

CASE PRESENTATION

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○ Patient – men, 32-years-old

○ Admitted to the hospital at 12.09.16 due to kidney biopsy – **no complains**



21.07 – 29.07.2016

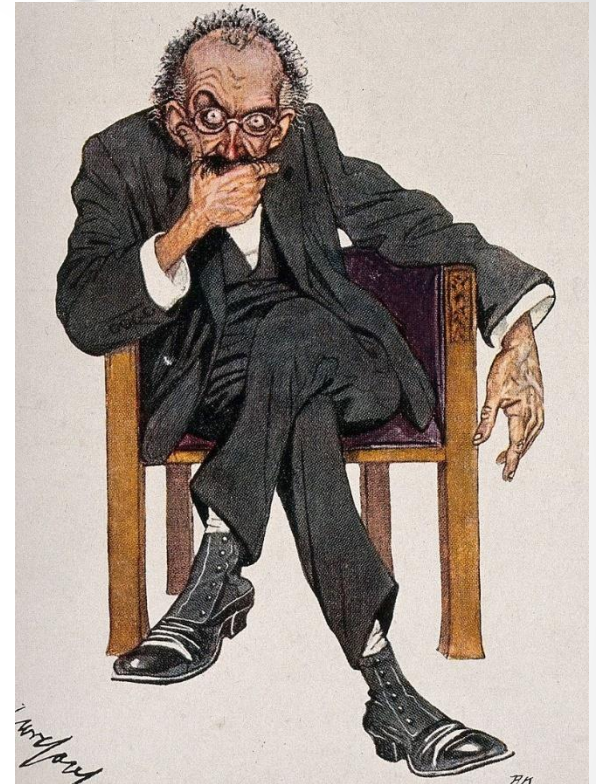
- Admitted to the hospital
- **Acute kidney injury**
 - use of NSAIDs *T.Ibuprofeni* 800-2000 mg, 3 weeks
 - arterial hypertension (BP – 210/100 mmHg)

July – September

- BP with treatment – 140/90 mmHg
- **Over the months**
 - **Creatinine - 326 $\mu\text{mol/l}$ (62-115)**
 - **GFR (MDRD) – 19 ml/min**
 - **Ca – 3,5 mmol/l (2,08-2,65)**

Medical history I

- **Mental disease since he was 14/15 years old**
- **During childhood – pneumonia**
- **Every day medication:**
 - ***T.Pregabalini 75 mg qd***
 - ***T.Quetiapini 25 mg qd***
 - ***T.Tianeptini 12,5 mg qd***
 - ***T.Clonazepami 2 mg qd***
 - ***T.Amlodipini 10 mg qd***
 - ***T.Moxonidini 0,4 mg bid***
 - ***T.Bisoprololi 5 mg qd***



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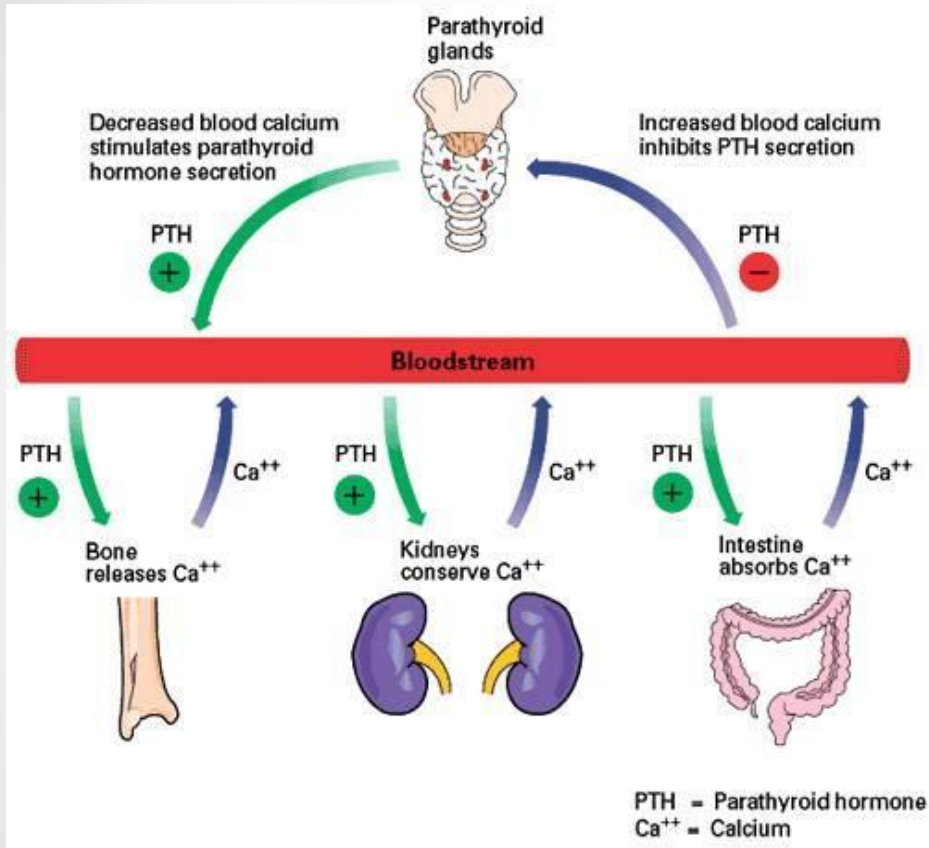
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Thoughts?



