

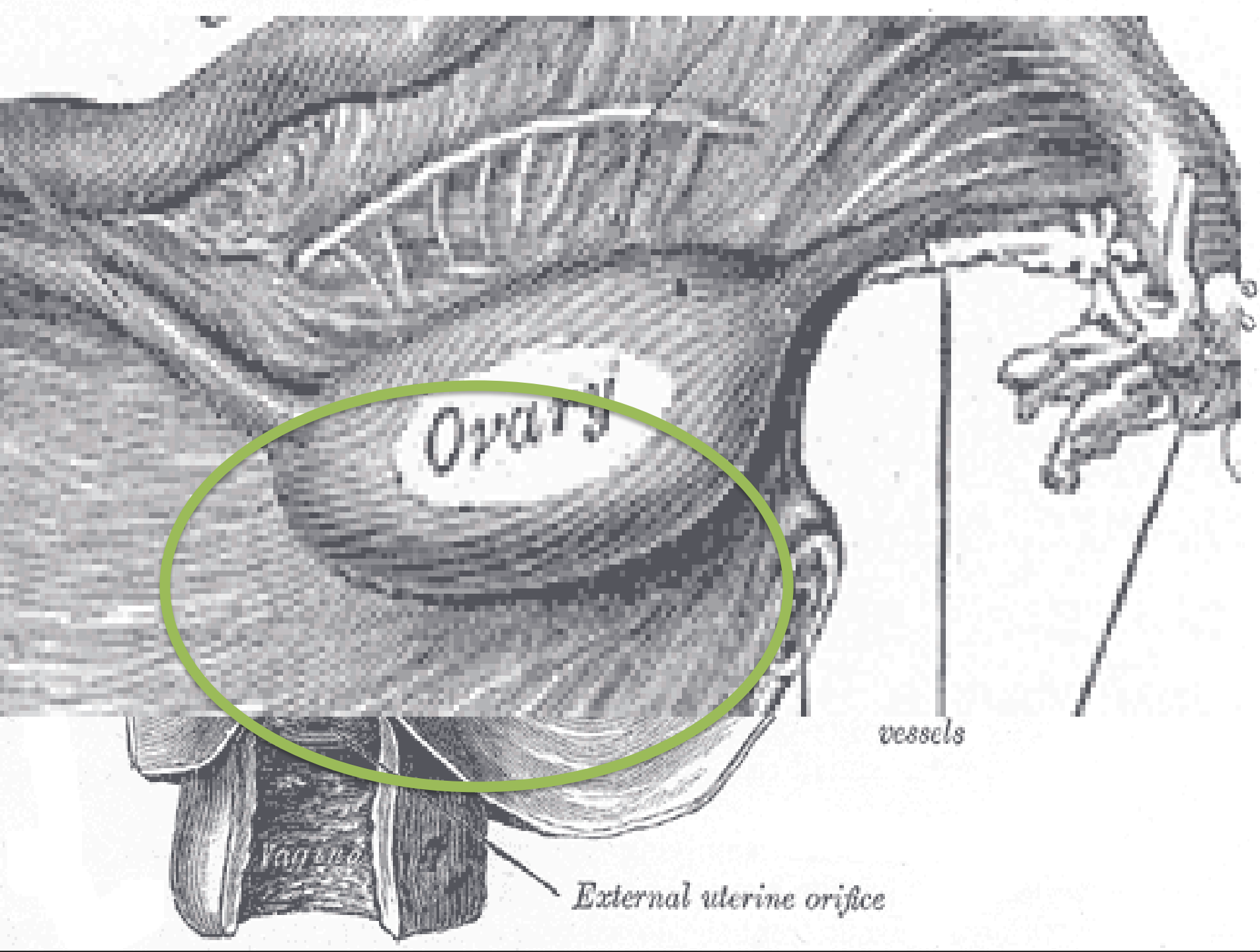
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# Approach to Complex Cystic/Solid Ovarian Masses

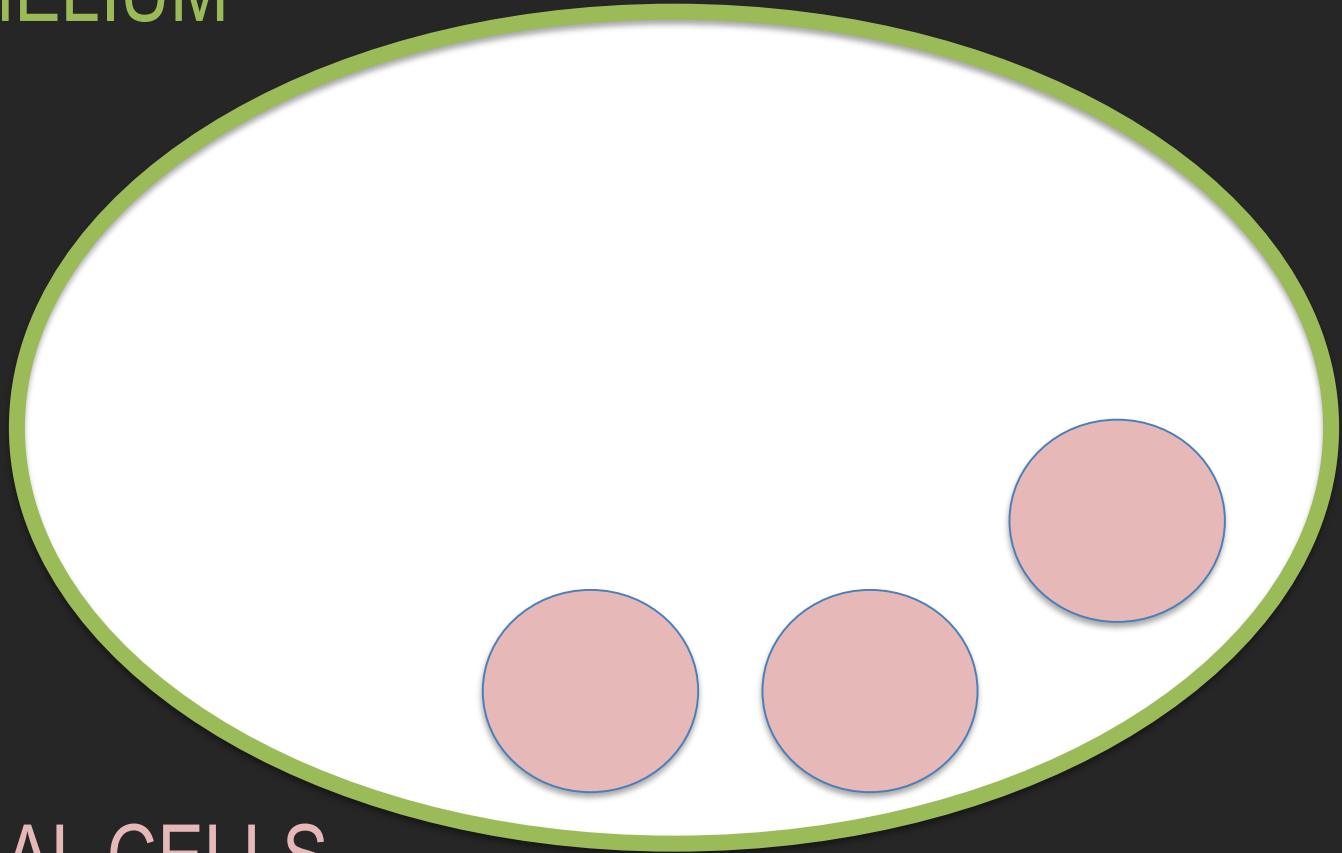
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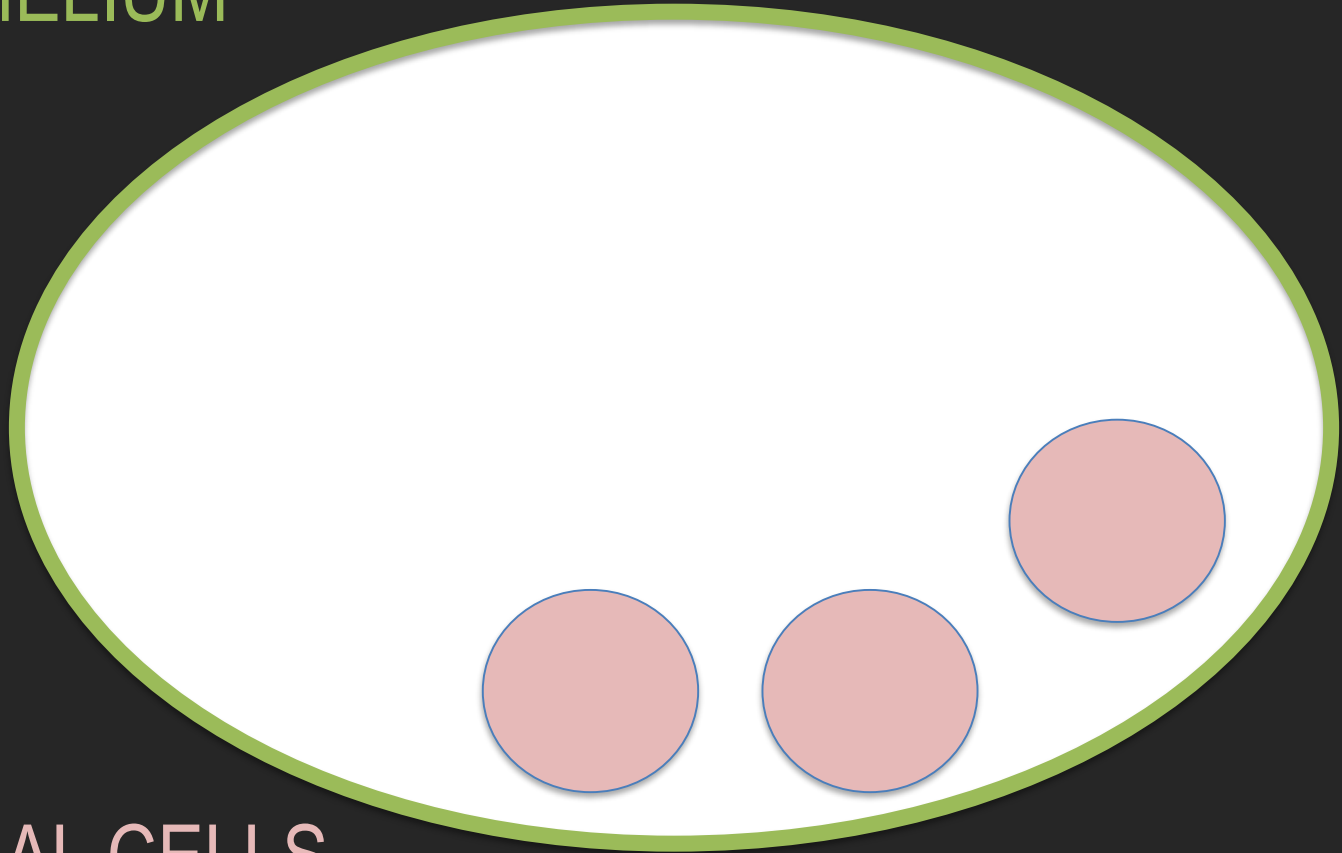


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Serous and Mucinous  
Cystadenoma  
Brenner Cell  
Endometriosis\*

Fibroma  
Thecoma  
Sclerosing Stromal  
Tumor  
Leydig-Sertoli  
Granulosa

**BENIGN**



Mature teratoma  
Struma ovarii



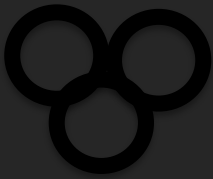
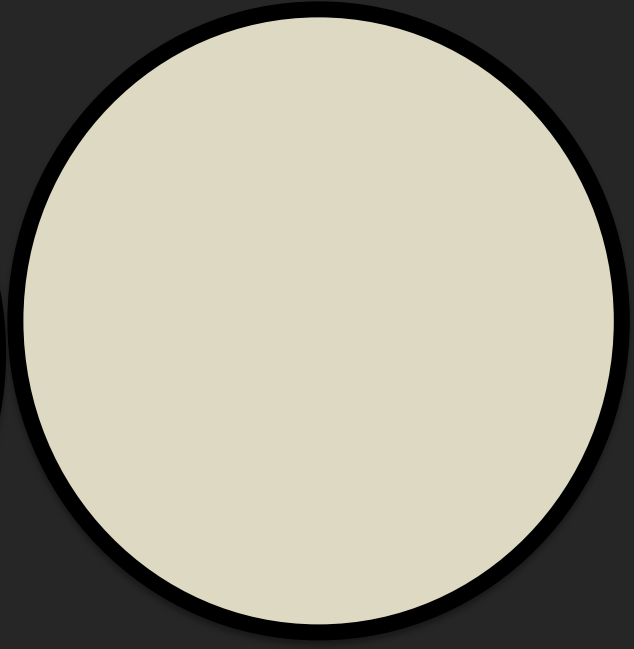
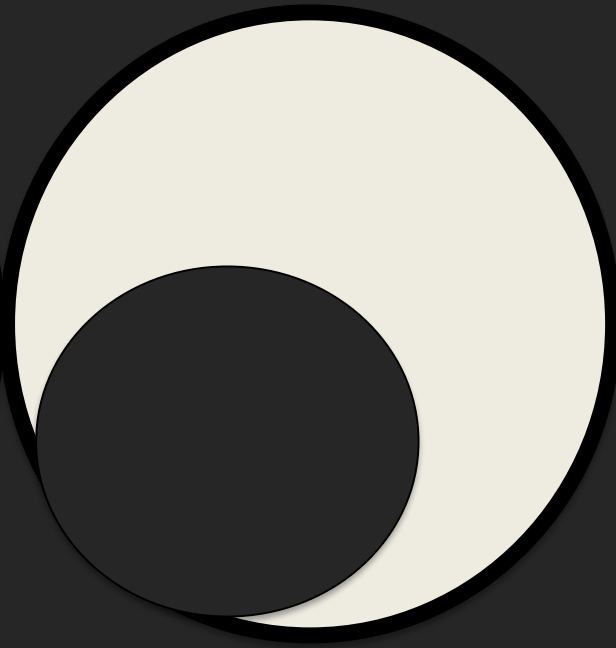
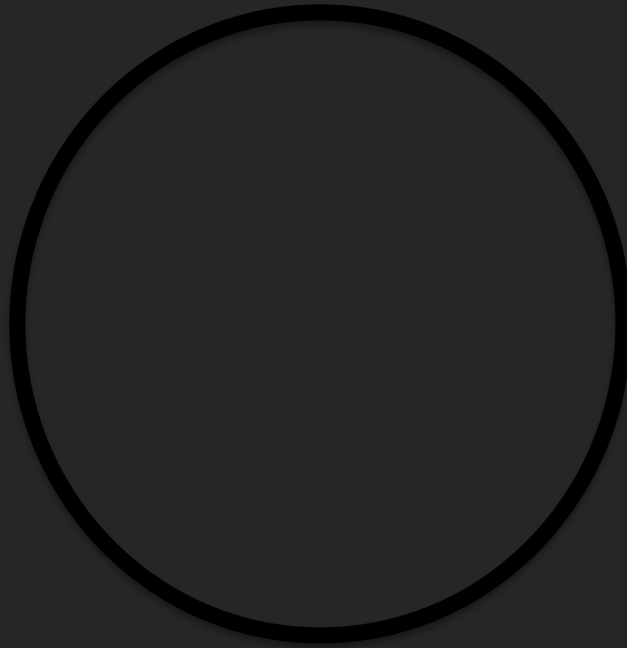
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Clear Cell Carcinoma

Granulosa Tumor

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Dysgerminoma  
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Endodermal Sinus (Yolk  
Sac) tumor  
Choriocarcinoma  
Embryonal Carcinoma





Follicular cyst  
Serous  
Cystadenoma

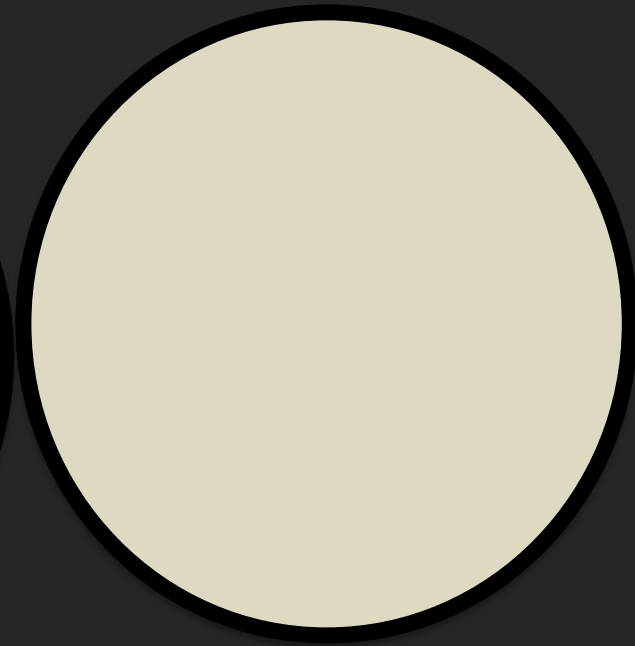
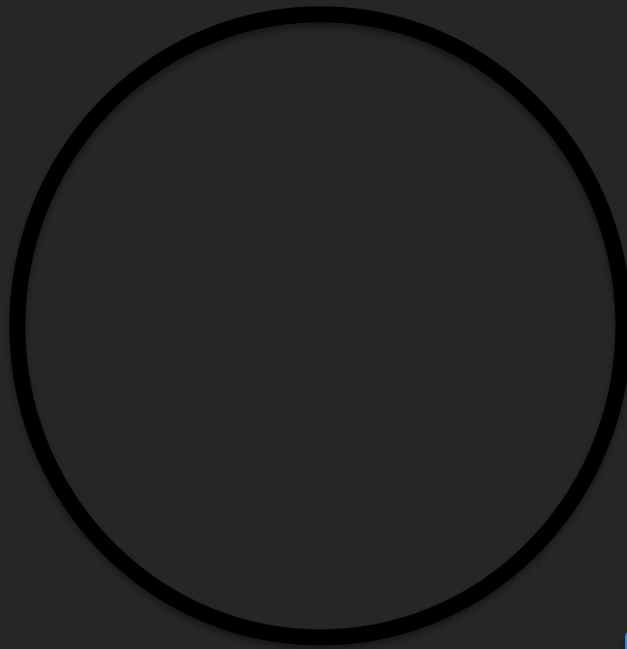
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Borderline lesion  
Cystadenofibroma

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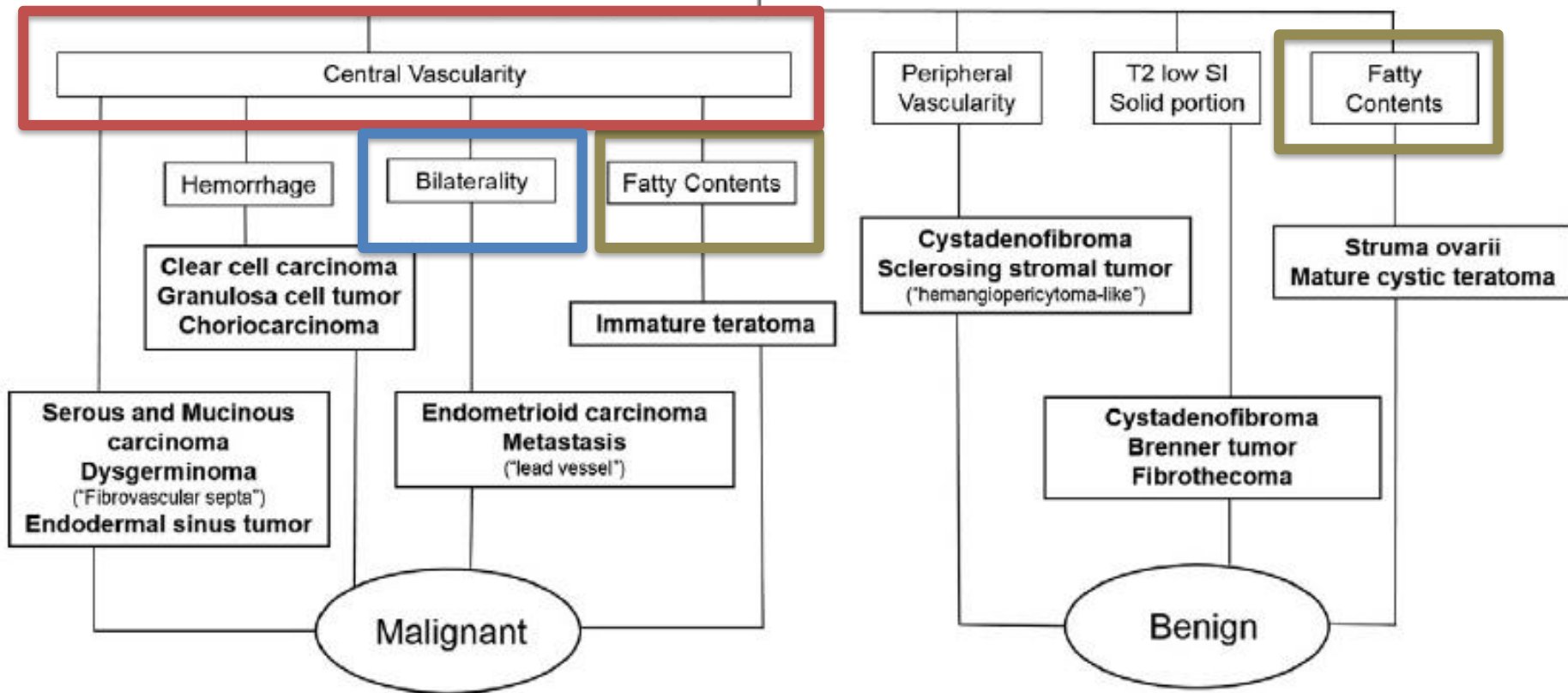
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# Complex Solid and Multicystic Ovarian Lesions

(with MRI)



What about CT?



