



## PATIENT

Daisy Ratulangi

## SPECIES

Canine

## BREED

Mixed Breed

## SEX

Spayed Female

## AGE

10 Years

## WEIGHT

53.4 pounds

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## PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Weight loss observed since February 2025 originally around 66lbs. Owner has offered a variety of different meals from canned to dry over the counter, fresh pet food, to prescription hydrolyzed diets and Daisy no longer appears to be interested in diets. Daisy at this time is only interested in eating ground meat and will not eat if mixed in with dog kibble or rice or vegetables.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: CBC/Chem/T4 (Feb 2025): Alb 4.1 (2.7-3.9) Glob 2.2 (2.4-4) CBC/Chem (Mar 2025): Alb 4.2, Glob 2.3 Fecal DX (8/2025): negative Texas A&M GI Panel - TLI,PLI Cobalamin, folate (Aug2025): Cobalamin 151 ng/L (251-908) and folate 2.6 ug/L (7.7-24.4)

## 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 normal size and structure, corticomedullary definition and ratio for this age. The cortices presented largely uniform texture with normal echogenic relationship to liver and spleen. Medullary structure differed distinctly from the cortex and no evidence of pelvic dilation was present. The capsules were acceptably uniform without significant irregularities. The left kidney measured 6.0 cm in length. The right kidney measured 7.0 cm in length.

### *Adrenal Glands*

The **left adrenal gland** was visualized and recognized as having normal shape, size, position and echogenicity for this breed. The phrenic vasculature, glandular echogenicity and detail were unremarkable. Capsule, cortex, and medullary definition were normal for this age patient. The left adrenal gland measured 0.54 cm width.

The region of the **right adrenal gland** was imaged with no evident pathology.

### *Spleen*

The **spleen** presented a smooth homogeneous parenchyma hyperechoic to liver and renal cortical parenchyma. The capsule was smooth without noticeable expansion or deviation from within the spleen or adjacent pathology. The splenic vasculature demonstrated normal volume without signs of congestion or thrombosis. No sonographic evidence of acute or chronic inflammatory, neoplastic, or infarctual changes were noted.

### *Liver*

The **liver** images from right and left intercostal as well as subcostal views revealed subjectively normal liver size, contour, and structure. Some minor age-related parenchymal remodeling was noted but likely not clinically significant at this time. Vascular and biliary tracts were of normal volume and no evidence of congestion was noted. The gallbladder presented some dependent debris with essentially normal contour. The cystic and common bile ducts were normal. No overt evidence of active inflammatory, infiltrative or regenerative pathology was noted but should be paired with current or



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past LE elevations regarding any clinical significance to this presentation. The hepatic lymph nodes were unremarkable.

**Gastrointestinal**

Examination of the **gastrointestinal tract** revealed a stomach and intestine free of stasis, of normal wall thickness, acceptable curvilinear mural detail, and peristaltic activity. Small and large intestine demonstrated normal luminal chyme and stool consistency respectively. No obstructive or overt infiltrative disease was noted. No associated abnormal lymphatic activity was noted.

**Pancreas**

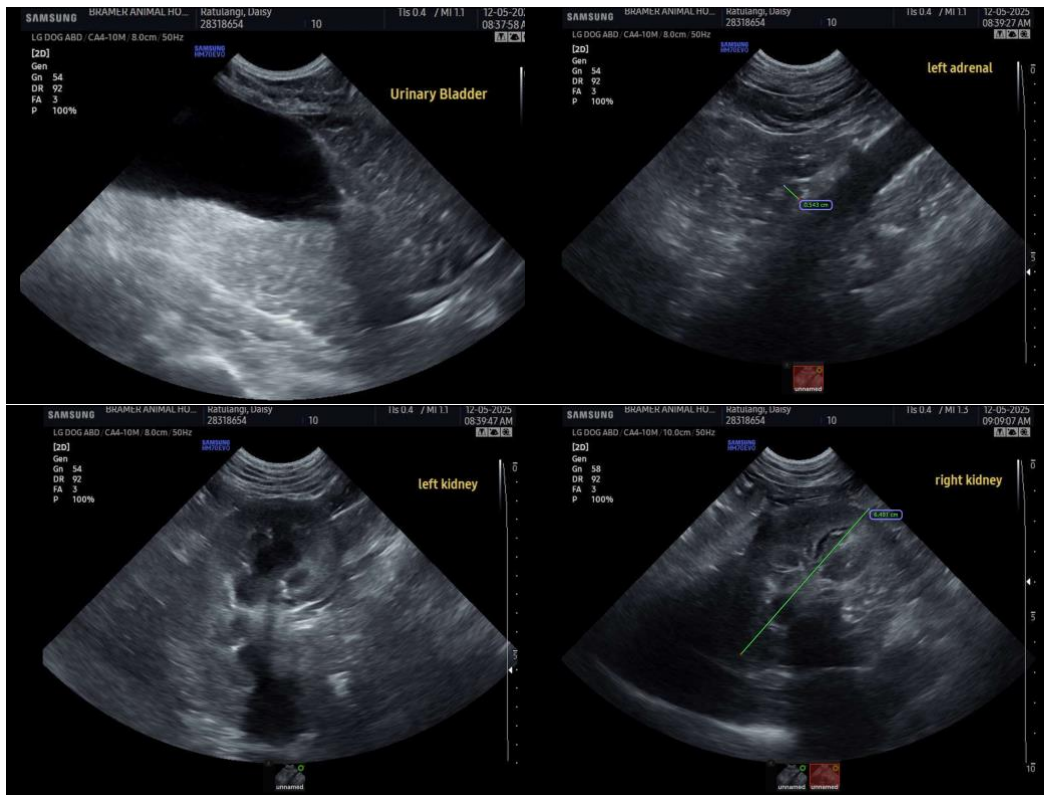
The base and limbs of the **pancreas** were observed to be largely isoechoic to surrounding omental fat. Pancreatic duct and capsular contour were acceptably normal and parenchyma respected normal curvilinear patterns. No overt evidence of active inflammatory or neoplastic disease was noted.

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

- Unremarkable abdomen.

**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The cause of the weight loss is not evident in this patient. Maldigestion panel, three view chest radiographs and full CNS examination is recommended to examine for occult disease that could be responsible for the weight loss. Evaluation for competitive eating environments should also be considered.





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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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