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	[ ] Grade A: Excellent [Y] Grade B: Very good [ ] Grade C:
Scientific quality	Good
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Novelty of this manuscript	[ ] Grade A: Excellent [ Y] Grade B: Good [ ] Grade C: Fair [ ] Grade D: No novelty
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Scientific significance of the	[ ] Grade A: Excellent [Y] Grade B: Good [ ] Grade C: Fair
conclusion in this manuscript	[ ] Grade D: No scientific significance
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Language quality	polishing [ ] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing [ ]
	Grade D: Rejection
Conclusion	[ ] Accept (High priority) [ ] Accept (General priority)
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## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Squamous cell carcinoma is the most common pathological type of esophageal cancer. Esophageal squamous cell carcinoma has a poor prognosis owing to its increased propensity for direct spread and metastasis. In this study, the authors reported a case of mucosal esophageal carcinoma with multi-pathway and multi-organ metastases that occurred metachronously, while the IGM progressed rapidly over one year. This case is very interesting, and well described. This will be helpful for clinicians in identifying unusual metastases of esophageal squamous cell carcinoma in certain individual cases before making a treatment plan. Minor comments: 1. The manuscript requires a minor editing. Some minor language polishing should be corrected. 2. The discussion is too long; the authors can short this section. 3. The references should be edited. The PubMed numbers and DOI numbers are missing.



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Conclusion	[ ] Accept (High priority) [ Y] Accept (General priority) [ ] Minor revision [ ] Major revision [ ] Rejection
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This is a very interesting case of mucosal esophageal squamous cell carcinoma post ESD with giant gastric cardia metastasis. The case is described in detail, and well discussed. The reviewer recommends to accept this case after a minor editing of the manuscript.