

Review of: "Effects of Cinnamon on Cancer Prevention and Progression"

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1. The title should be "The Effect of Cinnamon on Cancer Progression and Prevention" instead of the title given by the authors, since the first idea discussed in-depth in the review is the progression of the disease, while the prevention was mentioned in brief at the end.
2. The abstract is well written.
3. In the introduction, the authors write about the anti-diabetic effect of cinnamon. This part is not really needed since it is not the main idea of the review.
4. It is not mentioned clearly in the text how cinnamon, or its components, can regulate (by activating or inhibiting) NF- κ B, AP-1, VEGF, etc., pathways and therefore what the role of cinnamon is in the prevention and progression of cancer, as described in the title.
5. It would be good if the authors could summarize the previous studies in a table showing the active component used, type of cancer, and whether the study was in vitro or in vivo.
6. Add figures to describe the discussed pathways and illustrate the active components of cinnamon interaction within these pathways.
7. In general, the review needs language editing to correct it grammatically.