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COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

Very interesting study. After a minor language revision, it can be accepted for publication.

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This is an interesting study about the value of the combined diagnosis of acoustic radiation force impulse imaging, serological indexes and contrast-enhanced ultrasound for differentiating between benign and malignant liver lesions. The authors investigate the value of the combined diagnosis of acoustic radiation force impulse technology, serological indexes and contrast-enhanced ultrasound in distinguishing between benign and malignant liver lesions. The diagnostic performance of the combination of SWV, AFP and enhancement rate in distinguishing between benign and malignant liver lesions was higher than the use of a single marker or a combination of any two of these markers. This is expected to provide reference for differentiating between benign and malignant



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liver lesions. Comments 1 The language of this study should be revised by a native English speaker. 2 The tables and figures are good. 3 Results are interesting, and well designed.