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Case of the Day

Check the Answer !

Case 1

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C.C.: RUQ abdominal pain

Duration: 10 days

Lab data:

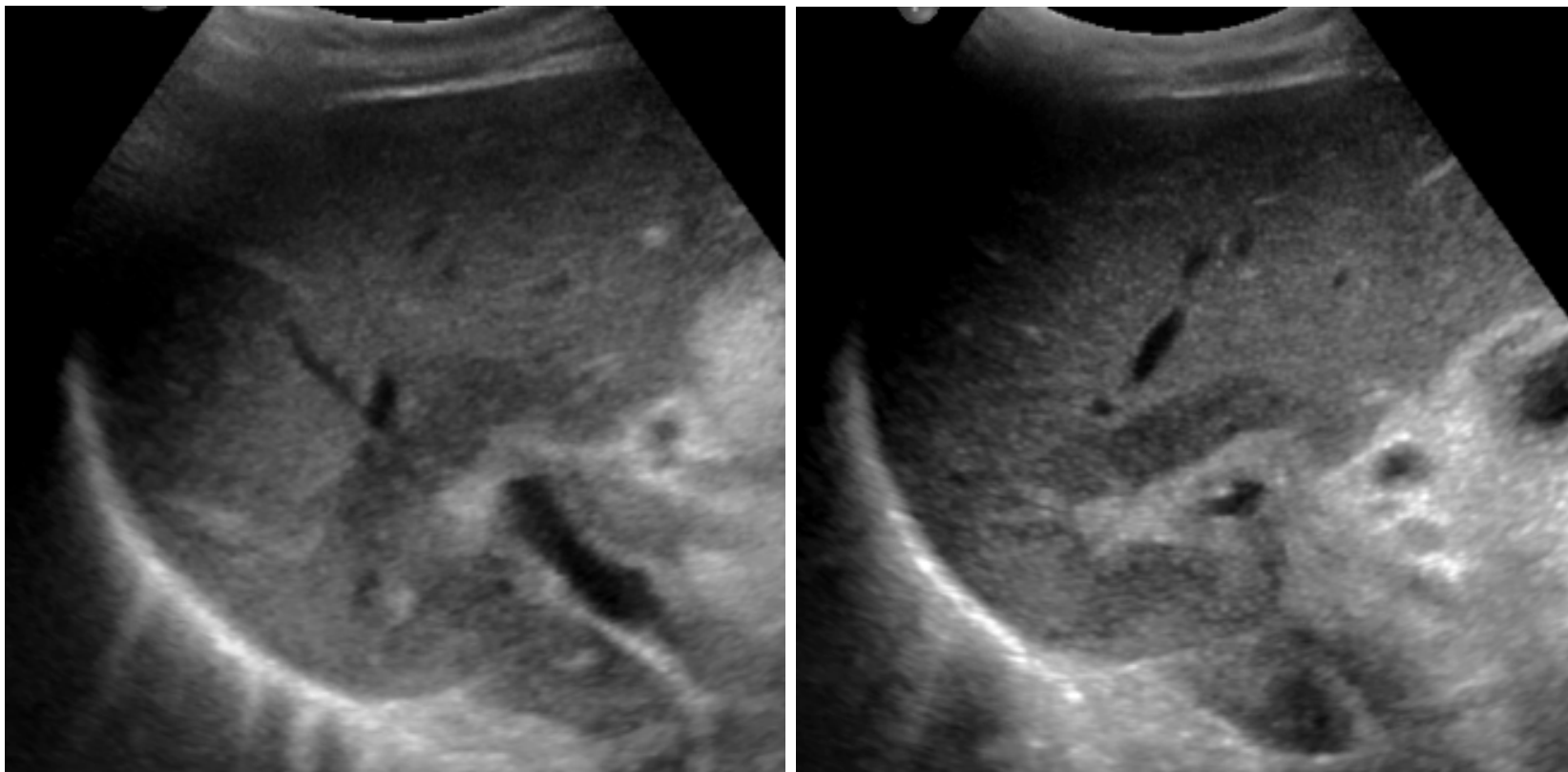
AST/ALT = 36(↑)/16 IU/L,

Alk. Phos = 132 IU/L(↑)

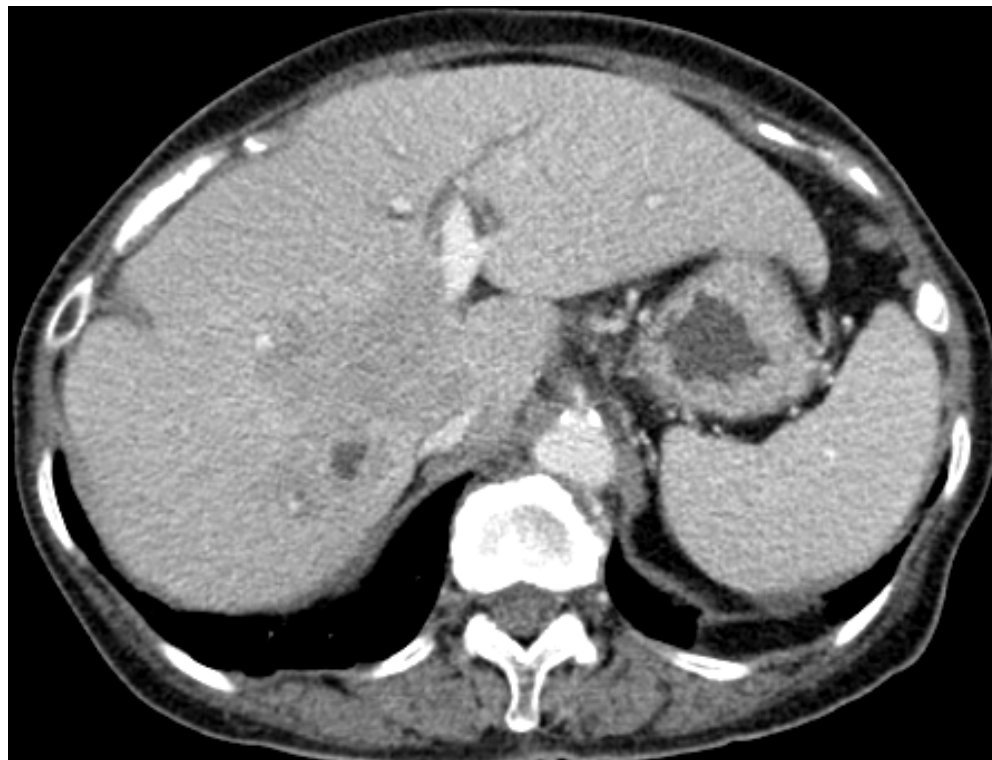
CRP = 18.2 mg/L(↑), ESR = 99 mm/hr(↑)

Question: Diagnosis?

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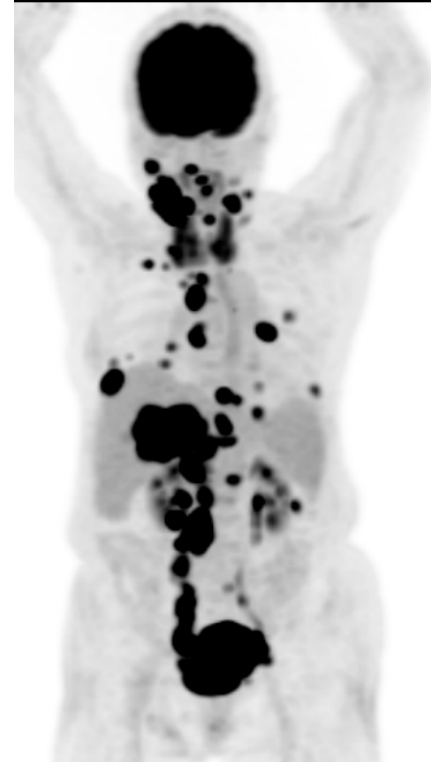


Case 1



Malignant lymphoma

- Malignant lymphoma, diffuse large B cell lymphoma by liver biopsy (secondary hepatic involvement)
- DLBCL, stage IV:
 - involvement of liver, neck node, lung, pleura, right clavicle, uterus, bilateral adnexa.



Hepatic involvement of malignant lymphoma

- Secondary hepatic involvement with lymphoma: most common (~20%) by non-Hodgkin lymphoma typically diffusely infiltrating rather than a focal mass with sometimes miliary/nodular pattern -
- Primary hepatic lymphoma: extremely rare
- Risk factors for developing Hepatic lymphoma:
 - HIV/AIDS (25-46%)
 - Hepatitis C (HCV) mostly in patients with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma (15%)
 - Organ transplantation (2-12%)
 - Immunosuppression

Imaging Findings:

- US: well-defined hypoechoic nodular or infiltrative lesions without posterior acoustic enhancement, hepatomegaly (30%), abdominal lymphadenopathy
- CECT: homogeneous low density discrete masses
- T1wMR: hypo- or isointense SI
- T2wMR: hyperintense SI
- CE MR: transient increased perilesional enhancement

DDx:

- 1) Cholangiocarcinoma (capsular retraction, delayed CE)
- 2) Neurofibromatosis (plexiform periportal low density lesion)
- 3) IgG4-related disease (homogeneous delayed CE with involvement of pancreas, bile duct, kidneys)
- 4) Focal fatty infiltration, metastasis, etc.

Case 2

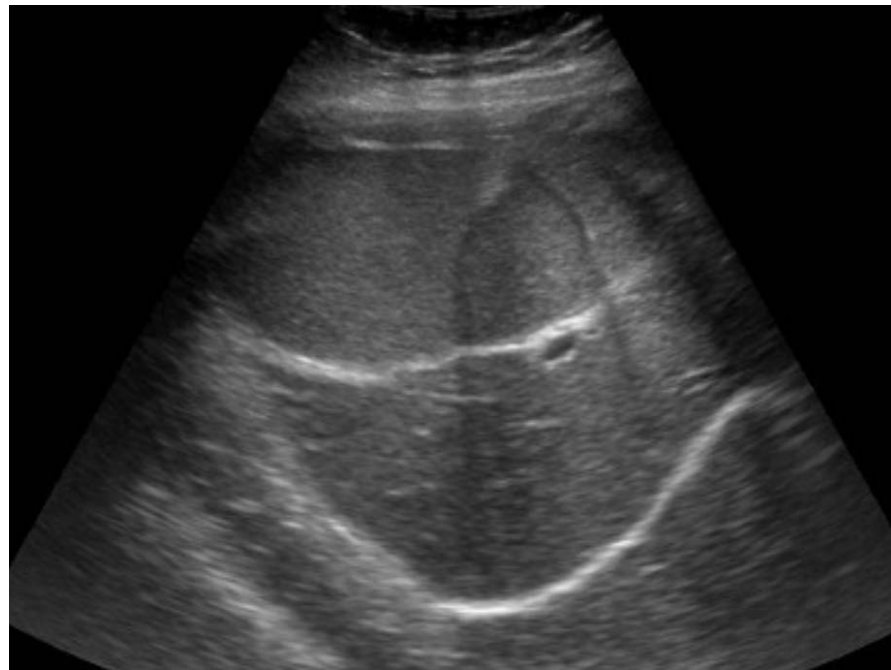
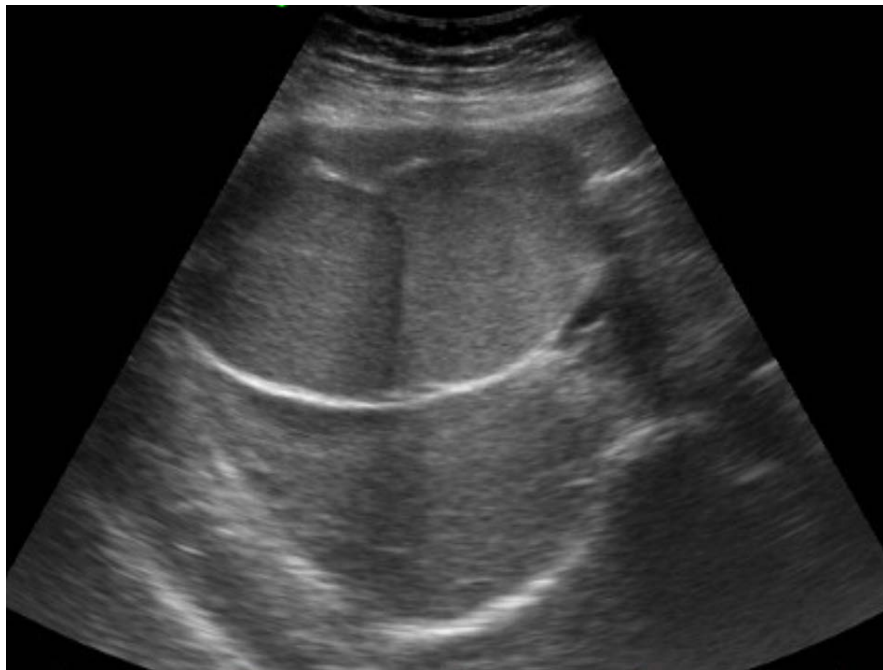
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PHx.: Bilateral total mastectomy for breast cancer; Aspiration of hepatic cyst

