

PATIENT

Luna Ferraro

SPECIES

Canine

BREED

Staffy X

SEX

FN

AGE

14

WEIGHT

26

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PRESENTING CLINICAL SIGNS

noted mass mass abdomen on a fast

Abnormal PE/Chem/CBC/UA Results: cbc mild anaemia chem normal

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHY OF THE THORAX & ABDOMEN

Pre/post contrast studies are provided for review.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC FINDINGS

Thorax

The chest shows mild lymph node enlargement in the cranial mediastinum.

The pulmonary structures are inconspicuous without signs of relevant nodular, focal or diffused changes. Free pleural fluid is not noted.

There is a round to oval and highly inhomogeneous mass recognized within the branching of the main pulmonary artery, still being well defined with an inhomogeneous contrast uptake.

The thoracic borders are intact including the diaphragm.

The mediastinal structures are inconspicuous apart from that.

Abdomen

In the abdomen a large, round to oval splenic mass is noted showing maximum diameters of approximately 13 centimeters being highly inhomogeneous and presenting marked protrusions of the splenic capsule, scant fluid accumulations and fat striations in the periphery of the mass as well as an increased density of the mesentery. The other parts of the spleen show a significantly inhomogeneous to nodular texture with multiple hypodense areas.

The liver is mildly inhomogeneous without nodular changes.

The other abdominal organs appear inconspicuous as far as can be assessed.

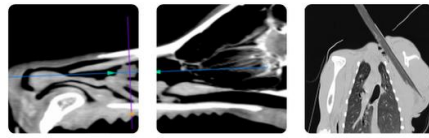
The great abdominal vessels and lymph nodes do not show particular findings.

COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC DIAGNOSIS

- Large splenic mass with multiple nodular-like splenic lesions
- Suspected invasion of the abdominal cavity/peritoneum/mesentery
- Suspected metastasis heart base
- Suspected lymph node metastases cranial mediastinum

Incidental findings:

- Age-appropriate and severe degenerative changes of the spine, see lumbosacral transition



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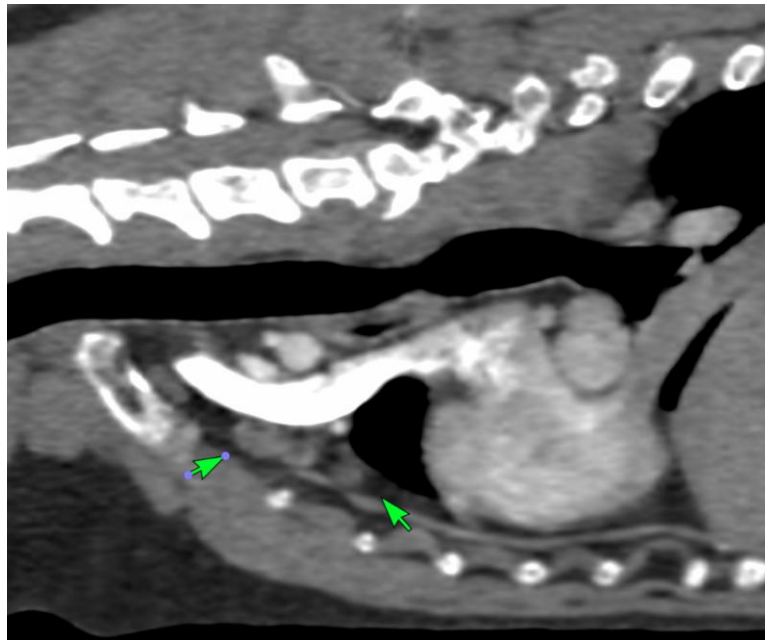
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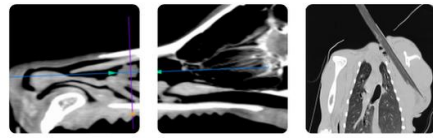
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- Age-appropriate changes kidneys and liver

INTERPRETATION OF THE FINDINGS & FURTHER RECOMMENDATIONS

The large mass of the spleen and the splenic changes are highly suspicious for malignant neoplasia as seen for example with hemangiosarcoma. The lesion in the branching of the main pulmonary artery and mild enlargement of the mediastinal lymph nodes would underline the assumption of a malignant process with mediastinal metastases. This again would match with the presence of a splenic hemangiosarcoma. The fat striations and increased density of the mesentery as well as the irregular outline of the mass are highly suspicious for an invasive behavior with mild amounts of free peritoneal fluid. Abdominal hemorrhage due to ruptures cannot be fully excluded.





