

Case 39

61 year old Malay female. Core biopsy of a right breast mass at 12 o'clock.

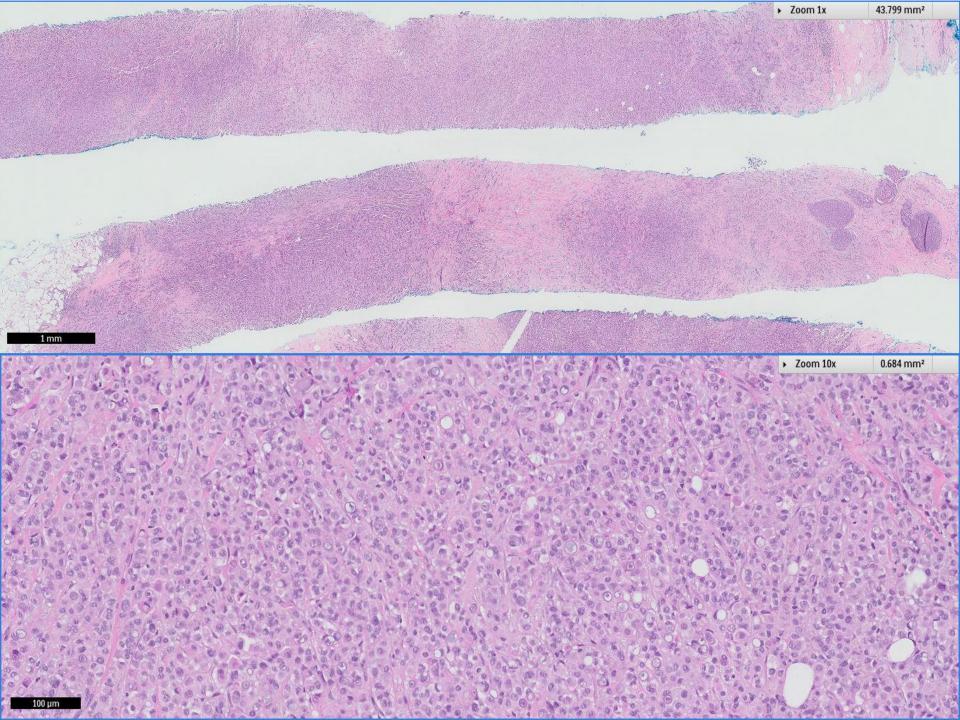


