Reviewer's report

Title: Metformin Treatment in Diabetes and Heart Failure: When Academic Equipoise Meets Clinical Reality?

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Major Compulsory Revisions
1. Table 1 and 2 need to be merged
2. Body weight, crcl for the 2 groups must be stated
3. Duration of treatment with metformin must be stated as well

Minor Essential Revisions
1. No need to state the "acarbose" in table 2.
2. Ejection fraction of the patients need to be stated, if available!!

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

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

Declaration of competing interests:
'I declare that I have no competing interests'