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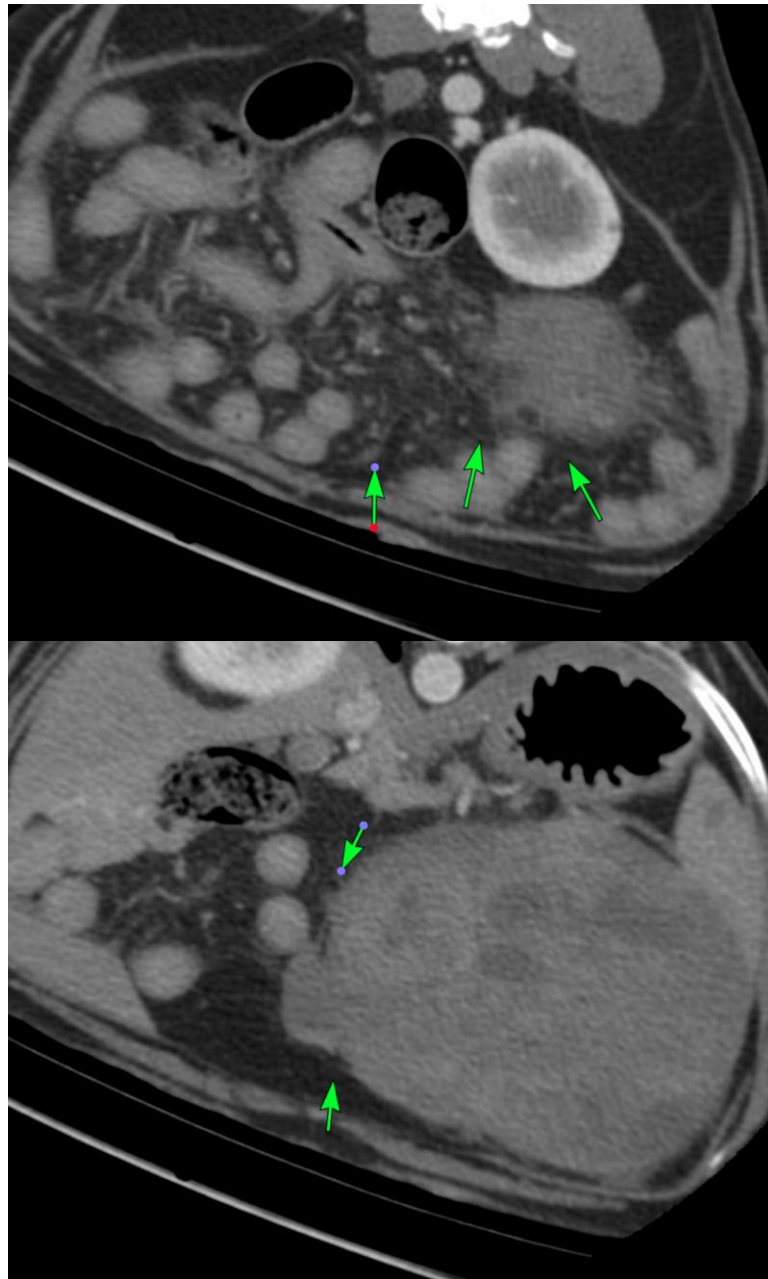
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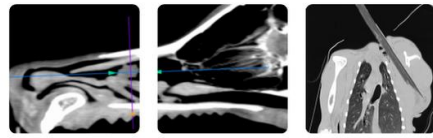
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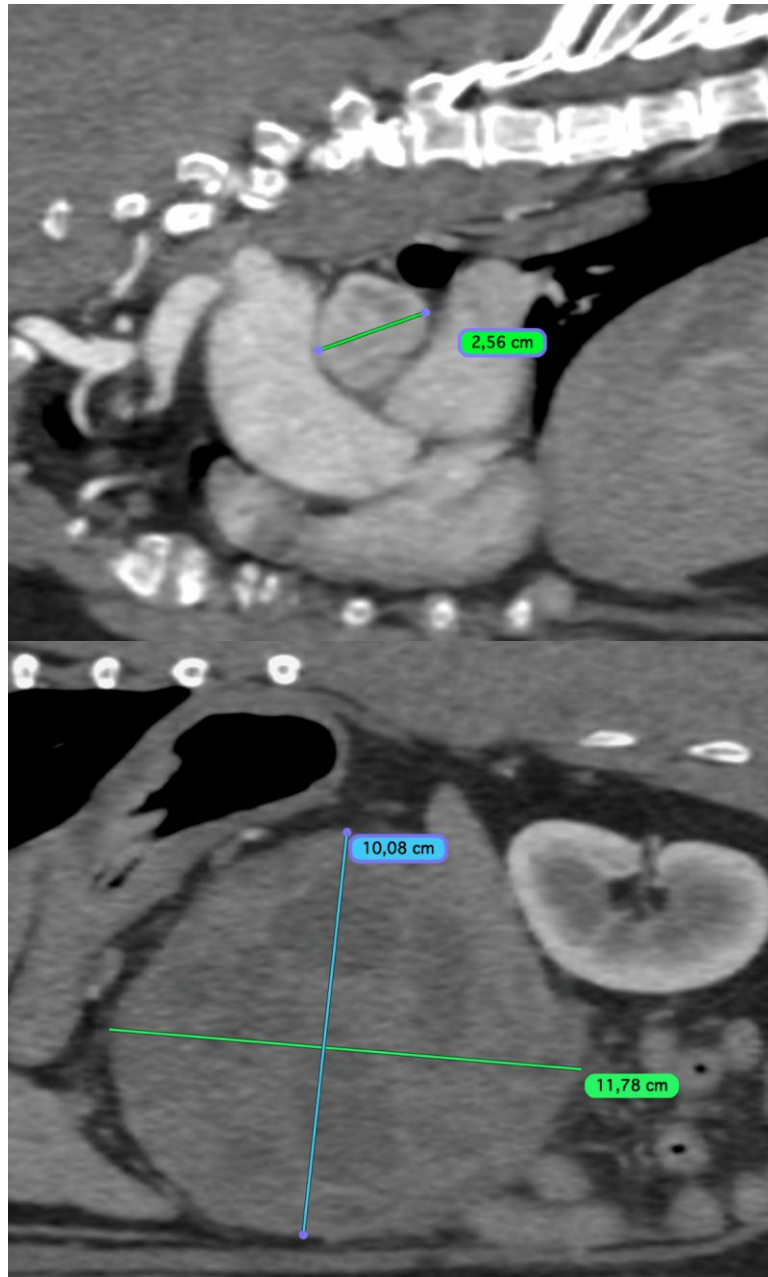
