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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is an interesting review article. Minor comments: 1. Page #5 and line 7, acid is missing for ascorbic acid. 2. Reference # 12 is not an appropriate reference for citing about Vitamin C transporters in page #5. 3. Since this review mainly focusing on the intestinal absorption, the author should consider to cite more intestinal vitamin C transport related references.