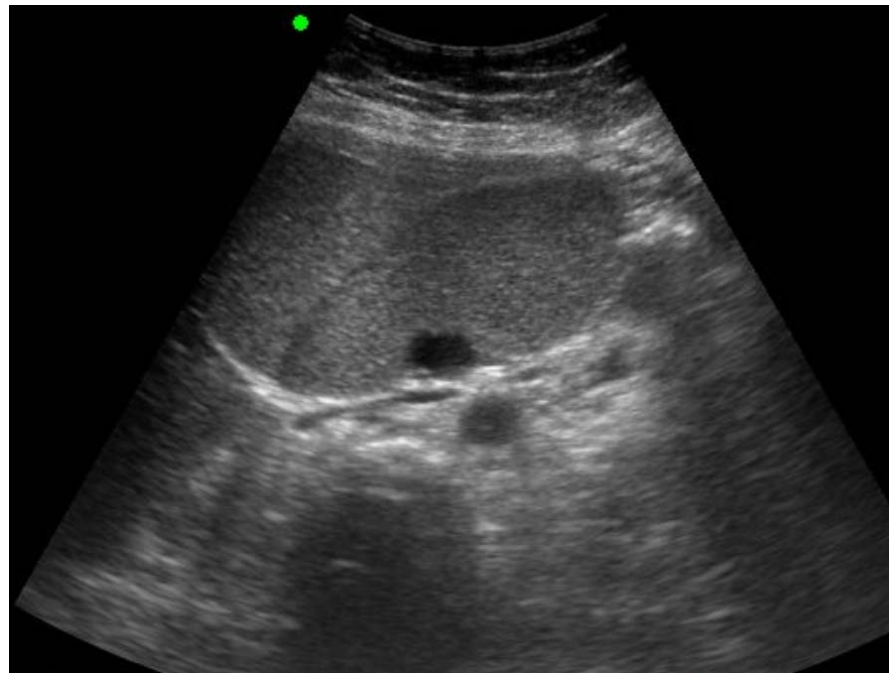
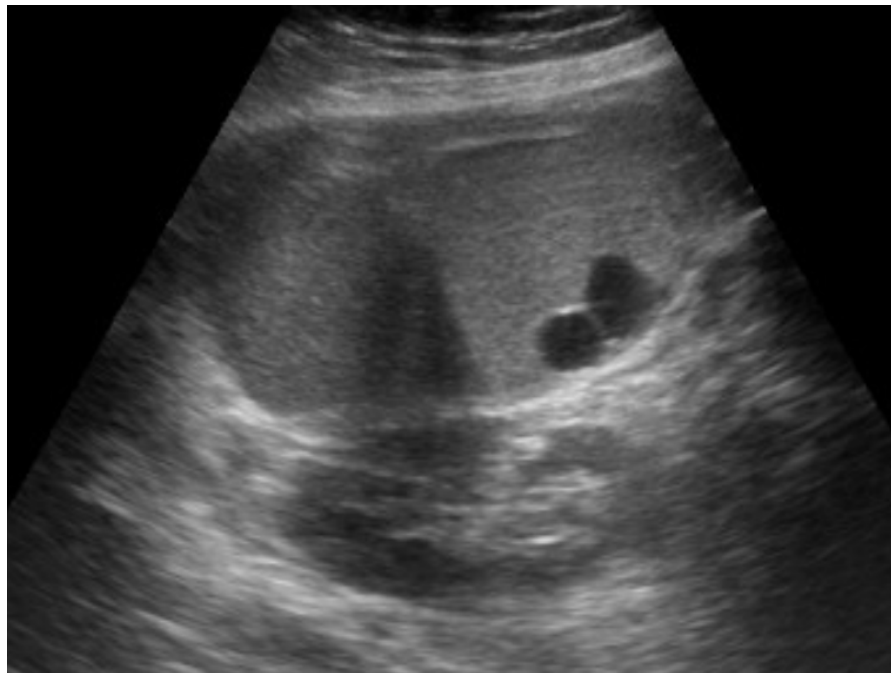
C.C.: No symptoms

Question: Diagnosis?

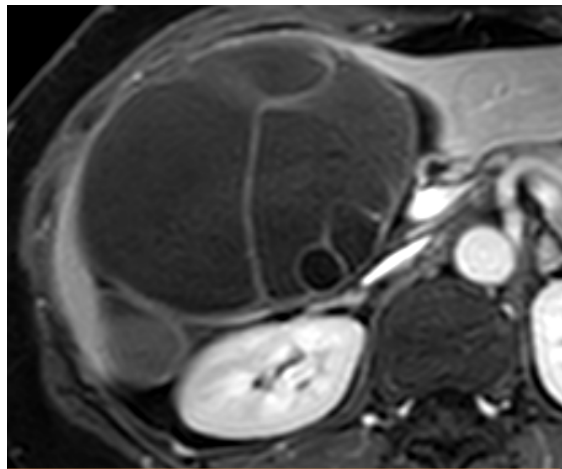
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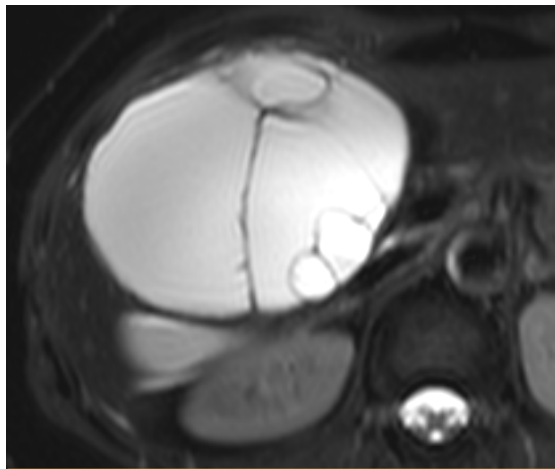
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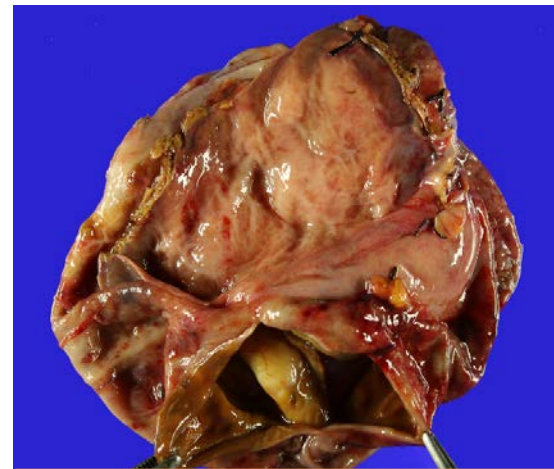
Mucinous cystic neoplasm or biliary cystadenoma



Contrast-enhanced T1-WI



T2-WI with fat saturation



Gross specimen

US findings of hepatic mucinous cystic neoplasm (biliary cystadenoma) in liver

- Appears as a unilocular or multilocular cyst
- The contents may range from completely anechoic to having low-level echoes from blood products, mucin, or proteinaceous fluid
- Mural nodules and papillary projections may project into the cyst lumen
- If septal or wall calcification is present then acoustic shadowing may be seen

Case 3

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PHx.: DM, S/P mass removal of cervical spinal cord

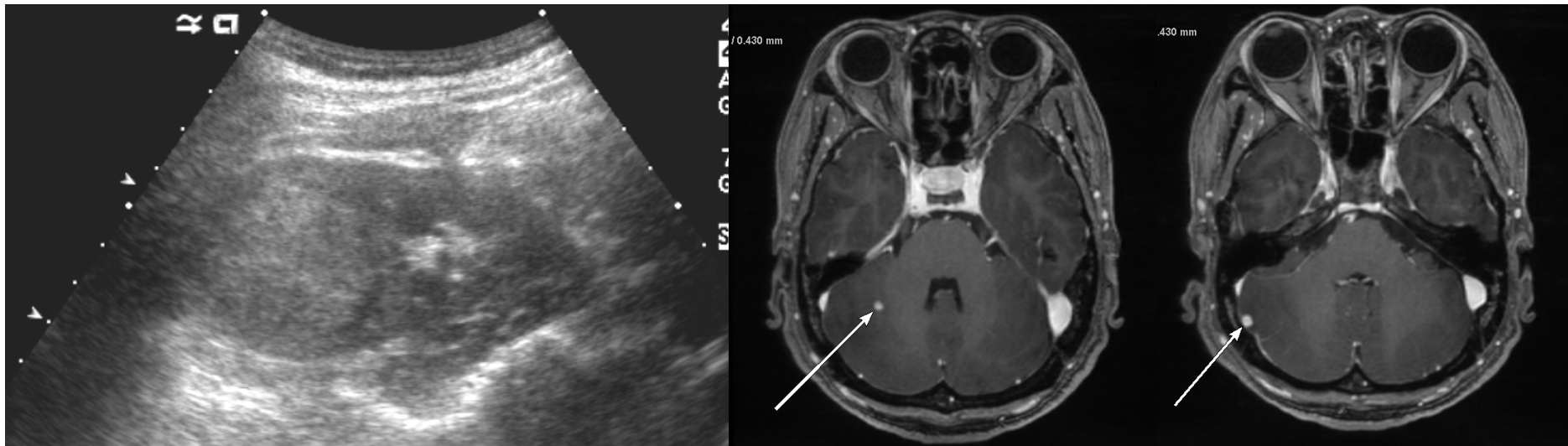
C.C.: Pancreatic mass

Question: Diagnosis of pancreatic lesion?