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Increased bone resorption

- Malignancy (lung cancer, myeloma, lymphoma)?
- Paget disease?
- Primary hyperparathyroidism (sporadic, familial, MEN1, MEN2)?
- Familial hypocalciuric hypercalcemia?
- Lithium?
- Other?

Increased intestinal absorption

- Milk-alkali syndrome
- Granulomatous disease (tuberculosis, sarcoidosis, leprosy)
- Vitamin D intoxication

Decreased renal excretion

- AKI?
- Pheochromocytoma?
- Thiazide diuretics?
- Other?

Further investigation I

Biochemical analysis

Alpha amylase	58	30 - 118 U/l
Creatinine kinase	63	32 - 294 U/L
LDH	188	208 - 378 U/L
CRO	0,0	0 - 5 mg/L
Glucose	5,7	4,1 - 5,9mmol/l
Creatinine	320	44 - 97 µmol/ml
GFR (MDRD)	20	ml/min/1,73m²
Total bilirubin	12,4	5,1 - 20,5 µmol/ml
BUN	13,1	1,8 - 7,1 mmol/L
K	4,1	3.5 - 5.5 mmol/l
Na	137,6	136 - 146 mmol/l
Ca	3,90	2,08 - 2,65 mmol/l
P	1,5	0,9 - 1,5 mmol/l
Alkaline phosphatase	77	45 - 129 U/L
FT3	3,29	2,3 - 4,2 pg/ml
FT4	1,26	0,89 - 1,76 ng/ml
PTH	14,5	12 - 72 pg/ml
Total protein	69	64 - 83 g/l
Albumin	36,1	37 - 55 g/l

Blood gas analysis

pH	7,505	7,336 - 7,438
pCO2	34,5	35,7 - 45,7 mmHg
pO2	112.5	77,2 - 97,2 mmHg
Ca (ionised)	1,81	1,15 - 1,27 mmol/l
SO ₂	98,5%	

Urine analysis

24 hour urine amount	7,1 l	
Urine calcium	27,76	2,2-2,6 mmol/24h

Further investigation I

- **Skeletal scintigraphy** – strong metabolic activity around bone epiphysis, not typical for inflammation, more likely **due to metabolic disease**.
- **Native chest CT** – most likely **sarcoidosis** with cervical, axillar, mediastinal **lymphadenopathy** (\emptyset 1 – 1,3 cm) that should be differentiated between **miliary tuberculosis**.
- **Native abdomen CT** – typical kidney cysts. Angiolipoma of right kidney. Inguinal and retroperitoneal **lymphadenopathy** (\emptyset 1,1 – 1,2 cm).

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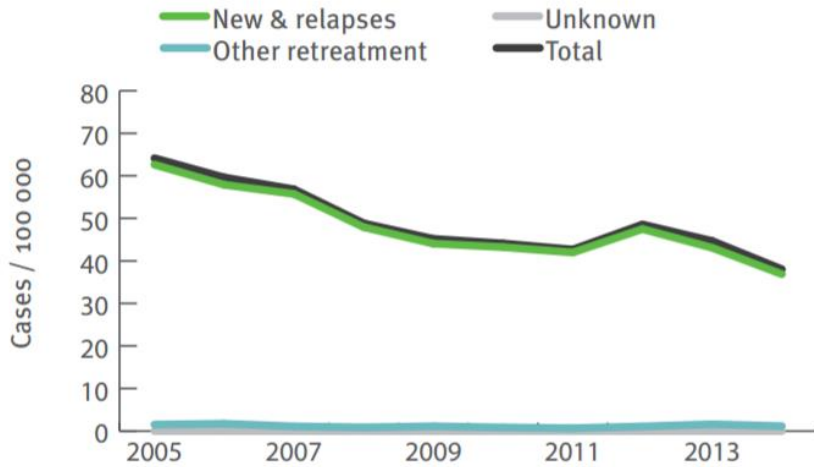
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Tuberculosis notification rates by treatment history, 2005–2014



