



PATIENT

Dark N Stormy Poole

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Golden Retriever

SEX

M

AGE

7.5Y

WEIGHT

40kg

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

- Unknown duration RR lameness

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Exam: R knee extension pain and laxity L knee extension pain Rads bilateral knee laxity

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Right Stifle

A very small amount of anechoic effusion is seen within the supra- and infra-patellar recesses of the right stifle joint. There is minimal synovial thickening.

The cranial cruciate ligament is continuously visible and presents mild overall thickening but maintains normal fiber echotexture and echogenicity. No direct evidence of fiber disruption, tearing, or periligamentous edema is seen. The infrapatellar fat pad presents within normal limits.

Visible parts of the medial meniscus show no ultrasonographic abnormalities.

Left Stifle

A very small amount of anechoic effusion is seen within the supra- and infra-patellar recesses of the left stifle joint. There is minimal synovial thickening.

The cranial cruciate ligament is continuously visible and presents mild overall thickening but maintains normal fiber echotexture and echogenicity. No direct evidence of fiber disruption, tearing, or periligamentous edema is seen. The infrapatellar fat pad presents within normal limits.

Visible parts of the medial meniscus show no ultrasonographic abnormalities.

ULTRASONOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Minimal signs of synovitis with minimal cranial cruciate ligament thickening bilaterally.
- No ultrasonographic evidence of cranial cruciate ligament tear or meniscal injury.

INTERPRETATION OF FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The ultrasonographic changes are very mild and bilaterally symmetric. They are overall doubtful in clinical significance. Early subclinical degenerative changes of the cranial cruciate ligament may be present, however, evidence of structural failure is not seen at the time of the examination. Significant osteoarthritic changes are also not present. The visible parts of the medial menisci present within expected limits (within the limits of evaluation).



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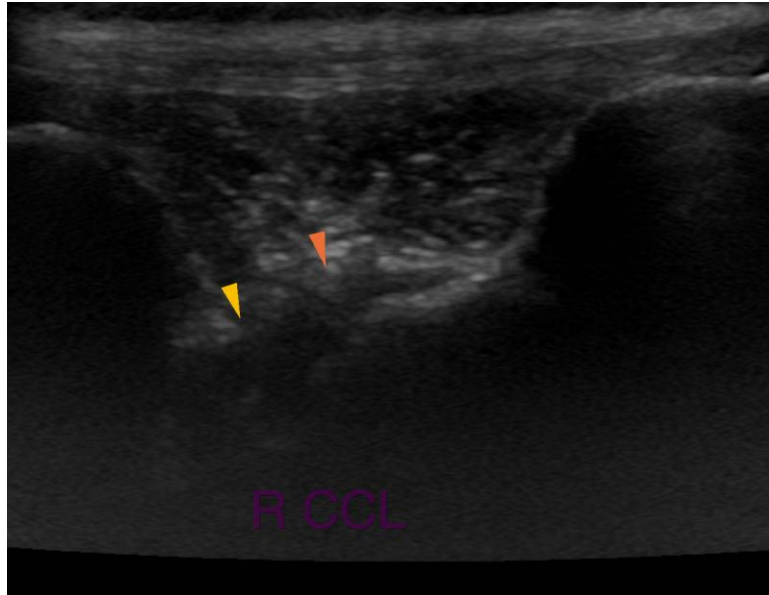
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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