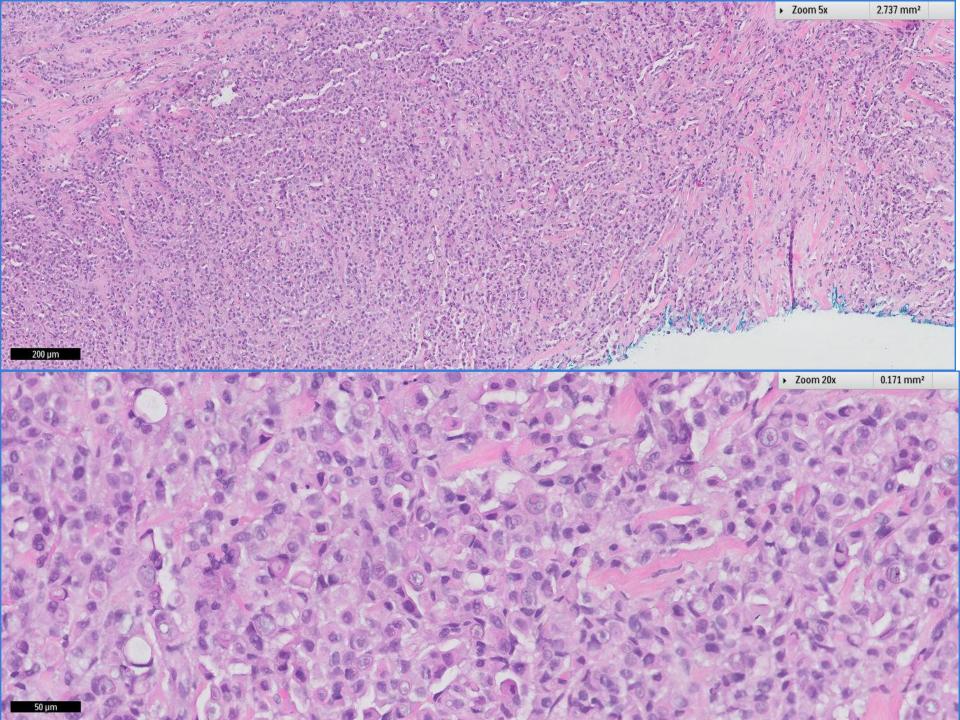


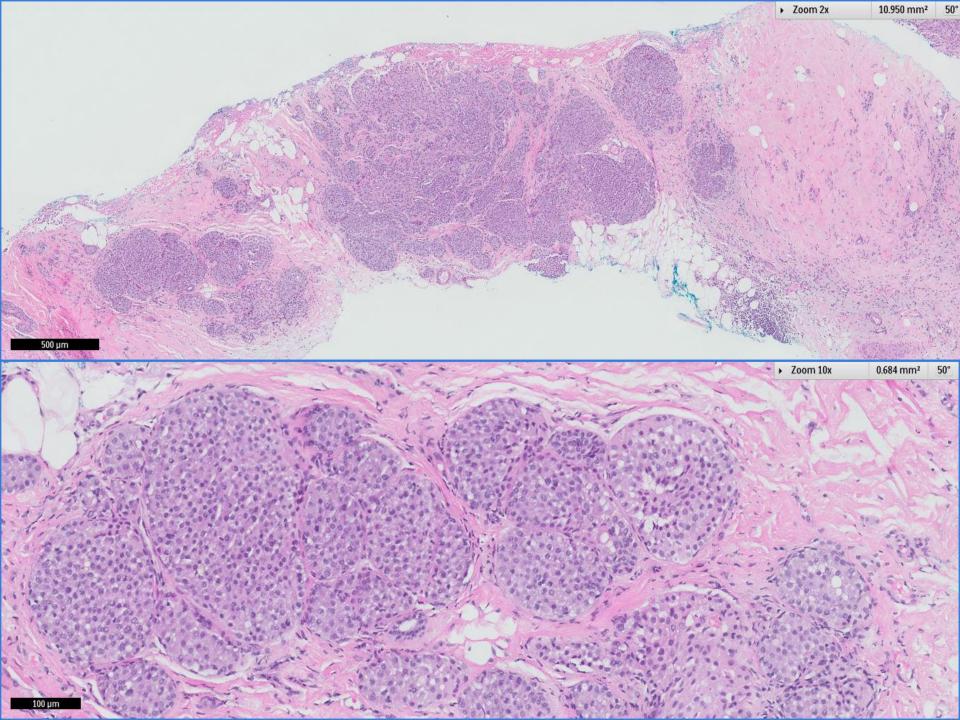




