

## ESPS Peer-review Report

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CLASSIFICATION	LANGUAGE EVALUATION	RECOMMENDATION	CONCLUSION
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade A (Excellent)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Grade A: Priority Publishing	Google Search:	<input type="checkbox"/> Accept
<input checked="" 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
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C (Good)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade C: a great deal of language polishing	<input type="checkbox"/> No records	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejection
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D (Fair)	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade D: rejected	<input type="checkbox"/> Existed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Minor revision
<input type="checkbox"/> Grade E (Poor)		<input type="checkbox"/> No records	<input type="checkbox"/> Major revision

## COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The article "Mechanisms of fibrogenesis in liver cirrhosis: The molecular aspects of epithelial-mesenchymal transition" is original and informative. The paper describes the possibility that Epithelial-mesenchymal transition could contribute to hepatic fibrogenesis in chronic liver diseases. The topic is an overview to the knowledge of possible the pathogenesis of liver fibrosis. It is clearly written and readably but the paper is too long in general and should be considerably shortened. The abbreviations are inconsequent and should be corrected. The paper fulfils the field of the World Journal of Hepatology and is appropriate for publication after minor revision. There are no ethic imperfections. The paper fulfils grade B classification. The language do not need any polishing.

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Introduction, line 5: Please expand ECM.