Tuberculosis Europe

< 5 per 100 000

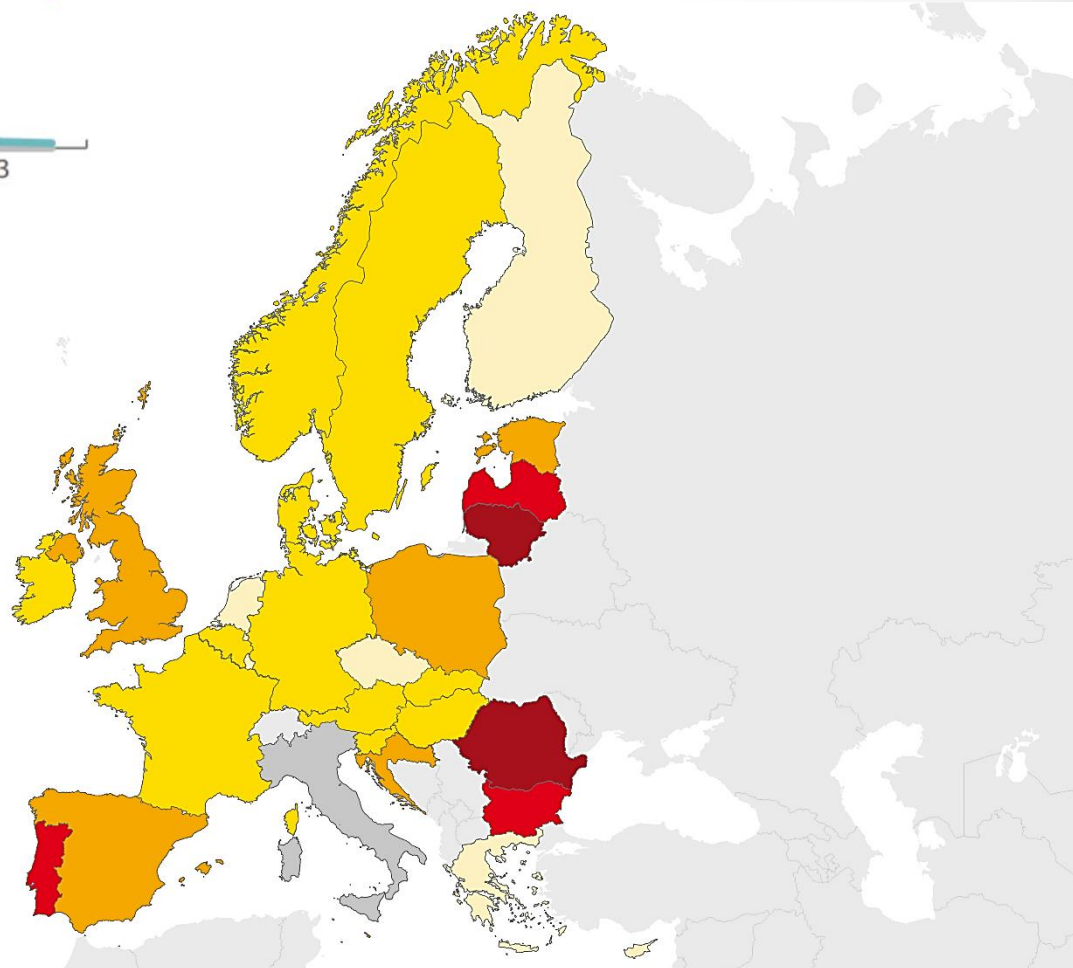
5 to 9 per 100 000

10 to 19 per 100 000

20 to 49 per 100 000

