



**PATIENT PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS**

**Tux Scheu** History: Diarrhea and possible abdominal distension on 2/19, which resolved with metronidazole treatment.

**SPECIES** Physical Examination: N/A.

Feline Urinalysis: N/A.

**BREED** CBC: N/A.

DSH Serum Biochemistry: Elevated urea with normal creatinine, SDMA, and T4.

Radiographic Findings: N/A.

**SEX**

FS

**Age**

15 years

**ULTRASONOGRAPHIC EXAMINATION OF THE ABDOMEN**

**Urinary System**

Full urinary bladder with a normal thickness and appearance of the wall. Normal anechoic urine with no sediment or uroliths evident.

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Normal trigone area, proximal urethra, and iliac blood vessels.

Normal iliac lymph nodes. Ureters not visualized.

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Normal renal size (both 3.4 cm) with increased echogenic appearance, some loss of cortico-medullary differentiation, and normal pelvis and capsule.

**Reproductive System**

N/A.

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**Adrenal Glands**

Normal position, echogenic appearance, shape, and size. Left 0.36 cm, right 0.35 cm.

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**Spleen**

Normal size with normal echogenic appearance. Smooth homogenous parenchyma, regular curvilinear capsule, and normal vasculature. No evidence of inflammatory, neoplastic, infarction, or infiltrative changes noted.

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**Liver**

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Normal size, echogenic appearance, portal markings, and regular curvilinear capsule. No nodules or masses evident. Small gall bladder containing normal anechoic bile. Thickened and hyperechogenic appearance of the gall bladder wall. Normal bile duct.

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**Gastrointestinal**

Normal appearance of the stomach, duodenum, small intestine, ileo-cecal junction, and colon with no loss of layering, normal wall thickness and peristaltic activity, and no distension of the lumen.



**PATIENT** *Pancreas*

Tux Scheu Normal size and echogenic appearance. Regular capsule. Normal echogenic appearance of the mesentery and fat surrounding the pancreas.

**SPECIES** *Free Abdomen*

Feline No mesenteric lymphadenomegaly.  
No ascites evident.

**BREED** **ULTRASONOGRAPHIC FINDINGS**

DSH Primary Findings:

- None.

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- Age-related renal changes.
- Previous cholecystitis.

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**INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS**

In essence a normal ultrasound examination of the abdomen. With the elevated urea and normal creatinine and SDMA, GI blood loss would be a possibility.

If there are still GI signs present then inflammatory bowel disease, parasitic enteritis, granulomatous enteritis, and dietary hypersensitivity needs to be considered; with further assessment being fecal analyses, cobalamin assay and endoscopy of the upper GI tract with biopsies.

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**PATIENT**

Tux Scheu

**IMAGES**

**Gall bladder**

**SPECIES**

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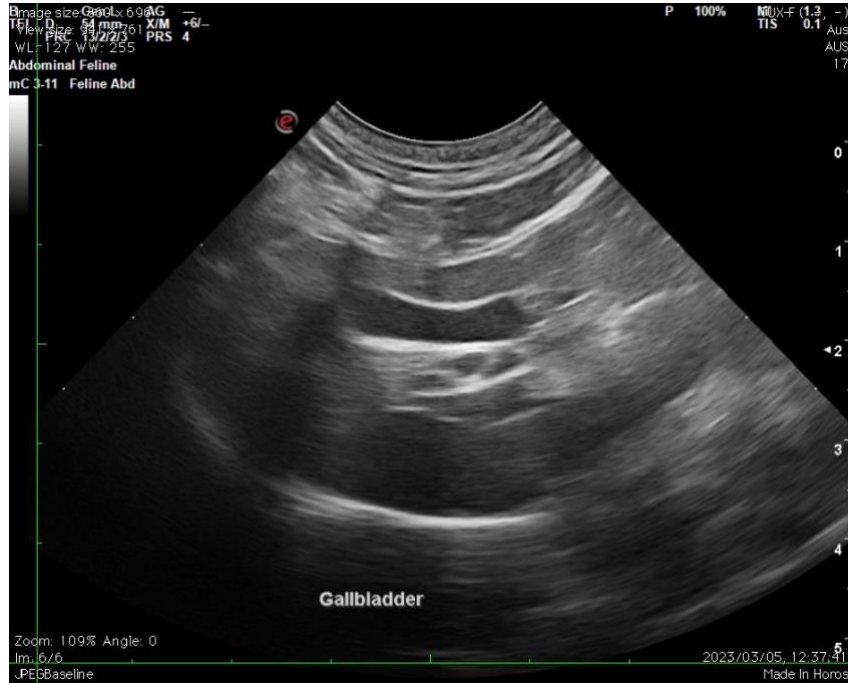
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**The information and recommendations provided are based on the images presented by the referring veterinarian. No evaluation can be communicated regarding pathology that was not visible in the image/video clips provided.**

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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