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Reviewer Comments

Comment 1: The Editorial entitled Metabolomics Combined with Mathematical Analysis Reveals Metabolic Pathways Specific to Metastatic Cancers by S. Sato and T. Yamashita has collected unique data about the metabolomics pathways involved that contribute to the biology of metastatic cancers. In my opinion, the Editorial is well written and previous studies have been commented on for readers to follow the main message: "In addition to glucose and amino acid metabolism, fatty acid metabolism is also important in the intracellular metabolism of metastatic cancers, and it has been pointed out that stromal cells may contribute to cancer cell metabolism owing to substantial alterations in the microenvironment at metastatic sites". This is a very relevant field of research with several opportunities to find drug targets that are specific to cancer cells.

Reply 1: Thank you for reviewing our manuscript and for your important comments, which have greatly helped improve our manuscript. Below is our point-by-point response to all the comments, and sentences added in our manuscript indicated in red text.