

**Reviewer's report**

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(Discretionary Revisions). This paper have conducted a comprehensive analysis of the APC gene and non-small cell lung cancer. Although the statistical analysis was appropriate, but we just could not understand one aspect. Recently, many studies indicated that the APC gene could be the maker of some cancers. How could we ensured the specificity