

Reviewer1: This is an interesting study about the TTK in gallbladder cancer. After a language revision, it can be accepted for publication.

Reviewer2: This is an interesting study about the TTK in gallbladder cancer (GBC). In this study, the authors investigated the expressions of TTK in GBC specimens and the associations between TTK expressions and clinicopathological parameters and clinical prognosis. The author found that for patients with GBC, with a median H-score as the cutoff value, patients with higher levels of TTK expressions in nucleus had favourable overall survival. And further investigation indicated that, there were close negative correlations between TTK expressions and tumor differentiation, Ca19-9 levels, T stage, nodal involvement, distant metastasis and TNM stage. They concluded that the expressions of TTK in gallbladder cancer are lower than normal tissues, for cancer per se, higher levels of TTK expressions are concomitant with longer overall survival. TTK is a favorable prognostic biomarker for the patients with GBC. This study is overall well designed and the manuscript is very well written. In my opinion, the manuscript can be published after a language editing.