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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The manuscript by Samuel E Norton and others provides a concise review of immune Cell interplay in colorectal cancer prognosis. 1. This review could be considerably improved by providing more focus and increased detail specifically around colorectal cancer. A brief introduction of colorectal cancer should be added in the "Perspective" section. 2. The manuscript demonstrated that Tregs play controversial roles in CRC for they could impair the function of anti-tumour effector cells as well as pro-tumour inflammatory Th17 cells. However, in figure 1, it seems that Tregs are completely "good guys" by inhibiting tumour growth. It might be misleading. 3. The references before 2010 should be reduced while still retaining the main essentials.