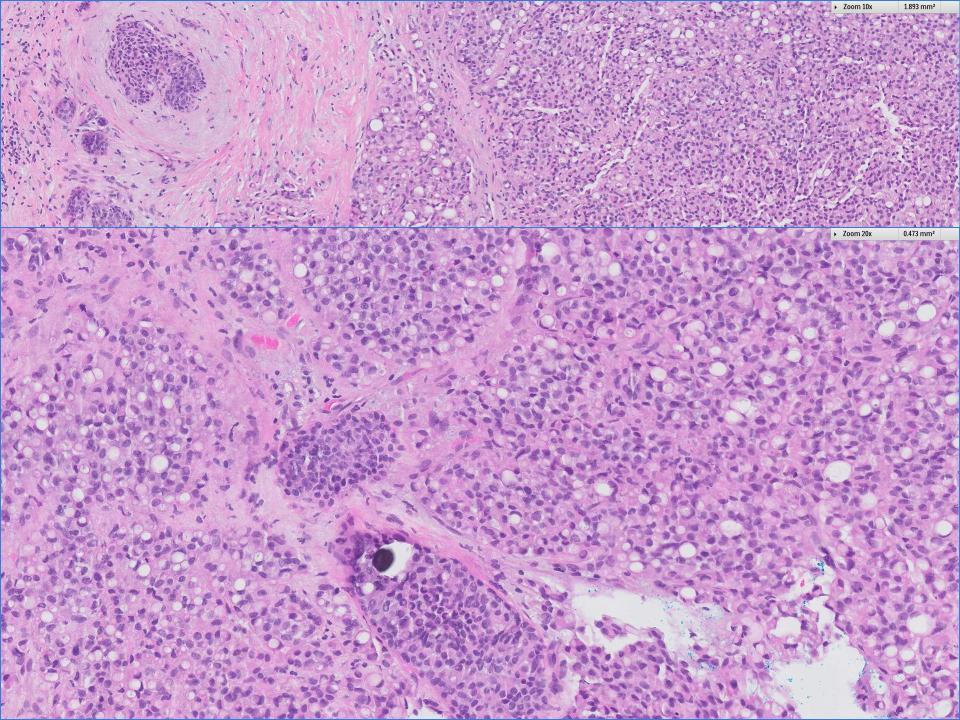


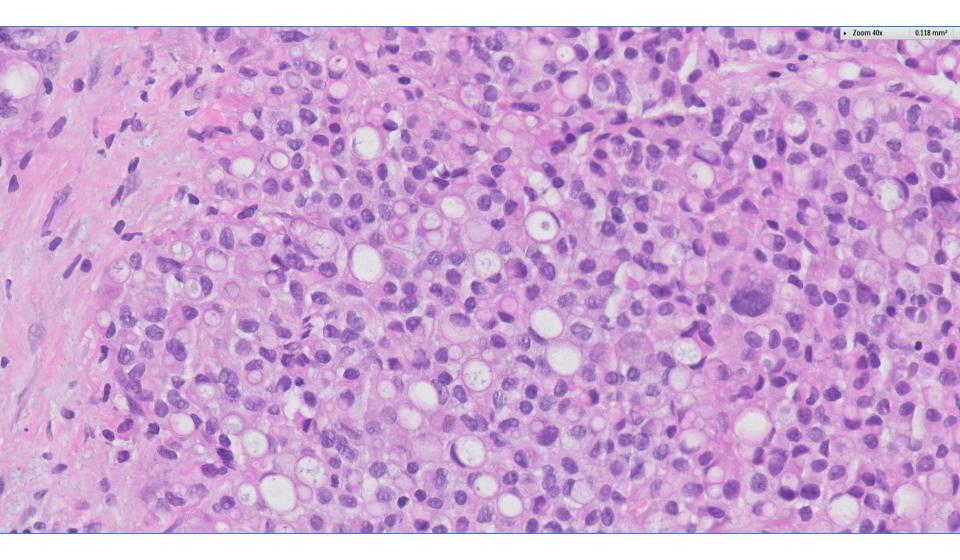


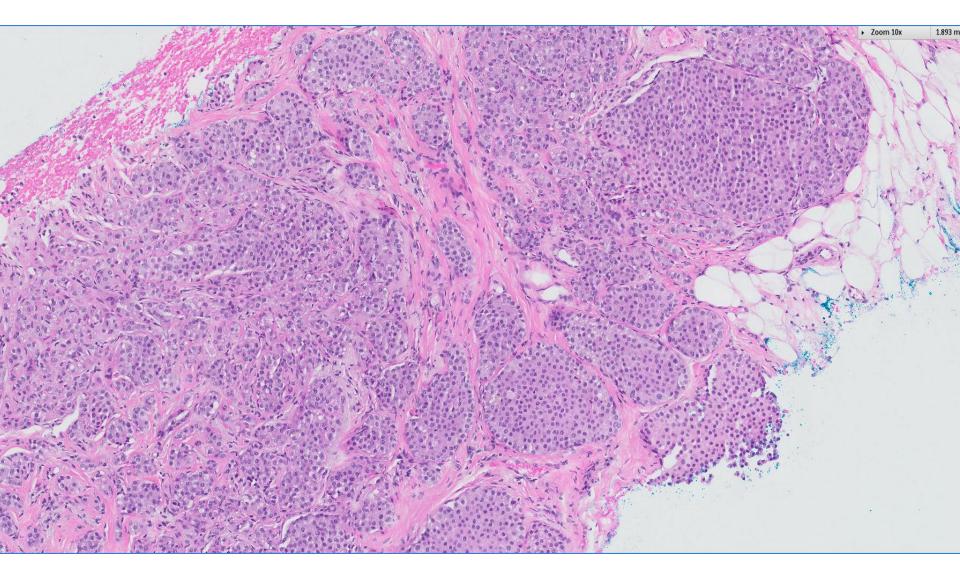




