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## SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

The authors summarized the advantages of the advanced MRI sequences. It is considered a useful review for understanding the overview. A few comments. In the chapters on individual tumors, it would be better and easier to understand if an overview of the latest WHO classification is given at the beginning, and then each tumor is described based on it. Consider also the use of tables. The description of some of the tumor types is not enough. For example, a systematic review of the imaging findings of mammary analogue secretory carcinoma has recently been published. [PMID: 34427706] Please check to make sure it is up to date on other tumor types as well. Given that the authors included descriptions of lymphomas and hemangiomas, etc., it would be better to also describe secondary tumors (metastases), which is important salivary gland malignancy. For other rare types of tumors, if there is a lack of knowledge of the imaging findings in the literature, it would be better to explain this. Please remove the dates from TICs of Figures 1, 2, and 4.

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The authors of the submitted manuscript intend to present a comprehensive review on the issue of advanced magnetic resonance imaging findings in salivary gland tumors. The content would add academic value to the readers of the journal.