



PATIENT

Coco Formosa

PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

Bilateral stifle effusion. Limping and favoring the right rear leg
 Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: Positive Cranial drawer and CTT , with medial buttress right knee. Xrays 1. Moderate joint effusion of the right stifle with moderate arthritis compatible with the diagnosis of a cruciate ligament rupture. 2. Tibial tuberosity advancement procedure of the right stifle. 3. Suspect medial patellar luxation on the right. 4. Moderate left stifle effusion and moderate arthritis likely compatible with an intra-articular injury such as a cruciate ligament rupture. 5. Unremarkable pelvis. 6. Unremarkable thorax. 7. Constipation in an otherwise unremarkable abdomen. 8. Mild right elbow arthritis

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Right Stifle

Moderate periarticular osteophytes are seen. There is a moderate amount of anechoic effusion within the supra- and infra-patellar recesses of the right stifle joint. Moderate to severe swelling of the stifle joint's synovium is noted. The infrapatellar fat pad presents heterogeneous in echotexture.

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The cranial cruciate ligament presents as a short stump of rather hypoechoic fibers at the intercondylar eminence of the tibia surrounded by a halo of anechoic effusion.

AGE

5 Years

The lateral meniscus presents within normal limits.

A superficial defect with anechoic fluid is seen in the caudal horn of the medial meniscus. See image below. Medial collateral ligament thickening is noted concurrently.

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ULTRASONOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Moderate osteoarthritis of the right stifle joint with full rupture of the right cranial cruciate ligament and suspect medial meniscal injury.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The ultrasonographic findings are compatible with full rupture of the right cranial cruciate ligament. Moderate concurrent osteoarthritic changes are seen. The findings of the medial meniscus are highly suggestive for medial meniscal injury in the area of the caudal horn of the medial meniscus. Surgical intervention has been performed already in order to address the biomechanical instability of the joint and revise the medial meniscus.

