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I would like to emphasize that duodenal somatostatinoma is a very rare medical occasion and to date it has only been reported 200 cases approximately in literature. Our case report is an original one and constitutes particular clinical speciality (General Surgery) and clinical impact on this area of medicine.

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