



PATIENT

Kona Ficken

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

Bengal

SEX

Spayed Female

AGE

13 Years 2 Months

WEIGHT

13.6 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Presented to referral clinic for 3-4 day history of decreased appetite, lethargy, and bloated abdomen. Concerned for abdominal mass because patient's sister passed away from an intestinal mass a few years ago.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: 11/20/25 PE: QAR, T 103.3; HR 160; RR purring; 5% dehydrated; distended abdomen with palpable fluid wave, did not tolerate oral exam, muscle wasting over dorsum, unable to evaluate heart due to purring CBC: mild nonregenerative anemia RBC 7.7 (7.7-12.8) HCT 31.15% (33.7-55.4) rest normal Chem: albumin borderline low 2.5 g/dL (2.2-4.4) ALP low 6 U/L (10-90) ALT low 14 U/L (20-100) rest normal 11/21/25 PE: HR 190; RR 20; mild dental disease, distended abdomen with palpable fluid wave, grade 2-3/6 systolic, left parasternal murmur; lungs auscultated clear

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The **urinary bladder**, trigone, and pelvic urethra presented normal thicknesses and normal tone. The ureters were not visible which is normal. No uroliths or sediment were visualized and anechoic urine was present. No evidence of inflammatory or neoplastic changes were noted. Ureteral papillae were normal.

The **kidneys** revealed largely normal size and structure, corticomedullary definition and ratio (cortex 1/3 of medulla) were essentially maintained with some age-related loss of curvilinear patterns regarding the capsule and C/M junction. The cortices presented largely uniform texture with some increased echogenicity expected for his age patient. Medullary structure differed distinctly from that of the cortex and no evidence of pelvic dilation was present. The left kidney measured 3.9 cm. The right kidney measured 3.86 cm.

Adrenal Glands

The regions of the **adrenal glands** were unremarkable.

Spleen

The **spleen** was mildly enlarged and nodular with scalloping contour, measuring 1.5 cm.

Liver

The **liver** images submitted revealed subjectively normal liver size, contour, and structure. Parenchymal echogenicity was naturally coarse and hypoechoic to the spleen. Vascular and biliary tracts were of normal volume with no evidence of congestion. The gallbladder presented acceptably thin walls with primarily anechoic content. The cystic and common bile ducts were normal. No pathological hepatic lymphadenopathy was evident. No overt structural evidence of inflammatory, infiltrative or regenerative pathology was evident.

Gastrointestinal

Examination of the visible **gastrointestinal tract** did not present any overt pathology.



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Pancreas

Coalescing nodular omental and **pancreatic** changes noted enveloping the upper gastrointestinal tract.

Free Abdomen

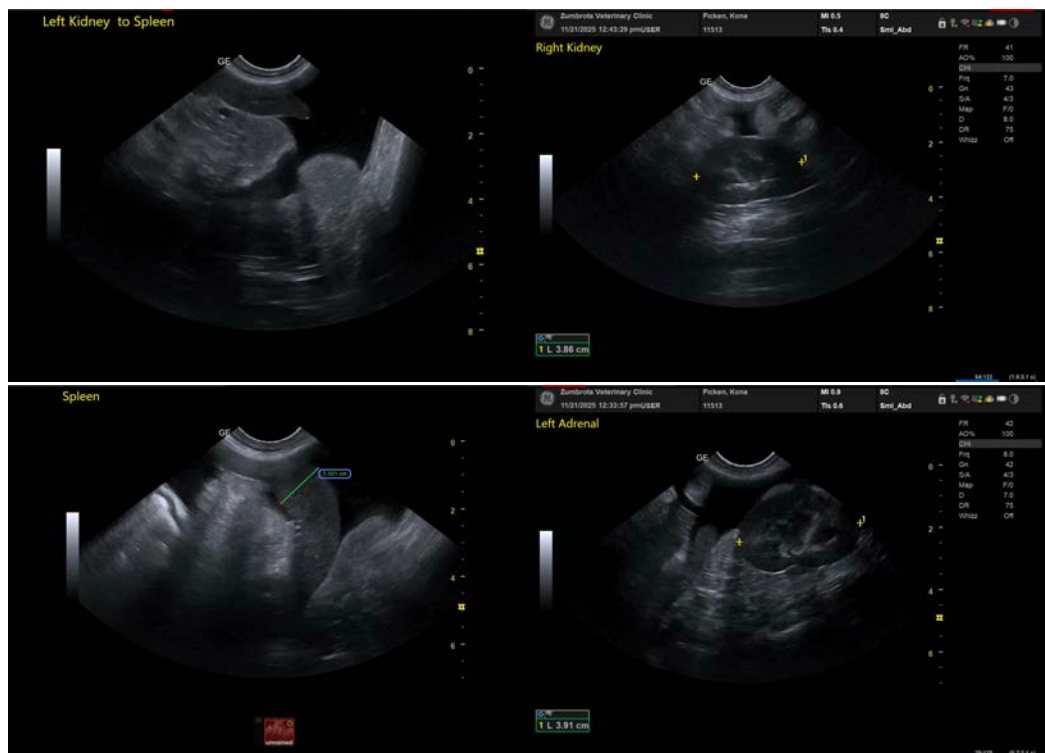
Large amount of free fluid noted in the abdomen.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

- Nodular spleen, pancreas, and omentum.
- Age related renal changes.
- Free fluid.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

Carcinomatosis/lymphomatosis/mastocytosis presentation or similar. Abdominocentesis and cytospin with immediate slide prep recommended. FNA of the hypoechoic nodules in the omentum and 25-gauge FNA of the spleen indicated for definitive diagnosis. However, prognosis is poor. FIP is a remote potential.





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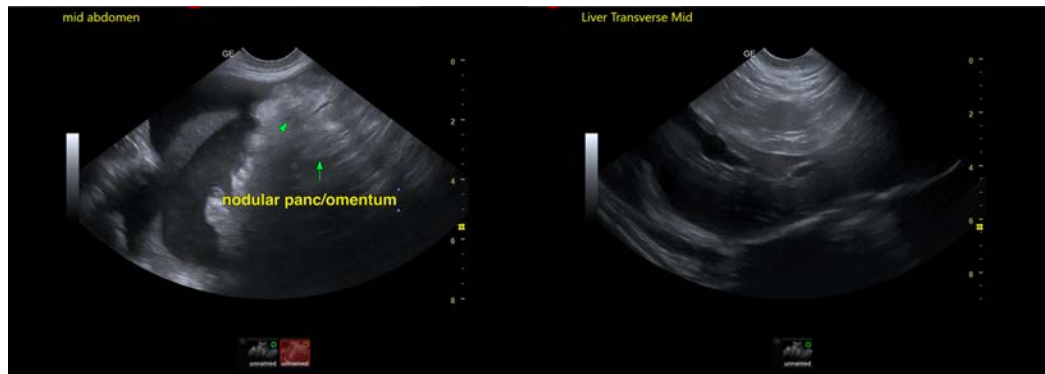
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

Thank you for this referral. If the clinical or image interpretation does not parallel your findings or if I can be of any further assistance please contact me.

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