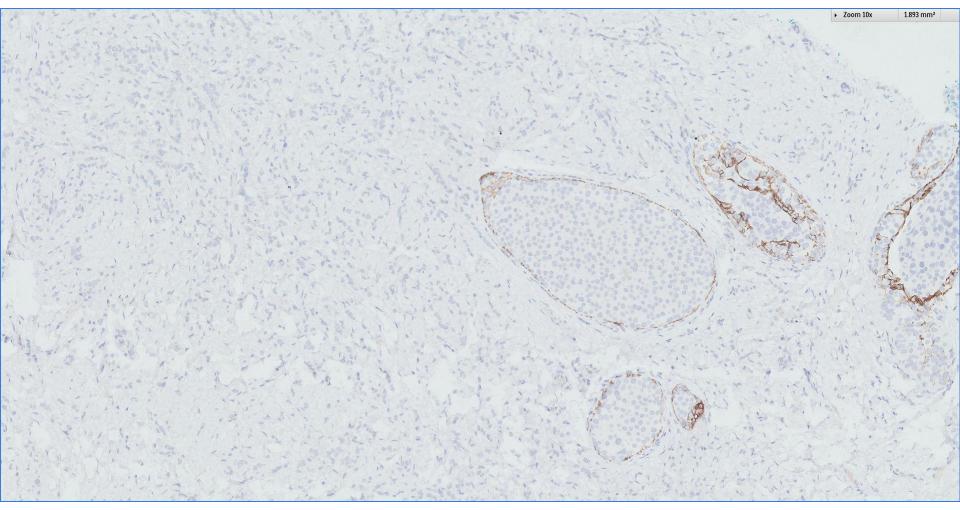
Flower Dome, Gardens by the Bay



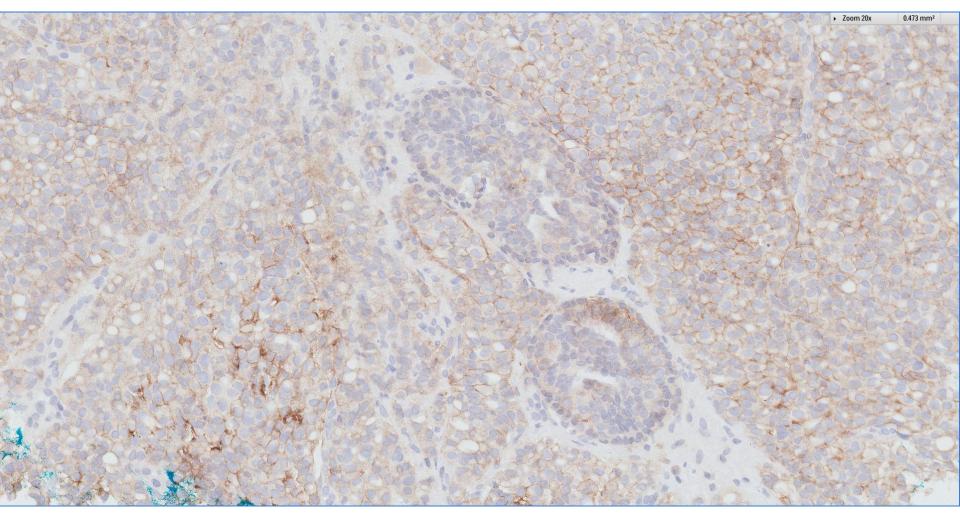




