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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The manuscript "Systems pharmacology approach reveals the anti-inflammatory effects of Ampelopsis grossedentata on dextran sodium sulfate-induced colitis" examined the protective effects of AMP in DSS-induced colitis. It's an interesting and well-conducted study. Comments: - Why the comparison between the 5-ASA group and the others groups was not reported? Only the body weight, the length of colon and histological analyses were reported. - In the DSS-group compared with the control group, there was an increase expression of pro-inflammatory signaling pathways but also the levels of IκB (Inhibitor of NF-κB). This result must be discussed.