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Very interesting manuscript, can be accepted for publication.



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This is an interesting manuscript about the ANGPTL2 expression in gastric cancer tissues and cells. In this manuscript, the authors explored the expression of ANGPTL2 and its effect on biological behaviors such as proliferation and invasive ability in gastric cancer. Western blot was used to detect the expression of ANGPTL2 in 60 human normal gastric tissues, 60 human gastric cancer tissues and gastric cell lines including GES-1, N87, SGC7901, BGC823, PAMC82. MTT and Transwell assay were used to detect the proliferation and invasive ability of gastric cancer cells. The authors found that ANGPTL2 was significantly upregulated in human gastric cancer tissues and cells, compared to normal ones. The expression of ANGPTL2 in highly malignant gastric cancer cell lines was higher. ANGPTL2 contributed to the proliferation and invasion of gastric cancer cells. In clinical treatment, ANGPTL2 may become a new target for the treatment of gastric cancer. Overall, this study is well designed, and can be accepted for publication. 1 The manuscript need to be edited. There are some minor spelling mistakes, and some blanks are missing. 2 Discussion should be checked again.