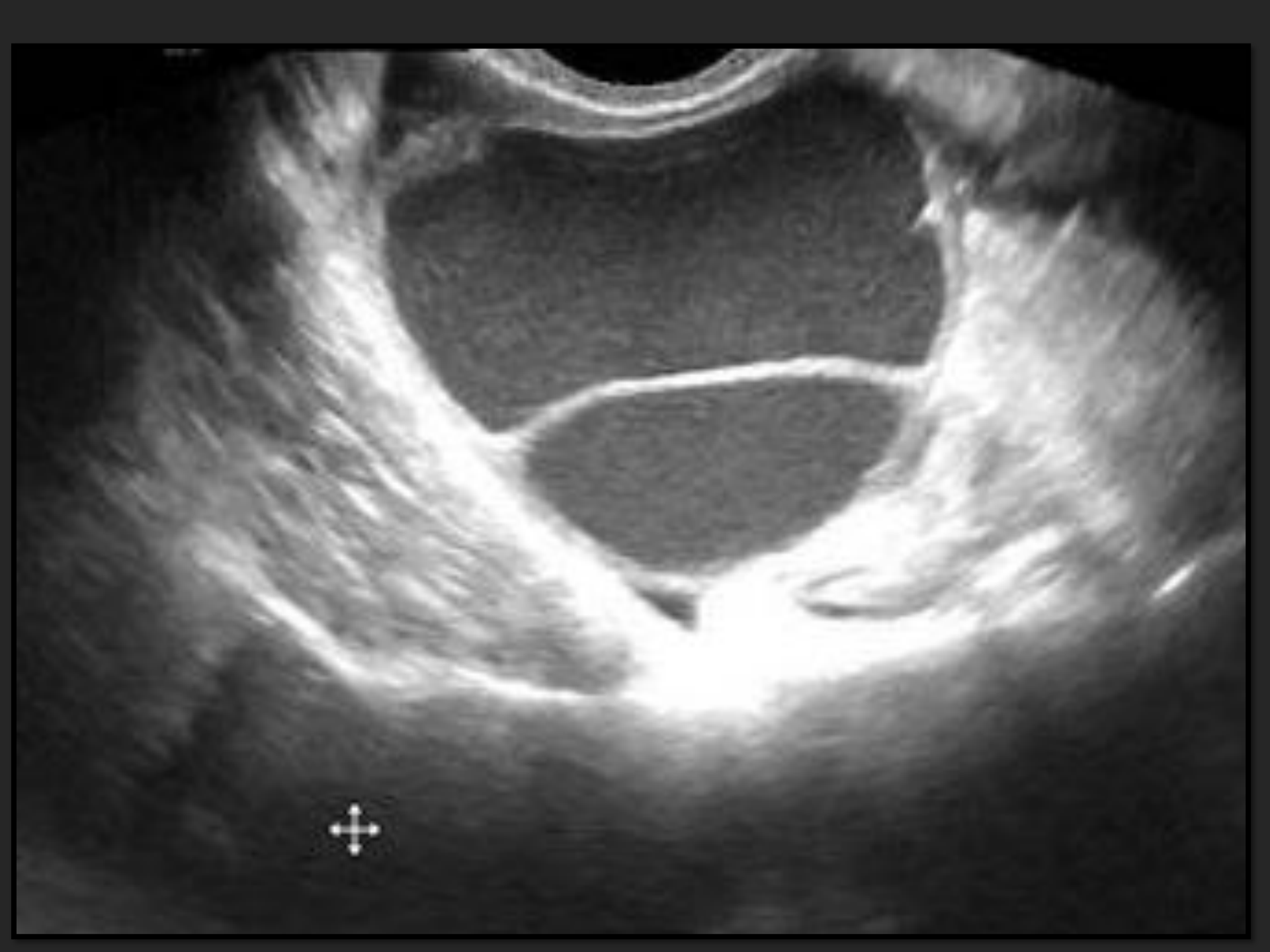
# CASE 1

49 year old woman with prior Nissen, presenting to ED with epigastric pain, incidental finding



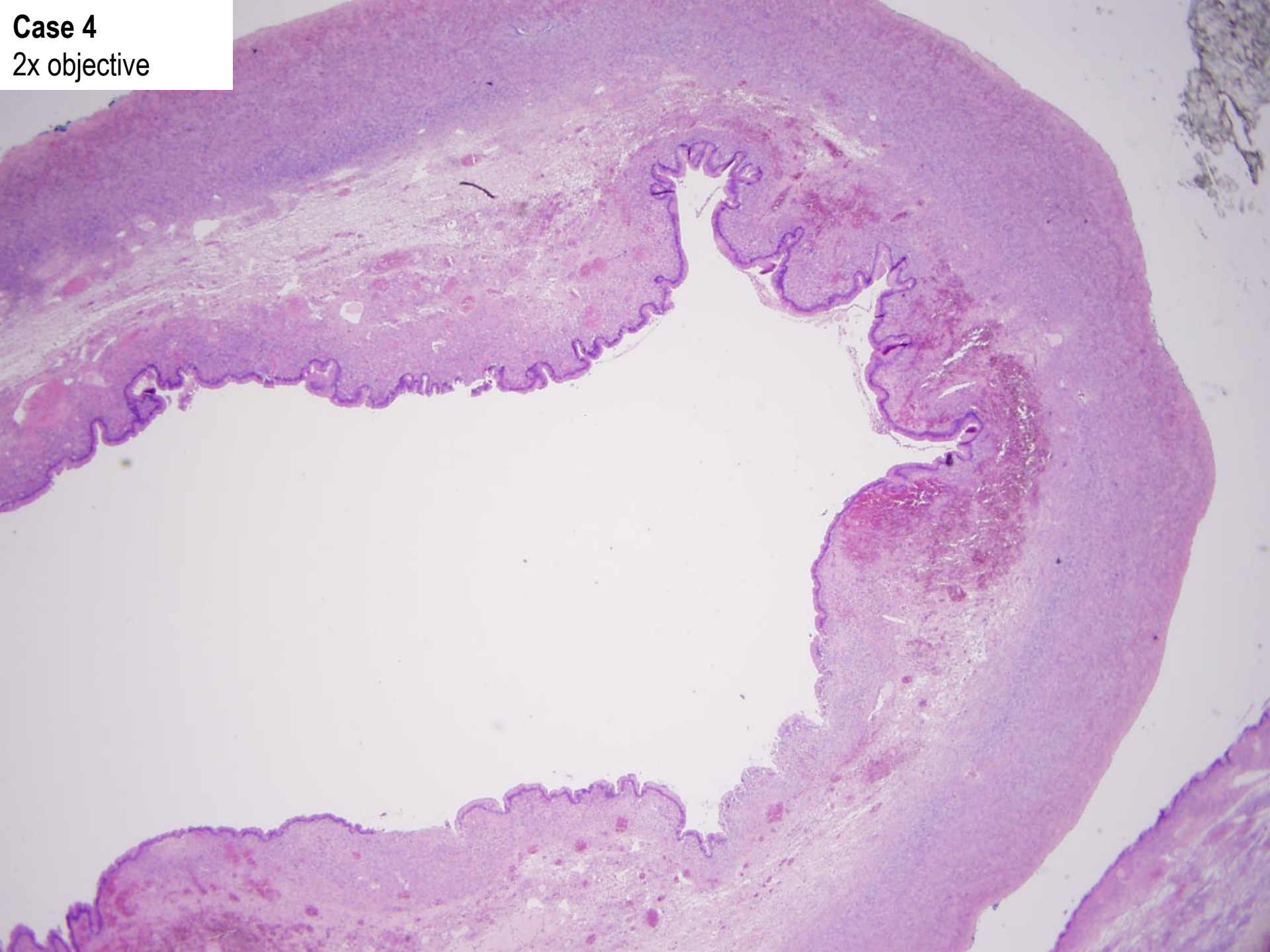


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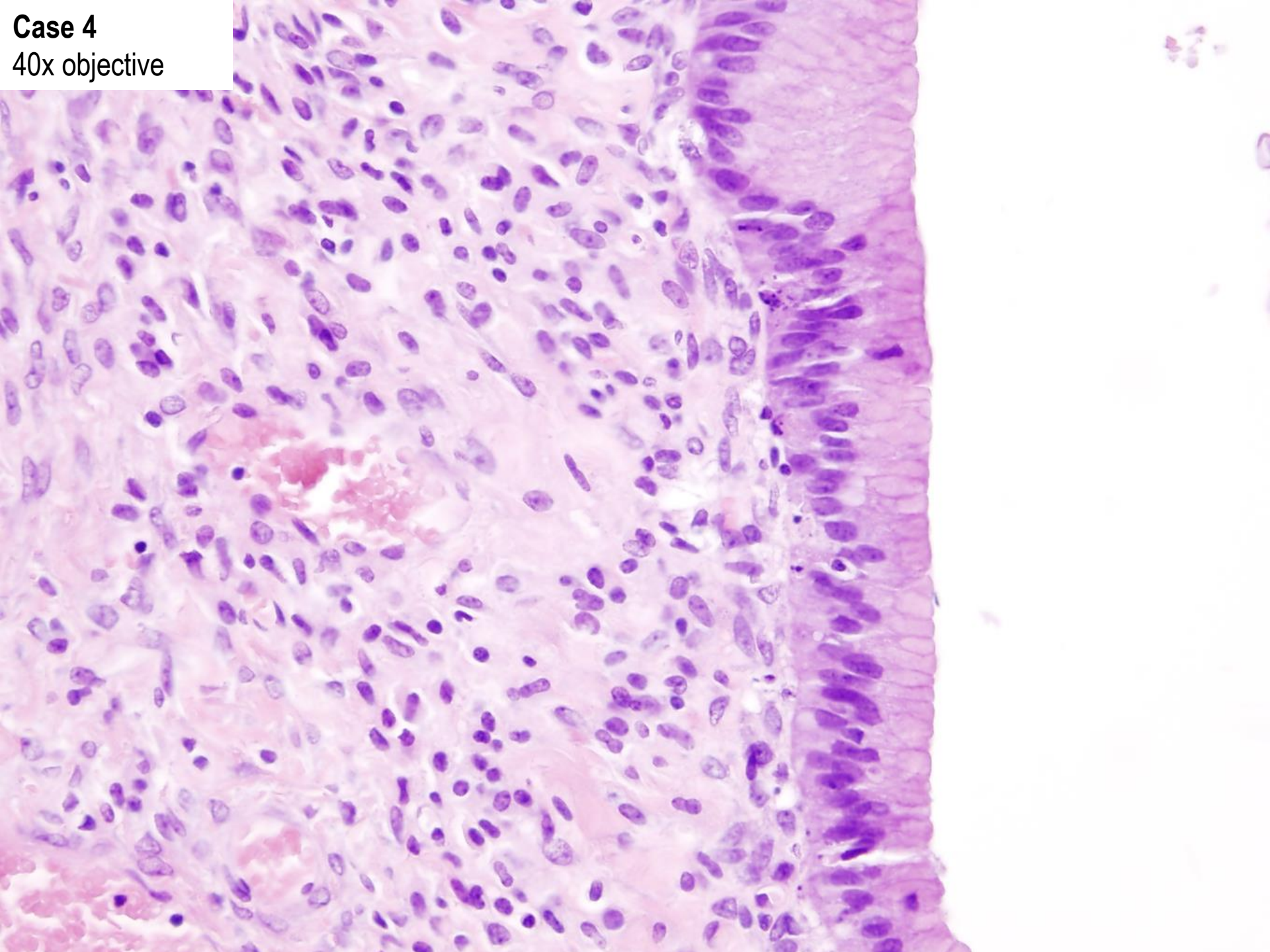


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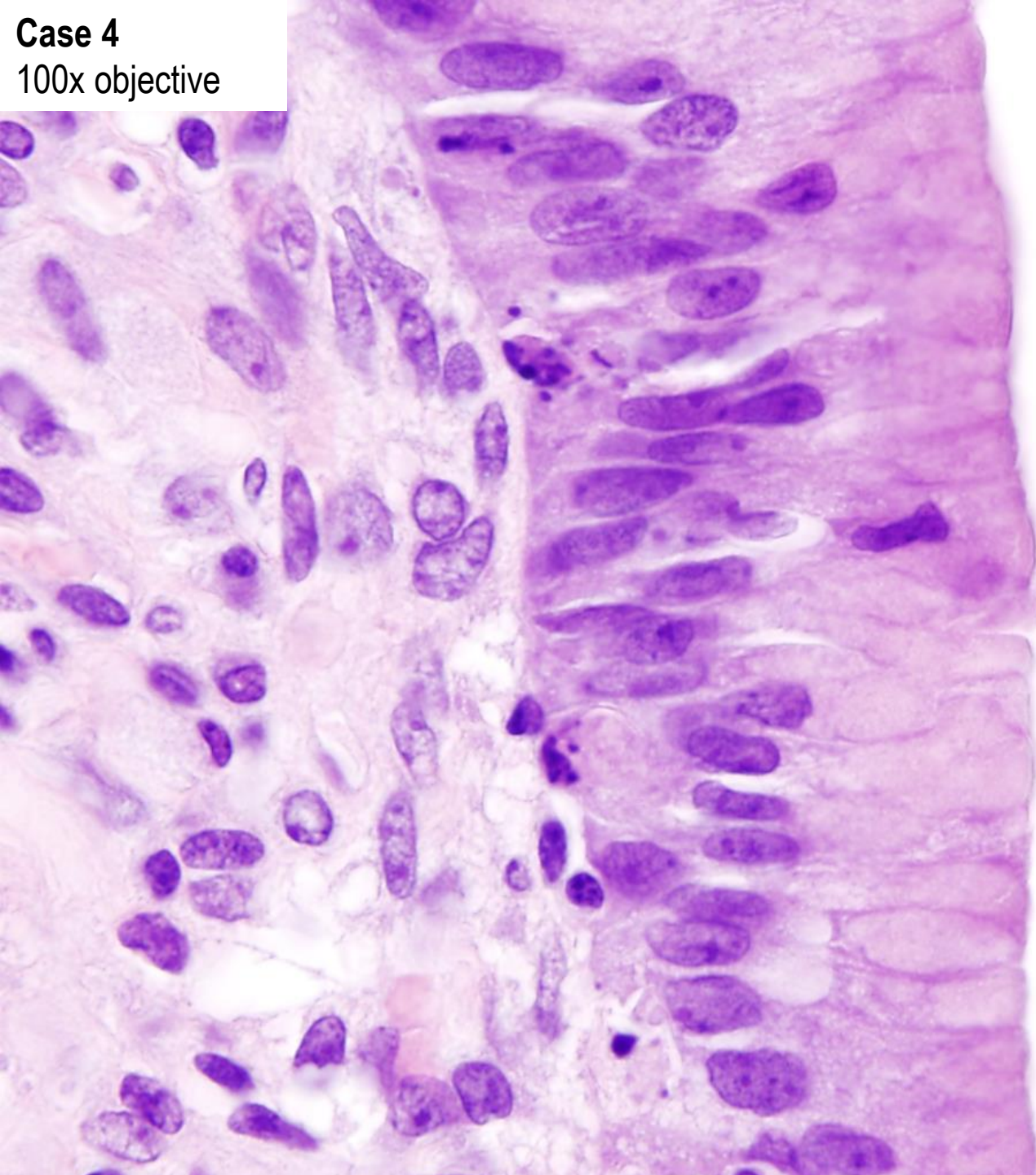




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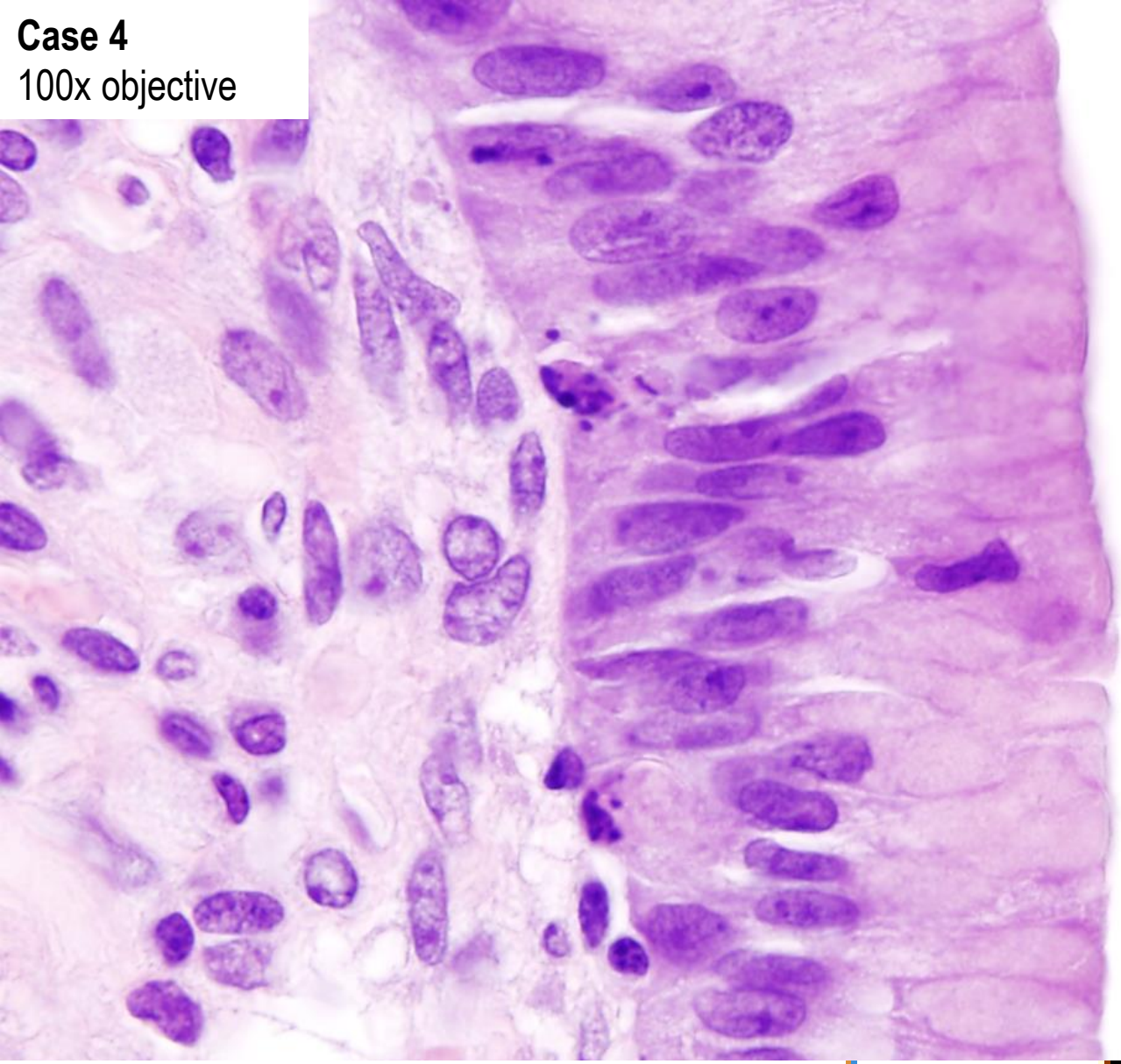


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100x objective





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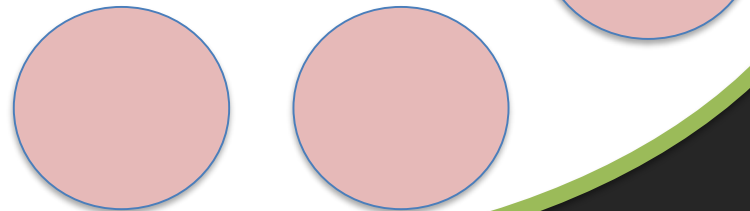


**Right ovary:**  
**Mucinous cystadenoma (3.5 cm).**

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# Mucinous Cystadenoma

Mucinous Cystic Tumors may be Benign, Borderline, or Malignant

Benign vs. Borderline affects surgical management

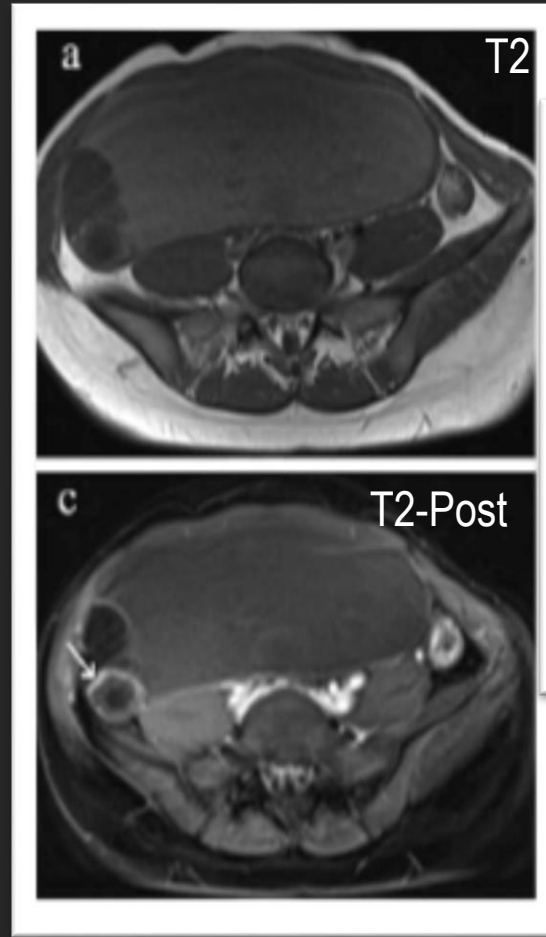
US and CT have limited sensitivity and specificity

MR features of Borderline MC

“Honeycomb” loculi with low T2/high T1 signal

Septation or vegetation >5mm

>1 Feature = Specificity (92%)



# What % of Borderline Mucinous Tumors are “Advanced” at diagnosis?

5%

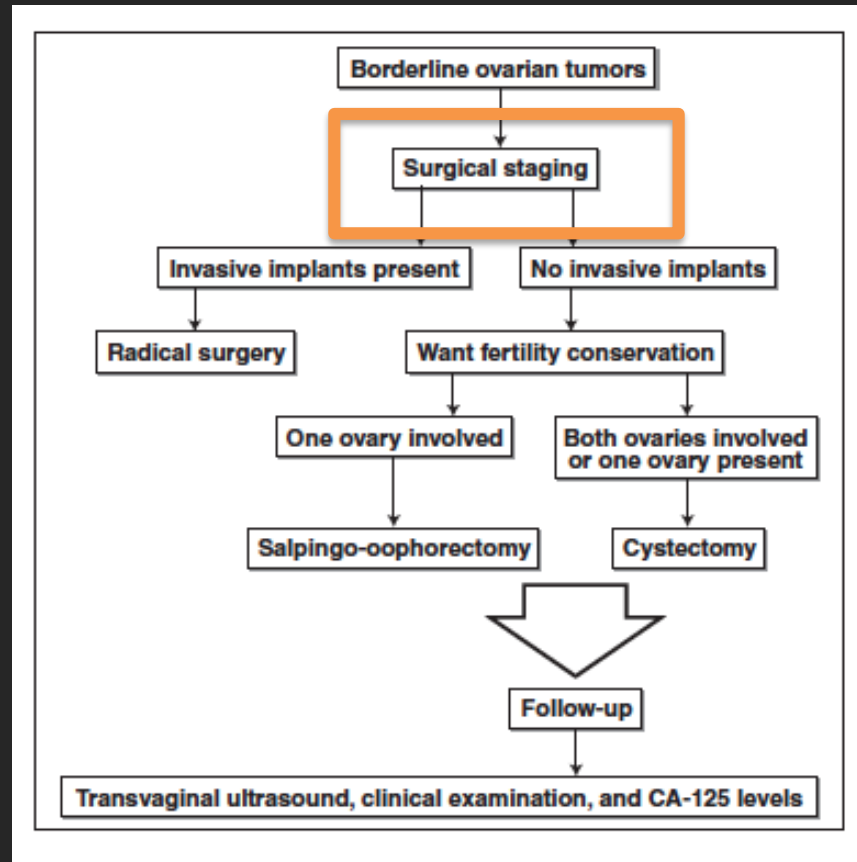
10%

20%

80%

82% of cases are stage I;  
5-year survival is up to  
99–100%

18% of cases are advanced  
stages; mortality may  
reach up to 50% depending  
on stage



