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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

It is an interesting paper: I suggest some details in the pathophysiology of this immunohematological aspect of acute pancreatitis, eventually in the discussion.

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The paper adds some interesting information to the discussion of study about the prognostic value of the neutrophil-lymphocyte ratio (NLR) in patients with acute pancreatitis and it an optimal cut-off value for the prediction of adverse outcomes in these patients. The proposed test is cheap and easy to use, using tests routinely performed. I think that the manuscript in this form can be accepted for printing.