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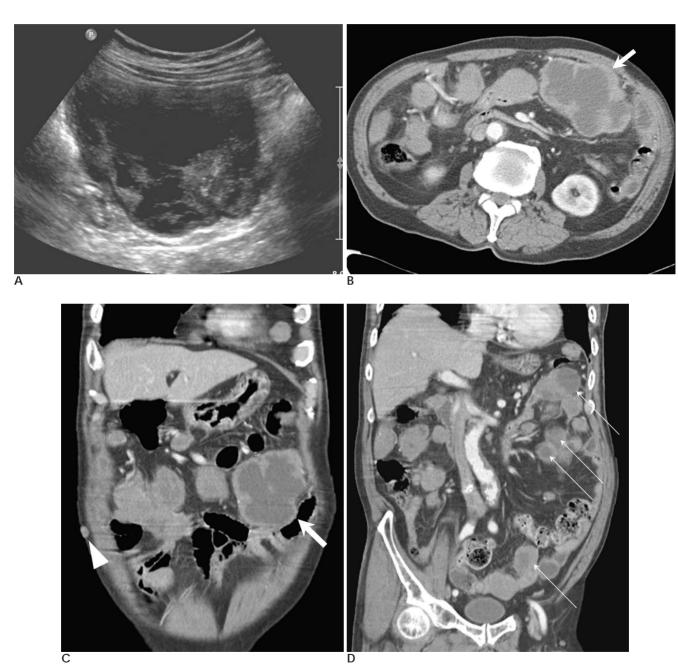
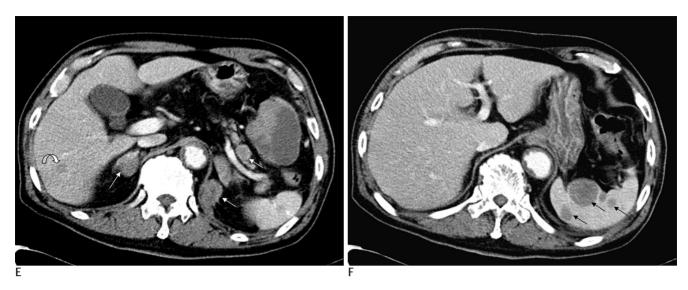


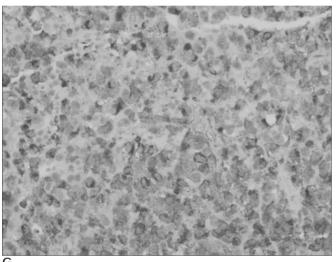
Fig. 1. A 80-year-old man with metastatic malignant melanoma.

A. Abdominal ultrasonography shows mainly cystic huge mass with multiple septation in left mesentery.

B, C. Abdomen axial and coronal multidetector CT images represent multiseptated, cystic huge mass with peripheral solid portion in left mesentery (thick arrow). Coronal multidetector CT image also reveals a small subcutaneous nodule in abdominal wall (arrowhead).

**D.** Abdomen coronal multidetector CT image shows multiple mesenteric cystic masses (long arrows) involving adjacent ileum and descending colon.





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**Fig. 1. E, F.** Abdomen axial multidetector CT images represent low attenuated lesion in right lobe of the liver (curved arrow) and multiple low attenuated lesions in both adrenal glands, tail of the pancreas (short white arrows), and spleen (short black arrows).

**G.** Melanin is demonstrated by immunohistochemical staining for HMB45 ( x 200).

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## Metastatic Malignant Melanoma Representing a Multiple Mesenteric Cystic Tumor: A Case Report<sup>1</sup>

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A metastatic malignant melanoma is a malignant tumor which can involve virtually every organ system. It has variable radiographic findings which mostly indicate solid masses in the mesentery. We report here on a case of a metastatic malignant melanoma, which is made up of multiple mesenteric cystic tumors that need to differentiate from the mesenteric cystic tumor. These include the cystic spindle cell tumor, cystic teratoma, cystic mesothelioma as well as the mesenteric cystic and the solid tumor, which in turn comprises the gastrointestinal stromal tumor, lymphoma and metastatic lesion. The metastatic malignant melanoma can offer a differential diagnosis when the image findings indicate multiple mesenteric cystic masses, multiple organic metastases, and subcutaneous nodules.

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