# **RETRACTION NOTE**

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# Retraction Note to: High expression level and nuclear localization of Sam68 are associated with progression and poor prognosis in colorectal cancer

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The Editor has retracted this article after a number of concerns were raised, including:

- Overlapping panels in Figures 2 and 3
- Inaccurate description of Figure 2 parts A-C in the figure legend
- Lack of discussion of the difference between the behaviour of the cell line COLO205 compared with the other cell lines used
- Lack of methodological information relating to the 9 paired colorectal cancer tissue samples
- No description of normal cell lines used and inconsistencies in the descriptions of colorectal cell lines

The Editor no longer has confidence in the results and conclusions presented. Yan-Mei Cu agrees with this retraction. Wen-Ting Liao and Li-Bing Song disagree with this retraction. Jun-Ling Liu, Zheng-Gen Wang,

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