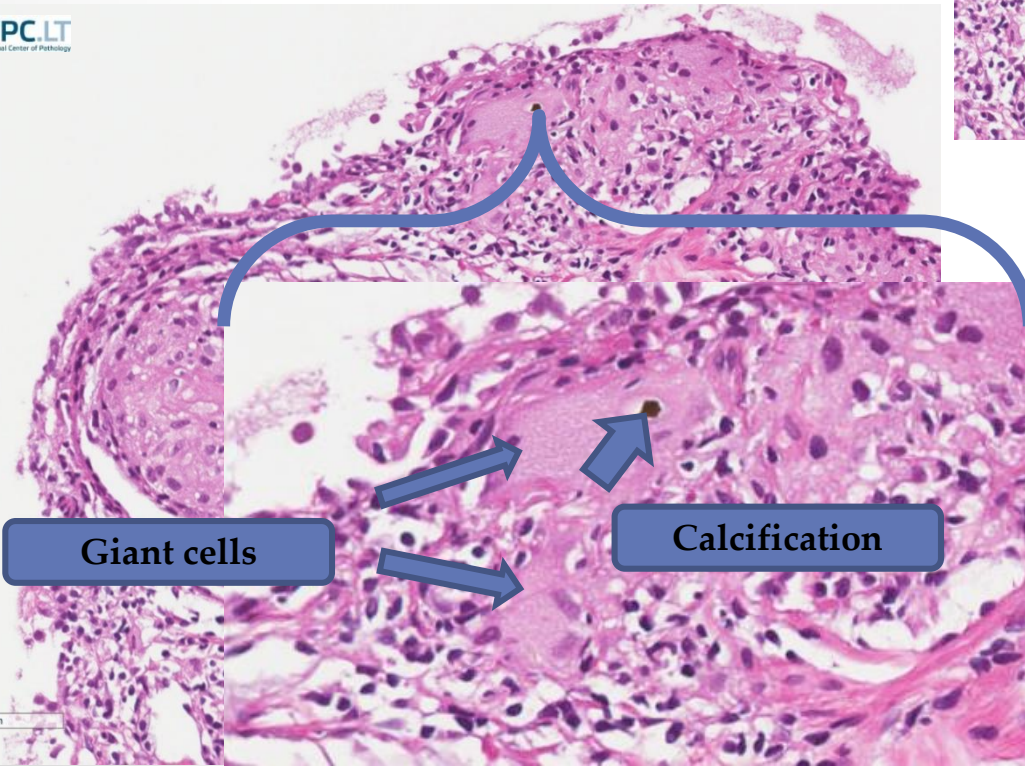
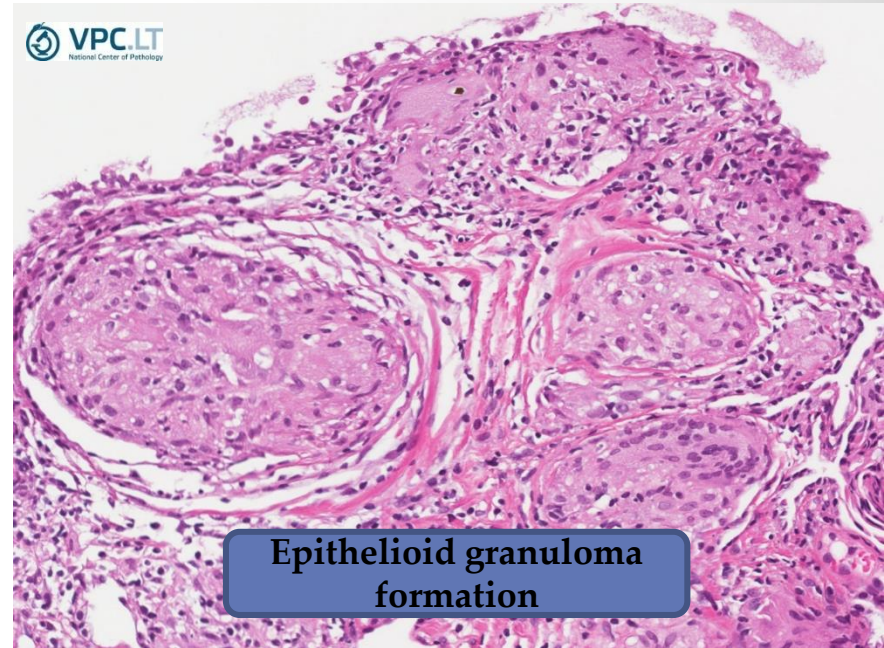
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Bronchoscopy – lung biopsy

