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	***: $p\text{-value} \leq 0.01$ (7)p.5 line204:Table 1→put Table1 on line 203 (8)p.5 line227:Table3→put Table3 on line 226 (9) The authors are advised to describe the <u>research limitation</u> in the conclusion section. Besides, the references need to be formatted and checked <u>again</u> in accordance with the Journal's format (I remind).	
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