Reviewer's report

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As presented, the method is a simple 2D implementation of an active shape modeling with ellipse initialization, however, the routine clinical practice lacks for this kind of tools Thus, It is important that manufacturers include in their software package these tools for treatment planning preparation.

Level of interest: An article whose findings are important to those with closely related research interests

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: No, the manuscript does not need to be seen by a statistician.