## CASE 2

59 year old woman, prior TAH and right salpingectomy,  
presenting with LLQ pain, nausea, vomiting

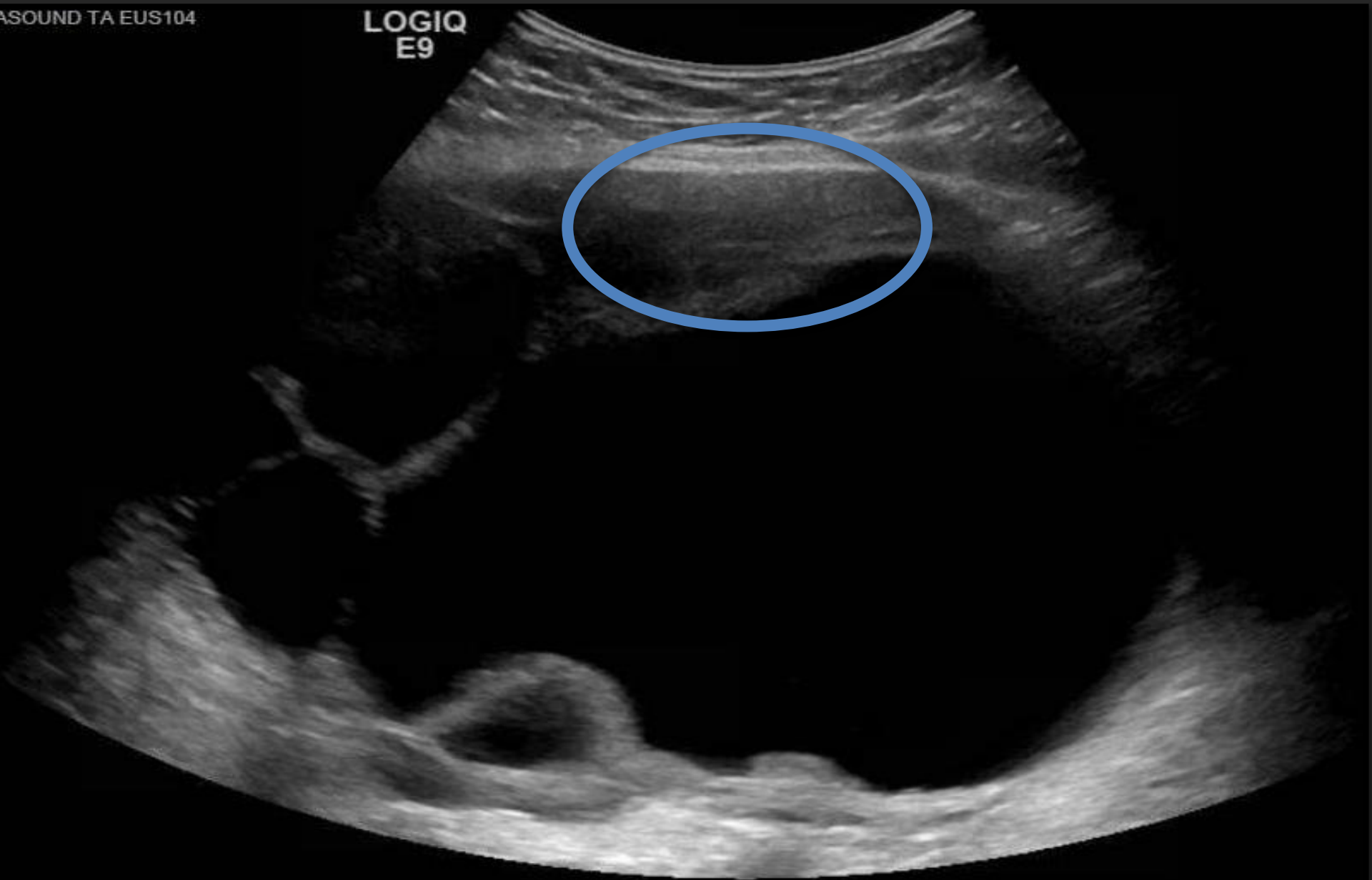


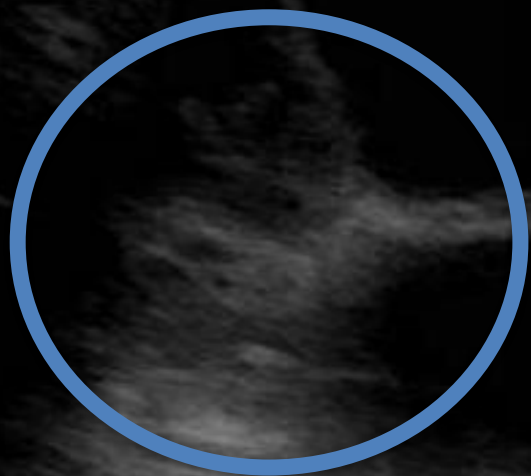




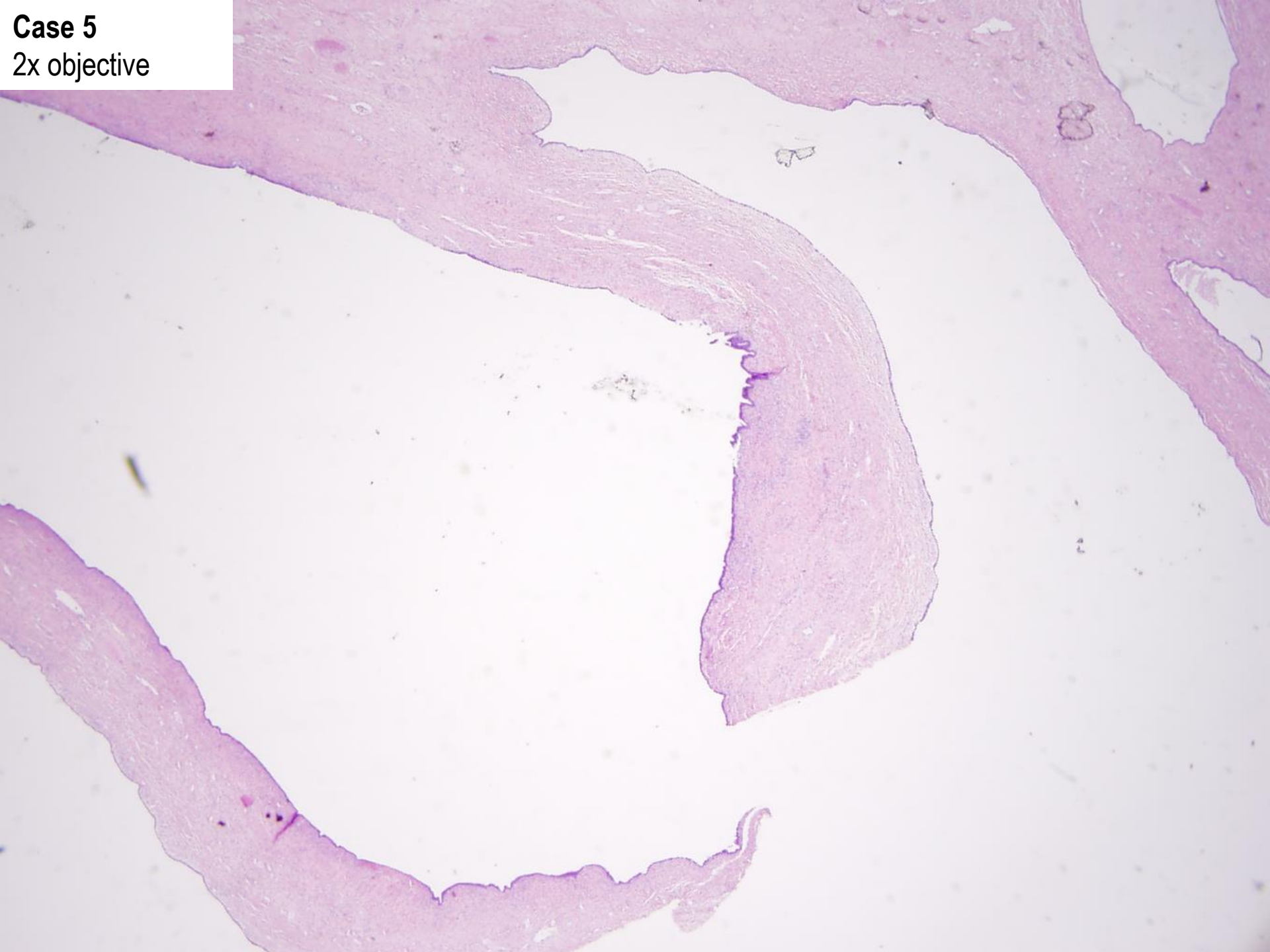
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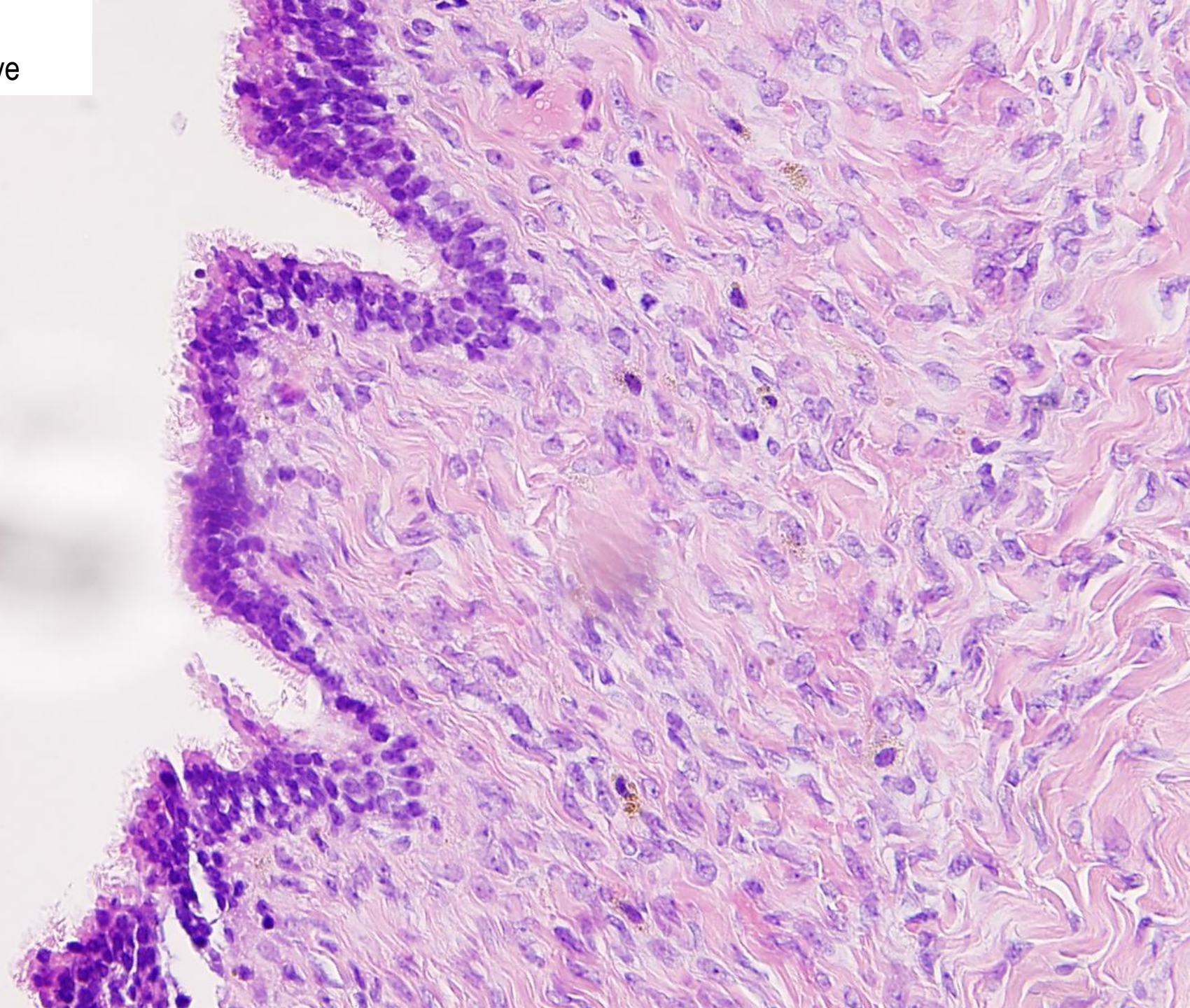


**Case 5**  
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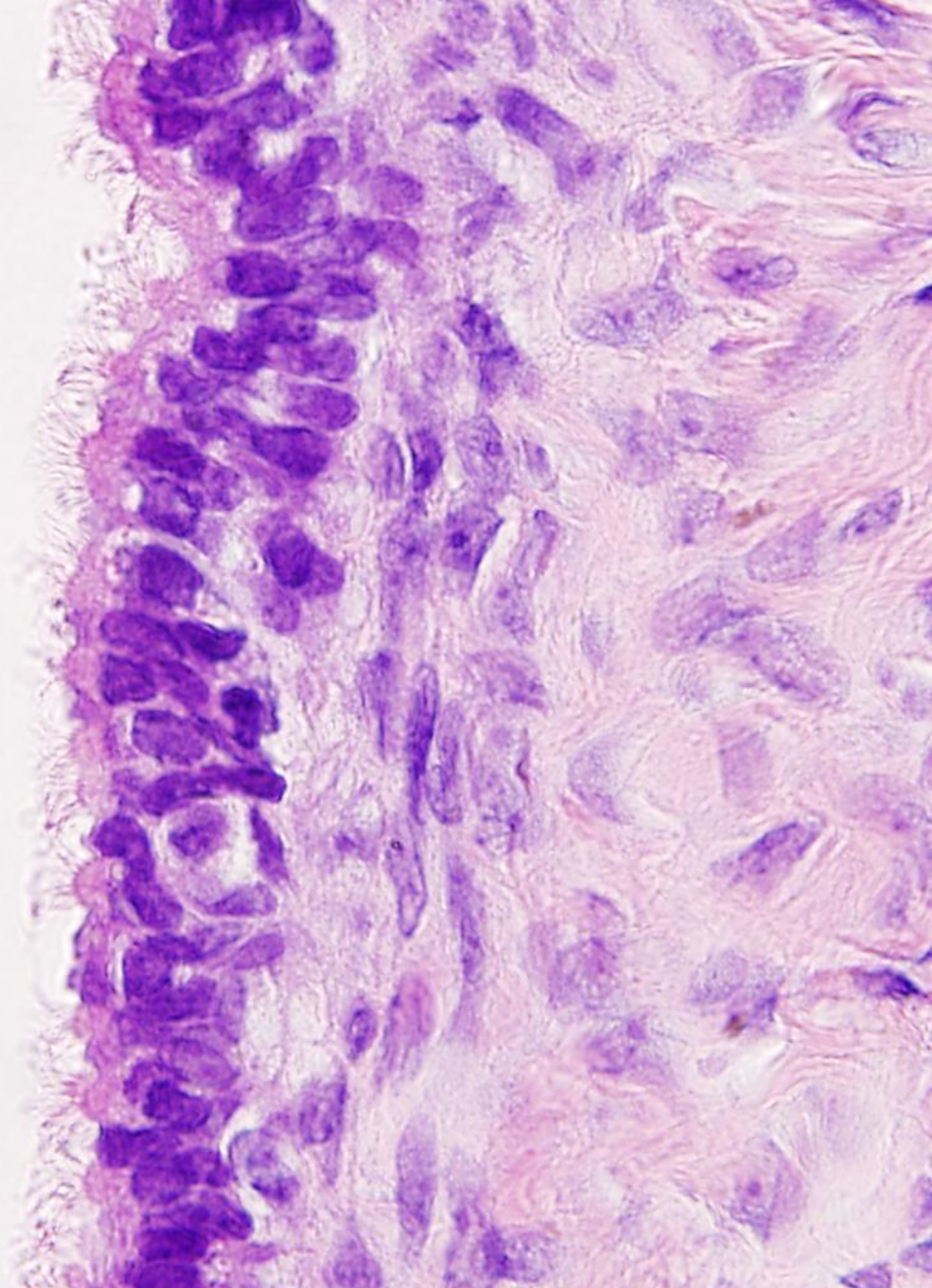


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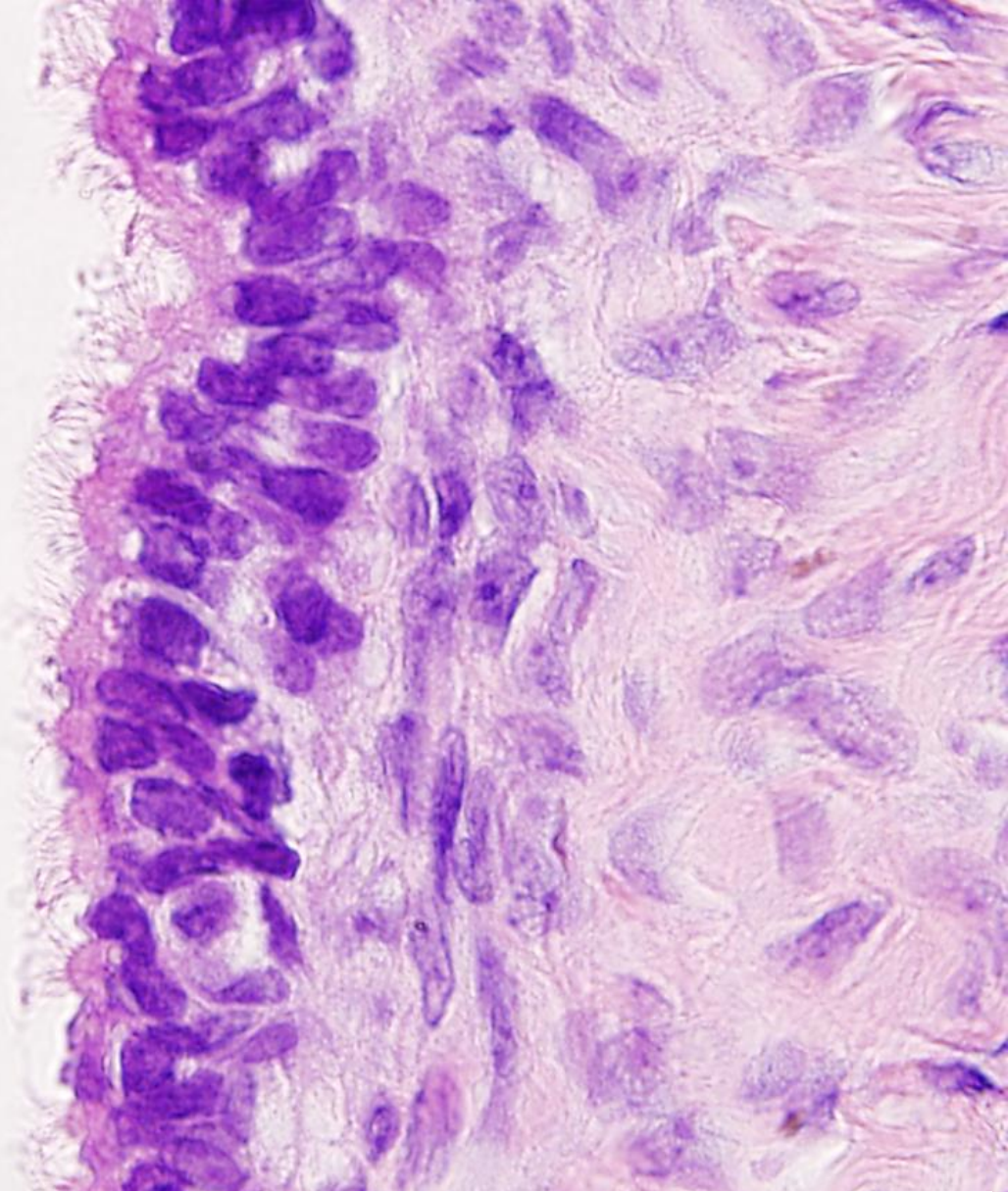




**Case 5**  
100x objective



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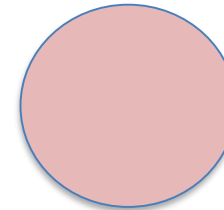
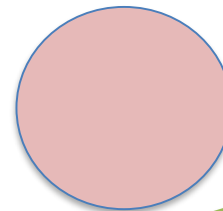
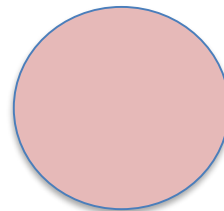


**LEFT PELVIC MASS (including FSA):**  
Serous cystadenofibroma of ovary (19.0 cm), with degenerative changes consistent with torsion.

