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<u>Optional/General</u> comments	In conclusion. This statement is not necessary. "Its mechanism may be attributed to inhibition of the downstream pathway of glycaemia-induced hypoxia, inflammation and oxidative stress in retinal tissue"	In this study, we not only identified the protective effect of <i>Zhixue Mingmu</i> Formula on retinal vasopermeability in DR rats, but also further explored the underlying mechanism of the action. Therefore, in conclusion, we also explained the mechanism. Thanks!

PART 2:

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