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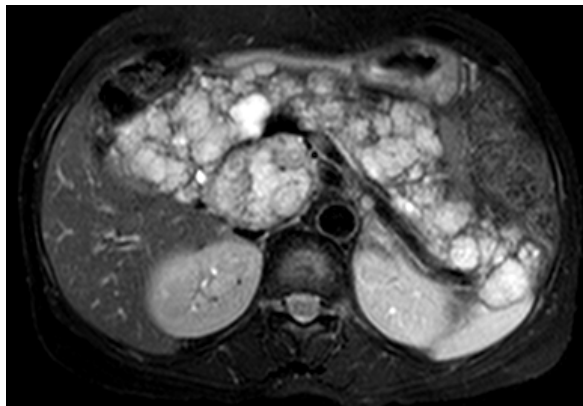


Case 3



Pancreatic neuroendocrine tumor (NET)

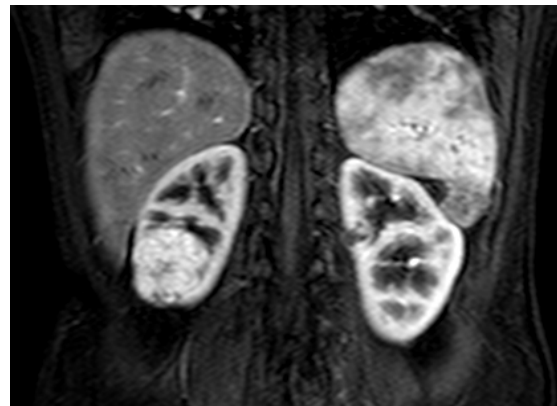
Pancreatic neuroendocrine tumor (grade 2) in von Hippel–Lindau Disease



MR T2 fat suppression



CT arterial phase



MR arterial phase

US findings of von Hippel–Lindau Disease

- Renal and pancreatic cysts: Well-defined and anechoic
- Serous cystadenoma of pancreas
 - Tumor with tiny cysts: Hyperechoic mass but with through transmission
- Pancreatic islet cell tumor (neuroendocrine tumor): Hypoechoic mass
- RCC: Hyperechoic, isoechoic, or hypoechoic
- Pheochromocytoma
 - Iso-/hypoechoic (77%), hyperechoic (23%)

Case 4

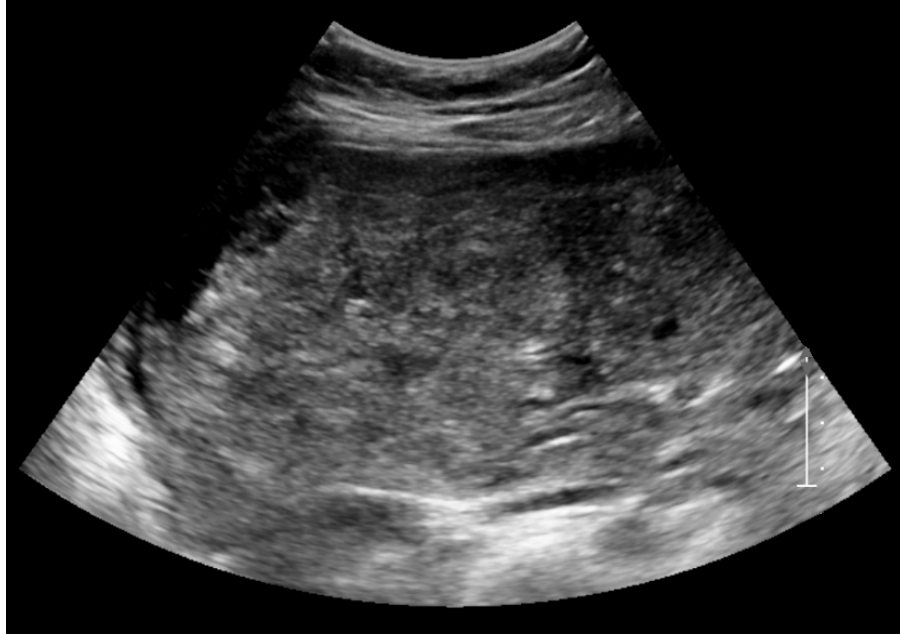
30/F, IUP 18 weeks

C.C.: RUQ abdominal pain

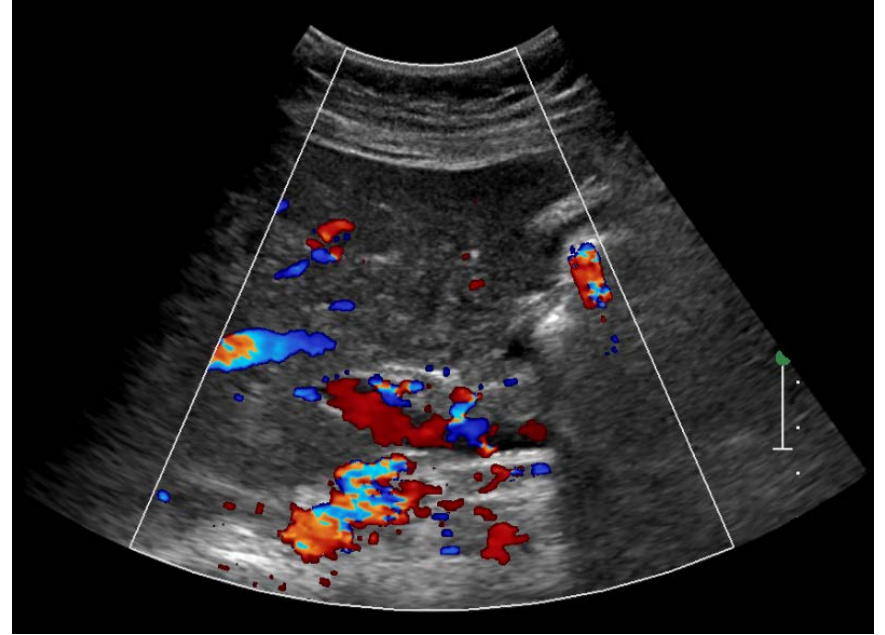
Duration: 5 hours

Question: Diagnosis?

Case 4



Right liver



Portal vein Doppler

Case 4



Right inferior liver



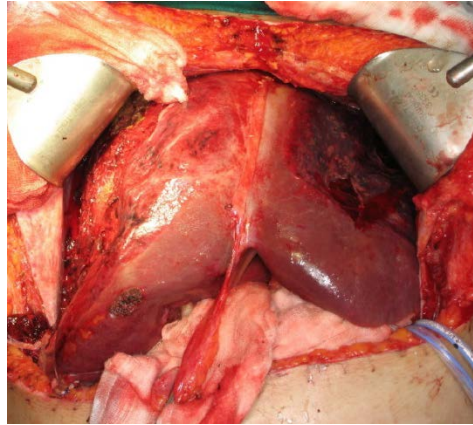
Right Paracolic Gutter

Case 4



Celiac Angiography

HELLP Syndrome



❖ Liver Biopsy

- Mainly hemorrhage and a small piece of liver tissue showing fibrinoid necrosis
- Recent hemorrhage in subcapsular spaces, portal tract and sinusoidal spaces

There is no consensus regarding the laboratory criteria diagnostic of HELLP syndrome. A common alternative (Mississippi classification) used to define HELLP syndrome is [20,21]:

- Hemolysis documented by an increased LDH level and progressive anemia
- Hepatic dysfunction documented by an LDH level >600 IU/L, elevated liver enzymes documented by AST >40 IU/L, ALT >40 IU/L, or both
- Thrombocytopenia documented by a platelet nadir less than $150,000$ cells/mm³. Thrombocytopenia is subclassified as class one HELLP syndrome: platelet nadir $\leq 50,000$ cells/mm³, class two HELLP syndrome: platelet nadir $\leq 100,000$ cells/mm³, or class three HELLP syndrome: platelet nadir $\leq 150,000$ cells/mm³.

IUP	18+2 wks	Hemolysis
AST	529 → 3179	Elevated Liver
ALT	709 → 1881	Enzyme
Hb	9.0 → 5.9	Low PLT
LDH	908	HELLP syndrome
PLT	40,000	
Proteinuria	3+	

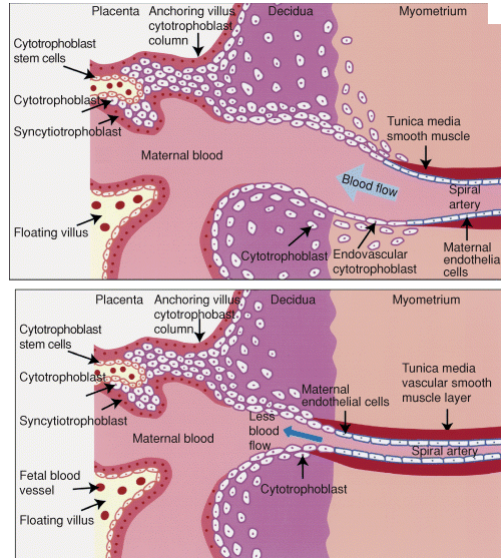
HELLP syndrome: a rare, early presentation at 17 weeks of gestation.

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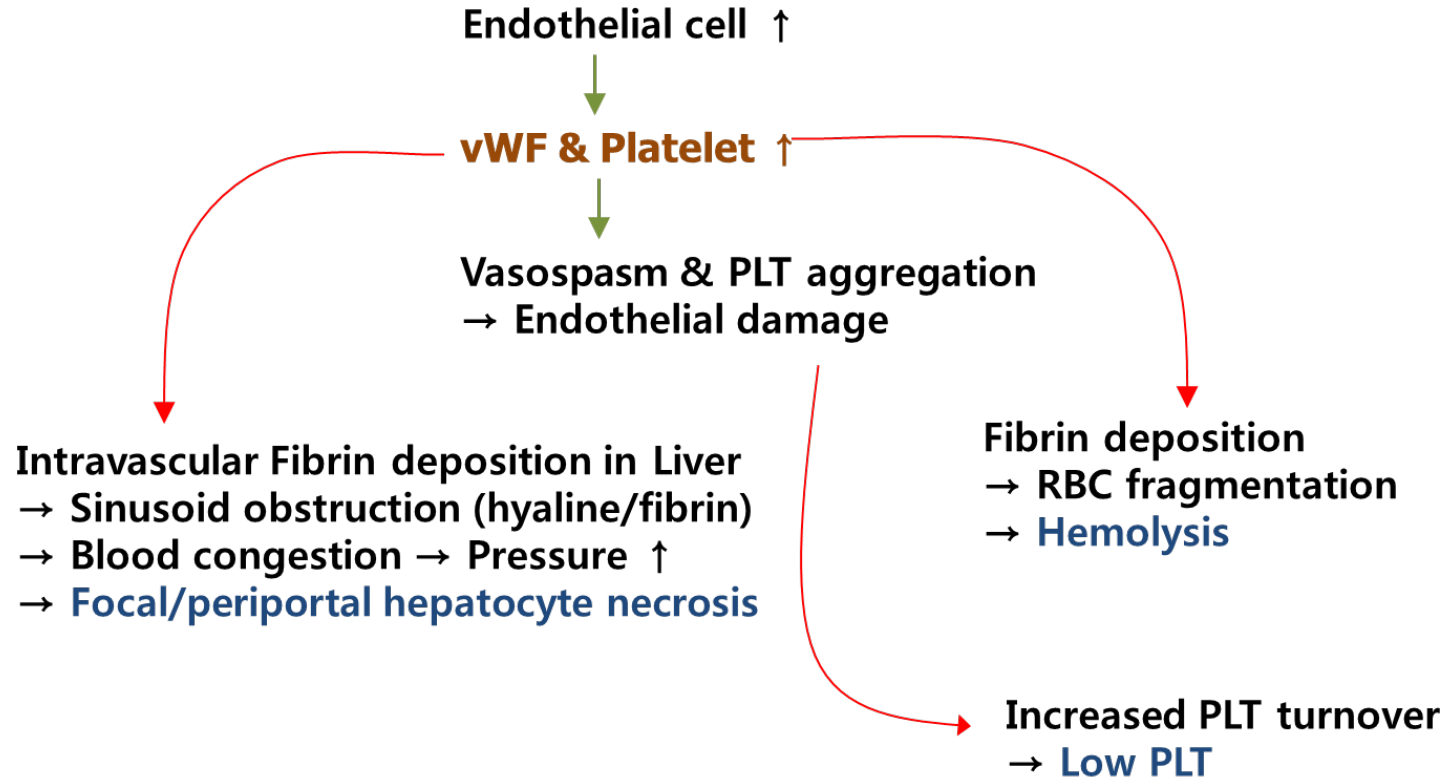
❖ **Variant of Preeclampsia**

