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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

1.Since the therapy targeting HER2 holds a predominant position, it’s better to introduce it first. The paragraph transition between “introduction” and “Anti-angiogenesis” is not smooth. 2.In the first sentence of the paragraph “Anti-angiogenesis” “In addition to angiogenesis and vascular permeability, VEGF-mediated signaling is known to contribute to tumorigenesis, tumor migration and metastasis”, the authors haven’t emphasized the function of anti-angiogenesis. Therefore, the subheading is not suitable, or they need to add some information. 3.There is a spelling mistake, receptor tyrosine kinases (RTKs) should be receptor tyrosine kinases (RTKs) 4.When writing “Agents targeting ERBB family receptors”, it’s essential to describe the connection between ERBB family receptors and tumorigenesis, tumor migration and metastasis. 5.The authors have discussed the mechanisms of acquired resistance to trastuzumab in gastric cancer.They need to add content about occurrence rate of resistance.