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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This is an interesting study, some English polishing should be revised,



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In this study, the authors identified the clinicopathological factors predictive of LNM in intramucosal poorly differentiated EGC, expanded the possibility of using ESD for the treatment of intramucosal poorly differentiated EGC. About 81 patients with intramucosal poorly differentiated EGC were included in this study. The authors found that the tumor size, lymphatic vessel involvement and signet-ring-cell component that were significantly associated with LNM by univariate analysis, were found to be significant and independent risk factors for LNM by multivariate analysis. The tumor size, lymphatic vessel involvement and signet-ring-cell component are independently associated with the presence of LNM in intramucosal poorly differentiated EGC. Thus, these three risk factors may be used to set as a simple criterion to expand the possibility of using ESD for the treatment of intramucosal poorly differentiated EGC. Over all, this study is well designed, and the manuscript is well written. Some comments are listed below. 1 The text needed to be edited by a native English speaker. There are some language polishing in the manuscript. 2 The results are simple, but interesting. However, if the authors can provide more data or figures, it will be more better. 3 The



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references are updated and well discussed. 4 Please check the data in the tables again.