❖ **Rejection of Fetus in Late Trimester**



- **Remodeling ↓ of maternal vascularization**
- **Placenta ischemia**
- **Pregnancy, early**

- **Acute rejection of Fetal Allograft**
- **Pregnancy, late**



*J Obstet Gynecol 2013,331-337
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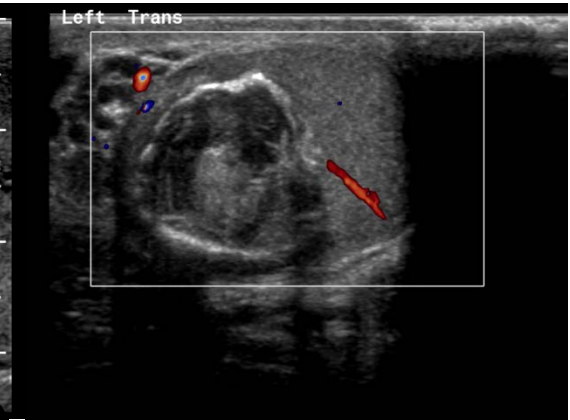
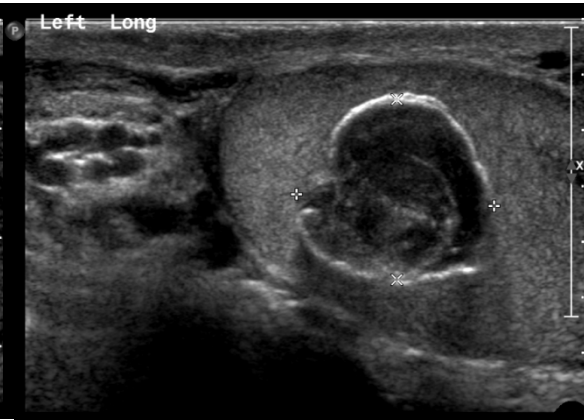
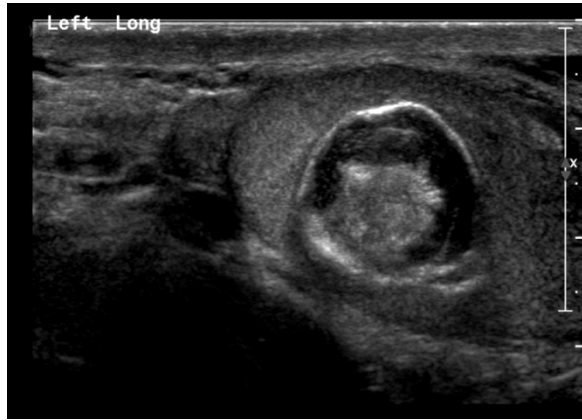
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C.C.: Scrotal mass

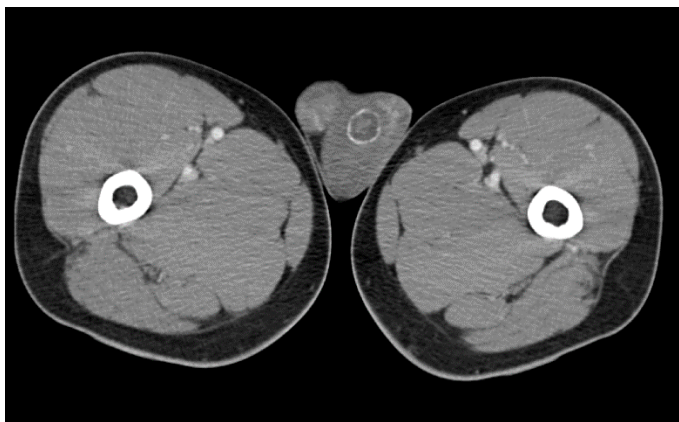
Question: Diagnosis?

Case 5



Onion-ring appearance

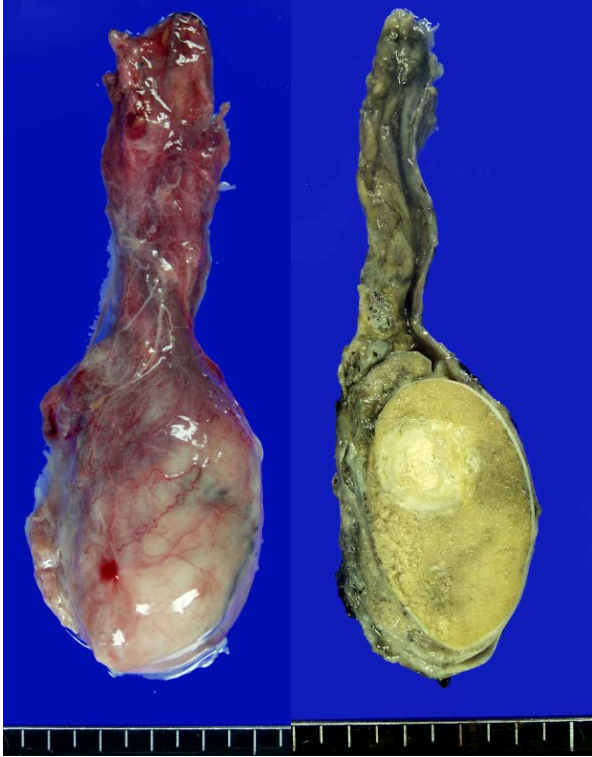
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No enlarged paraaortic LN

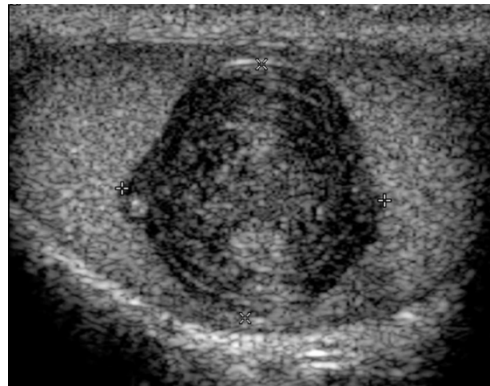


Epidermoid Cyst



A cyst (1.8x1.6cm) containing friable, yellow-white keratinous materials.

- ❖ A rare benign intratesticular tumor
: Controversial histologic origin (germ cell origin ??)
- ❖ US finding
 - A well-circumscribed intra-testicular lesion
 - **Bull's-eye or Target appearance** : hypo-echogenic ring surrounding an echogenic center (keratin debris)
 - Or **Onion-ring appearance** : hypo- and hyper-echogenic rings (squamous cell-lined capsule) *Radiographics 2004, S243-246*



