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The review by Seiji Ito and Co-workers focuses on two clinical studies of success for the treatment of gastric cancer patients. The importance of a neo-adjuvant chemotherapy appears crucial to get an impressive advantage on the subsequent treatment options in terms of overall survival. One question is about the drug regimen. Can the authors comment on the number of cycles required to improve the success of surgery and the timings required to recover from the chemo-toxicity. Another point is about the metastasis involvement. Is it possible to quantitate the stage of the disease to proportionate the potential benefit from the neo-adjuvant chemotherapy.



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The manuscript deserves to be published. et al. in sentences must be changed to italic.