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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments		
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments	<p>1. In Abstract – on line 5 instead "Fanconi Anemia (FA), an autosomal recessive disease of childhood.", " Fanconi Anemia (FA) is an autosomal recessive disease of childhood." should be written.</p> <p>2. In Abstract – on line 6 instead "It has been also demonstrated that Fanconi anemia, an only human genomic instability syndrome is very..." – "It has been also demonstrated that FA, an only human genomic instability syndrome, is very..." should be written.</p> <p>3. In Abstract – on line 10, 11, 14 and 15 instead "Fanconi anemia"– FA should be written.</p> <p>4. In Abstract – on line 10, 11, 14 and 15 instead "reactive oxygen species"– ROS should be written.</p> <p>5. In Key words – on line 16 instead ROS – "reactive oxygen species" should be written.</p> <p>6. In introduction on line 21 instead "the other cancers" - "other cancers" should be written.</p> <p>7. In introduction on line 24 instead "...Fanconi anemia because FA..." – "FA because it" should be written.</p> <p>8. On line 41 instead "bone marrow" – bone marrow should be written.</p> <p>9. On line 43 instead "We have shown that both flavonoids were the most..." –</p>	OK



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	<p>"We <b>had</b> shown that both flavonoids were the most..." should be written.</p> <p>10. On line 45 instead "(This work had a good response; at present, it has been cited more than 800 times):" –  <b>"This work has been cited more than 800 times at present."</b> should be written.</p> <p>11. On line 49 instead "Superoxide dismutase (SOD)" –  <b>SOD</b> should be written.</p> <p>12. From line 50 to 54 the sentences "(Later on, we also demonstrated that rutin was a strong inhibitor of iron-dependent lipid peroxidation of rat brain homogenates [8] and the free radical formation in iron-overloaded rats [9]. Moreover, we found that rutin efficiently inhibited free radical formation and oxyhemoglobin oxidation in <math>\beta</math>-thalassemic red blood cells [10])" –  <b>without parentheses</b> should be written.</p> <p>13. On lines 54-55 instead "rutin (<b>vitamin P</b>)" –  <b>rutin</b> should be written.</p> <p>14. On lines 56-58 instead "Rutin (<b>vitamin P</b>) was permitted for application to <b>patients</b> (FA patients <b>were</b> under the supervision of our co-authors medical doctors). No toxic side effects were observed <b>in patients</b>." – <b>Rutin was permitted for application to FA patients under the supervision of our co-authors medical doctors. No toxic side effects were observed.</b></p> <p>15. On line 91 instead "affected" –  <b>affects</b> should be written.</p> <p>16. On line 127 instead "The antioxidants NAC and quercetin..." – "The antioxidants <b>N-acetylcysteine</b> (NAC) and quercetin..." should be written.</p> <p>17. On line 137 instead "Rutin is a nontoxic compound (<b>vitamin P</b>) permitted for ..." –  <b>"Rutin is a nontoxic compound permitted for..."</b> should be written.</p> <p>18. On line 142 instead "We were <b>happy</b> to find..." - We were <b>satisfied</b> to find..." should be written.</p> <p>19. On line 215-216 instead "Taking into account the above-mentioned</p>	
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	<p>consideration, these ways might be presented as follows:" - "Taking into account the above-mentioned consideration, these ways <b>have been presented in Table 1.</b>"</p> <p>20. The sentences of Conclusions have need of predicates:          Instead "(1) Direct interaction of FANCA and FANCF with ROS (superoxide) to form a complex..." –          "(1) Direct interaction of FANCA and FANCF with ROS (superoxide) <b>forms</b> a complex..."          Instead "(3) FANCD2 ubiquitination following the formation of FA-BRG1-promoter complex capable of..." – (3) FANCD2 ubiquitination <b>follows</b> the formation of FA-BRG1-promoter complex capable of..." should be written.          Instead "(4) Antioxidant activity of FA genes enhanced by the interaction with..." –          "(4) Antioxidant activity of FA genes <b>has been enhanced</b> by the interaction with..." should be written.          Instead "(5) Application of antioxidants and free radical scavengers (quercetin and NAC) to decrease ROS..." – "(5) Application of antioxidants and free radical scavengers (quercetin and NAC) <b>decreases</b> ROS..." should be written.          Please clarify the ethical issue, if any</p>	
<b><u>Optional/General</u></b> comments	<p>This multidisciplinary review paper is very interesting. It is a good example of personal authors' studies supported by contemporary data of other studies in these fields. The discussed problems are based on fundamental biochemical, pathophysiological and genetical aspects and have concrete therapeutical contribution. The style of writing is clear, no significant grammatical and styling proposals are mentioned above (in minor revision commenys). The references involve appropriate sources (from last 3 decades) including enough contemporary data and had been cited correctly.</p>	