Take home message

- ❖ **Unique Onion-ring appearance**
→ Benign Testicular Epidermoid cyst

Case 6

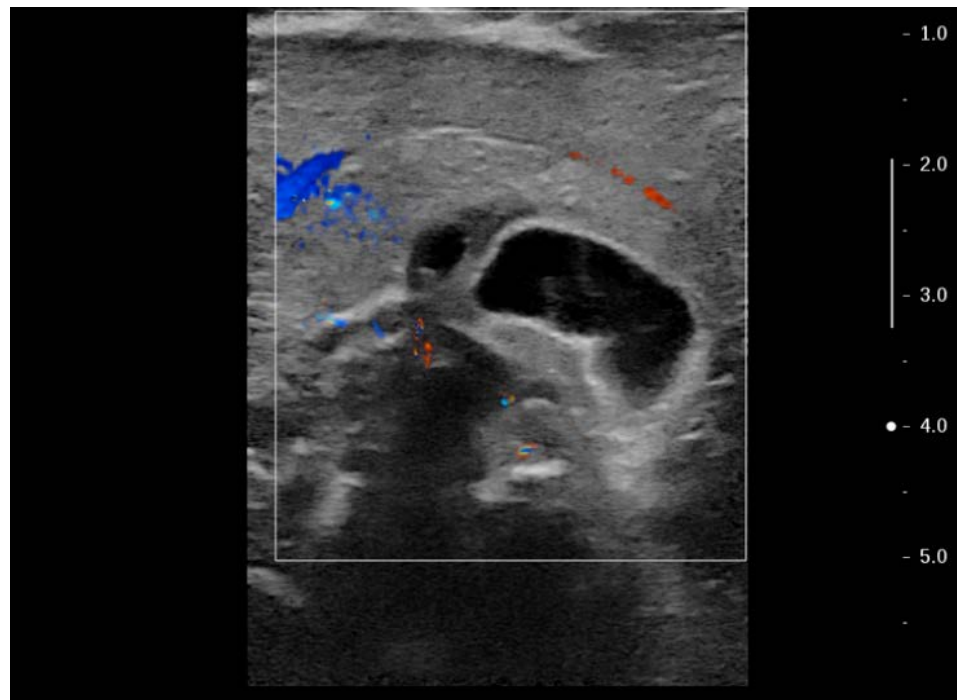
New born male

C.C. Prenatally detected lesion

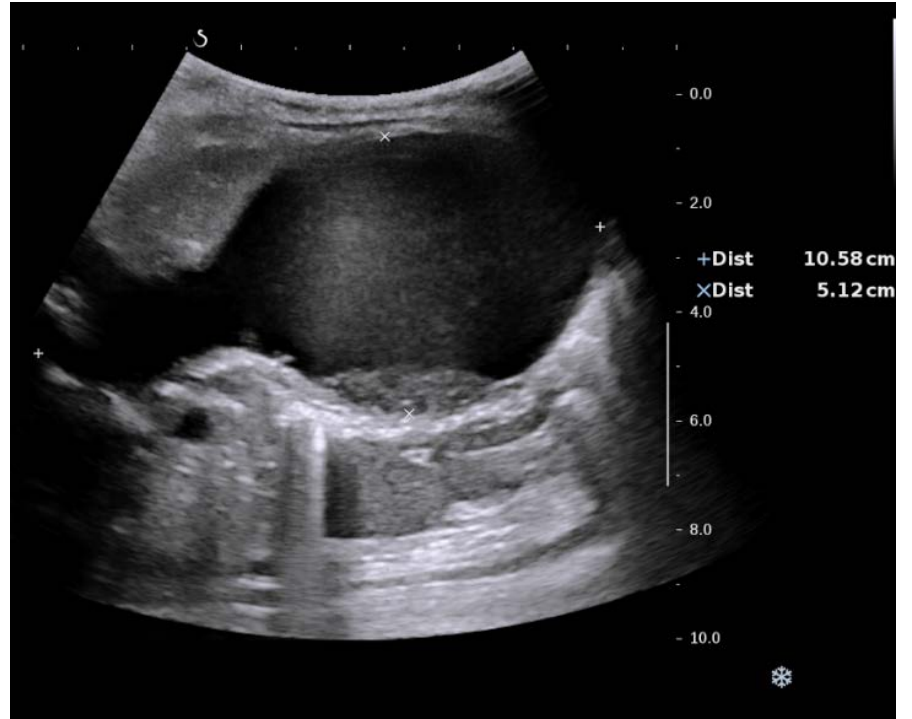
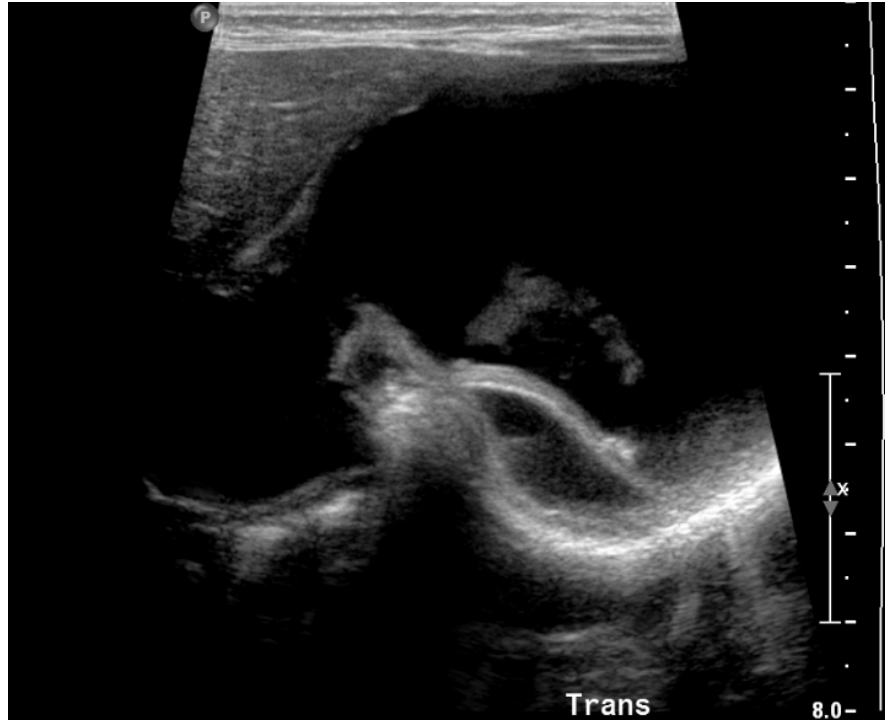
History: IUP 38 weeks, 2910 g, C-sec delivery

Question: Diagnosis?

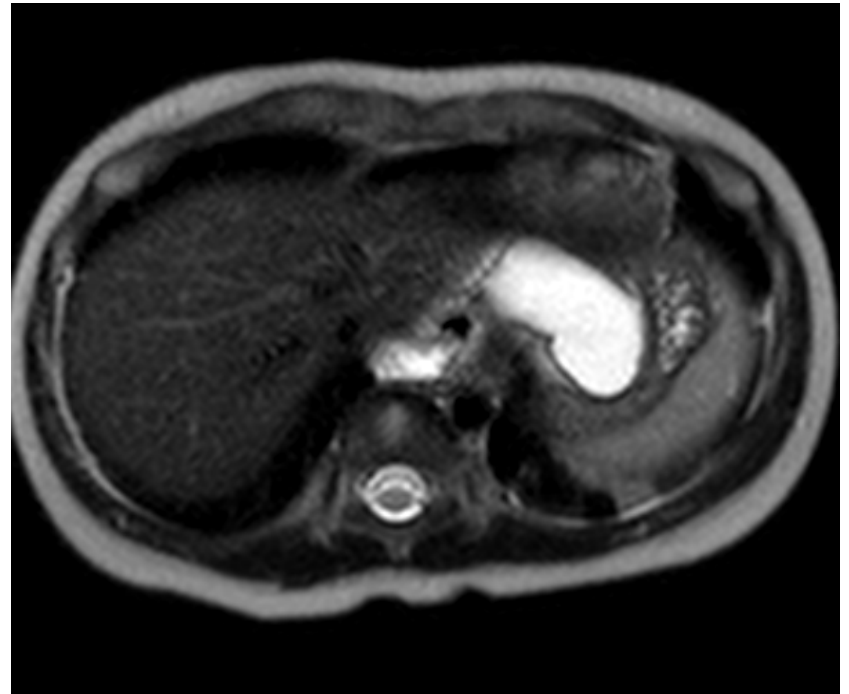
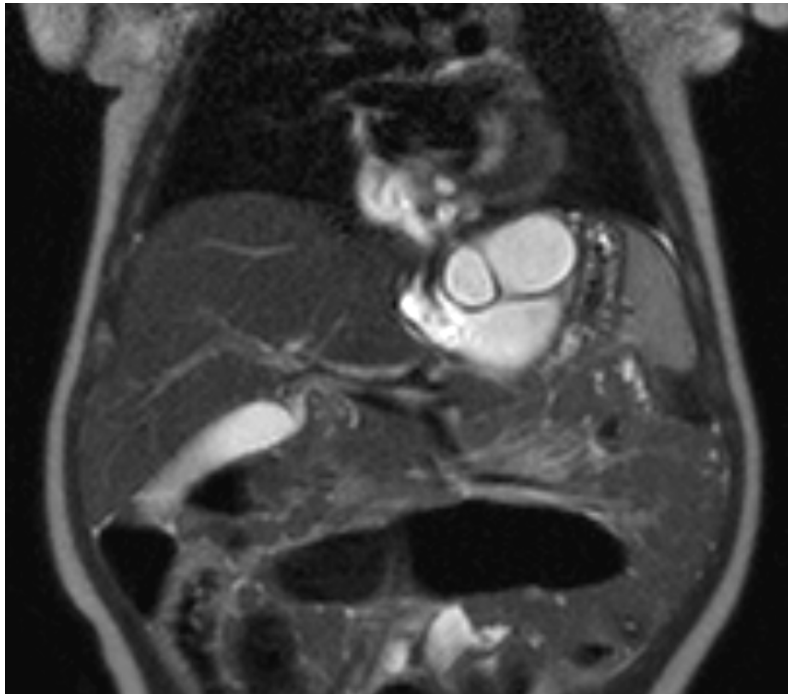
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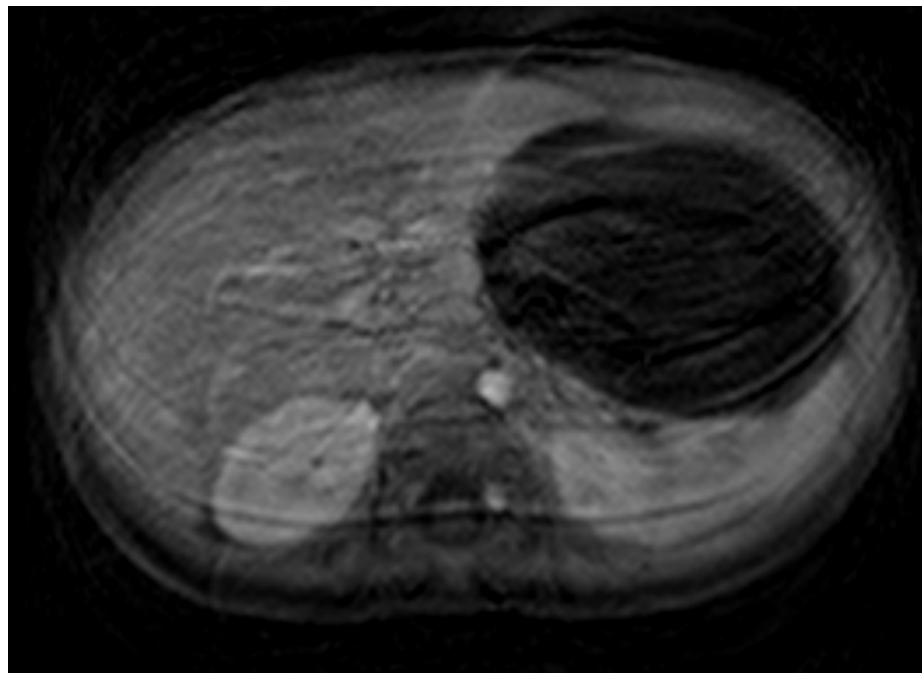
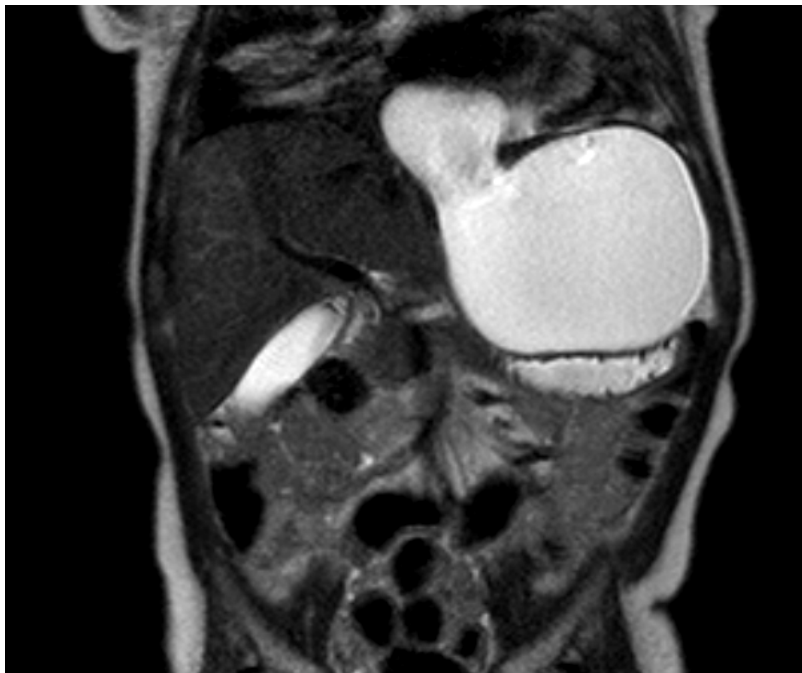


Case 6



3 mo

Case 6



5 mo

Mature cystic teratoma

- **Teratoma**: the most common histologic subtype of childhood germ cell tumors
- Extragonadal germ cell tumors: arising from aberrant migration or deposition of germ cells along the path of migration
 - Concurrent mediastinal and abdominal mature teratoma across diaphragmatic defect is rare
 - Isolated posterior or middle mediastinal location is uncommon (2-8%), 13-15% have extension to other compartments
- **Imaging feature**
 - Well-demarcated heterogeneous mass containing a variable admixture of fat, fluid, soft tissue, and calcification, displacing rather than invading adjacent structures
 - Usually cystic: 90%
 - May be uni- or multiloculated
 - septal/rim contrast enhancement

RadioGraphics 2002; 22:S79-S93
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J Thorac Imaging 2003 Jan;18(1):53-5