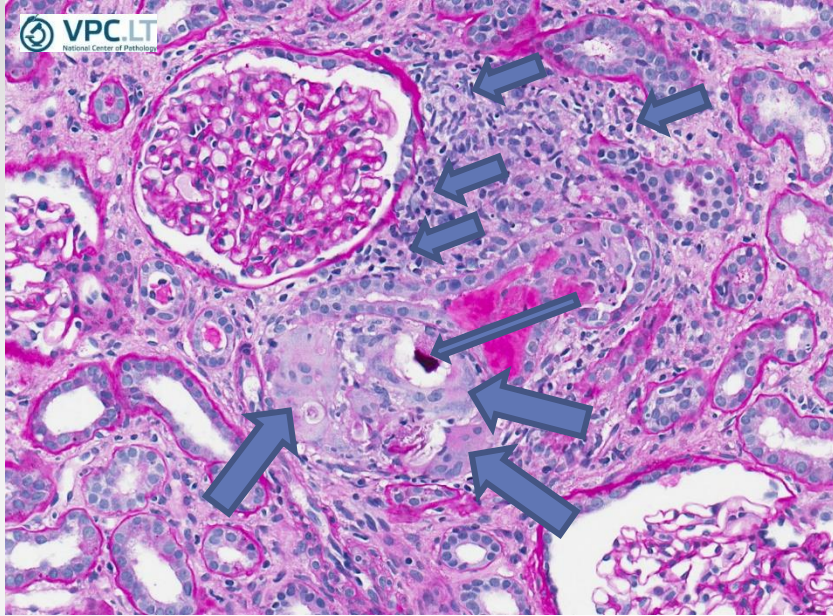
- Bronchoscopy - within normal range
- Transbronchial lung biopsy – left lower lobe
- Bronchial washing for tuberculosis diagnostics



Lung tissue with **fully formed epithelioid granulomas** and surrounding tissue fibrosis.

Multinucleated giant cells with intracytoplasmic mineralization are visible.

Kidney biopsy



The interstitium is focally expanded with **mononuclear cell infiltrates** occupying approx 20% of cortical area.

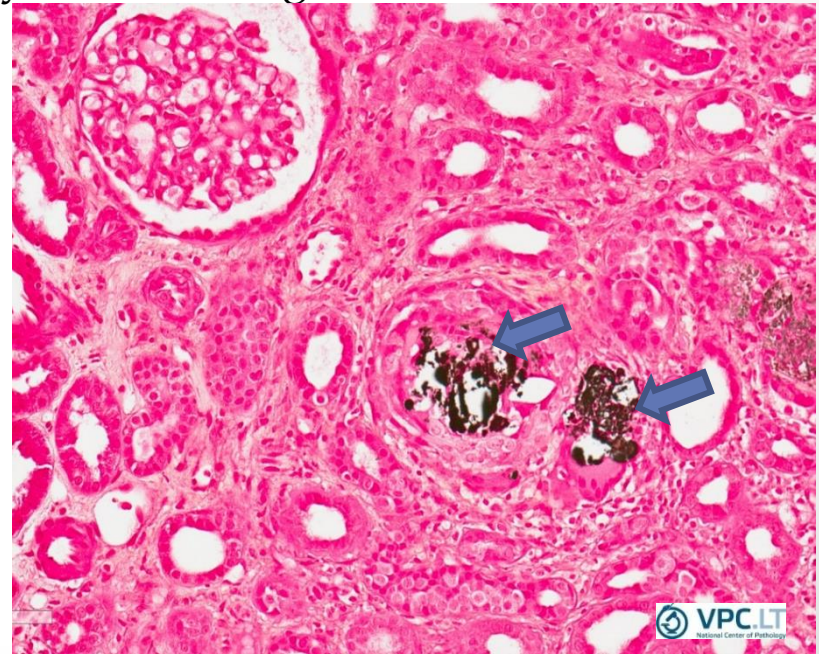
Few calcified deposits in the interstitium.

... surrounded by small groups of giant cells.

The sample contains renal cortex and medulla, 28 glomeruli, 3 of them are globally sclerosed.

Calcified deposits are positive in Van Kossa histochemical staining, which shows that this material is **calcium phosphates**.

Immunofluorescence: non specific and very focal findings.



Final diagnosis?

