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<b>Language quality</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority publishing [ ] Grade B: Minor language polishing [ ] Grade C: A great deal of language polishing [ ] Grade D: Rejection
<b>Conclusion</b>	[ ] Accept (High priority) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accept (General priority) [ ] Minor revision [ ] Major revision [ ] Rejection
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#### **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

The authors reported a retrospective study of female patients with gastric cancer to analyze risk factors of ovarian metastasis. Eventually, some factors including high age, more than 6 lymph node metastasis, non-intestinal type, signet-ring cell carcinoma, etc. were found to be associated with ovarian metastasis. The nomogram model of the risk evaluation was constructed. Since this manuscript is well written and shows very clear conclusions, it should be accepted immediately.



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Comments to Authors June 29, 2020 The authors have investigated the risk factors for ovarian metastasis and developed nomograms. The sample size is large enough, and many variables, both clinical and pathological, were investigated. This paper seems worth considering for publication. However, some revision will be needed. Please see the comments below.

1. The authors have excluded those who had distant metastasis other than ovary and peritoneum metastasis. Thus, the prevalence of ovarian metastasis in overall population may have been higher than that reported in their study. Please describe the numbers of included and excluded patients. If available, the prevalence of ovarian metastasis in excluded patients should be also described (if not available, not necessary). The exclusion criteria should be briefly explained in the abstract.
2. In the abstract, they mentioned “treatment options are controversial” and “the high-risk population should pay attention to the possibility of ovarian metastasis during reexamination, to detect and treat as early as possible”. In my opinion, when radically treated patients develop ovarian metastasis as the only site of recurrence, the diagnosis of ovarian metastasis is quite important. On the other hand, when ovarian metastasis is found in patients with advanced gastric cancer who are receiving palliative chemotherapy or best supportive care alone, the significance of ovarian metastasis is unclear. Please describe more clearly the importance of making diagnosis of ovarian metastasis and how it influences the treatment strategy for gastric cancer.



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