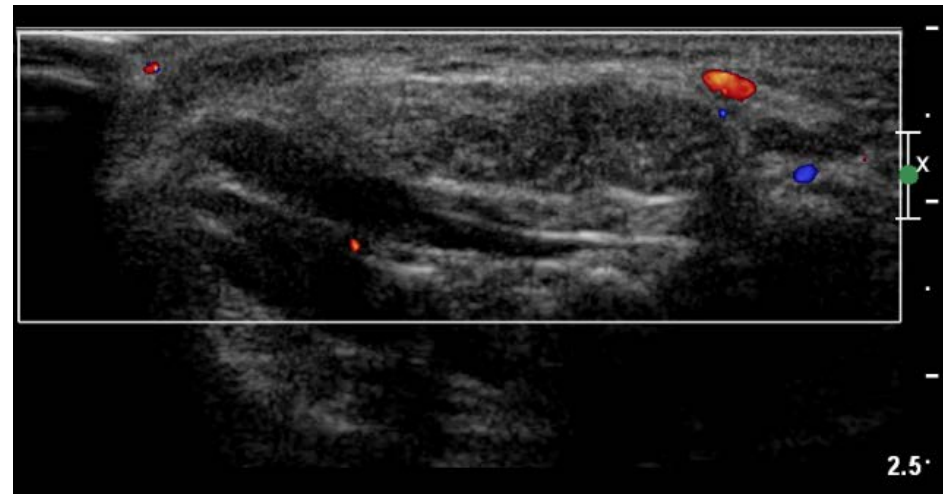
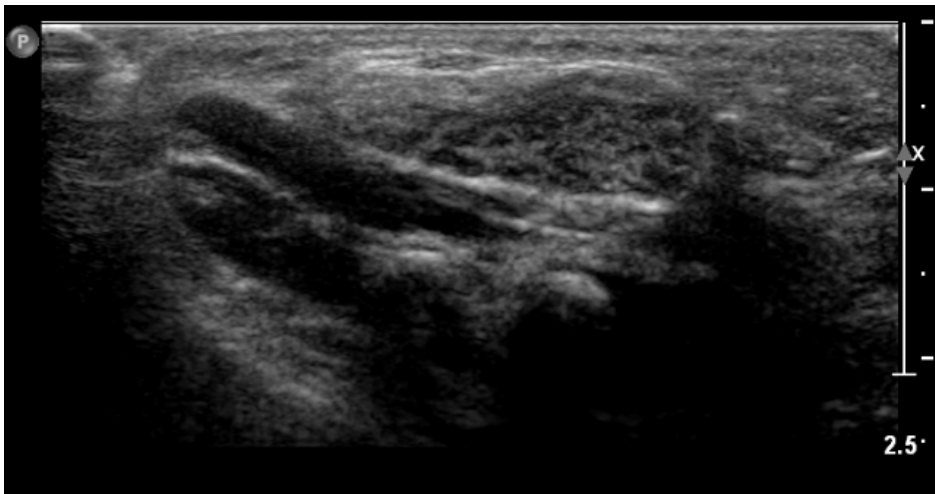
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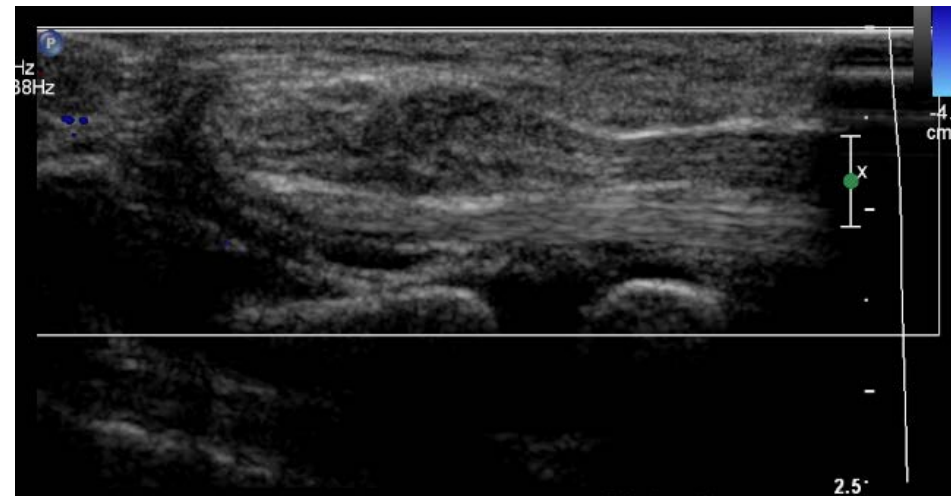
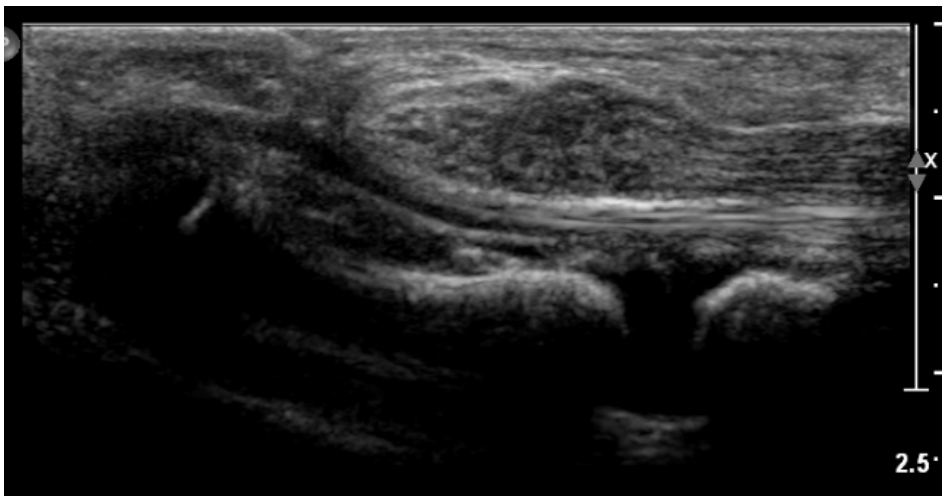
C.C.: Palpable lesion in the right palm

Question: Diagnosis?

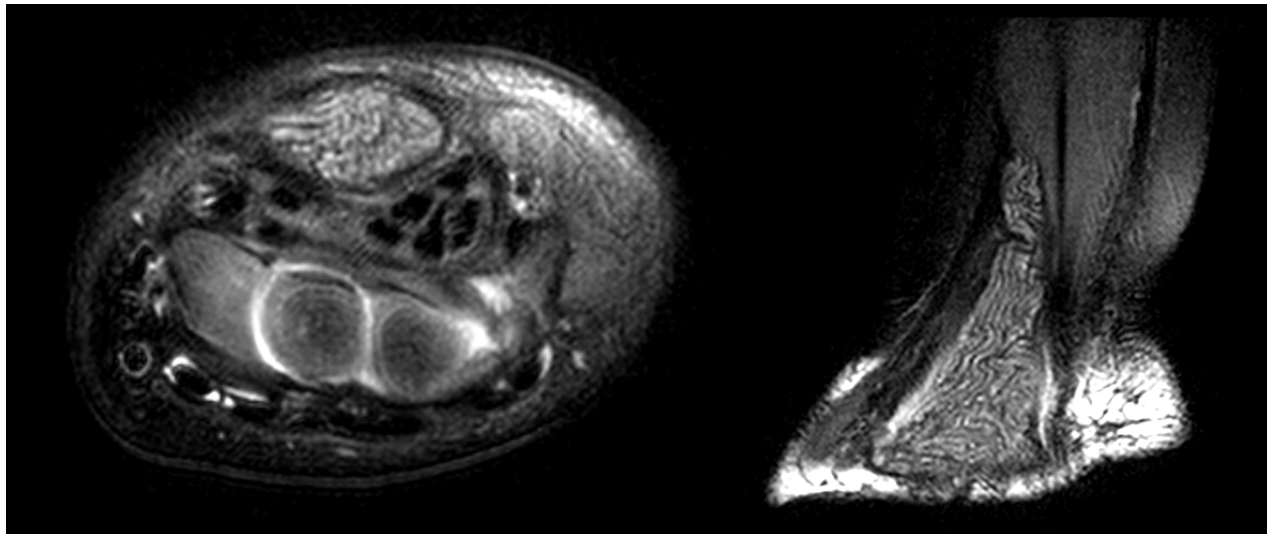
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Fibrolipomatous hamartoma

- Fibrolipomatous hamartomas
 - Usually affect infants and less commonly children and young adults.
 - Also known as neural fibrolipoma, lipofibromatous hamartoma, perineural lipoma and intraneural lipoma
- Median nerve is overwhelmingly the most commonly affected nerve (80% of cases)
 - Followed by ulnar, radial nerves, dorsum of the foot and brachial plexus
- Presentation.
 - Soft slowly enlarging often, asymptomatic mass on the volar wrist or forearm.
 - Occasionally nerve compression will lead to symptoms of pain, paresthesia or carpal tunnel syndrome
 - Association with macrodystrophia lipomatosa(20-66% of cases) [Radiol Case Rep.](#) 2008; 3(3): 195.

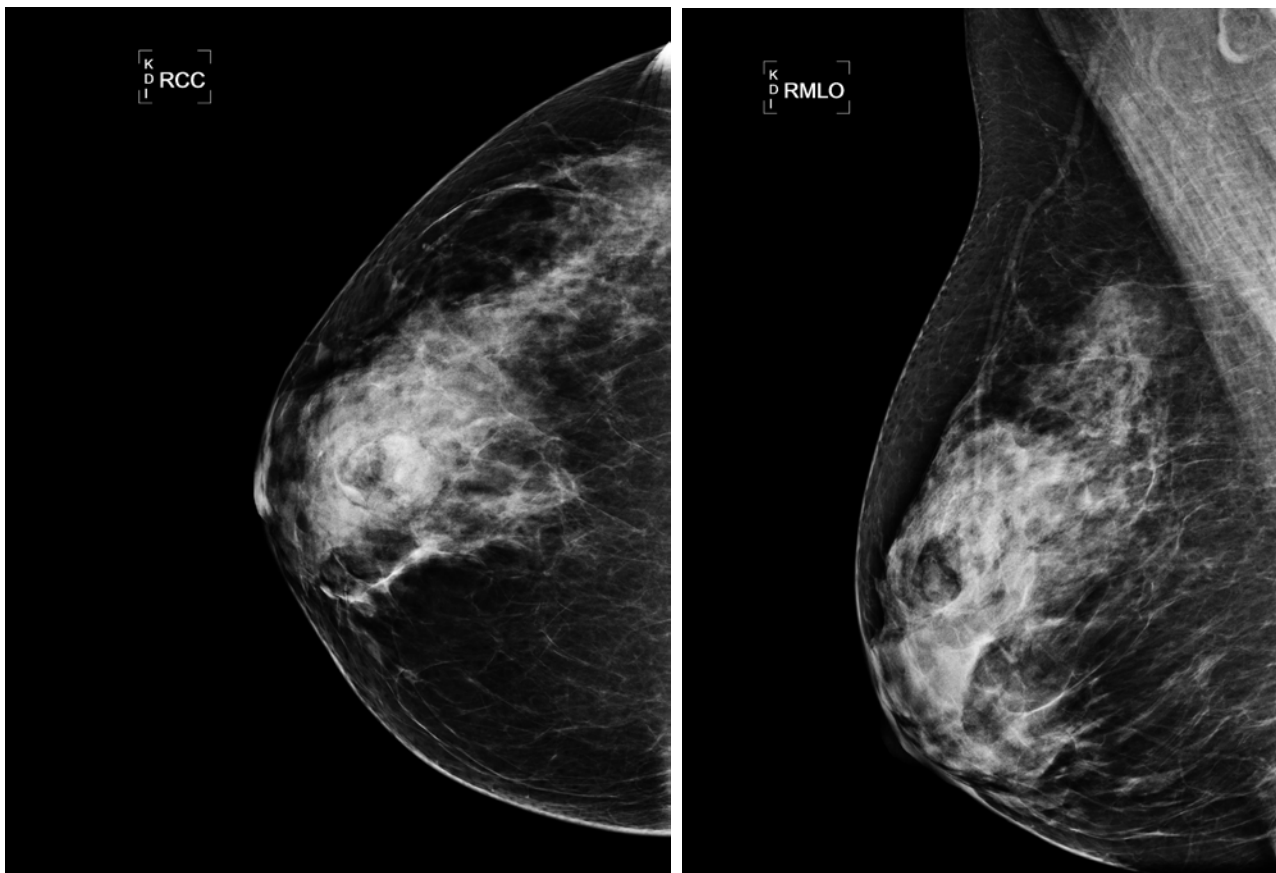
Case 8

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C.C.: Palpable mass in the right breast

Question: Diagnosis?

