



PATIENT

Nya Tedesco

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

hx of ITP and lethargy

SPECIES

Canine

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN

Urinary System

The urinary bladder, trigone, cystourethral junction, and visible pelvic urethra to a depth of 5.0 cm exhibited normal thickness and tone. Anechoic urine was present in the lumen with no uroliths or sediment. The ureteral papillae were normal. The ureters were not visible which is normal. No evidence of inflammatory or neoplastic changes were noted.

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Pit X

No evidence of pathology in the area of the uterine stump or iliac trifurcation, including no evidence of medial iliac or sublumbar lymphadenopathy and no evidence of distal aortic thrombosis.

SEX

Spayed Female

Normal size and margination were present in the kidneys. A normal 1:3 cortex / medulla ratio and normal corticomedullary definition were maintained. The echogenicity of the cortex was similar to or slightly less than normal liver parenchyma while the medulla echogenicity was hypoechoic to the cortex with no evidence of pelvic dilation. The left kidney measured 6.4 cm. The right kidney measured 6.3 cm.

AGE

4 Years

Adrenal Glands

The left adrenal gland was mildly subnormal in size measuring 0.42 cm at the cranial pole and 0.45 cm at the caudal pole. The right adrenal gland was not definitively visualized.

WEIGHT

69 Pounds

Spleen

The spleen exhibited a finely textured and homogenous parenchyma which was hyperechoic to the liver and renal cortical parenchyma. The capsule was smooth and regular without apparent expansion. The splenic vasculature at the hilus was normal in volume with no evidence of congestion or thrombosis. Acute to chronic inflammatory, neoplastic, or benign parenchyma changes were not noted.

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Liver

The liver exhibited potential for mild generalized enlargement. The parenchyma of the liver was subjectively normal in echogenicity compared to the spleen and renal cortices. The liver parenchyma was uniform with a mildly coarse echotexture. The capsule of the liver was symmetrically rounded to mildly swollen in margination. The hepatic and portal vasculature were normal in appearance without signs of congestion. The gallbladder was non-distended in size with primarily anechoic luminal content. The cystic and common bile ducts were normal.

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Gastrointestinal

The stomach presented intact wall layering with a normal wall layer ratio. The lumen of the stomach contained moderate echogenic ingesta with subtle progressive distal acoustic shadowing, most consistent with post prandial presentation without signs of ileus, obstruction or foreign material. Gastric body wall measured 0.40 cm.

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The small intestine presented intact wall layering with 1:3 muscularis/mucosa ratio. The lumen of the small intestine contained segmental echogenic, nonshadowing ingesta consistent with normal food without signs of ileus, obstruction or foreign material. Duodenum wall measured 0.49 cm.

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Normal visible colon wall layers were present with apparent formed feces in lumen.



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Pancreas

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The parenchyma of the left limb, body and right limb of the pancreas presented isoechoic to the adjacent omental fat. A normal curvilinear capsule contour of the pancreas was present. The visible pancreatic duct was normal. No signs of active inflammation or neoplastic disease was evident.

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Free Abdomen

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No evidence of intraabdominal masses, lymphadenopathy or effusion.

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Pit X

- Gastrointestinal ingesta
- Mild vacuolar hepatopathy pattern
- Subjective subnormal left adrenal gland

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

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The presence of gastrointestinal ingesta is nonspecific and likely indicates post-prandial presentation. Correlation with most recent meal ingestion is recommended. If documented NPO prior to the ultrasound, the presence of gastrointestinal ingesta may indicate some degree of gastrointestinal hypomotility or metabolic stasis. The sonographic presentation of the ingesta was most consistent with food, without evidence of foreign material.

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The mild vacuolar hepatopathy pattern and subjective subnormal left adrenal may be owing to Prednisone therapy given the patient's history of ITP or if clinically being administered. The overall liver appeared to be benign without evidence of significant hepatic structural pathology. Resting cortisol level may be considered if current Prednisolone therapy is not being administered. Monitoring for evidence of normal gastric emptying is recommended. Correlation with recheck CBC/Chem panel and UA is suggested.

