Radial EUS & Linear EUS

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Radial Echoendoscopes



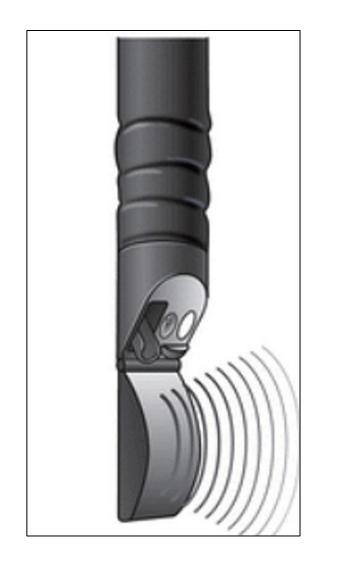
- Radial array transducer
 - Image in a plane perpendicular to the long axis of

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the echoendoscope

- Circumferential images
- More easily interpretable and complete images
- Similar to transverse US, CT and MRI images

Linear Echoendoscopes



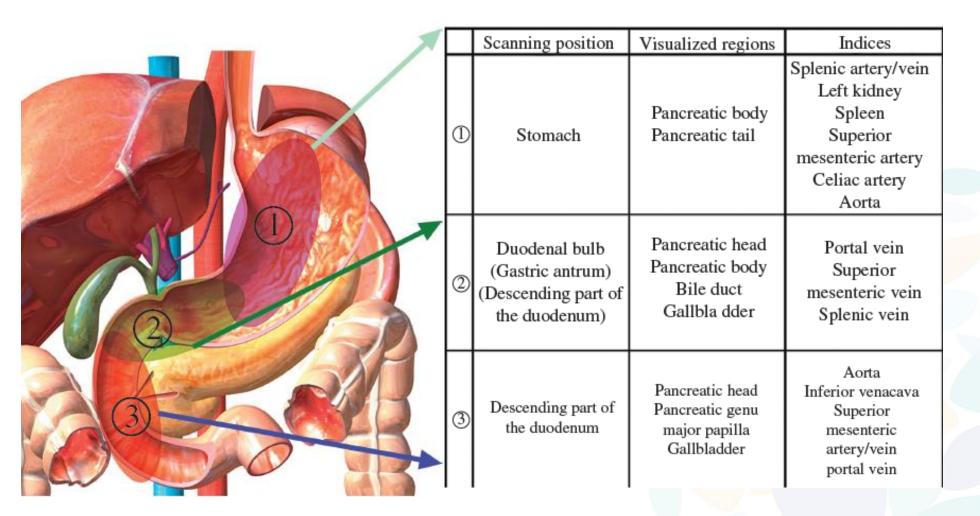
- Linear-array transducer
 - Image a plane <u>parallel</u> to the long axis of the

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echoendoscope

- Limited coronal or sagittal images
- More difficult to orientation
- Long learning curve

Indices for Orientation and Scanning Technique

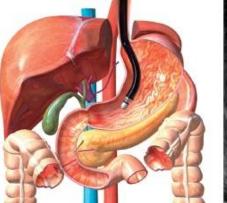


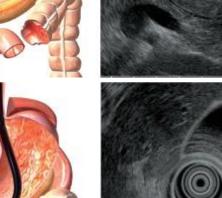
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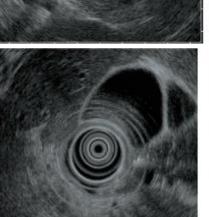
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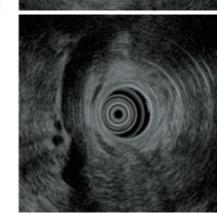
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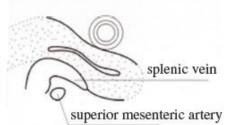
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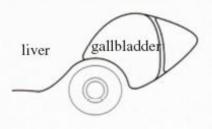












Scanning from the Stomach – Step 1

Scanning from the Duodenal Bulb (Push Method) – Step 1

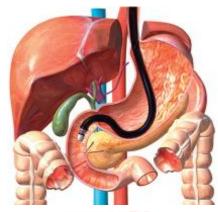
liver bile duct

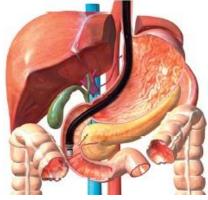
Scanning from the Duodenal Bulb (Push Method) – Step 2

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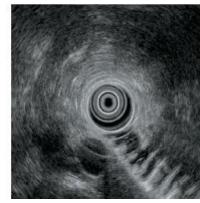
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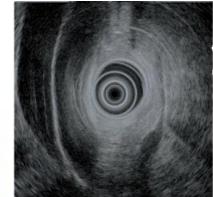
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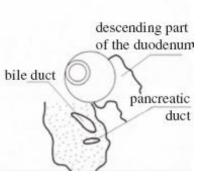




