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SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The study demonstrates the importance of metabolism-associated genes in gastrointestinal cancer. Introduction may be revised to describe more in detail on the essentiality of the epigenetic and genetic changes in immunity. Fig.2 may be revised to indicate "Exonuclease" and the directions. Please carefully re-check a whole manuscript.