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Dear Peter

Re: Paper on "Studies on the Stability of VIII:C"...

Thank you very much for letting me have a preview of your manuscript. I have two comments.

I suspect that as a single paper it is overloaded on the fractionation side. Do we really need to include both the two hour and the five hour in vitro studies? I appreciate that the infusion was indeed only one patient and that you have said just about as much as can be said. It may even be better to present the clinical paper first and the fractionation paper second:

Secondly on a point of detail I don't understand how in table 2 you can exceed a 100% so often, particularly in the calcium stabilised preparations. Maybe I am missing something basic.

However, this clearly is good work and a publication should be sought. I am sure you can send down the clinical portion at least to Professor Bloom for his comment straightaway.

Kindest regards.

Yours sincerely

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