Reviewer's report

Title: Metachronous metastases- and survival-analysis show prognostic importance of lymphadenectomy for colon carcinomas

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This is a very clear and detailed analysis focusing on the importance of lymphadenectomy for colon cancer. Statistics, study design, exclusion/inclusion criteria are clear. Results and discussion are well documented.

Major Compulsory Revisions:
None

Minor Essential Revisions:
None

Discretionary Revisions:
None

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Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.

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I have no competing interests