

Table 1. Thyroid SWV values were higher in children with autoimmune thyroiditis than in healthy children

	Healthy children			Autoimmune thyroiditis		p
	Mean.±s.d./n-%	Median		Mean.±s.d./n-%	Median	
Age	9.7 ± 3.0	10.0		12.6 ± 2.7	13.0	0.000 ^m
Gender	Girl	66	58.4%	45	78.9%	0.008 ^{X²}
	Boy	47	41.6%	12	21.1%	
SWV						
Right m/sn	1.8 ± 0.3	1.8		3.6 ± 0.8	3.6	0.000 ^m
Left m/sn	1.8 ± 0.3	1.8		3.8 ± 1.7	3.6	0.000 ^m

^m Mann-whitney u test, ^{X²} chi-square test

Table 2. Correlation between thyroid function tests with autoantibody titers and thyroid tissue elasticity values.

	TSH	T4	TPOAb	TGAb	
Right lobe	-0.056	-0.080	0.120	0.089	r
	0.735	0.629	0.467	0.588	p
Left lobe	0.206	-0.102	-0.067	-0.047	r
	0.209	0.535	0.684	0.777	p