



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

Sasha Juliani Thorax - hx. tracheal collapse. R/O mastitis from previous mass removal from adenocarcinoma  
Abdomen - star shaped object seen in stomach.

**SPECIES RADIOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE THORAX & ABDOMEN**

Canine Right/left lateral and ventrodorsal views of the thorax and lateral and ventrodorsal views of the abdomen totaling 5 images available for review.

**BREED RADIOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

Shih Tzu **Thorax**

Both shoulder and elbow joints reveal osteoarthritic changes.

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Spayed Female

Redundancy of the dorsal tracheal ligament is noted on the right lateral view. Mild tracheal collapse is seen in the caudal cervical trachea on the left lateral view.

**AGE**

13 Years

The cardiac silhouette reveals no evidence of cardiomegaly or specific chamber enlargement. The vertebral heart score is 9.3.

There is no evidence of mediastinal widening.

Mild esophageal aerophagia is noted and considered within normal limits.

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There is no evidence of pulmonary nodules or masses. A mild generalized bronchointerstitial lung pattern is noted which may well be within age related normal limits.

A thin walled cavitary gas filled lesion is seen in the cranial lung field and measures approximately 1.3 cm in diameter.

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**Abdomen**

The liver margins are pointed but slightly beyond the costal arch.

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Two mineral opaque star shaped objects are seen in the stomach. Mild gastric aerophagia is noted.

The small intestinal loops are evenly distributed throughout the mid abdomen and reveal no signs of abnormal dilation, plication, or radiopaque foreign material.

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A moderate amount of fecal matter is seen in the colon.

Thoracolumbar and lumbosacral transitional vertebrae are seen. There is mid lumbar spondylosis deformans.

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**RADIOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS**

- Two star shaped foreign objects likely out of plastic of approximately 2.0 cm diameter within the stomach.
- No signs of mechanical small intestinal ileus.
- No evidence of pulmonary metastatic disease.
- Pulmonary bulla within the cranial lung field.
- Transitional vertebrae in the thoracolumbar and lumbosacral junction area.
- Elbow and shoulder osteoarthritis.

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

The radiographic study reveals no evidence of pulmonary metastatic disease. A bulla is seen in the cranial lung field and may increase the risk of spontaneous pneumothorax. However, at this time, no evidence of pneumothorax is seen, and the mild diffuse bronchointerstitial lung pattern appears to be within age related normal limits. Further definition could be considered in case of pertinent clinical signs such as coughing.

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Note the presence of two foreign objects within the stomach. At this time, there appears to be no evidence of foreign material or mechanical ileus in the small intestine.

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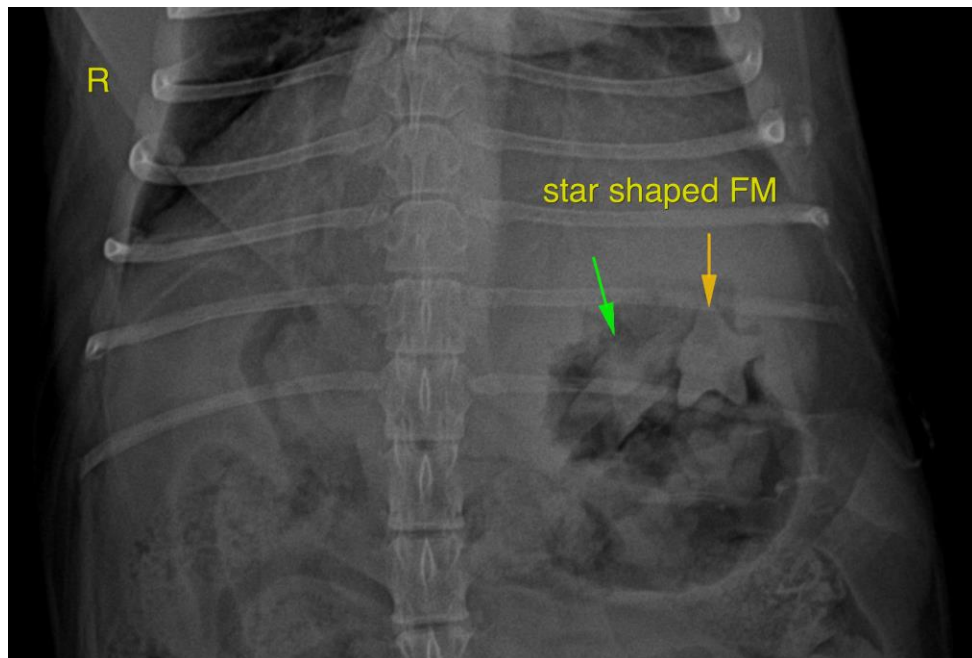
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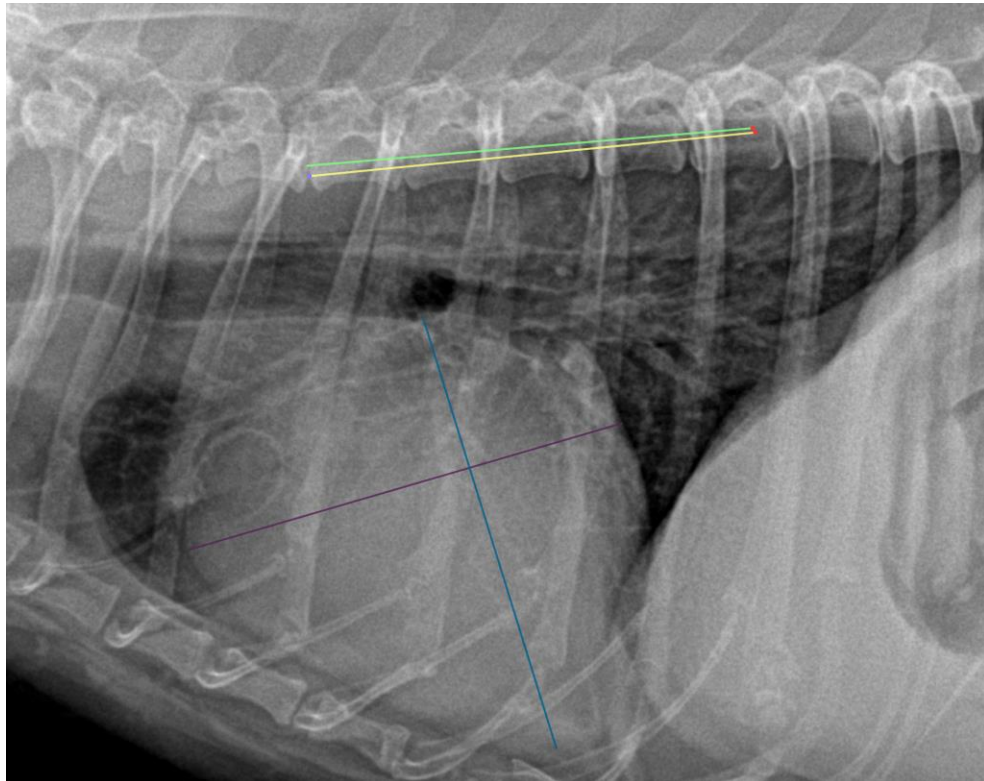
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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