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1 Case reports 118- 125 should be omitted. ( no relationship with the case)  
Classification of arthritis Classification of the stages of primary osteoarthritis of the ankle  
(28): 4-There is subchondral bone contact throughout the tibiotalar joint. Images  
and Fig should be in the text of clinical presentation. The number of photo needed  
to be decreased. Before to be concluded, limitation of this study needed to be  
described.

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The authors present their own distraction arthroplasty experiences of their center in this article. The article is quite descriptive and well design. I believe that the article will contribute to the literature.

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