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### Scientific quality

- [ ] Grade A: Excellent
- [ ] Grade B: Very good
- [ ] Grade C: Good
- [Y] Grade D: Fair
- [ ] Grade E: Do not publish

### Novelty of this manuscript

- [ ] Grade A: Excellent
- [ ] Grade B: Good
- [Y] Grade C: Fair
- [ ] Grade D: No novelty

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- [ ] Grade A: Excellent
- [ ] Grade B: Good
- [Y] Grade C: Fair
- [ ] Grade D: No creativity or innovation
### Scientific significance of the conclusion in this manuscript

- Grade A: Excellent
- Grade B: Good
- Grade C: Fair
- Grade D: No scientific significance

### Language quality

- Grade A: Priority publishing
- Grade B: Minor language polishing
- Grade C: A great deal of language polishing
- Grade D: Rejection

### Conclusion

- Accept (High priority)
- Accept (General priority)
- Minor revision
- Major revision
- Rejection

### Re-review

- Yes
- No

### Peer-reviewer statements

- Peer-Review: Anonymous
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- Conflicts-of-Interest: Yes
- No

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**SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This study retrospectively analyzed 467344 HCC patients in the US region from 2001 to 2020, and found that the incidence rate was rising in all regions. The research method describes the classification and information collection of populations in different regions and age groups, which are too superficial. Only a simple demographic analysis was conducted as a result. The conclusion also does not indicate clinical significance.