Serous and Mucinous  
Cystadenoma  
Brenner Cell  
Endometriosis\*

Fibroma  
Thecoma  
Sclerosing Stromal  
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# Fibrous Ovarian Neoplasms

Ovarian lesion	Population	Nature	Potential associated clinical features	Relevant MRI findings
Fibroma/fibrothecoma	All ages	Solid	Pleural effusion – ascites (Demos–Meigs' syndrome)	Homogeneous low signal on T2 images, weak enhancement
Brenner tumour	Pre-menopausal women	Solid	Usually asymptomatic	Homogeneous low signal on T2 images, at least moderate enhancement
Leydig cell tumour	Post-menopausal women	Solid	Virilization	Presence of lipid components, intense enhancement of non-fibrotic portions
Cystadenofibroma	All ages	Solid and cystic	Usually asymptomatic	"Black sponge" aspect, dark-signal thickening of cysts' wall
Granulosa cell tumour	Middle-aged and post-menopausal women	Solid and cystic	Excessive oestrogen production (vaginal bleeding)	Complex mass with haemorrhagic cysts, endometrial thickening, or polyps
Krukenberg tumour	All ages	Solid and cystic	Tumour of the gastrointestinal tract, carcinomatous ascites	At least moderate enhancement of solid components, peritoneal implants, ascites

COMMON FEATURE:

LOW T2 Signal with minimal (at most) enhancement

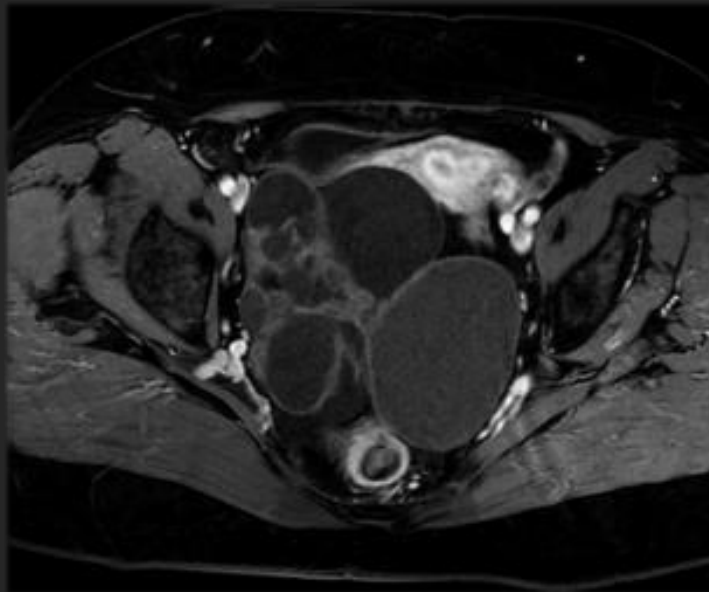
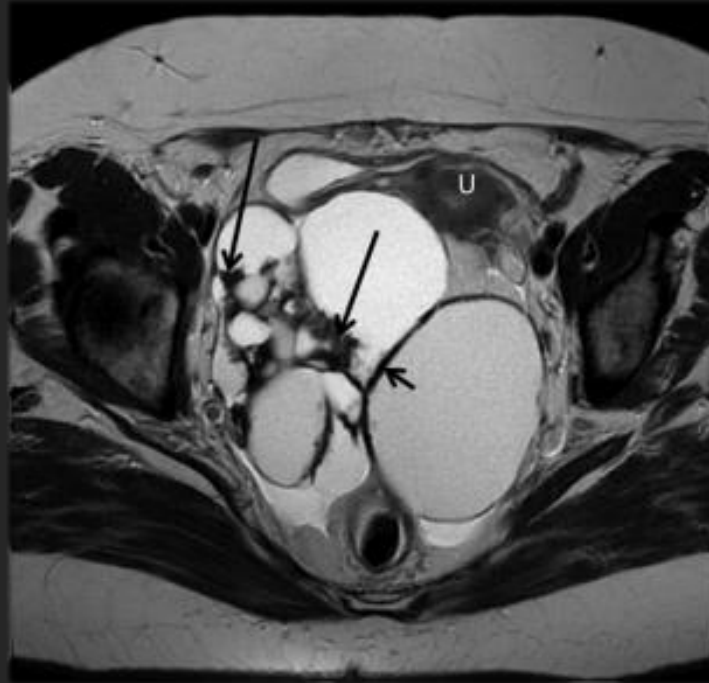


# MRI Features of Cystadenofibroma

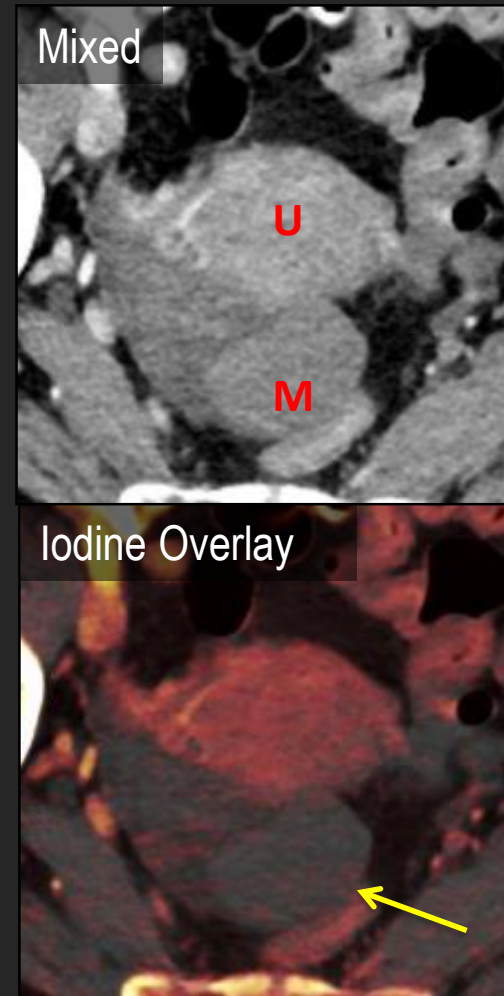
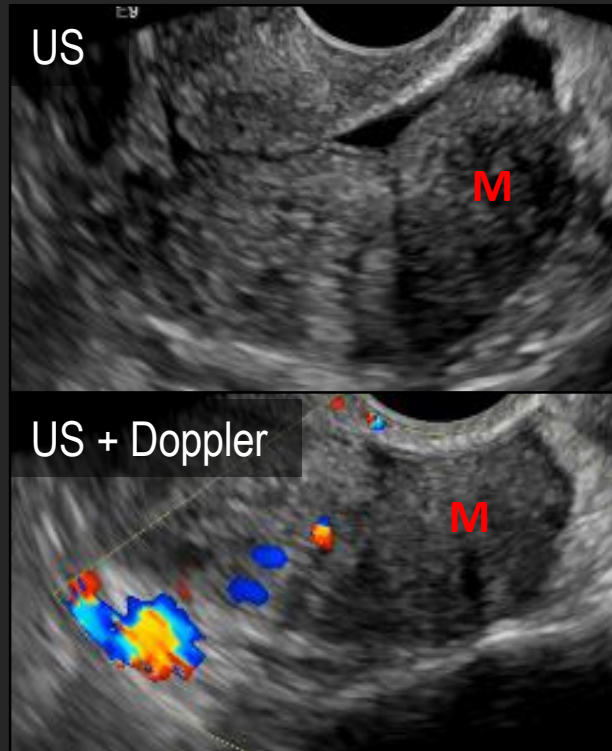
Multiloculated cystic component (T2 SI HIGH)

Fibrous stroma (T2 SI LOW)

NO Gadolinium enhancement of stroma



# Companion Case



TORSION



Other than torsion, fibroma/fibrothecoma is associated with which syndrome?

Meigs Syndrome

Neurofibromatosis Type I and II

Gorlin Syndrome

Carcinoid Syndrome

Behcet Disease



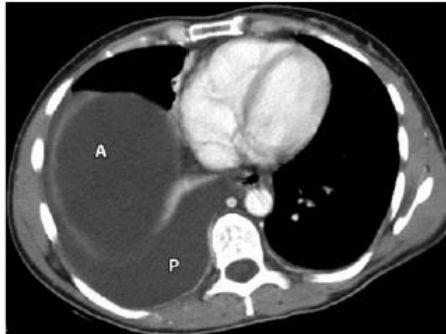
# Ovarian Fibroma Syndromes

## Meigs Syndrome

- Ascites and hydrothorax associated with solid ovarian lesion (>80% are fibroma)
- 70% **right sided, unilateral**



a.



b.

## Gorlin Syndrome

- “Basal Cell Nevus Syndrome”
- Multiple BCC in young patients
- Major Criteria
  - Odontogenic keratocysts
  - Cerebral falx calcification
  - Rib anomalies



