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The authors comprehensively reviewed imaging findings of the pediatric thymus and proposed an algorithmic approach for imaging evaluation of suspected thymic mass. The paper is well-written and provides valuable information regarding this field. Some points should be revised. References 1. Styles of some references were not appropriate for this journal. Please read the instructions for authors of this journal again and correct these errors. Figures and figure legends 2. Fig 15: A, C, D and F were present in the Fig 15, but not in the legend of Fig 15. Please add them in the legend. 3. Fig 17: An arrowhead in B was absent in Fig 17. Please add it in the Fig 17. 4. An arrowhead was present in Fig 21, but not in the legend of Fig 21. Please put it in the legend.