Reviewer's report

Title: High Focal Adhesion Kinase expression in breast carcinoma is associated with lymphovascular invasion and triple-negative phenotype

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This is a very interesting paper that clearly illustrates the complexities of FAK expression as a prognostic marker in human breast cancer. The work is clearly written and statistically sound. Its Discussion is fair and lays out the problems that this field faces in really understanding the prognostic value of FAK. It was a pleasure to review.

Level of interest: An article of importance in its field

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, and I have assessed the statistics in my report.

Declaration of competing interests:

none