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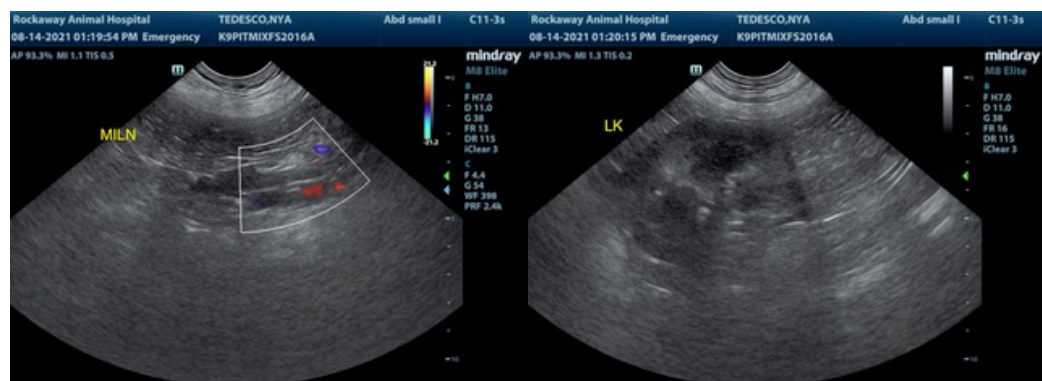
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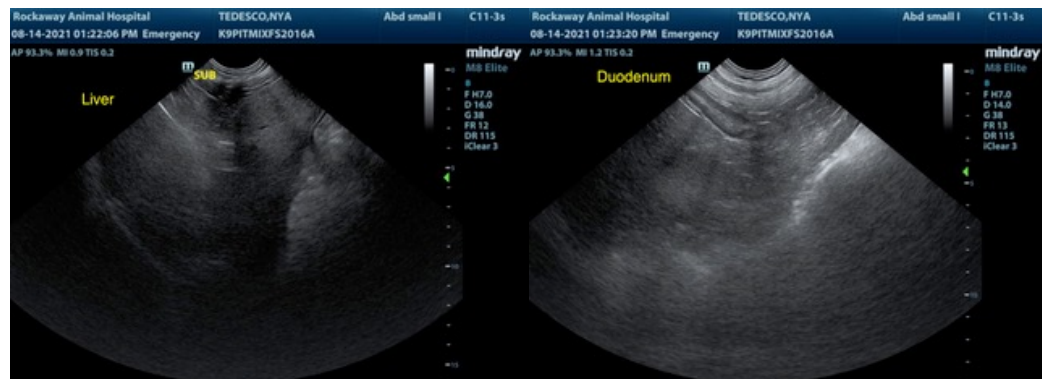
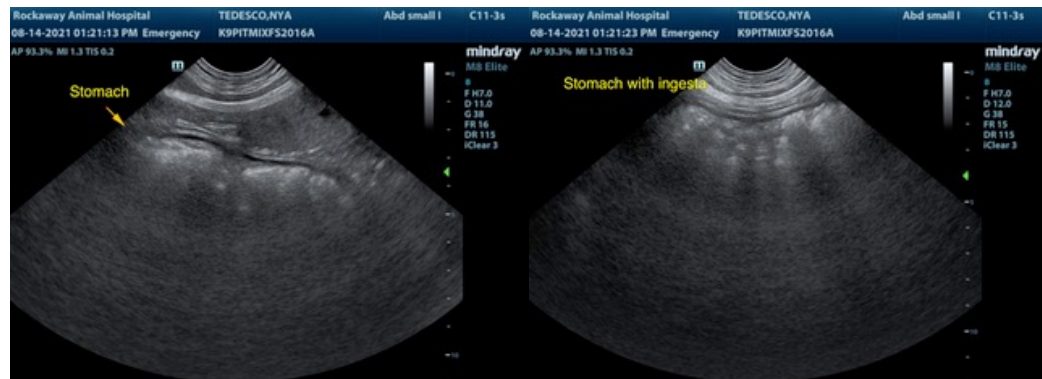
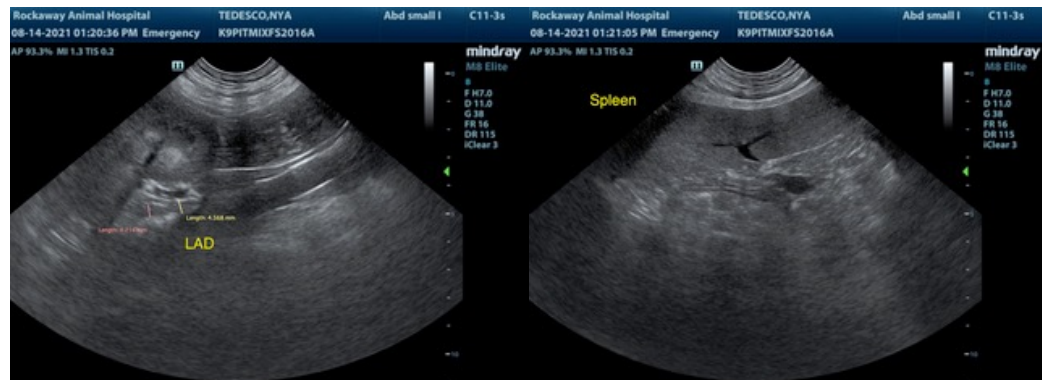
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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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