



**PATIENT**

Scout Kruse

**PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

vomiting

**SPECIES**

Feline

**RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE ABDOMEN**

Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views of the abdomen totaling 3 images available for review.

**RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

The abdominal serosal detail is maintained.

**BREED**

Persian

The stomach is post-prandial with a moderate amount of ingesta being present within the stomach. No evidence of abnormal dilation, malpositioning, or foreign material is seen within the stomach.

**SEX**

FS

The small intestinal loops are evenly distributed throughout the mid abdomen. A mild amount of gravel is seen within the small intestine. No obvious abnormal dilation or plication is noted.

The colon contains a moderate amount of fecal matter which appears to be relatively inspissated.

**AGE**

7 Years

**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Small intestinal maldigestion pattern
- Suspect constipation

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

An unusual amount of gravel / solid ingesta appears to be present within the small intestine. Ingestion of large amounts of solid food, litter, or delayed small intestinal transit are potential underlying causes. No direct radiographic signs of mechanical ileus are found, however, abdominal ultrasound could be considered in order to gain more detailed information about the gastrointestinal motility, wall layering, and associated mesenteric structures.

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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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