Bronchial washing:

- Microscopy for ARB **negative**
- GeneXpert TBC **negative**
- BACTEC *M.tuberculosis* **negative**

Lung biopsy result - lung sarcoidosis

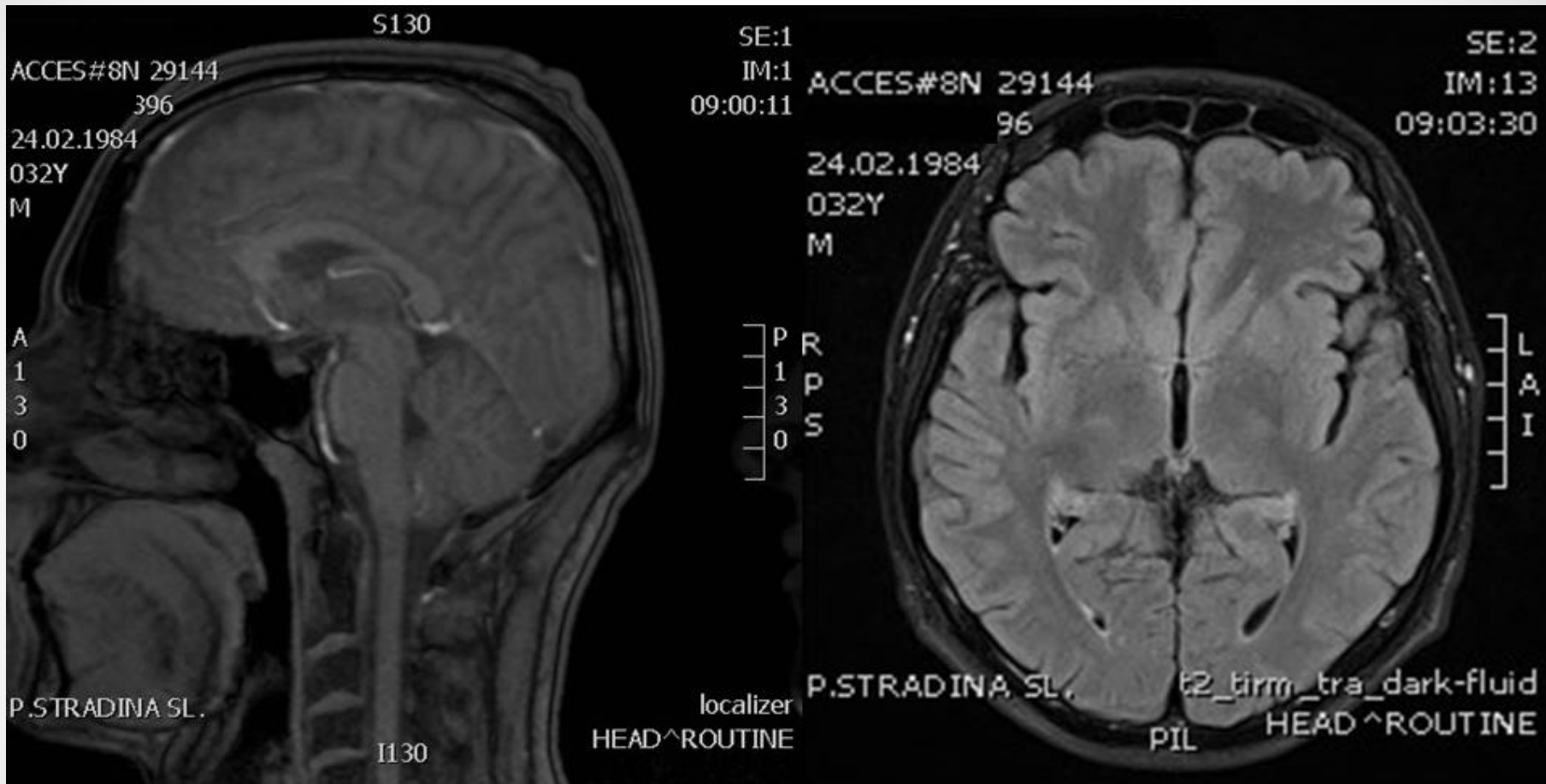
Kidney biopsy result – mild chronic interstitial inflammation with focal calcification

Lung sarcoidosis stage 2

Chronic interstitial nephritis with focal calcinosis

Treatment – *Tab.Prednisoloni 60 mg qd*

Neurosarcoidosis??



Head MRI: No evidence for pathological changes in native MRI are found.

Thank you!

