

## ESPS Peer-review Report

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**Title:** The Role of Antioxidants and Pro-oxidants in Colon Cancer

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**Science editor:** Qi, Yuan

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CLASSIFICATION	LANGUAGE EVALUATION	RECOMMENDATION	CONCLUSION
[ Y] Grade A (Excellent)	[ ] Grade A: Priority Publishing	Google Search:	[ ] Accept
[ ] Grade B (Very good)	[ Y] Grade B: minor language polishing	[ ] Existed	[ ] High priority for publication
[ ] Grade C (Good)	[ ] Grade C: a great deal of language polishing	[ ] No records	[ ] Rejection
[ ] Grade D (Fair)	[ ] Grade D: rejected	BPG Search:	[ Y] Minor revision
[ ] Grade E (Poor)		[ ] Existed	[ ] Major revision
		[ ] No records	

## COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors review the roles of antioxidants and pro-oxidants in colorectal cancer. Several lines of evidence are discussed. However, some points as following should be improved. 1. The abstract should be given with a summary sentence for the conclusion of this review. 2. It was suggested that the chemical structures of the different forms of vitamin E discussed in this text should be shown in a figure. 3. The format of the cited papers in the reference list should be checked and followed the requirement of this journal.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B (Very good)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade B: minor language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> Existed	<input type="checkbox"/> High priority for publication
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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS: The manuscript by William L Stone et al. was presented for review. In this manuscript, the authors summarized the role of anti-oxidants and pro-oxidants in colon cancer. The manuscript has a potential. Comment Please add the following paper to the reference and discuss in more detail. Takayuki Katsuno, Masahiro Ochi, Kazunari Tominaga, Fumio Tanaka, Mitsue Sogawa, Tetsuya Tanigawa, Hirokazu Yamagami, Masatsugu Shiba, Kenji Watanabe, Toshio Watanabe, Yasuhiro Fujiwara, Tetsuo Arakawa. Mesenchymal stem cells administered in the early phase of tumorigenesis inhibit colorectal tumor development in rats. Journal of Clinical Biochemistry and Nutrition. Vol. 53 (2013) No. 3

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[ ] Grade C (Good)	[ ] Grade C: a great deal of	[ ] No records	[ ] Rejection
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This is a quite well-written review that focus on risk factors associated with colorectal cancer. The paper is organized and the data reviewed appropriate and, in many respects, represent the state of the art. The only detractor is Figure 5 in which the non-descript final path (mutations) is not at all apparent and should be a stand-alone contribution. Figure 5 needs extensive revision and, if done correctly, this manuscript should be acceptable for publication.