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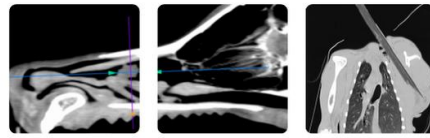
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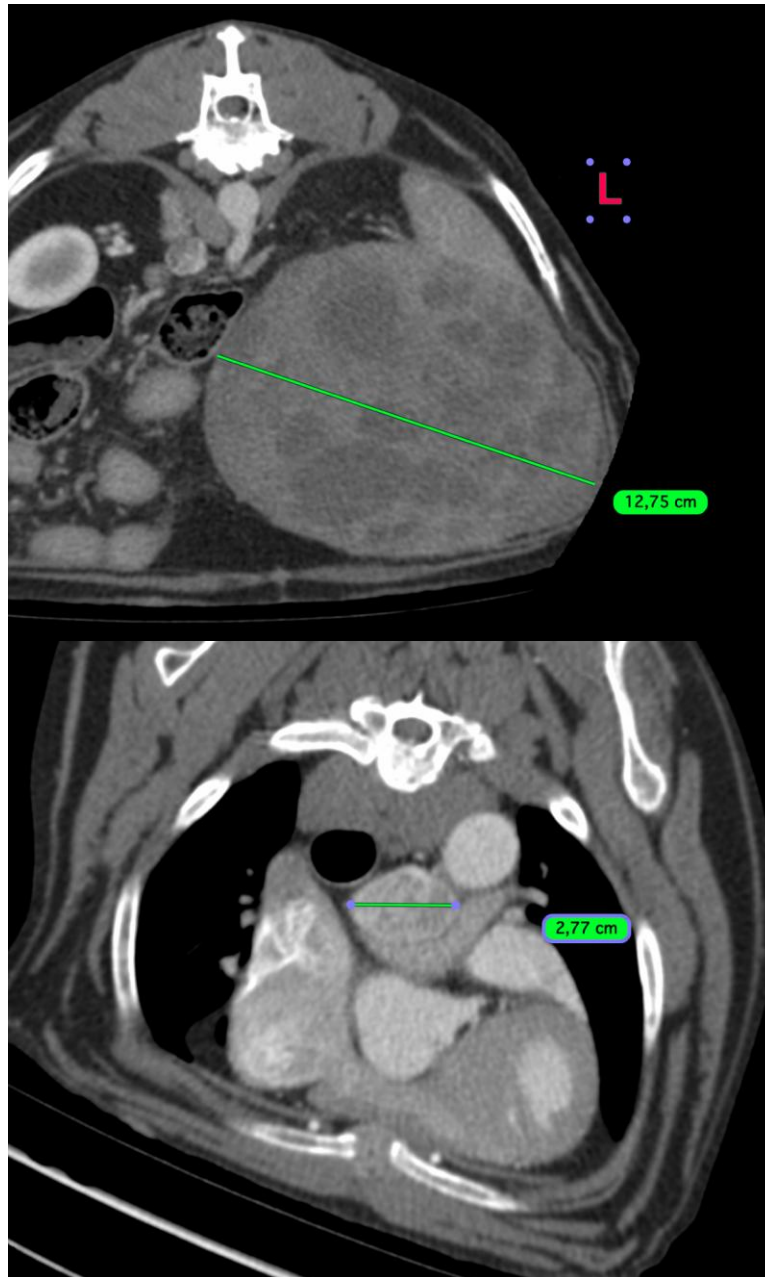
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