QS	Quorum sensing
QSAR	Quantitative Structure-Activity Relationship
RBCs	Red Blood Cells
RMSD	Root mean square deviation
RMSF	Root mean square fluctuation
Rg	Radius of gyration
rpm	Rotation per minutes
RSCB	Research Collaboratory for Structural Bioinformatics
S. aureus	Staphylococcus aureus
SBDD	Structure-based drug design
SEM	Scanning electron microscope
Sl. No.	Serial Number
sp.	Species
TAC	Total Antioxidant Activity
TFC	Total Flavonoid Content

TMP- SMZ	Trimethoprim and Sulfamethoxazole
TPC	Total Phenol Content
US	United States
USA	United State of America
UV-Vis	Ultra violet visible
viz.	Videlicet
WHO	World Health Organization
α	Alpha
β	Beta
γ	Gamma
μg	Microgram
μl	Microliter
μm	Micrometer

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