

Latin Comparative Pathology Group

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Diagnostic Exercise

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Clinical History: 3-week-old, female Holstein calf with rapidly progressive inappetance, apathy, and abdominal bloat.

Laboratory Findings: None available.

Necropsy Findings: Bloated abdomen, marked dehydration, and striking gross changes in the abomasum (see image below).

Gross and/or microscopic image:



Follow-up questions: Morphologic diagnosis, two possible causes.

Please send your comments/questions to (*Vinicius.carreira@mpiresearch.com*). A final document containing this material with answers and a brief discussion will be posted on the C. L. Davis website by the end of the current month (http://www.cldavis.org/lcpq_english.html).