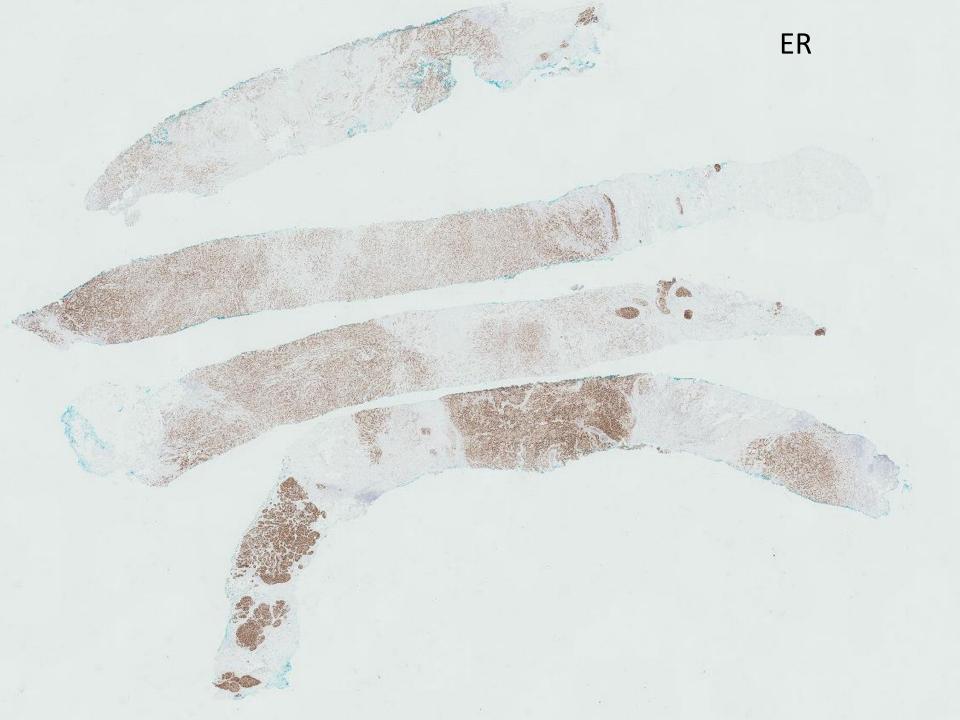


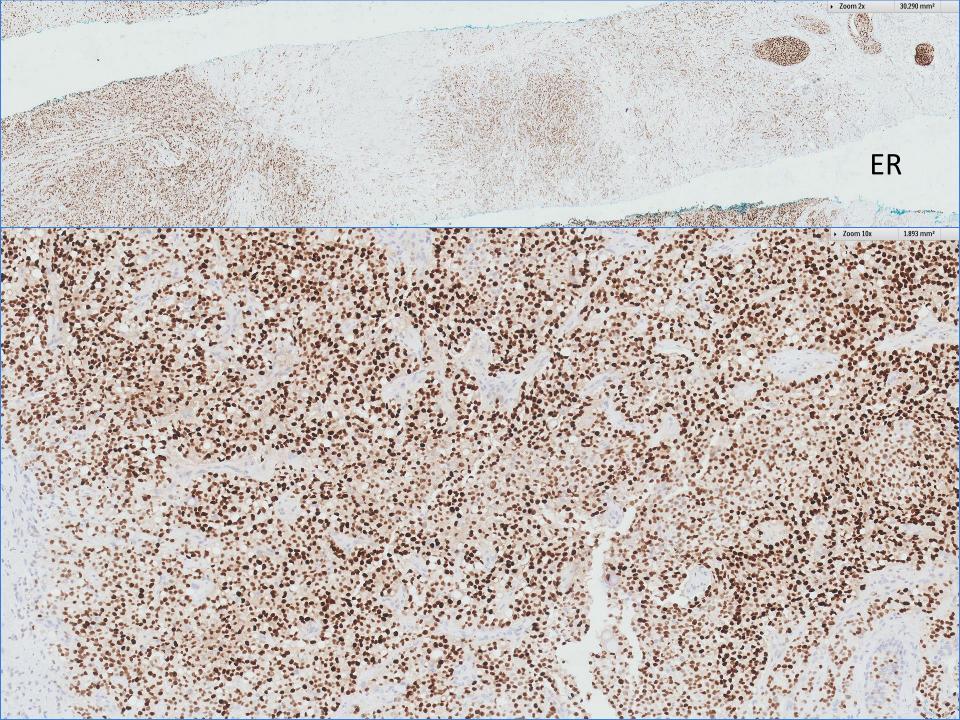


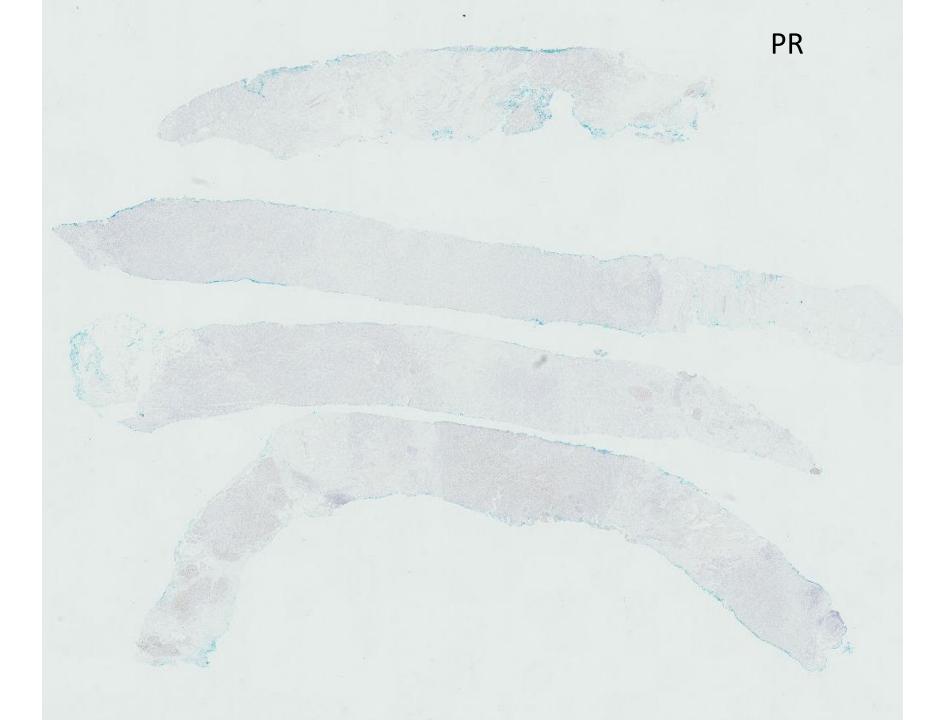