Case 8



Case 8



Hamartoma

- Benign proliferation of fibrous, glandular, and fatty tissue
- All components are found in normal breast tissue
- Presents as a painless soft lump
- Typically occur in women older than 35 years of age
- Mammography : typically seen as a well-circumscribed, round to oval inhomogeneous mass surrounded by thin capsule –" breast within a breast" appearance
- Ultrasound : seen as a well-circumscribed, solid lesion

Case 9

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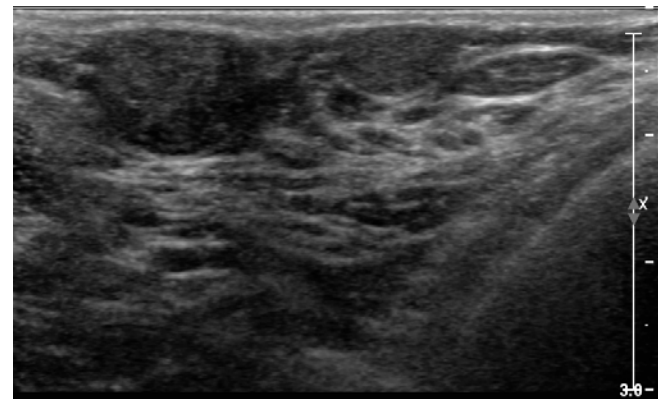
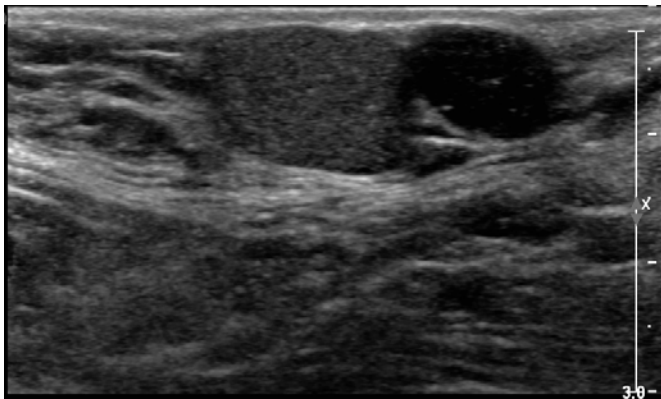
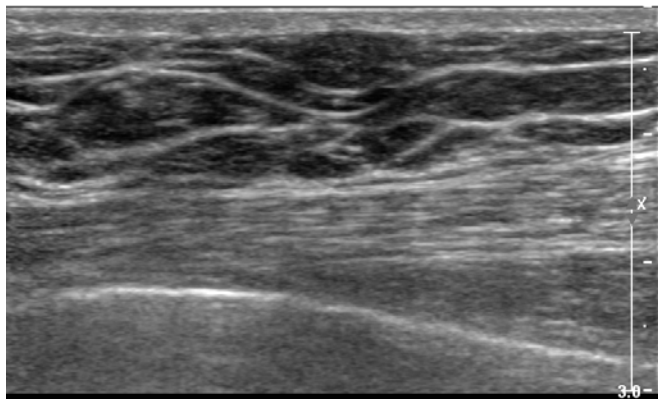
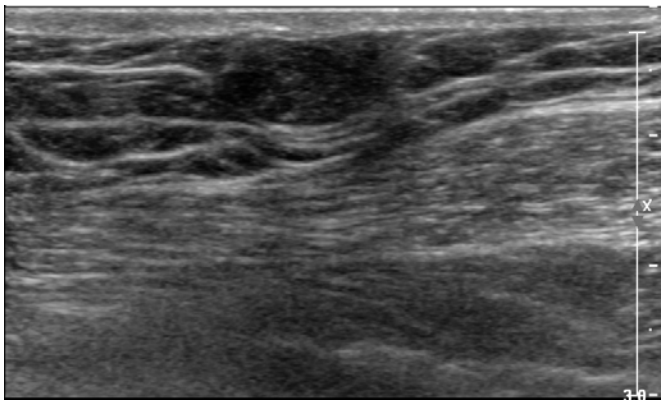
C.C.: Multiple palpable skin nodules in both breast and axilla

Question: Diagnosis?

Case 9



Case 9



Steatocystoma Multiplex

- Sporadic or autosomal dominant benign sebaceous gland tumor
- In the familial form, mutations are localized to the keratin 17 (K17) gene
- Consist of a nevoid formation of abortive hair follicle at the site where sebaceous glands attach
- Cysts manifest during adolescence and early adulthood

Case 10

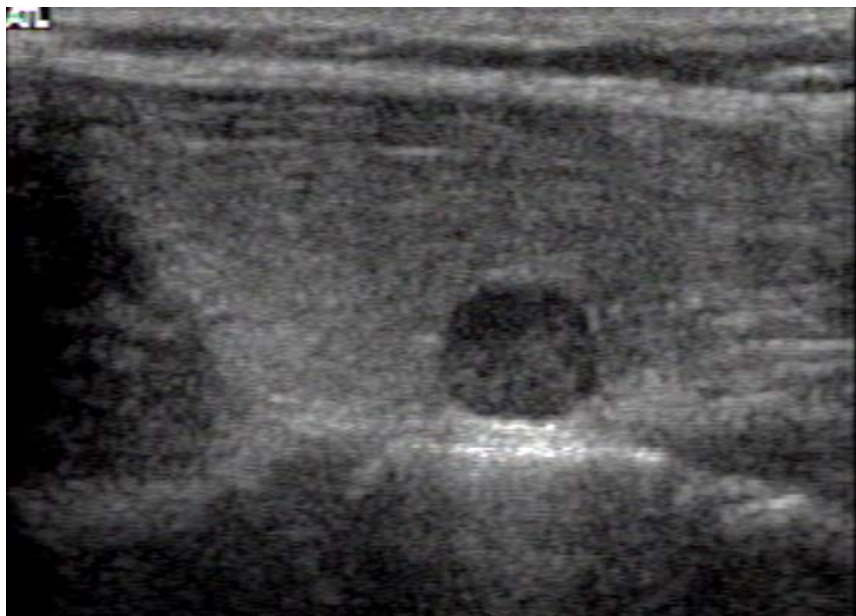
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C.C.: Recently increased size of thyroid nodule

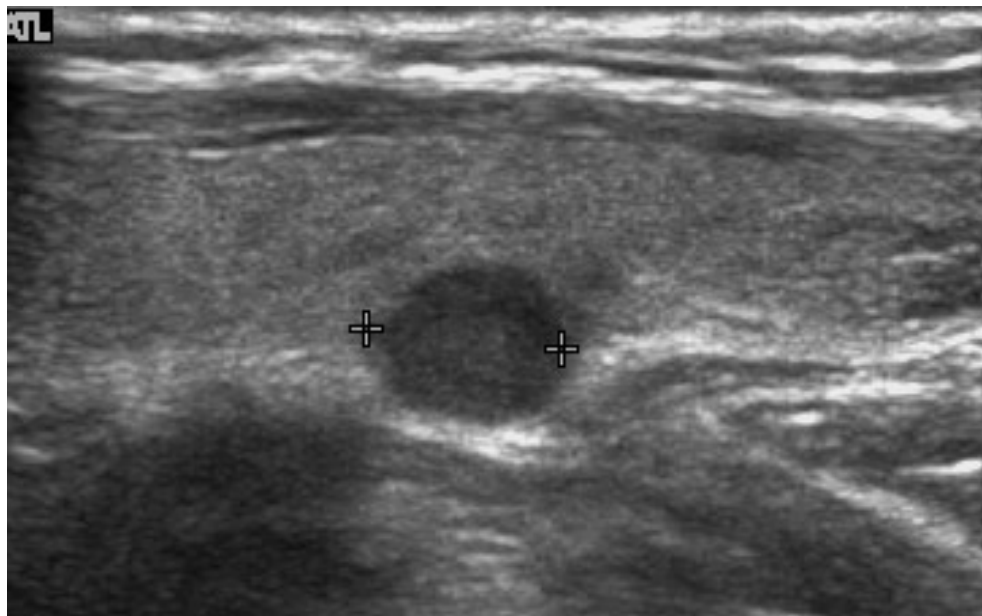
PHx.: Thyroid nodule followed up for 12 years since first diagnosed as category II (benign)

Question: Diagnosis?

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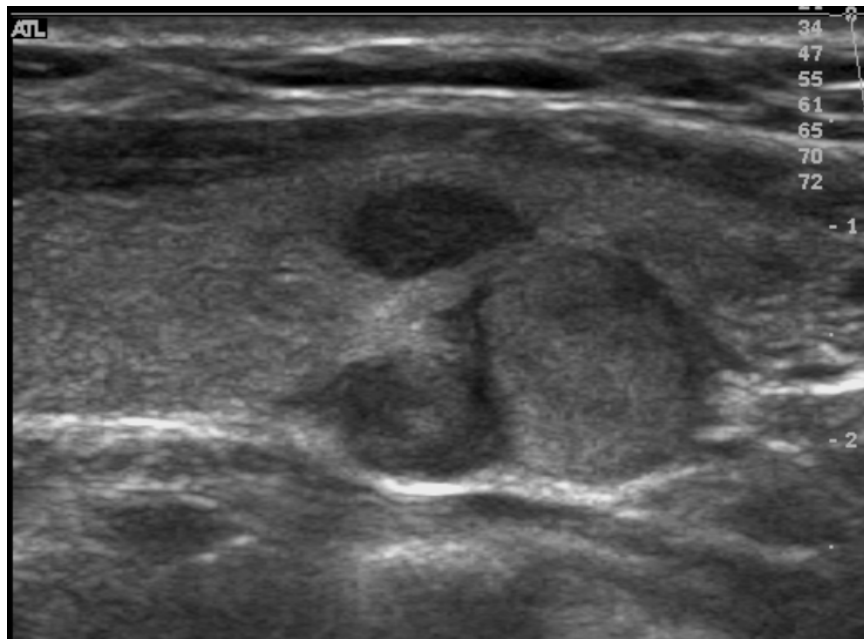


