



**SDI Review Form 1.6**

Journal Name:	<a href="#">Asian Hematology Research Journal</a>
Manuscript Number:	<b>Ms_AHRJ_47124</b>
Title of the Manuscript:	<b>EVALUATION OF THE DIAGNOSTIC VALUE OF Ret-He AMONG SICKLE CELL DISEASE PATIENTS WITH IRON DEFICIENCY ANAEMIA ON HAEMATINICS</b>
Type of the Article	<b>Original Research Article</b>

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<b><u>Compulsory</u></b> REVISION comments	<p>The theme dealt here is important. I have some advice.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Abstract: Ret-He appears without its definition.</li> <li>2. Abstract: Please define iron deficiency (end point). You wrote something regarding this but it is unclear. Furthermore, diagnostic criteria should be written in Materials and not Result section.</li> <li>3. Materials: Why did you not use TIBC or serum iron concentration to determine the presence of iron deficiency? Please state the reason why. I assume that iron administration and transfusion prevented these ordinary indices being a marker of iron deficiency. Please explain the situation.</li> <li>4. Table 3 and its associated explanation are unclear. Please explain things more precisely and in a more reader-friendly manner.</li> <li>5. You compared three parameters to diagnose "iron deficiency". You state that iron deficiency should be (fundamentally or strictly speaking) diagnosed based on bone marrow findings but it requires time and costs. Then, how did you diagnose the presence/absence of iron deficiency, an end point of this study? The present manuscript does not explain this point well.</li> </ol> <p>Native linguistic check is necessary. I wrote something that may improve paper quality.</p>	Thank you for your comments. Corrections done.
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