



PATIENT

Groot Kaczor

SPECIES

Feline

BREED

Domestic Shorthair

SEX

Neutered male

AGE

8 years

WEIGHT

14.1 lbs

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

History: Groot was adopted as a stray when he was a young adult after a FUO. He had chronic diarrhea that resolved with Royal Canin PD diet. He ate this diet exclusively for years with normal stools, then 2 years ago he started to have vomiting episodes with no changes in his diet. These vomiting episodes continued despite change to Hill's DD diet, then after changing to an OTC Purina Proplan food stopped vomiting. Approximately 6 months ago vomiting episodes started to occur again. Appetite waxes and wanes. Vomiting occurs a few times a month, typically soon after eating a meal, and is food (majority undigested). Stools are normal consistency. Bloodwork and urinalysis have been unremarkable. Texas GI Panel (TLI, PLI, cobalamin, and folate) were normal in 2024. Weight stable Groot also has severe shoulder arthritis (frozen shoulder). Rule out primary gastrointestinal disease causing vomiting versus eating positioning causing regurgitation.

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: CBC/Chem/T4/ UA pending Last done 10/31, normal BW

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 was 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. A slight, anechoic cyst was noted in the medial cortex of the left kidney measuring 0.67 cm. The left kidney measured 4.1 cm. The right kidney measured 4.58 cm.

Adrenal Glands

Both **adrenal glands** were 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.

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 was noted.



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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 **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

Structurally unremarkable abdomen.

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

There was no evidence of structural disease. Dietary intolerance, occult parasitism, structurally inifcant inflammatory bowel are all potentials.

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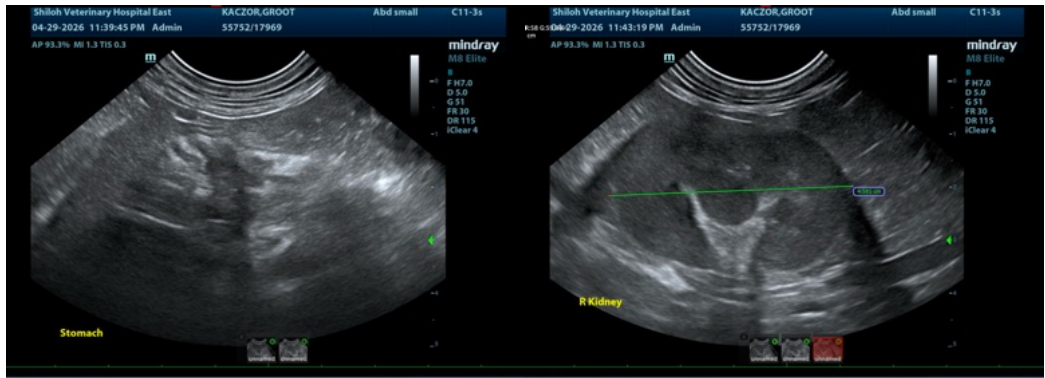
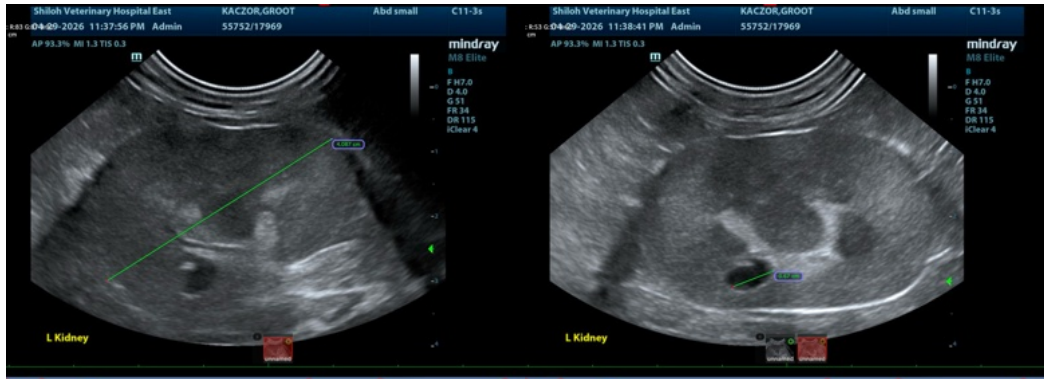
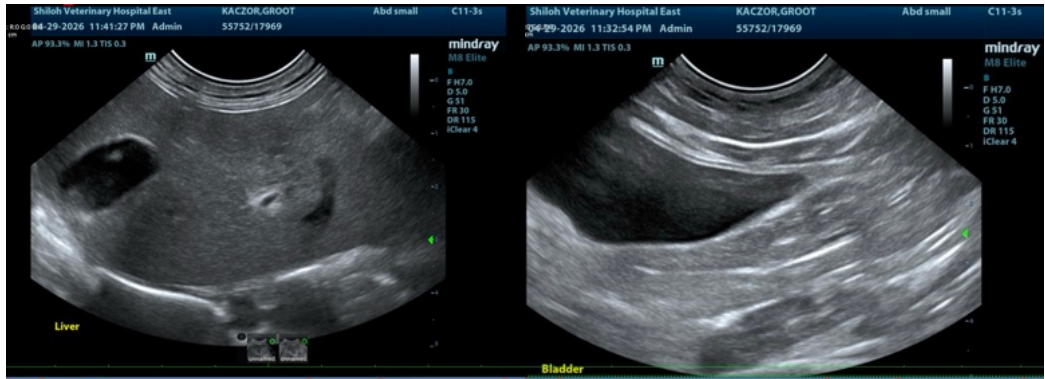
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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