Reviewer's report

Title: Additional value of associating aortic valve calcification to coronary calcium as a gatekeeper for coronary tomography angiography

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Reviewer: Matteo Bianco

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Congratulations for your interesting work who explore the role of aortic valve calcification to identify the extension of CAC and obstructive CAD.

In my opinion you explored the well known association between aortic valve sclerosis and CAD from an interesting perspective. Your article have scientific consistence and it's good written.

I ask you only to correct some typos like the one in table 1 83.8% 129).

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

Quality of written English: Acceptable

Statistical review: Yes, but I do not feel adequately qualified to assess the statistics.

Declaration of competing interests:

I declare that I have no competing interests