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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A (Excellent)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority Publishing	Google Search:	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept
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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E (Poor)		<input type="checkbox"/> No records	<input type="checkbox"/> Major revision

COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Dear Author This is a very interesting paper. ALPS operation was introduced by Schnitzbauer on 2012. Authors performed ALPS operation to induce rapid future liver remnant (FLR) hypertrophy. Postoperative 7 days, they could get the volumetry of from 21.2% to 46.1%. I ask some question to authors. 1. Please tell me the detail mechanism which FLR volume could be rapidly increase for seven days by ALPS. 2. You say ALPS has been criticized for high incidence of bile leakage.You used ultrasonic dissector and methylene blue test to prevent postoperative bile leakage. This method is Japanese standard maneuver for prevention of bile leakage in hepatectomy. Please comment bile leakage and sepsis after in-situ split.

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Dr Chan et al. evaluated the ALPPS approach for hepatoblastoma seen in a 6-year old child. This manuscript is generally well designed, but it needs just a little bit English language polishing. Regards.