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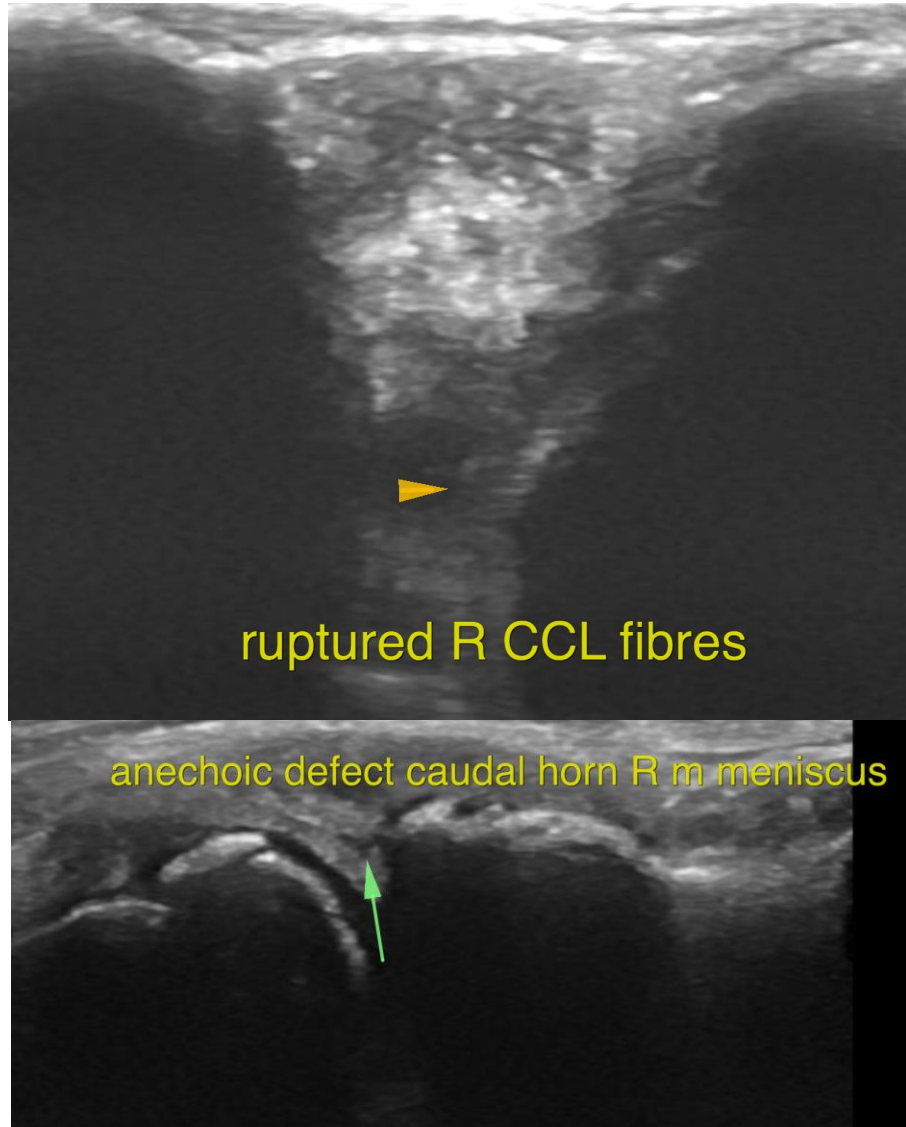
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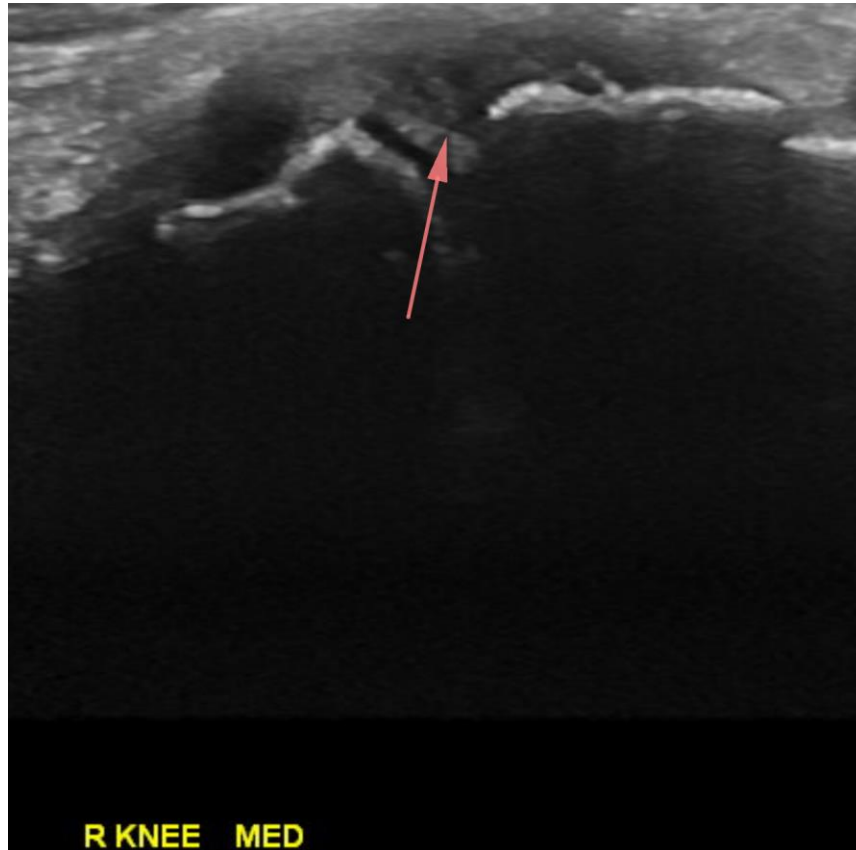
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The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian/sonographer. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.

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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