## CASE 3

49 year old woman presenting with bloating and abdominal distention

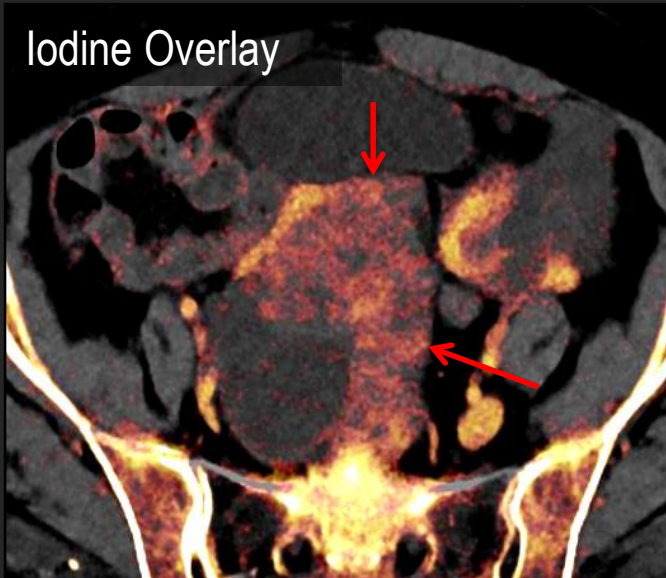




Mixed



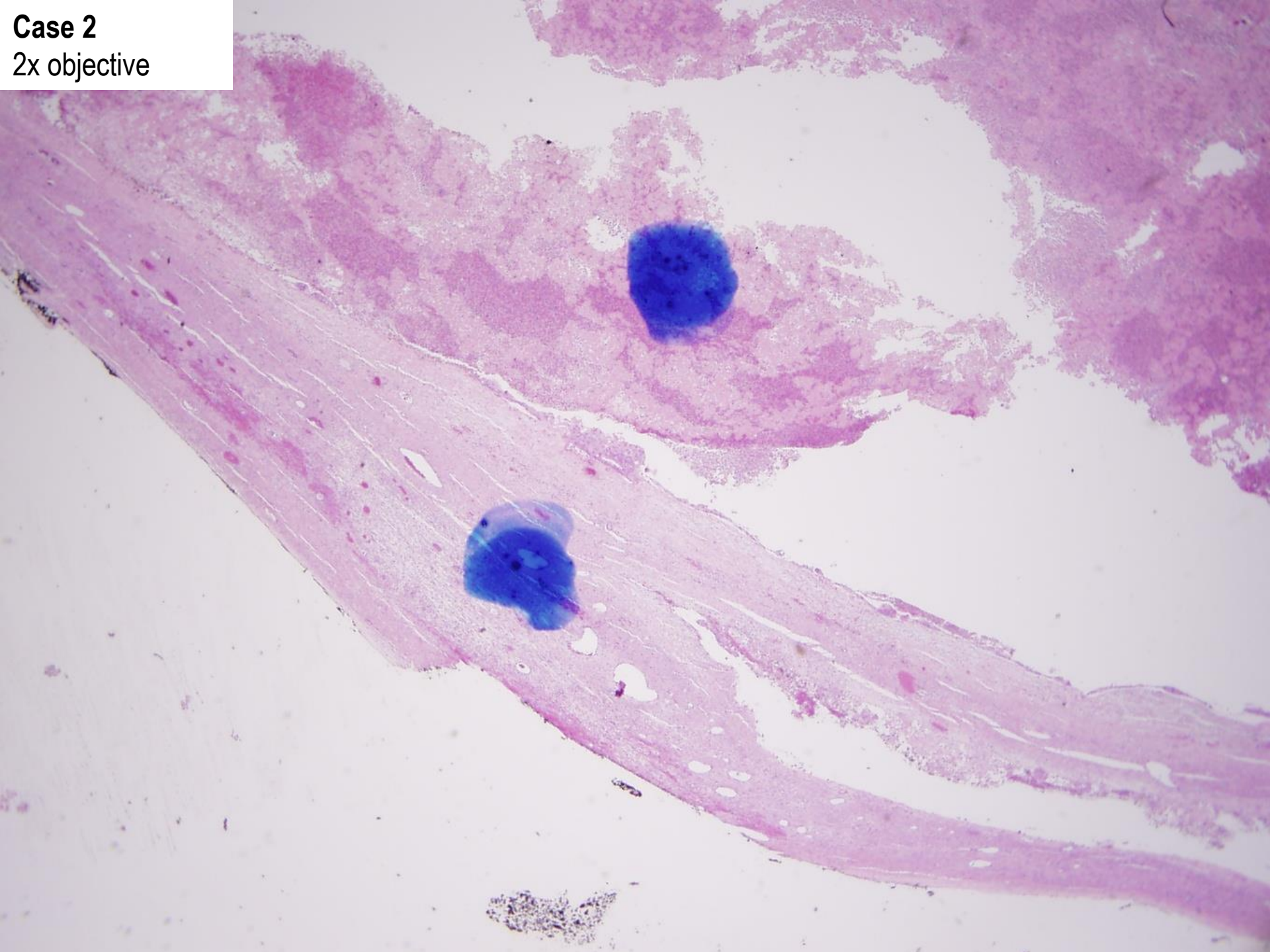
Iodine Overlay



US

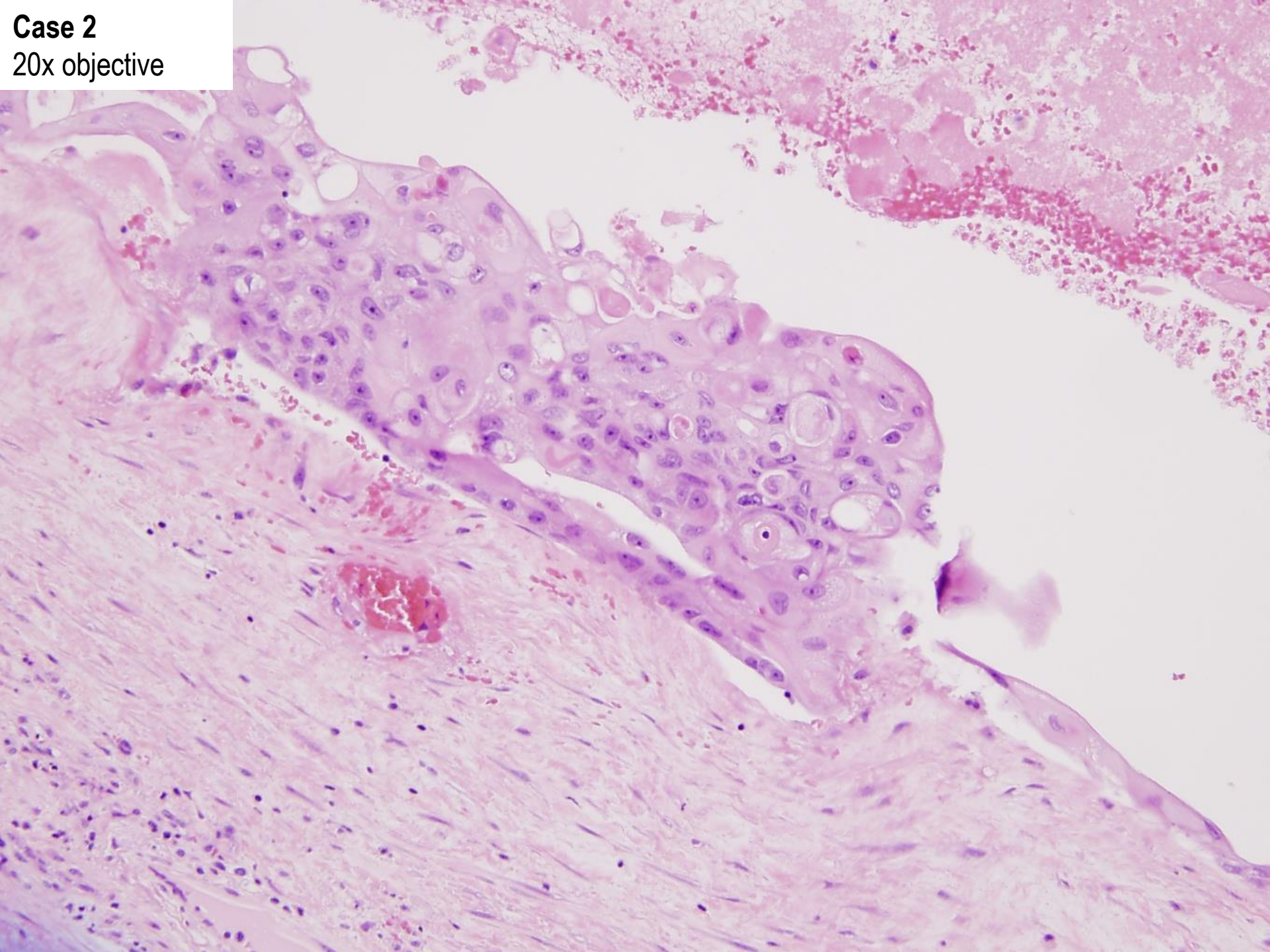


**Case 2**  
2x objective



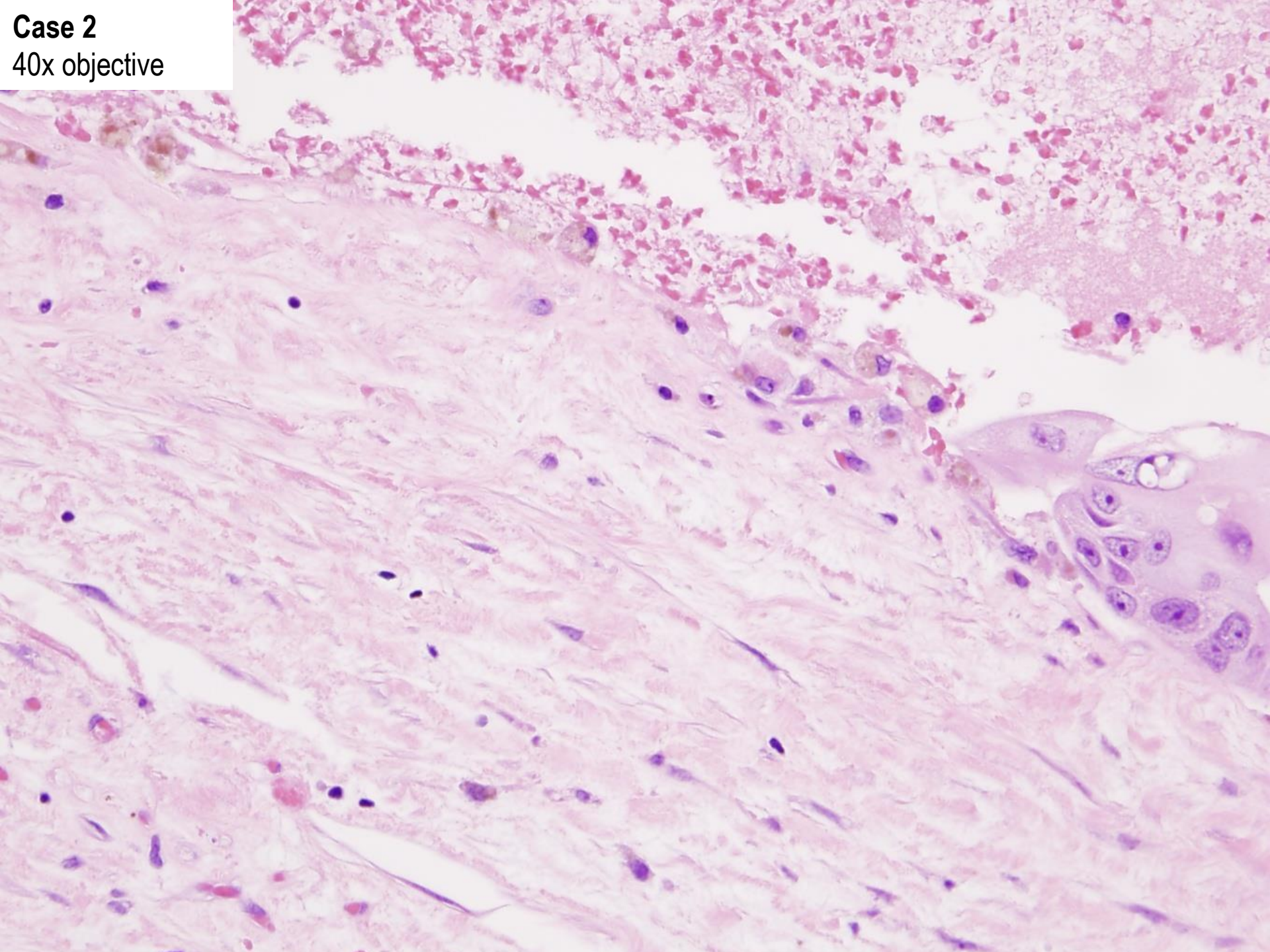


**Case 2**  
20x objective



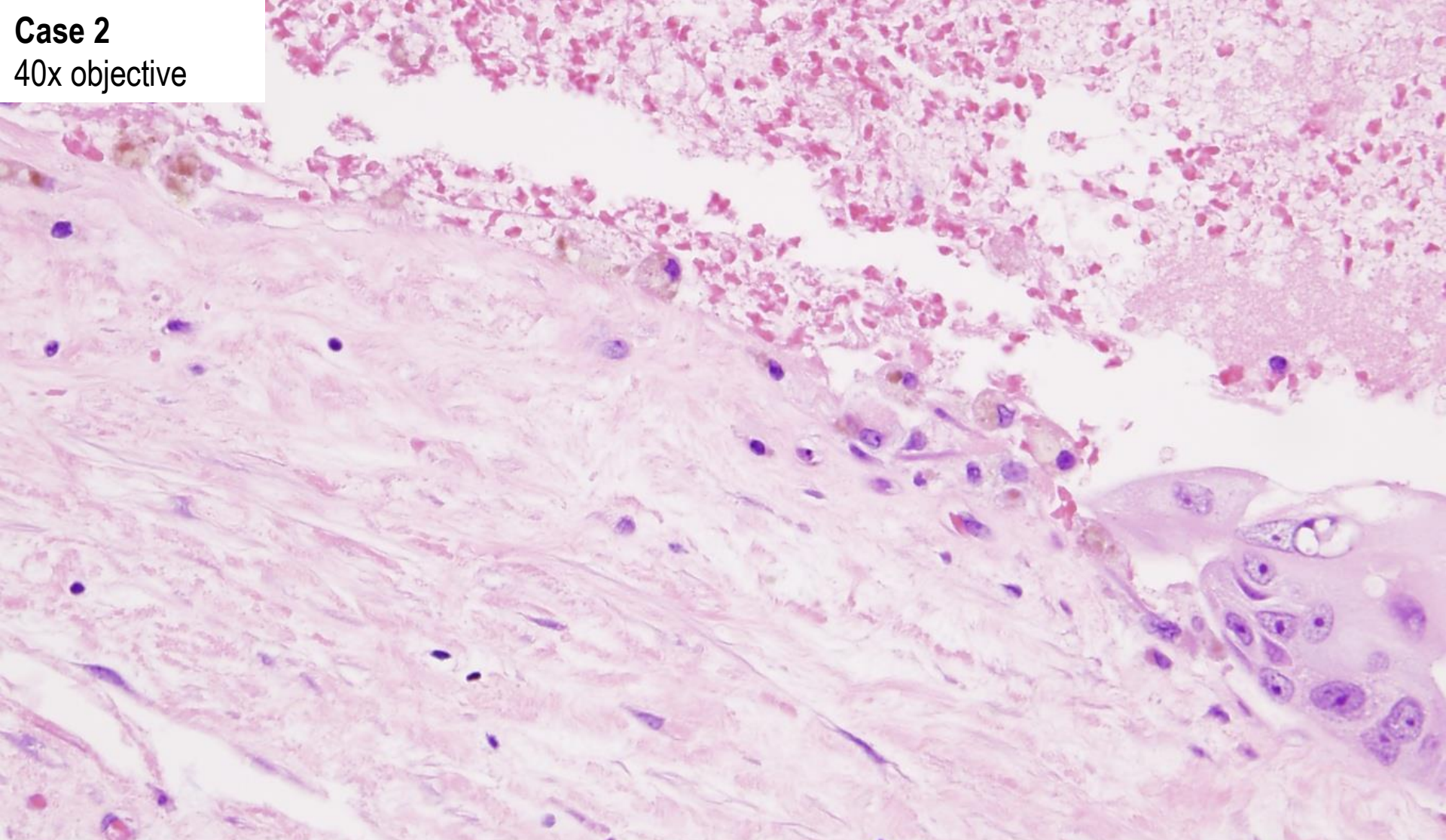


**Case 2**  
40x objective





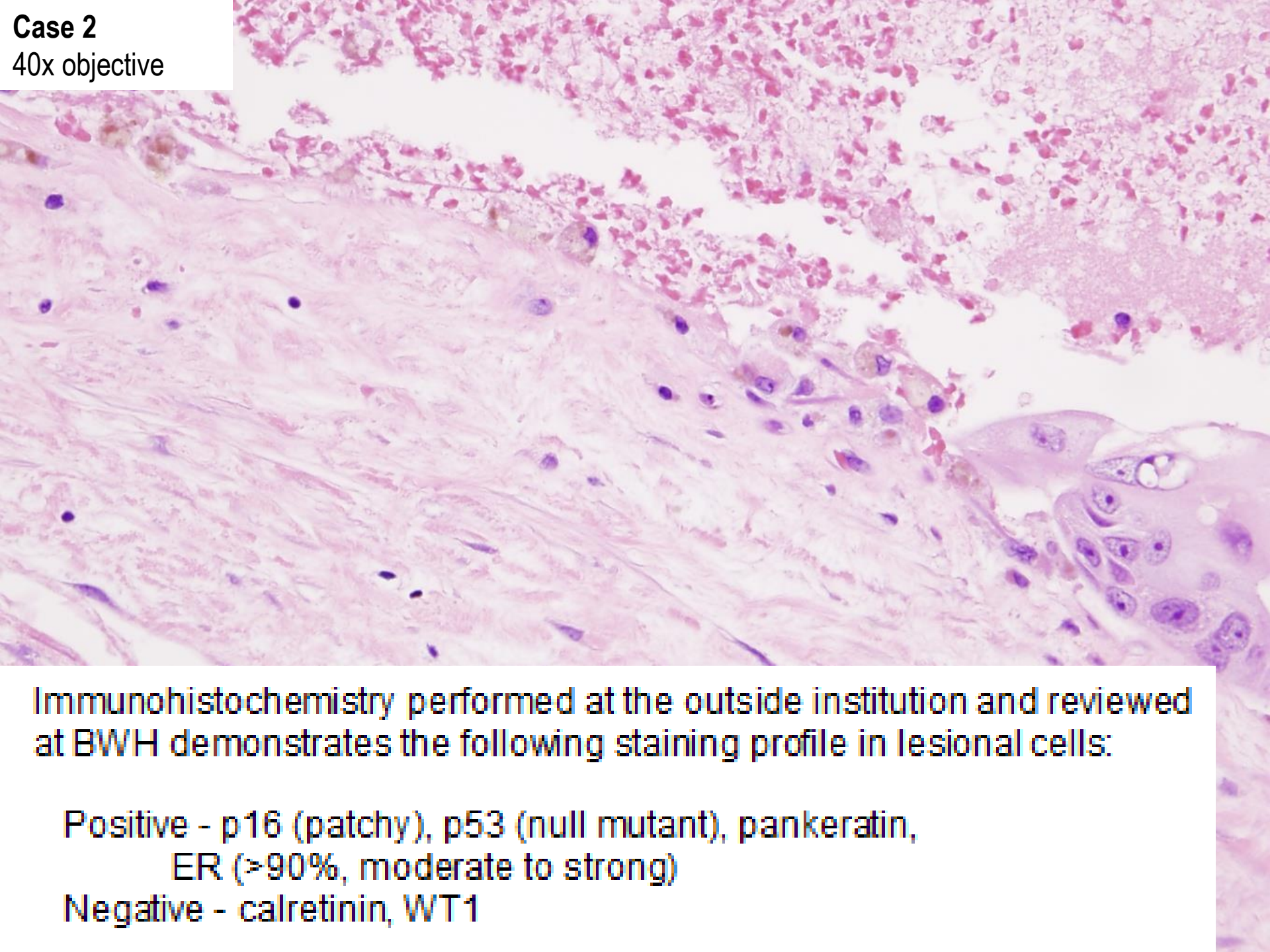
**Case 2**  
40x objective



**Ovary:**  
MULLERIAN ADENOCARCINOMA with squamous differentiation demonstrating treatment effect, present within a 8.0 cm tumor bed consisting of hemorrhage, chronic inflammation, and hemosiderin-laden macrophages. (See NOTE below).



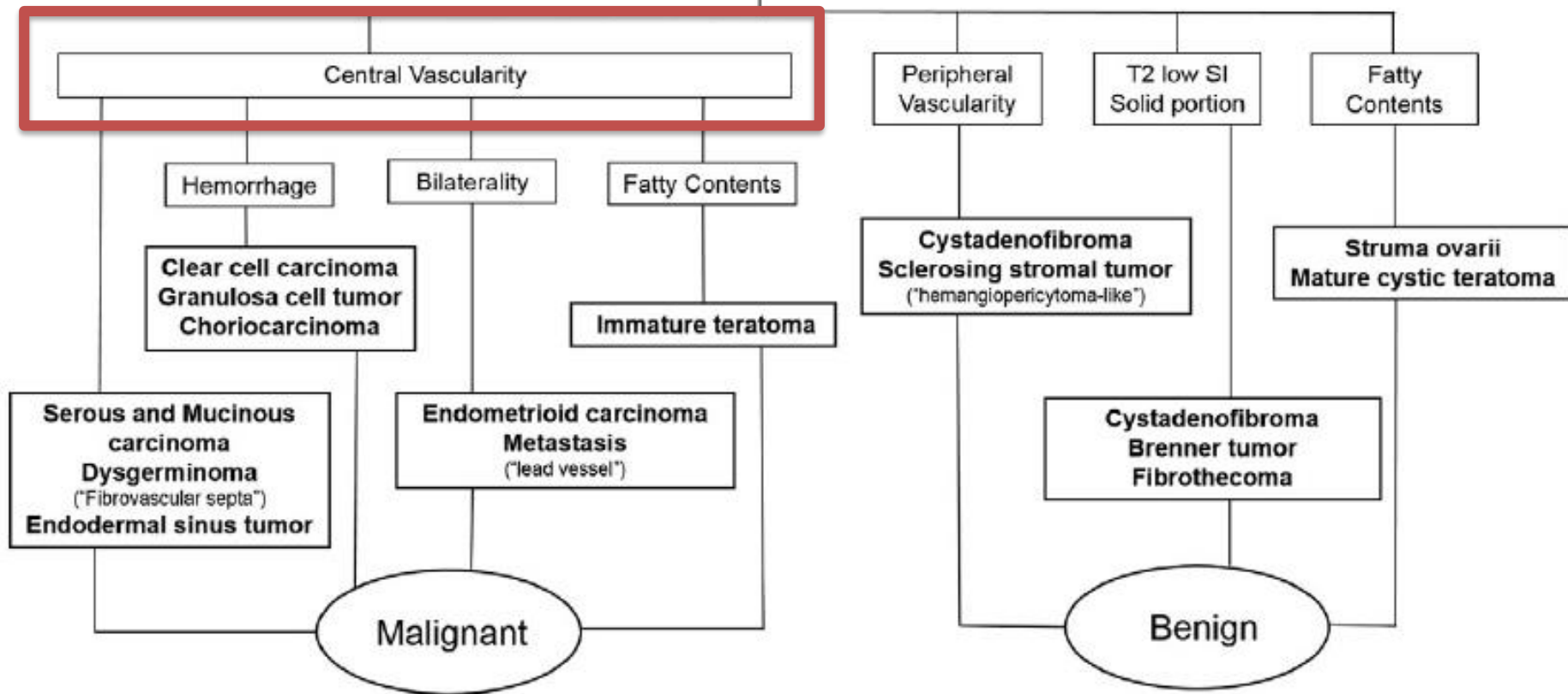
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Immunohistochemistry performed at the outside institution and reviewed at BWH demonstrates the following staining profile in lesional cells:

Positive - p16 (patchy), p53 (null mutant), pankeratin,  
ER (>90%, moderate to strong)  
Negative - calretinin, WT1

## Complex Solid and Multicystic Ovarian Lesions



# Ovarian Epithelial Carcinoma (OEC)

6<sup>th</sup> most common female cancer in the USA

70% diagnosed at advanced stage

Stage I: 80% 5 year survival

Stage IV: 15% 5 year survival

Radiographically:

- US high sensitivity (>88%), low specificity (40-80%)
- CT: Ideal for staging
- MRI: Superior for characterization

Table 4: FIGO Staging of Ovarian Tumors

Stage	Description
1	Confined to ovary(ies)
2	Peritoneal Implants within pelvis
3	Peritoneal Implants beyond pelvis
4	Liver or extraperitoneal

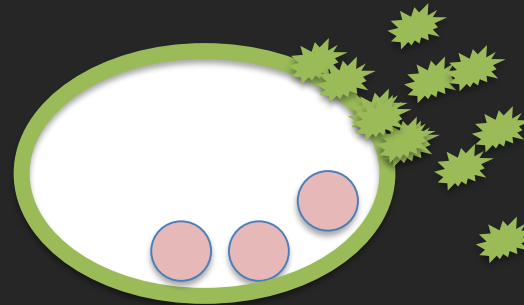
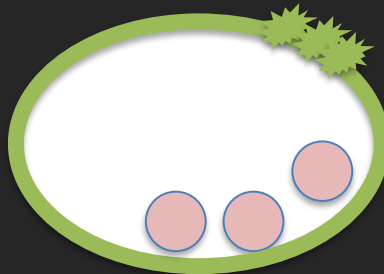
# OEC: Two Distinct Diseases?

Subclinical High Grade Tubal  
Intraepithelial Carcinoma

**HIGH GRADE**

Serous or  
Mucinous  
Carcinoma

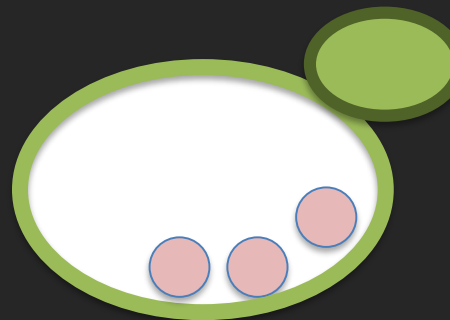
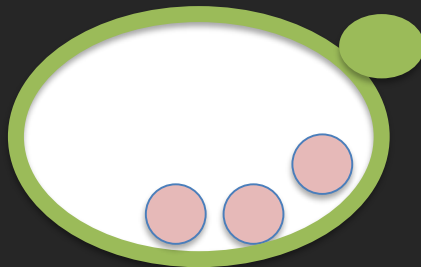
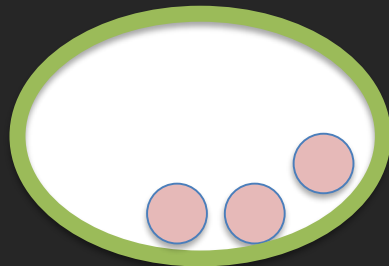
P53  
BRCA



Cystadenoma (precursor)

**LOW GRADE**

Serous or  
Mucinous  
Carcinoma



KRAS or  
BRAF



# Hereditary Ovarian Cancer Syndromes

**Table 1**  
**Features of Hereditary Ovarian Cancer Syndromes**

Syndrome	Genetic Abnormality and Chromosome Locus*	Function Affected	Subtype of Ovarian Cancer	Associated Cancers	Lifetime Risk of Ovarian Cancer (%)
<i>BRCA1</i>	<i>BRCA1</i> [17q21]	DNA repair, mRNA	HGSC	Female breast (87%), cervical (3.6%), uterine (2.5%), colon	40–50
<i>BRCA2</i>	<i>BRCA2</i> [13q12.3]	DNA repair, mRNA	HGSC	Female breast (84%), male breast (7%), prostate (7.5%), gallbladder	20–30
HNPCC	<i>MSH2</i> ; <i>MLH1</i> , -2, -6 [3p21, 2p21]	DNA mismatch repair	Serous, endometrioid	Endometrial, colorectal, renal pelvic-ureteral, hepatobiliary	>12

\*Information in brackets indicates chromosome loci.





## CASE 4

24 year old woman presenting with right flank pain, elevated CA-125





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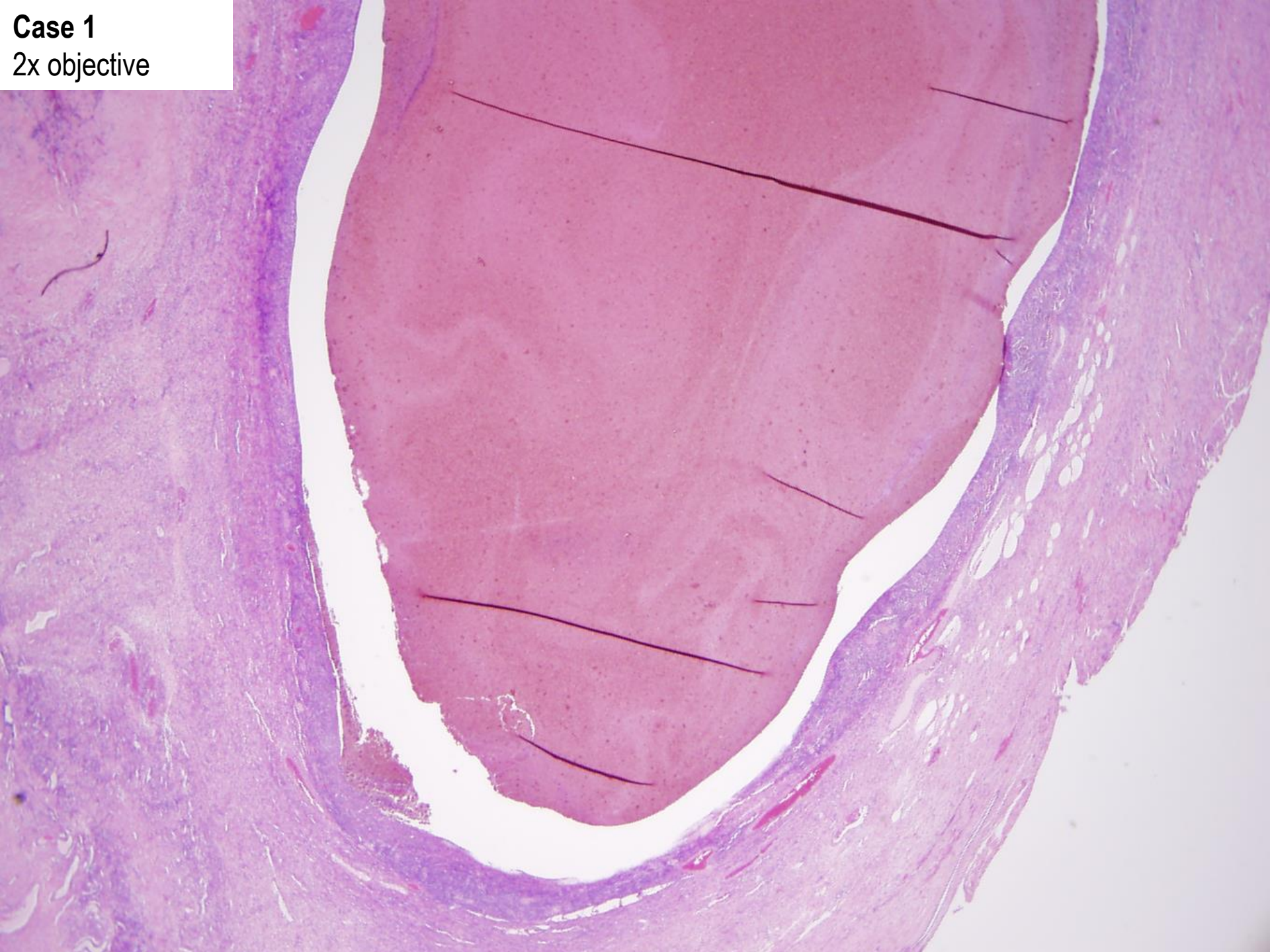
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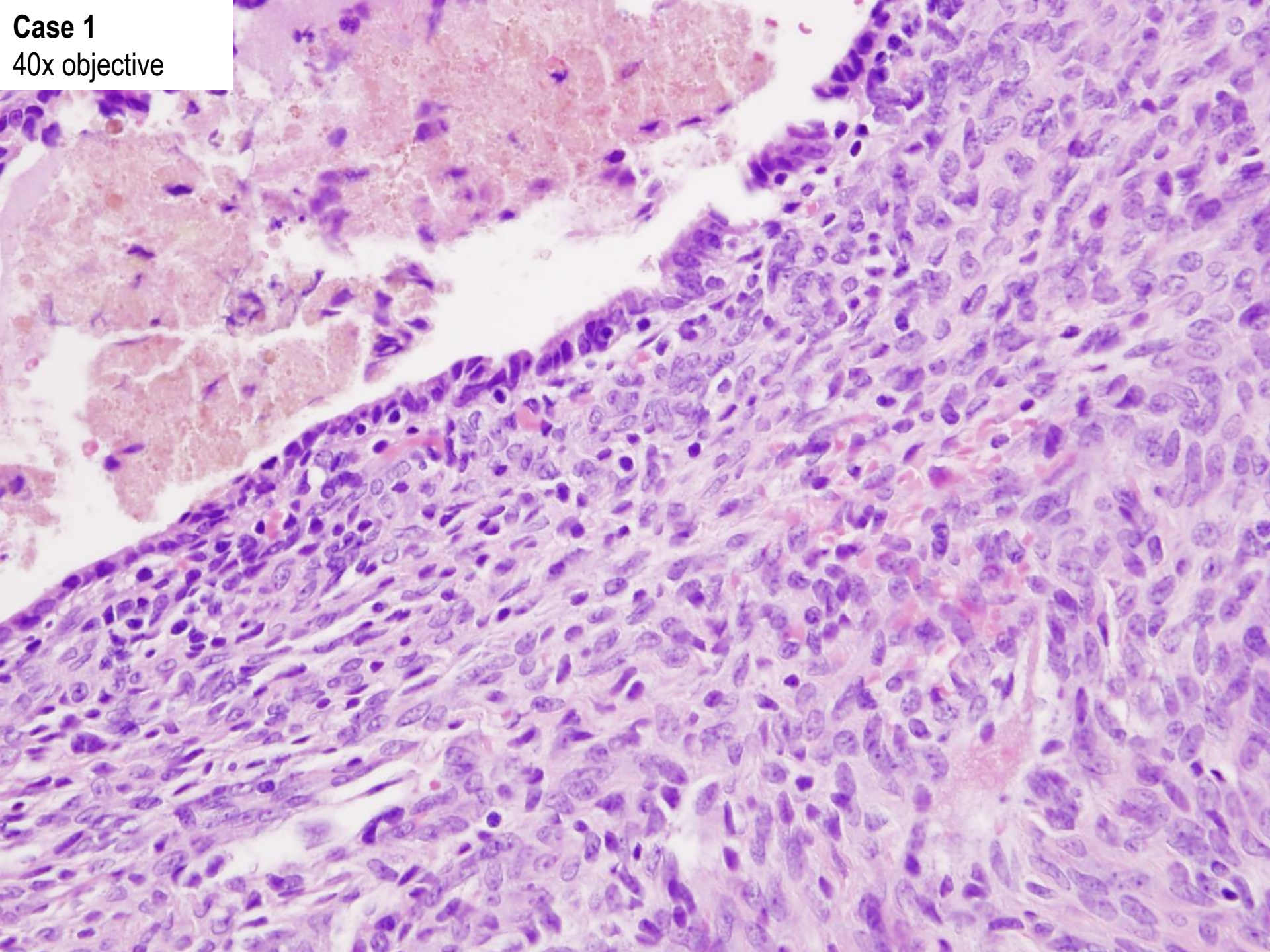


