

**HIGH RESOLUTION ULTRASOUND OF
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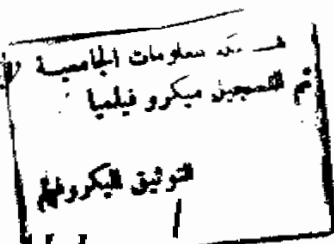
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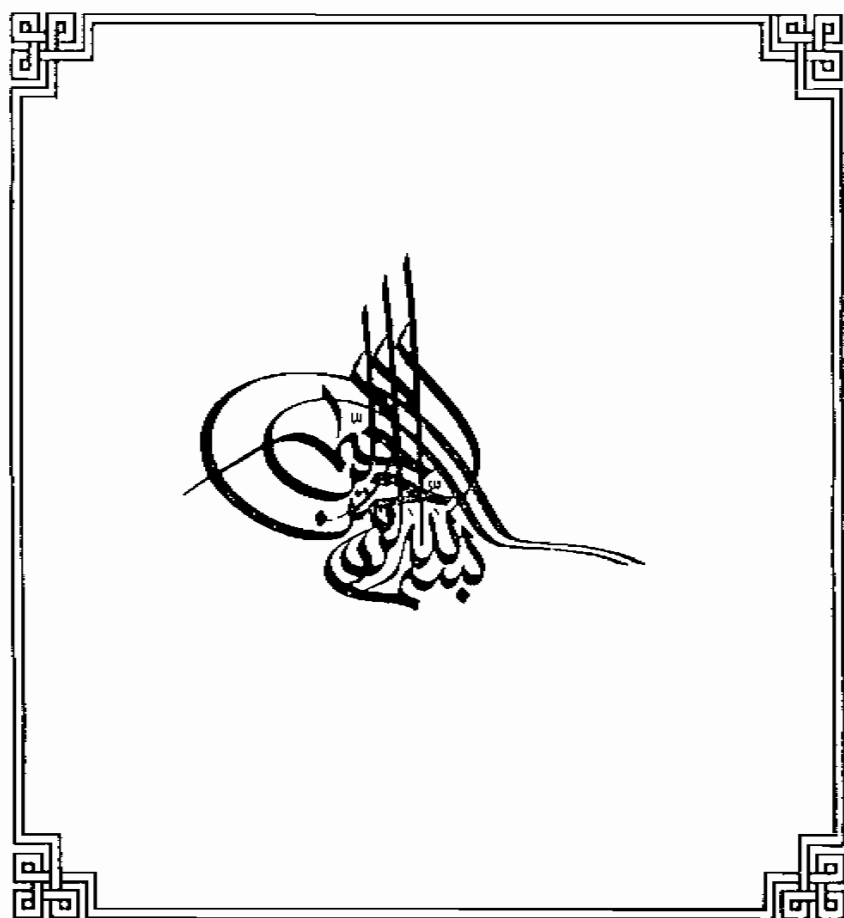
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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

1. ABC	Aspiration biopsy cytology
2. ADT	Aerodigestive tract
3. AJCC	American Joint Committee on Cancer
4. CCA	Common carotid artery
5. CT	Computerized tomography
6. ECA	External carotid artery
7. HNSCC	Head and neck squamous cell carcinoma
8. ICA	Internal carotid artery
9. L/T	Longitudinal/Transverse
10. MGG	May-Grunwald-Giemsa stain
11. MRI	Magnetic resonance imaging
12. NPV	Negative predictive value
13. PET	Positron emission tomography
14. PPV	Positive predictive value
15. SCC	Squamous cell carcinoma
16. Sens	Sensitivity
17. Spec	Specificity
18. UGFNAC	Ultrasound guided fine needle aspiration cytology
19. UICC	Union Internationale Contre le Cancer
20. US	Ultrasound