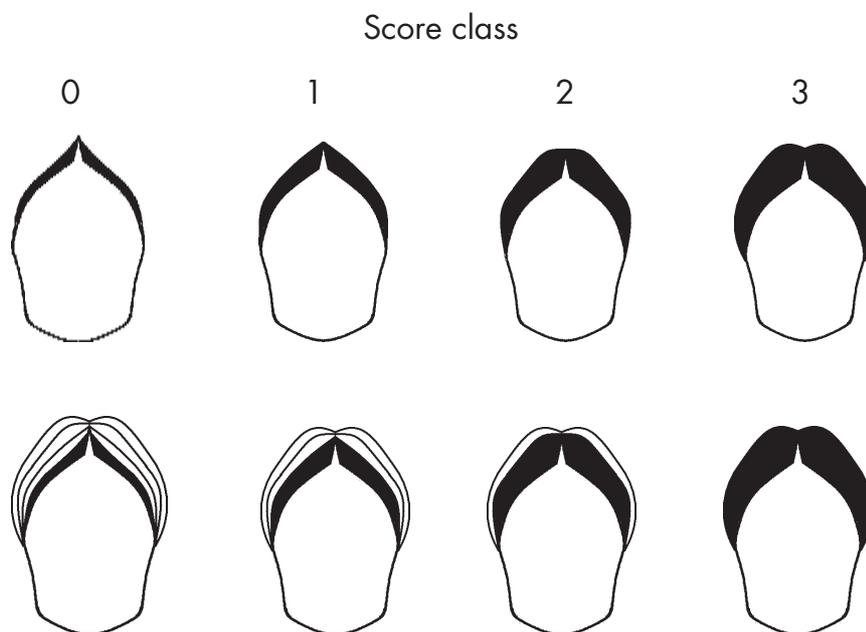




Pectoral muscle score

Score Class	Prominence of sternum	Pectoral muscle shape
0	Sternum sharp	Muscle depressed
1	Sternum easy to distinguish but not sharp	Muscle neither depressed, sharp nor rounded
2	Sternum still distinguishable	Muscle slightly rounded
3	Sternum difficult to distinguish	Muscle rounded (full)



The black areas are the muscles.
The white areas on the bottom row show the differences between scores.

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