**Case 1**  
2x objective



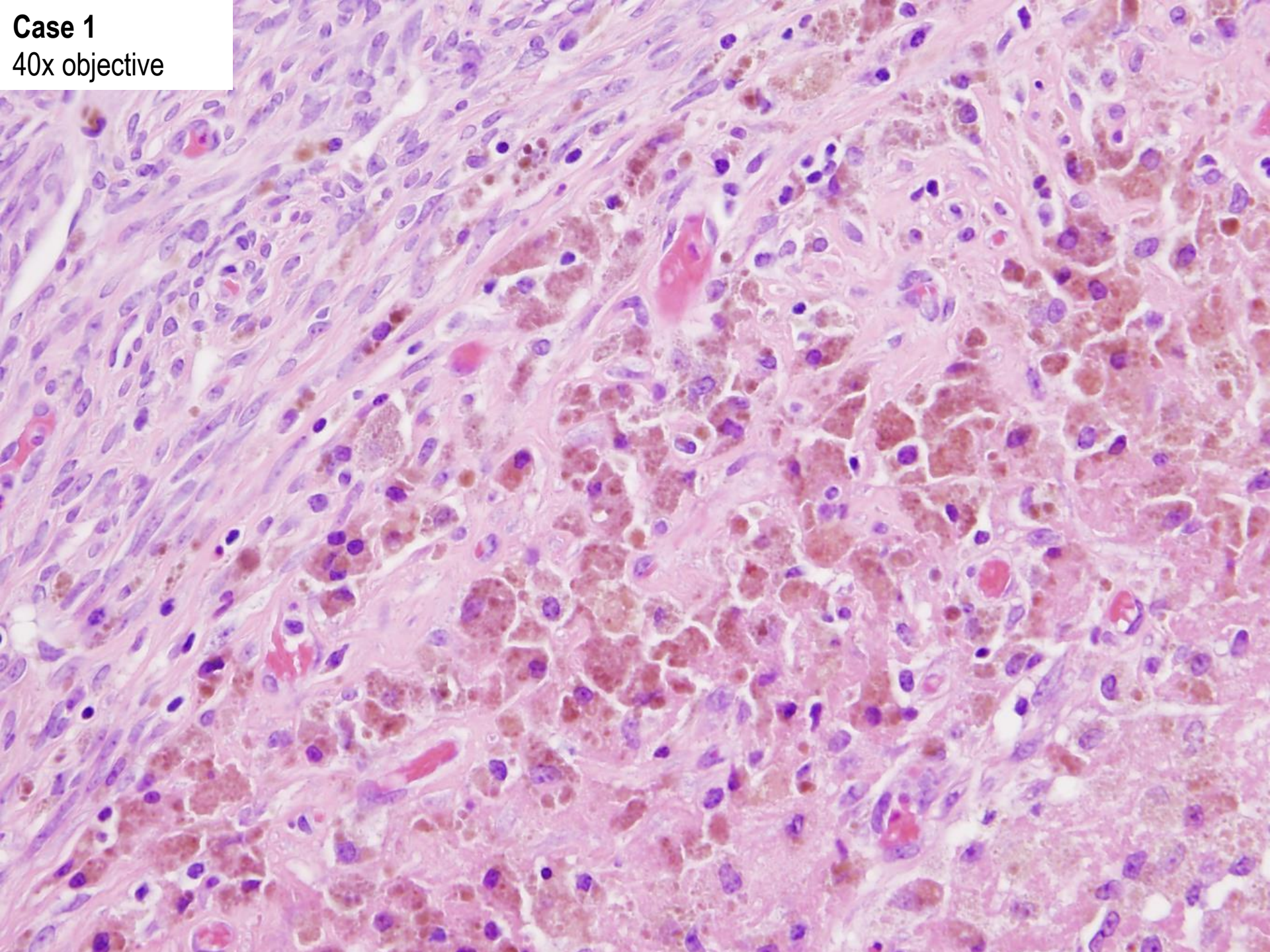


**Case 1**  
40x objective





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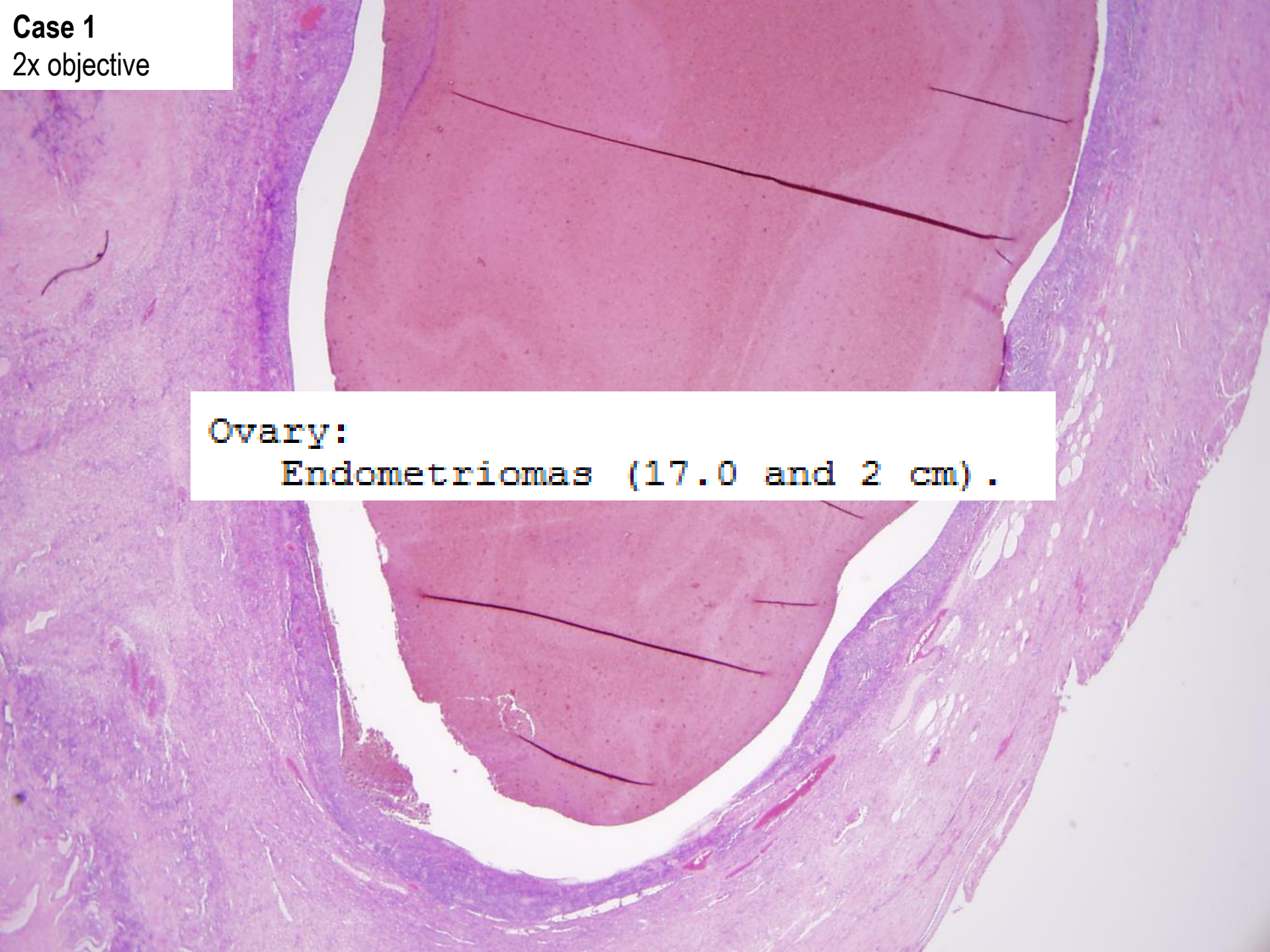




**Case 1**  
2x objective

**Ovary:**

**Endometriomas (17.0 and 2 cm) .**



# Endometriosis

Affects up to 10% of women; 90% of women with chronic pelvic pain, 50% of infertility patients

3 theories of pathogenesis:

Metastatic, Metaplastic, Inductive

3 anatomic variants:

Ovarian, superficial/peritoneal, deep/infiltrative

May cause abnormal CA-125 levels

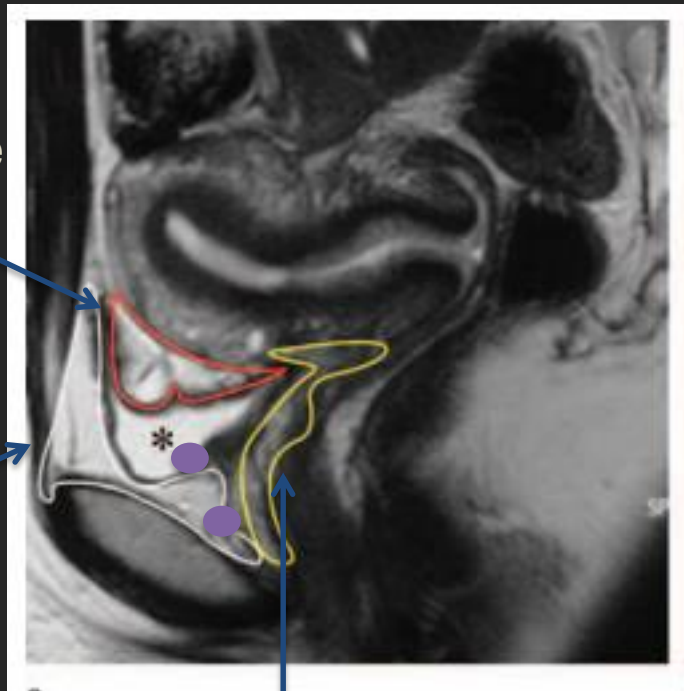
US: hypoechoic, solid, hypovascular,





# Sagittal Pelvic Anatomy

## ANTERIOR COMPARTMENT



Vesicouterine Pouch

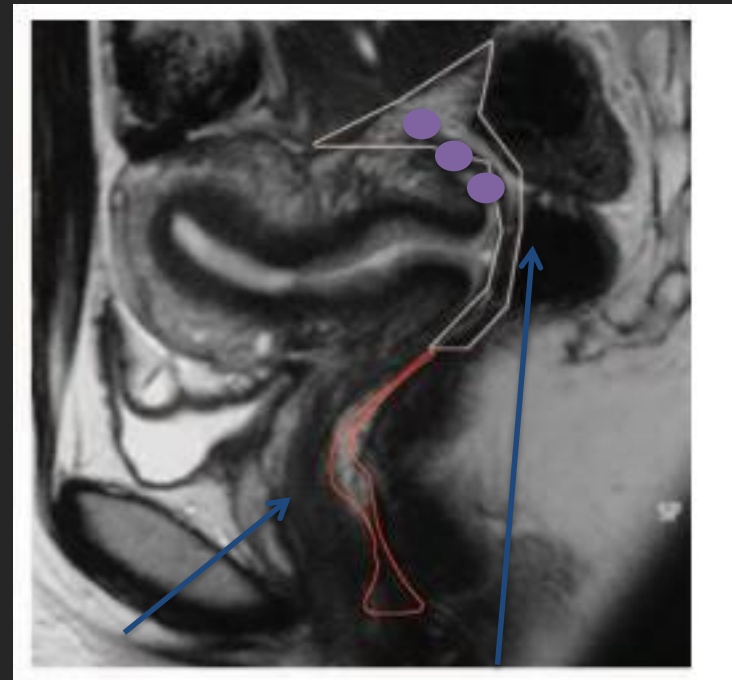
Prevesical Space

Vesico-Vaginal Septum

Other Anterior Compartment Sites:

- Urinary bladder
- urethra
- round ligament/canal of Nuck

## POSTERIOR COMPARTMENT



Recto-Vaginal Septum

Recto-Vaginal Pouch (Douglas)

Other Posterior Compartment Sites:

- Ureterosacral ligament
- Posterior broad ligament
- Sigmoid colon



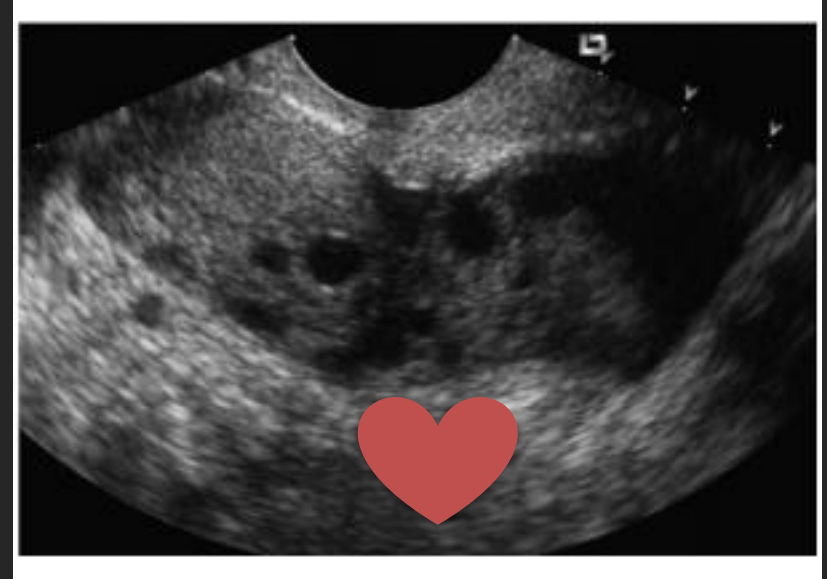
# Which radiographic sign is accurate for posterior compartment endometriosis?

Sliding Uterus Sign

Kissing Ovaries Sign

“Just friends” ovary sign

“Long-term relationship”  
ovary sign

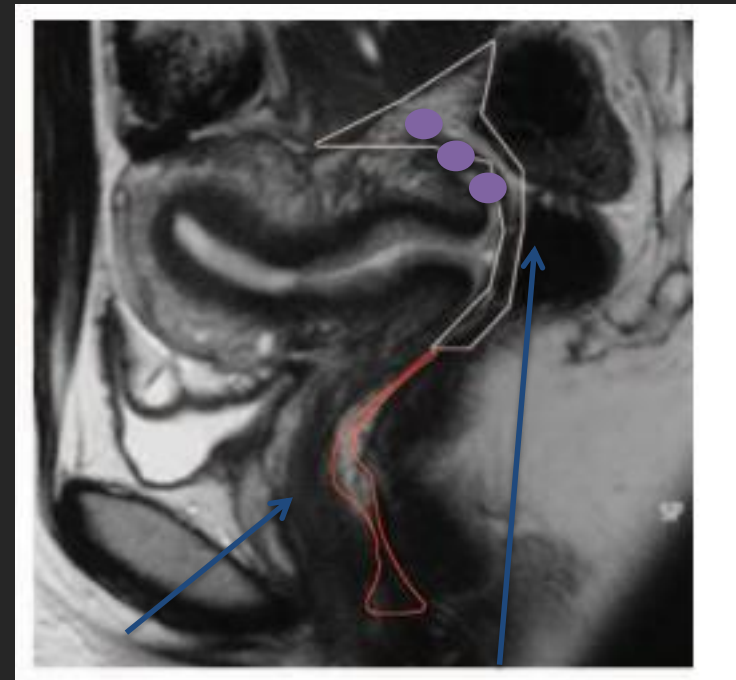


# “Sliding Uterus Sign”

## POSTERIOR COMPARTMENT

Vaginal transducer in posterior fornix  
and withdrawn while exerting external  
abdominal pressure with opposite hand  
**Immobility of rectum against vaginal  
and uterus indicates intervening  
adhesions**

Sensitivity 85%, specificity 96%



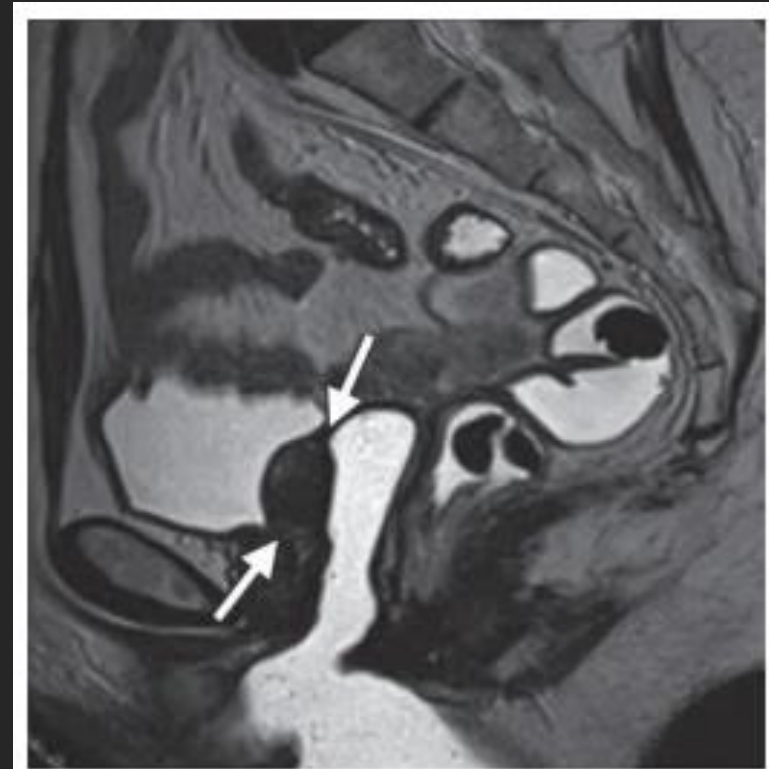
Recto-Vaginal  
Septum

Recto-Vaginal Pouch  
(Douglas)



# MRI Pearls for Endometriosis

1. Multiple T1 bright adnexal cysts = highly specific (>90%)
2. T1 hyperintensity in salpinx (hematosalpinx) is a specific finding (if HCG negative)
3. “Solid” (Infiltrative/Deep) variant appears as T2 hypointense nodularity of the affected structure





Endometriosis is theorized to be precursor  
to which two malignancies?

Clear Cell Carcinoma

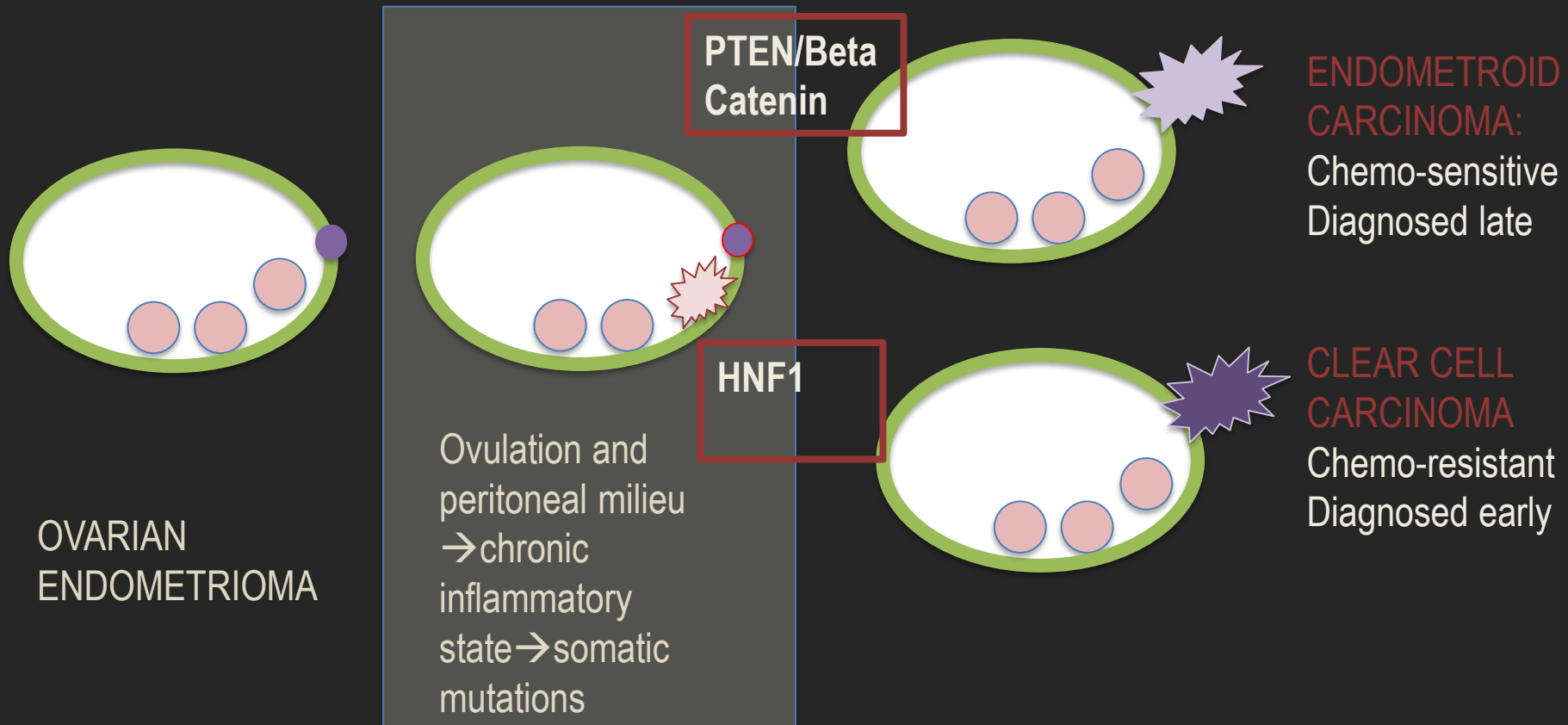
Endometrioid Carcinoma

Exometrioid Carcinoma

Cystadenomucinofibrosarcomalignoma



# Endometriosis as a Precursor Lesion



-1-2% of women with endometriosis will develop an endometriosis related malignancy