A. 2005 0.7 cm

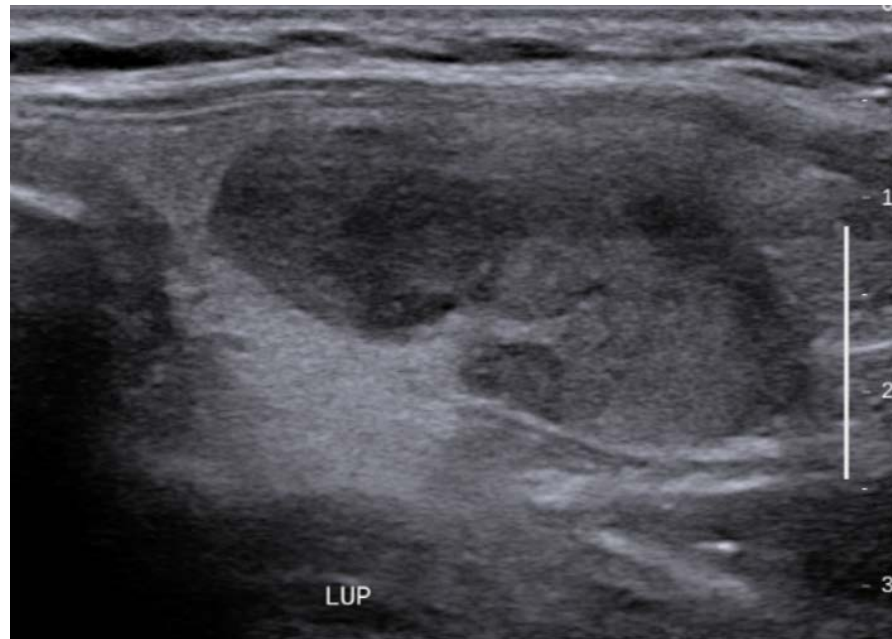


B. 2007 0.8 cm

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C. 2011 1.6 cm

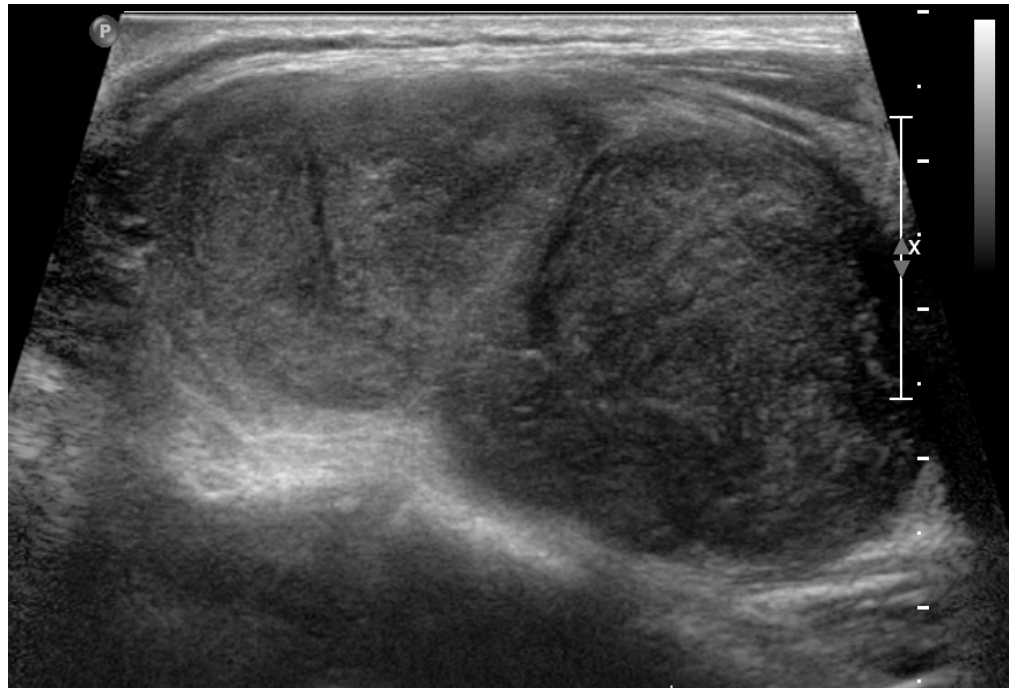


D. 2012 3.2 cm

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E. 2014 Transverse



F. 2014 longitudinal 5.6 cm

Anaplastic thyroid carcinoma

- 1-3% of thyroid cancer
- 14-50% of annual mortality of thyroid cancer
- The most aggressive form of thyroid cancer with median survival of 3-5 months.
- systemic metastasis in 46-68% of the cases at the time of diagnosis
- US finding: large solid and ill defined, hypoechoic mass with necrosis, nodular calcification and cervical lymph node metastasis.
- Diagnostic yield at the initial FNAC is around 50%.
- Considered to be the result of progressive mutation accumulation

Reference) Seminars in diagnostic pathology 2013;30:178

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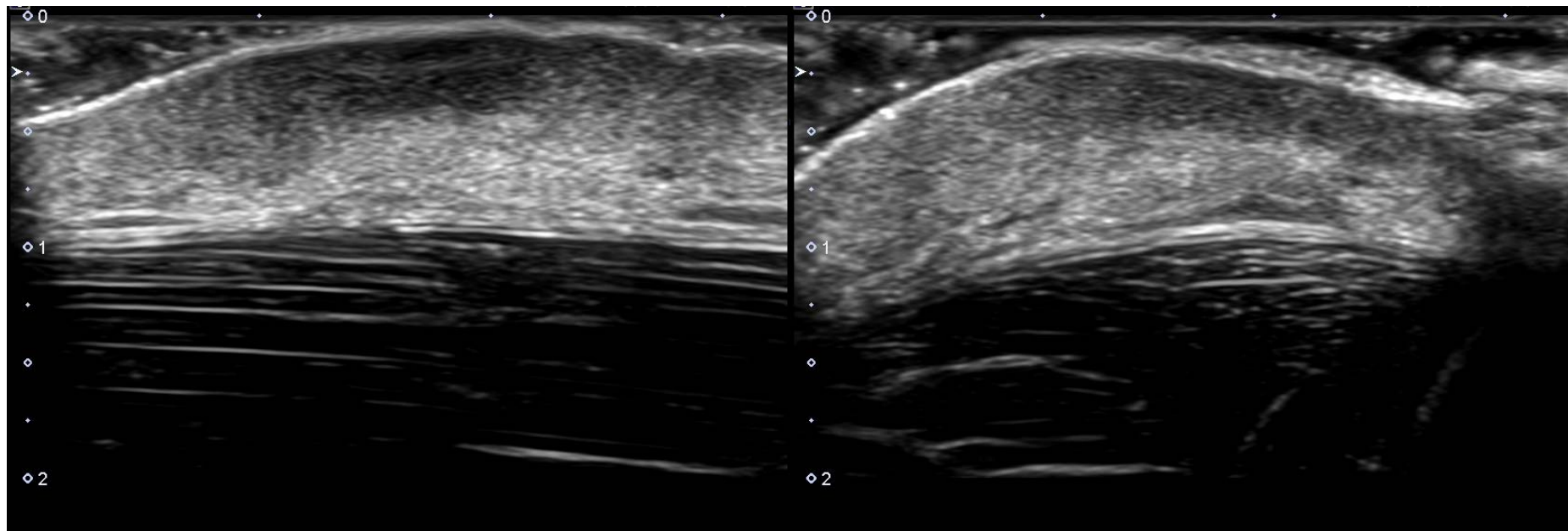
Case 11

M/53

C.C.: Palpable mass on hand, foot and lower leg
Duration: 1 year

Question: Diagnosis?

Case 11



Longitudinal view

Transverse view

Pretibial soft tissue

Case 11



T2



T2FS



T1CE

Right hand

Case 11



Thyroid acropachy

- Thyroid acropachy is a manifestation of autoimmune thyroid disease
 - Digital clubbing or swelling of digits and toes
 - Periosteal reaction of extremity bones
- Almost always associated with thyroid ophthalmopathy and dermopathy
- **Imaging Findings**
 - Prominent smooth flowing periosteal reaction affecting the hands & feet
 - Usually bilateral and symmetrical involving tubular bones of hands & feet
 - May also be evidence of soft tissue swelling
- **DDx:** Diffuse symmetric periostitis
 - 1) Hypervitaminosis A
 - 2) Pachydermoperiostosis
 - 3) Hypertrophic pulmonary osteoarthropathy
 - 4) Chronic venous insufficiency

Case 12

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C.C.: Right foot pain

Duration: 2 years

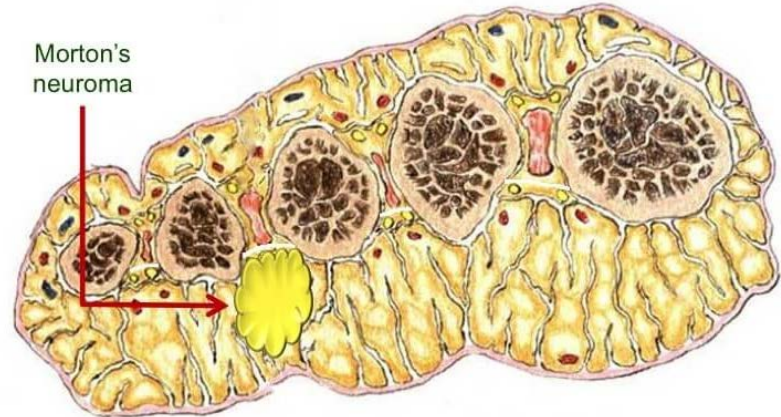
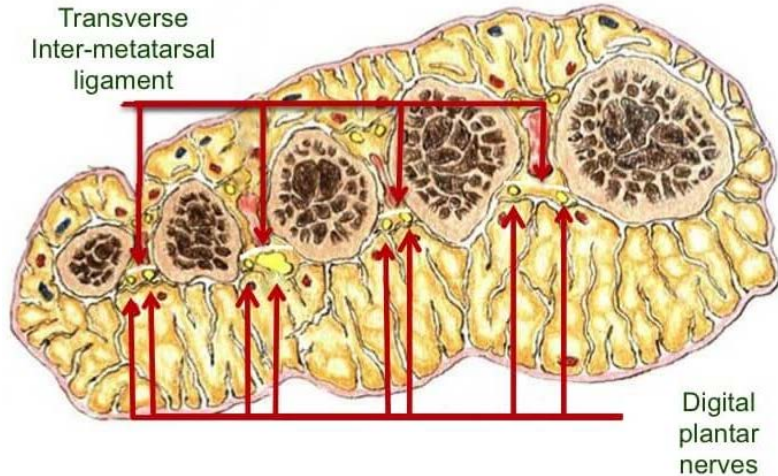
Question: Diagnosis?



US at the plantar aspect of foot while squeezing forefoot

Morton's neuroma

- Non-neoplastic enlargement with varied degrees of perineural fibrosis, local vascular proliferation, edema of the endoneurium, and axonal degeneration
- 3rd intermetatarsal space is most frequently involved.



- Imaging Findings

- Round to ovoid
- US : well-defined hypoechoic lesion
- MRI : typically T1 & T2 low
- Tend to show intense enhancement

- Sonographic Mulder sign

- Lateral compression of the metatarsal heads
- Produces a palpable click
- Displacement of an intermetatarsal mass

Torriani, Martin, and Susan V. Kattapuram. "Dynamic sonography of the forefoot: the sonographic Mulder sign." *American Journal of Roentgenology* 180.4 (2003): 1121-1123.

