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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

I congratulate the authors for this excellent editorial. The only area which might require some refinement is the surgical one. In the complications diabetes should be added, though not very frequent. Equally, it should be emphasised in the following paragraph that an uncomplicated postoperative course is associated with a better long term survival. On page 11, the results from the main RCTs on adjuvant chemotherapy following pancreatic resection for cancer should be mentioned. ESPAC 1 and CONKO-001 should be quoted in the reference list.