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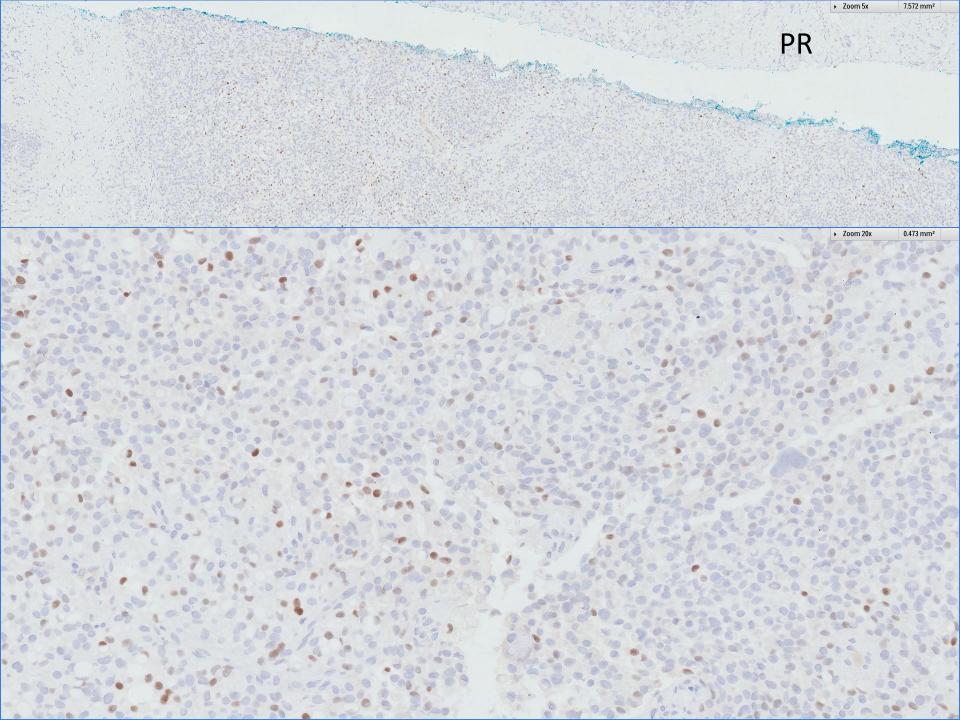


