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2 1-2 % T1 T2 T1 T2
(primitive neuroepithelial tumor),
(astrocytoma), (teratoma),
(choroid plexus papilloma) (1).
(desmoplastic infantile ganglioglioma) 1
(desmoplastic reaction) (Fig. 1).
(2). 가
(cytology)
가
16 가 6 6 cell (spindle
(hyperchromatic) (Fig. 2A).
(Fig. 2B).
(++), (+++), (++)
7 X 5 cm
가 6 cm 가
VandenBerg (3) 1987

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(meningeal sarcoma)

(gliosarcoma)

(fibrillary astrocytoma)

(4).

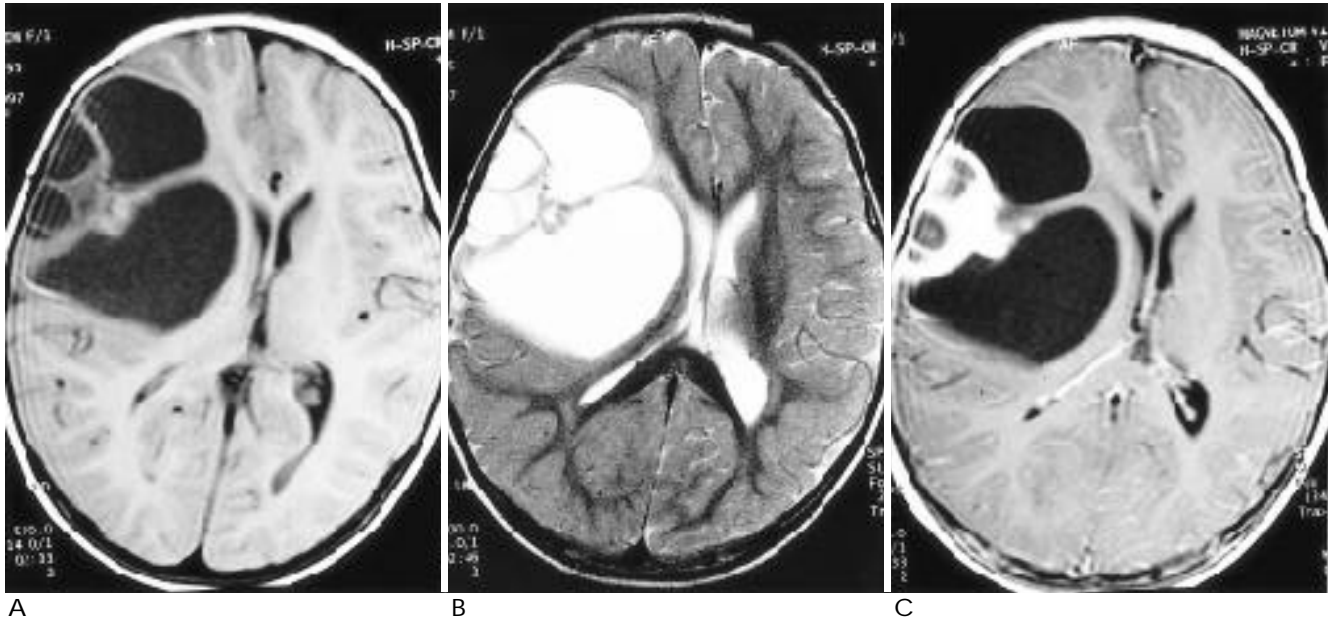


Fig. 1. A. T1-weighted axial scan demonstrates about 5×7 cm sized multiseptated cystic and solid mass in right superficial frontotemporoparietal area. The solid portion shows iso-intense signal to gray matter, and wall of cystic portion shows slightly high signal intensity.

B. The signal of solid portion is higher than gray matter, and that of cystic wall is isointense on T2-weighted image.

C. After contrast injection, solid portion enhances strongly, but cystic wall does not.

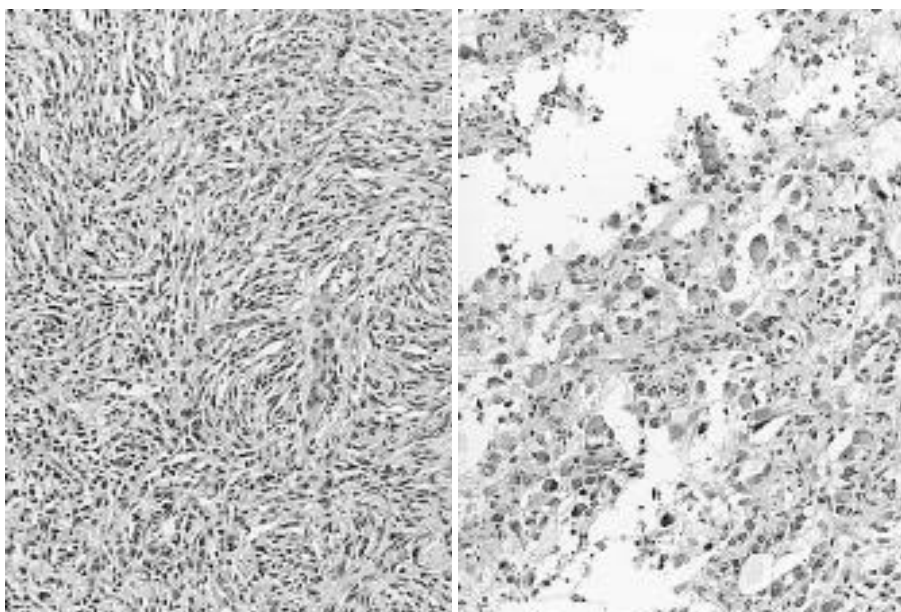


Fig. 2. The cut surface of specimen shows multiple cystic spaces and pinkish whitish homogeneous solid areas.

A. Microscopic finding of homogeneous solid area (H & E stain, $\times 100$) shows desmoplastic reaction with storiform growth pattern. This area is composed of neoplastic astrocytes.

B. In cystic spaces, many abnormal ganglion cells are present and they are loosely arranged due to microcystic change (H & E stain, $\times 200$). This is a typical histology of desmoplastic infantile ganglioglioma.

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50-70%

30-60%

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(pilocytic astrocytoma),
(pleomorphic xanthoastrocytoma),

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Desmoplastic Infantile Ganglioglioma : A Case Report¹

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Desmoplastic infantile ganglioglioma is an uncommon variety of ganglioglioma that shows evidence of glial and ganglionic differentiation accompanied by an extreme desmoplastic reaction. A 16-month-old girl was admitted with a six-day history of left hemiparesis. MR imaging demonstrated a large multiseptated cystic mass, with a solid portion, in the white matter of the right frontotemporoparietal lobe. After contrast injections, the solid portion was clearly enhanced. The presence of desmoplastic infantile ganglioglioma was confirmed by surgical resection. We describe the characteristic radiologic and pathologic features of desmoplastic infantile ganglioglioma, and include a review of the literature.

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