-Endometroid carcinoma is the 2<sup>nd</sup> most common OEC

-CCC associated w/ endometriosis in ~50% of cases; Endometroid ~20%

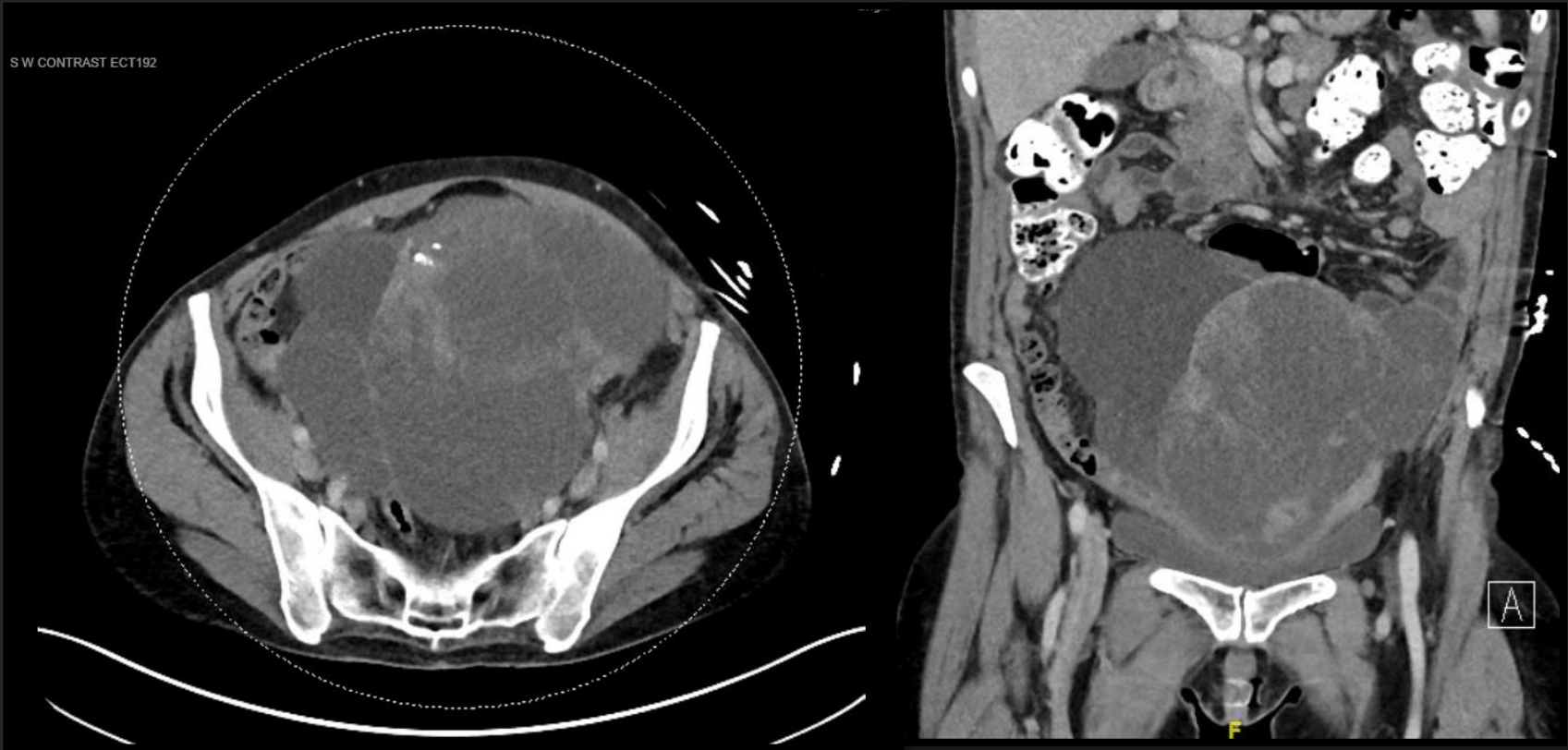


## CASE 5

55 year old woman with progressive lower abdominal pain

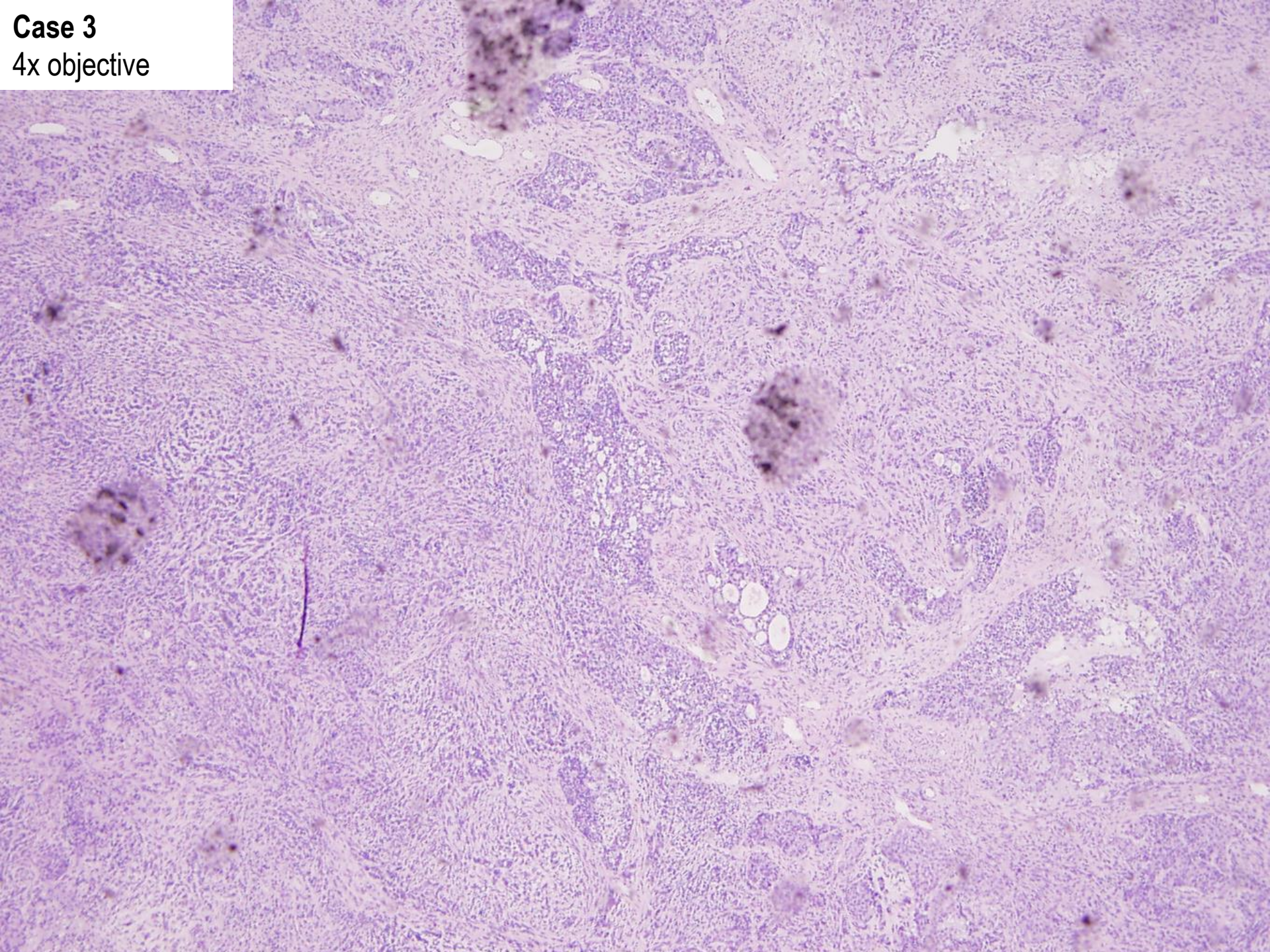


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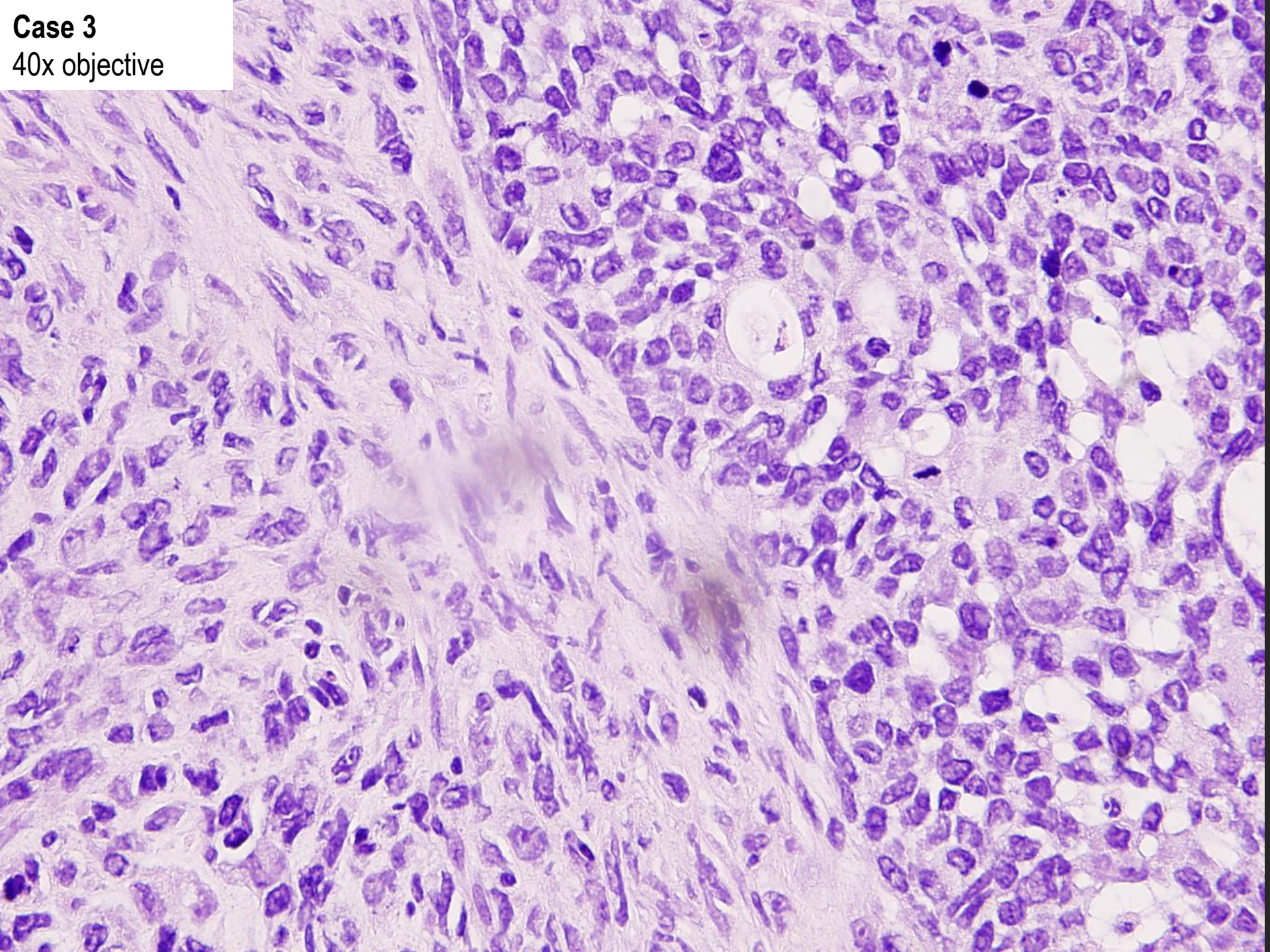


**Case 3**  
4x objective



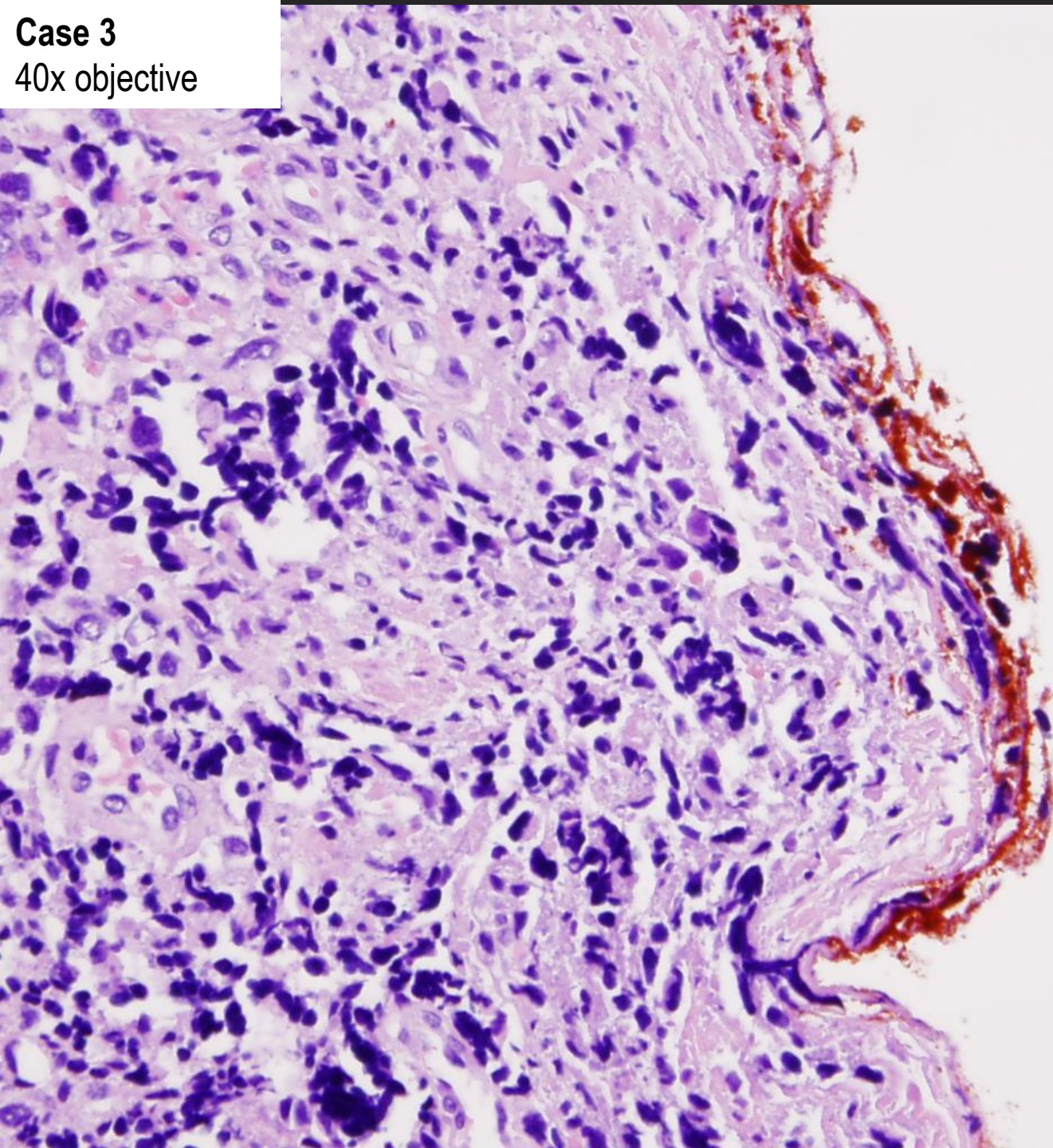


**Case 3**  
40x objective

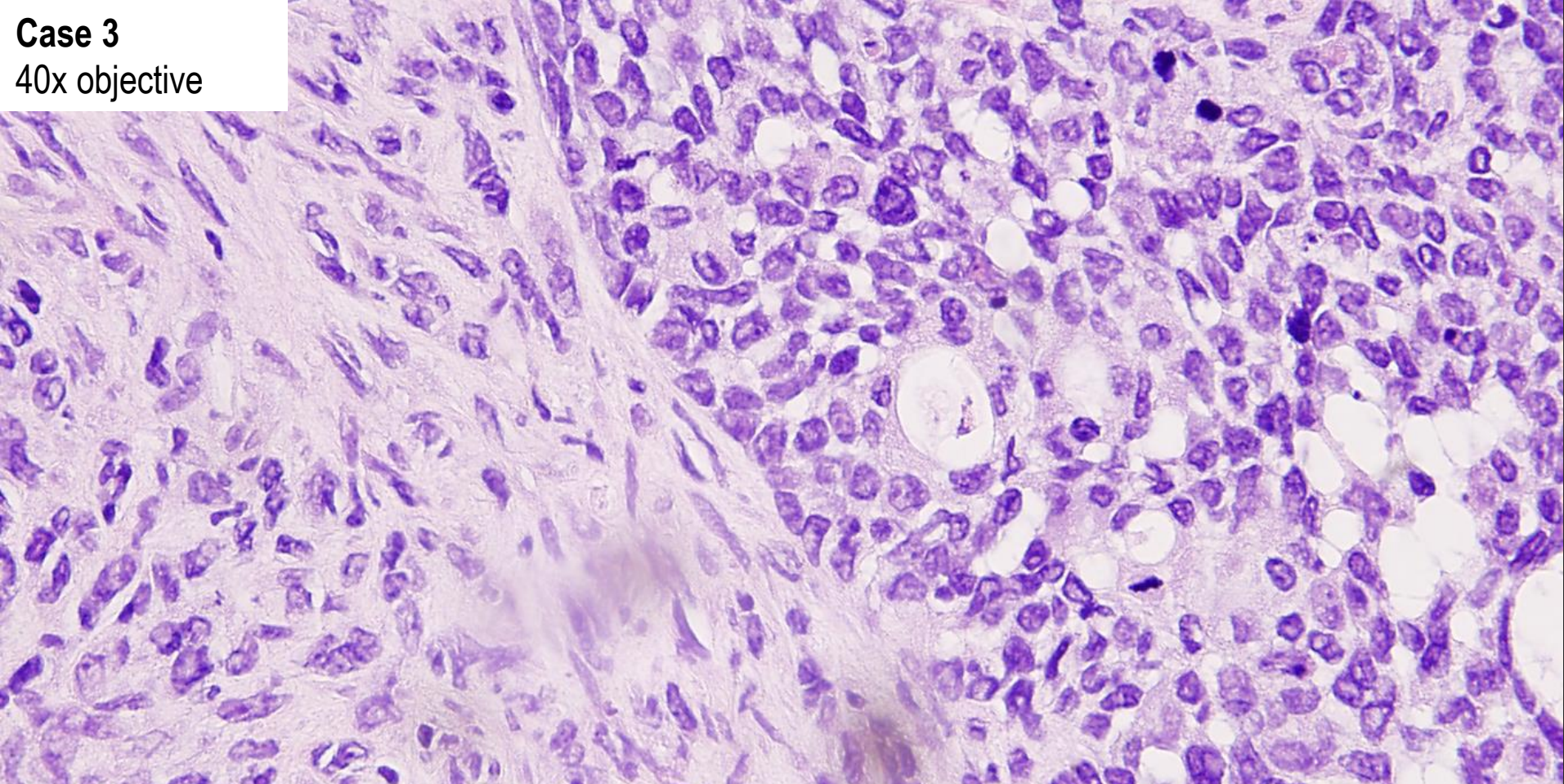




**Case 3**  
40x objective







Endomyometrium and serosa:

CARCINOSARCOMA, present as two foci (7.0 and 5.0 cm), involving uterine wall and lower uterine segment.

The epithelial component is a high grade Mullerian carcinoma and the sarcomatous component is undifferentiated homologous sarcoma.

Tumor invades through the full thickness of the myometrium and is present at the serosa (slide A7).



# Carcinosarcoma of the Ovary

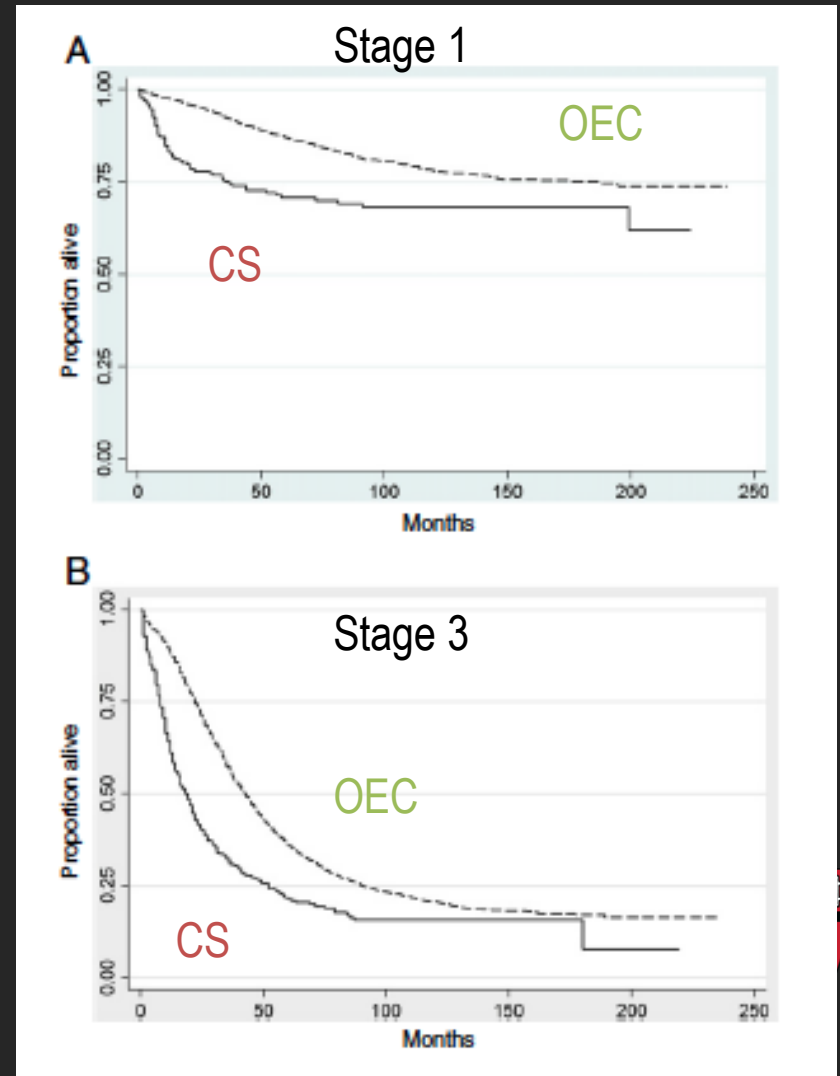
1-4% of all ovarian malignancies

Contains **carcinomatous (epithelial)** and **sarcomatous (mesenchymal)** elements

Pathogenesis: Collision v. Combination v. Conversion

Extremely poor prognosis

No reliable imaging features to date.