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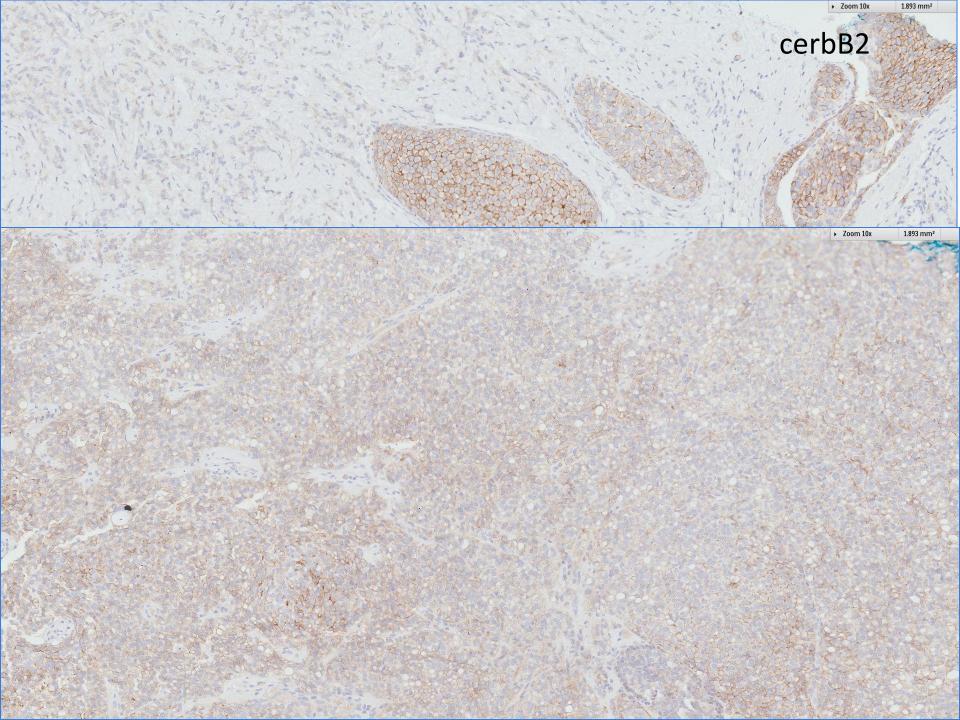




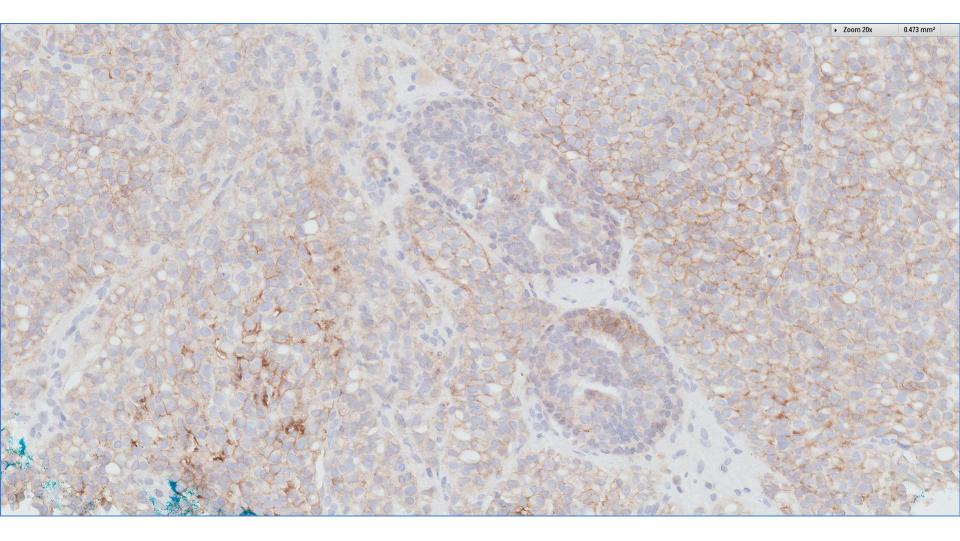








cerbB2



Diagnosis

Right breast mass at 12 o'clock ~ In situ and invasive lobular carcinoma. ER positive, PR negative, cerbB2 equivocal.









Further history

- Recent diagnosis of sigmoid colonic adenocarcinoma pT4b (invading caecum), N1.
- Subsequently developed peritoneal metastases confirmed to be of colonic origin.









Primary breast carcinoma vs metastatic colonic adenocarcinoma

- Compare morphological appearances.
- Presence of in situ carcinoma in the breast favours breast primary.
- Hormone receptors positive in breast primary.
- Immunostains ~
 - CK7+/CK20- in the breast
 - CK7-/CK20+ in the colon
 - Breast markers ~ GCDFP15, mammaglobin, GATA3









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