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Dear Editor in Chief,

I have the pleasure to send you herewith the manuscript titled "Dynamics of CT visible pleural effusion in patients with pulmonary infarction" by Igor Kocijančič et al. I hope that the attached manuscript can be taken into consideration for publication.

Pleural effusion remains largely unexplored in patients with pulmonary embolism and concurrent pulmonary infarction (PI). The aim of this study was to investigate the relationship between the size of PI and pleural effusion as well as the time course of pleural effusion in patients with PI.

Our data shows that patients with a pleural effusion are more likely to have a larger PI than those without it. If present, the effusion can be expected to increase in a relatively slow linear fashion in the first 5 days after the onset of clinical symptoms of PI.

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Looking forward to your reply,

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