## CASE 6

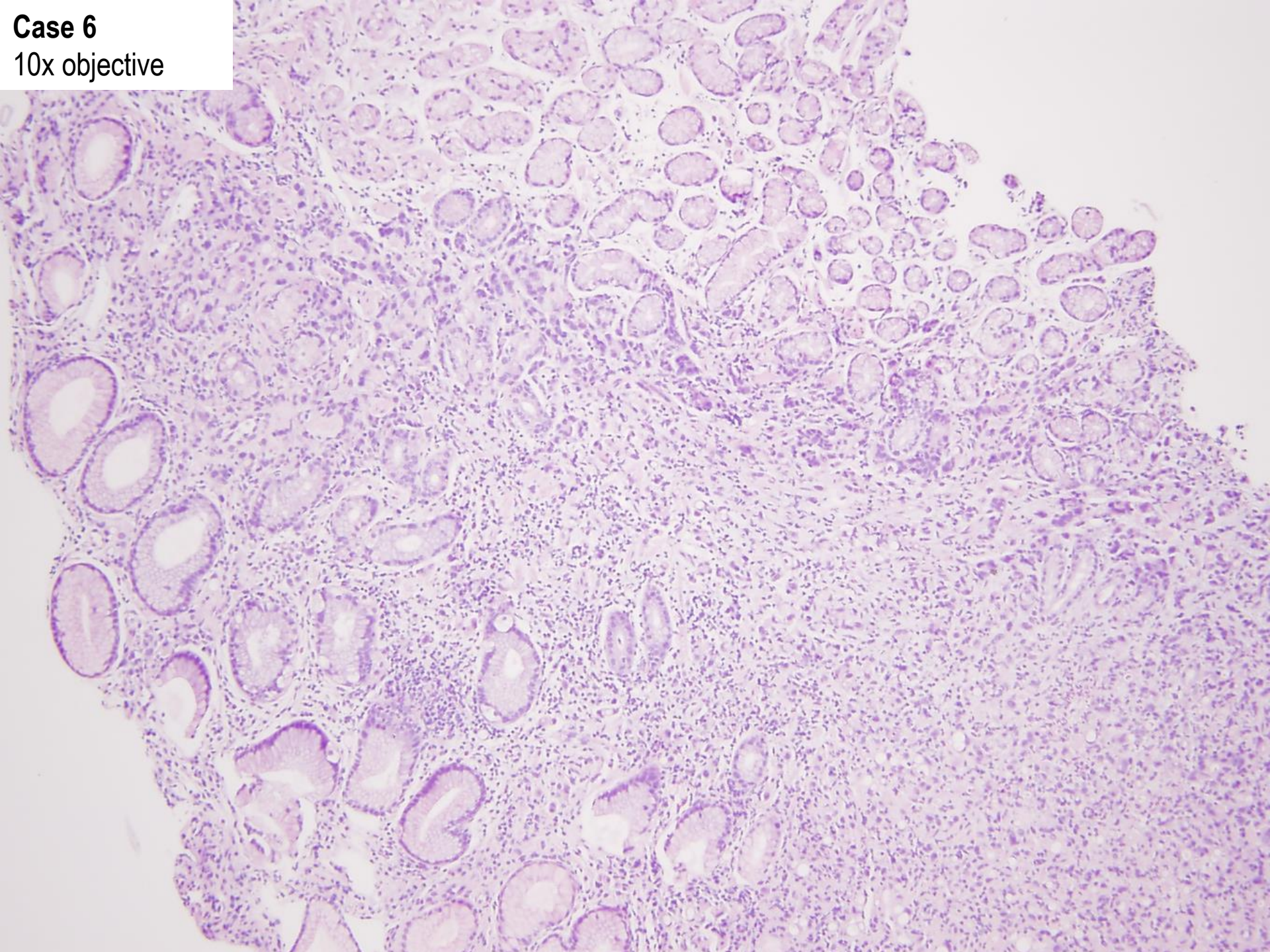
49 year old woman with history of gastric cancer s/p gastrectomy and adjuvant chemotherapy





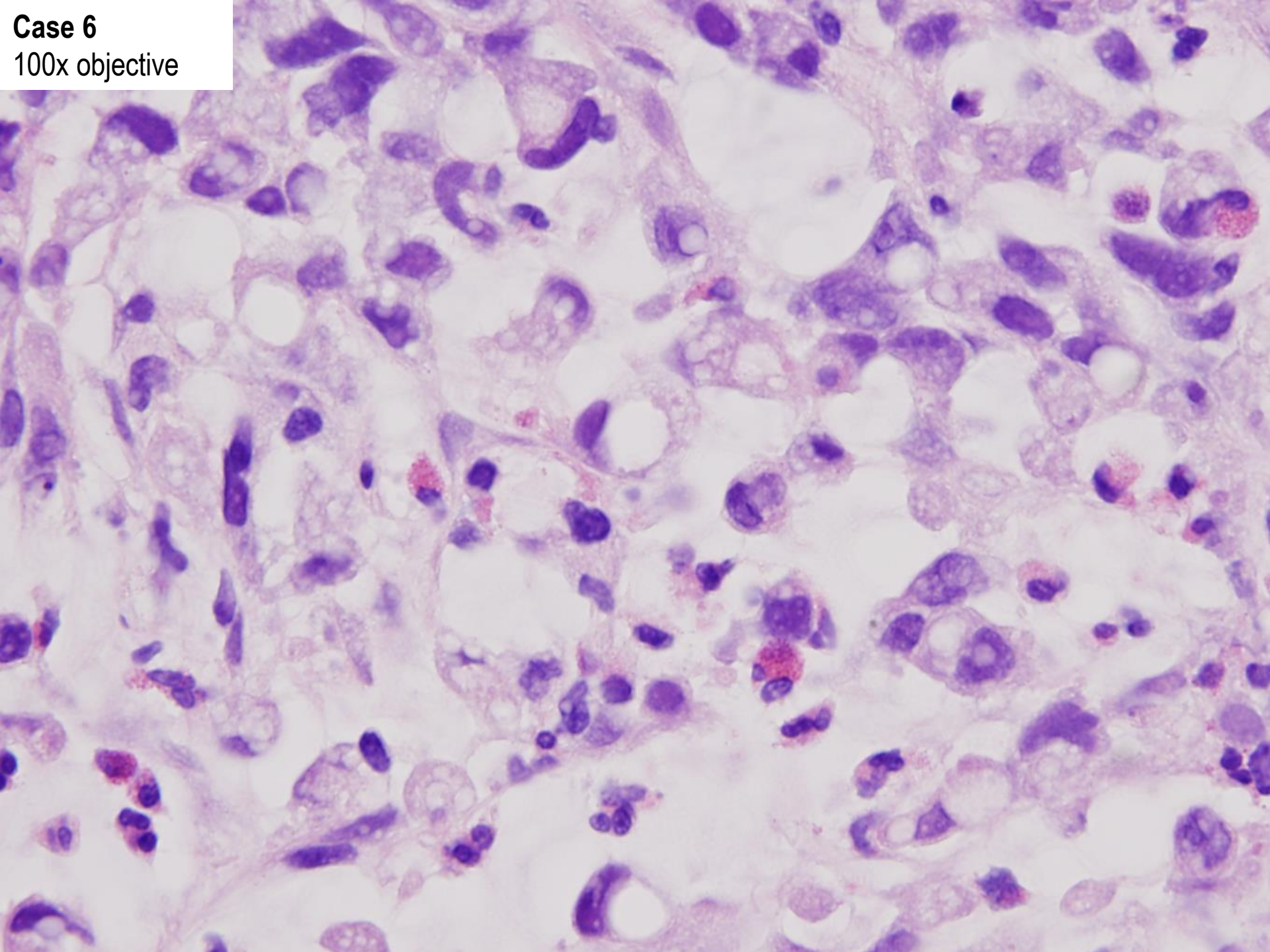


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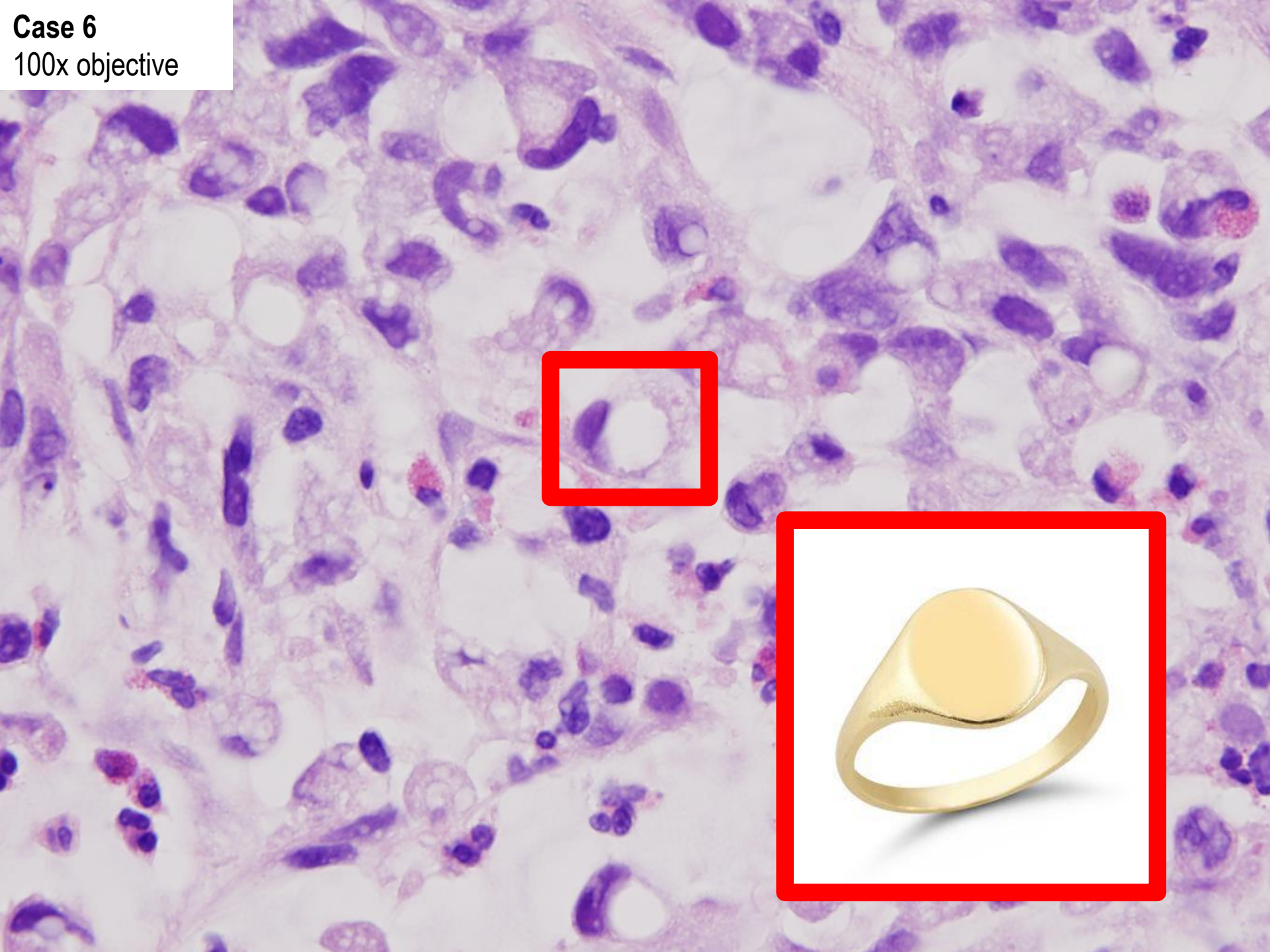


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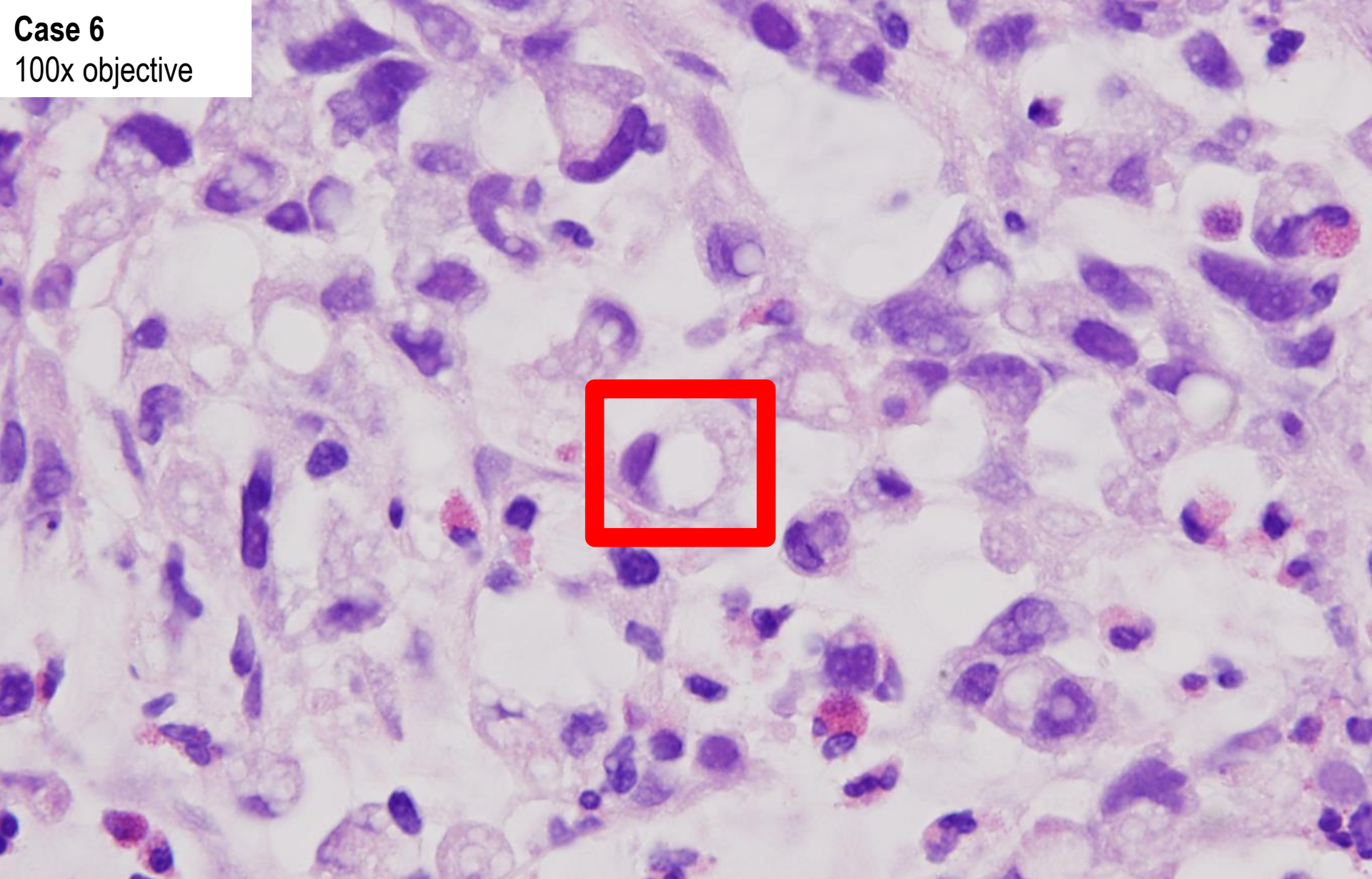




**Case 6**  
100x objective



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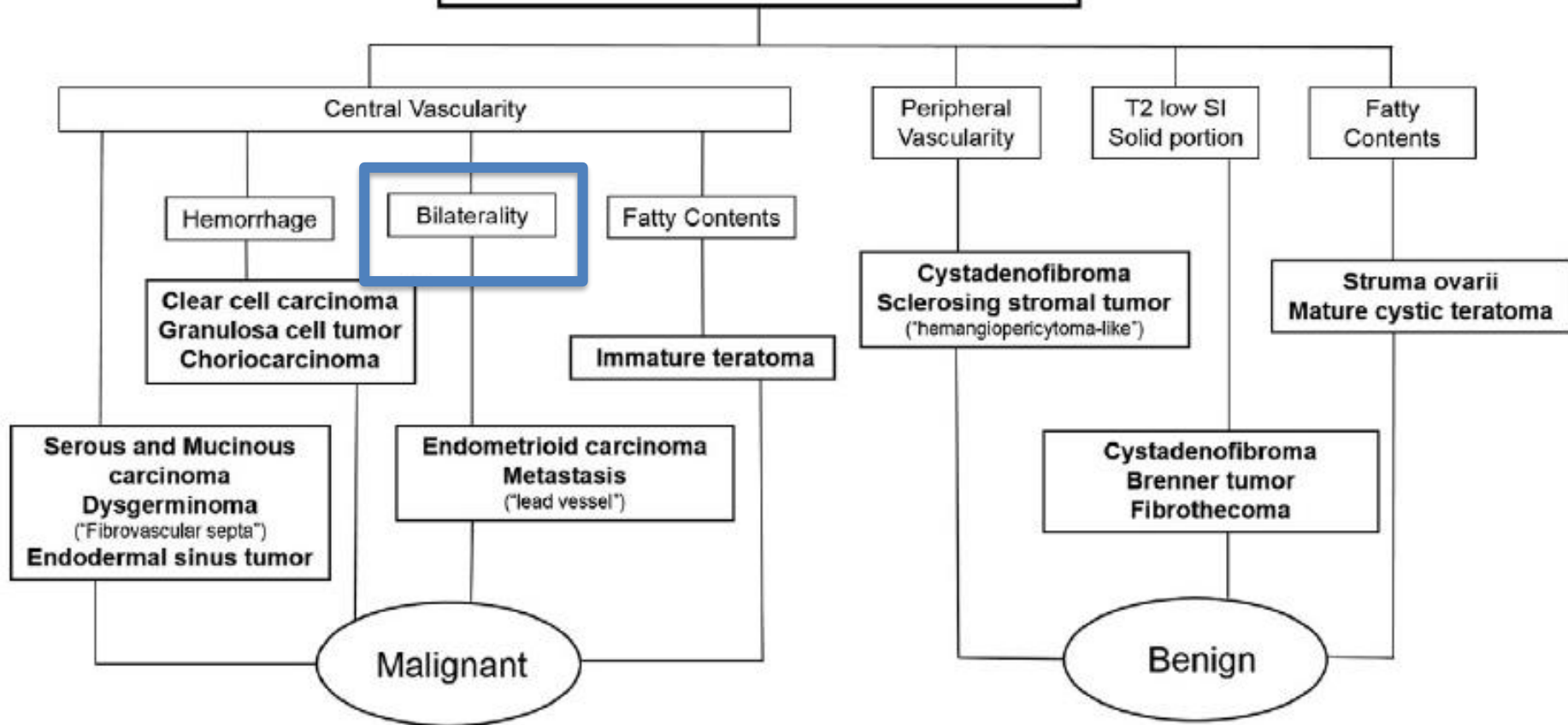


**A. GASTRIC BIOPSY:**

**POORLY DIFFERENTIATED ADENOCARCINOMA WITH SIGNET-RING-CELL FEATURES.**



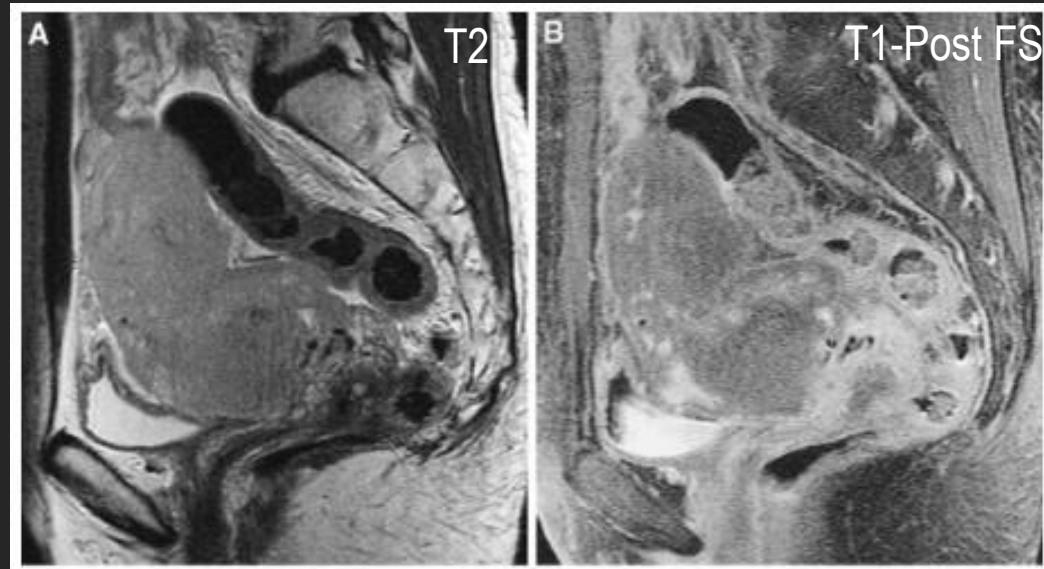
## Complex Solid and Multicystic Ovarian Lesions





# Differential Dx: Bilateral, Solid Ovarian Mass

1. Metastases
2. Primary Ovarian Malignancy
3. Lymphoma



# Ovarian Metastases

7% of all ovarian solid tumors

Transperitoneal (“Drop Mets”),  
hematogenous, and lymphatic  
origin

60-80% bilateral

Colon is #1 source: “Stained  
Glass” appearance

Other flavors:

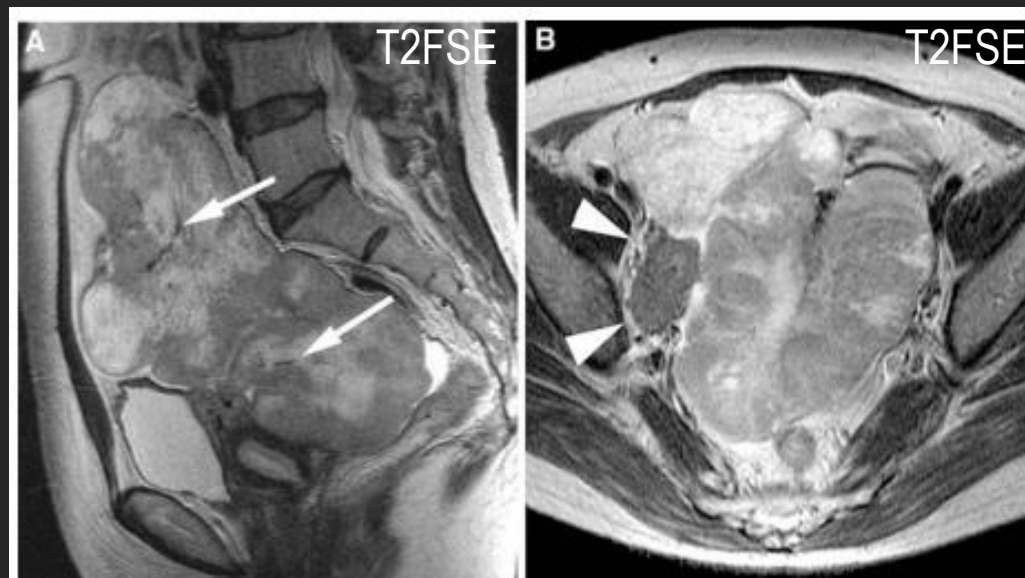
Breast: <5cm

Appendiceal: *Pseudomyxoma  
Peritonei*



# True “Krukenberg” Tumors

- “Signet Ring Cell” >10% on pathology
- 76% gastric primary
- Radiographic Features:
  - Solid (Bilateral)
  - Intermediate T1, low or high T2 (cystic and necrotic areas)





# Teaching Points

Review Three cell lines comprising ovarian neoplasm

Describe approach to ovarian masses with cross-sectional imaging

Case 1: Mucinous Cystadenoma

Understand benign vs. borderline & features

Case 2: Cystadenofibroma

Understand risk of torsion, association with Meigs and Gorlin

Case 3: Ovarian Epithelial Adenocarcinoma

Understand two theories of pathogenesis

Review FIGO Staging

Case 4: Endometrioma

T1 bright spots, hematosalpinx, T2 dark infiltration

Review common sites and US findings

Possible precursor lesion for malignancy

Case 5: Carcinosarcoma

Understand pathology and poor prognosis

Case 6: Krukenberg Tumor

Understand short ddx for bilateral masses

“True” Krukenberg definition



Thank you!!



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