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Conclusion	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept (High priority) <input type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor revision <input type="checkbox"/> Major revision <input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors collected data to assess the correlation between a history of abdominal surgery and colonic diverticulosis or diverticulitis. The result is significant for clinical practice. I have some suggestions as follows. 1 The research should be retrospective, not prospective. 2 Pleased complete the sentence, the second line of the second paragraph in discussion part. "There is a lack of data in the literature on the relationship between post-operative adhesions and the colon ?."