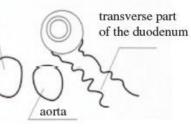


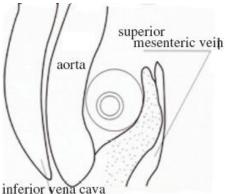






inferior vena cava





Scanning from the Duodenal Bulb (Push Method) – Step 3

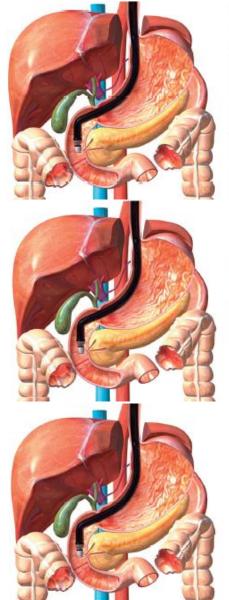
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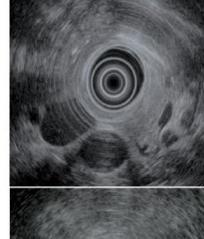
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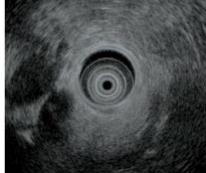
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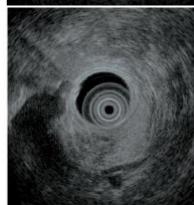
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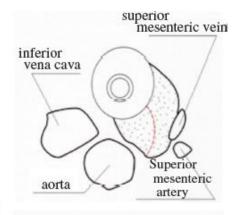
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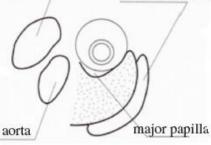




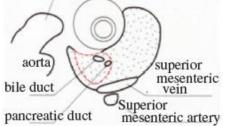




inferior vena cava superior mesenteric vein



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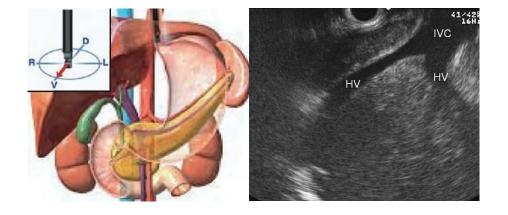
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Scanning from the Descending Part of the Duodenum (Pull Method) – Step 4

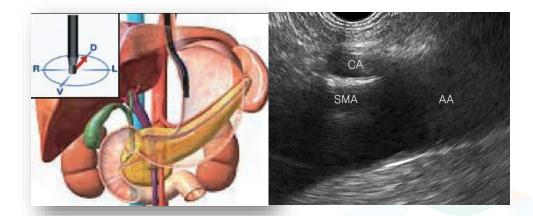
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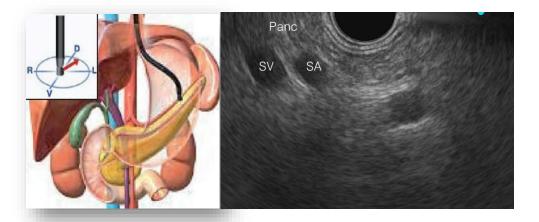
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Scanning From Stomach-Step 2

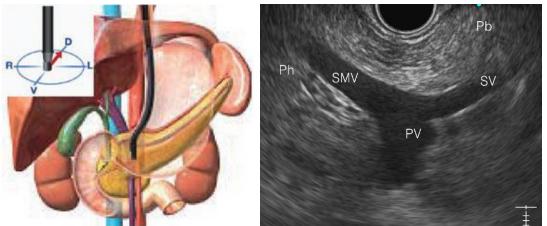


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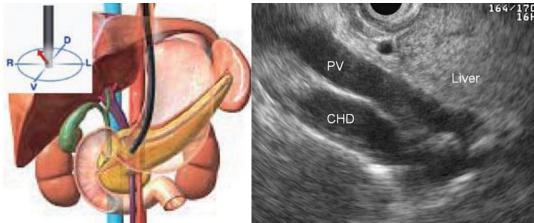


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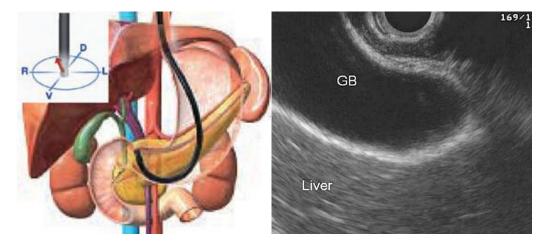
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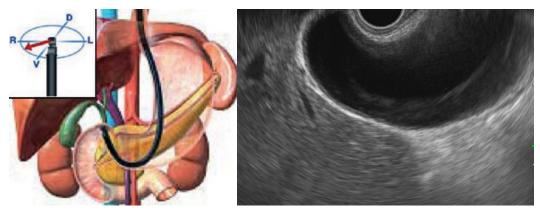


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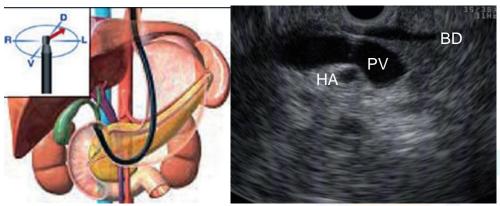


Scanning From Stomach-Step 7

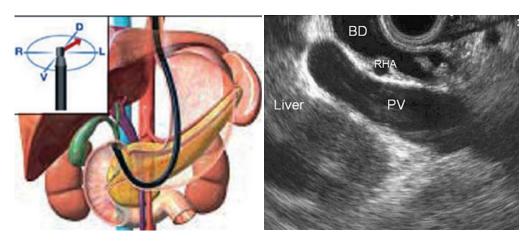
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Scanning From Duodenal Bulb-Step 1



Scanning From Duodenal Bulb-Step 2-1

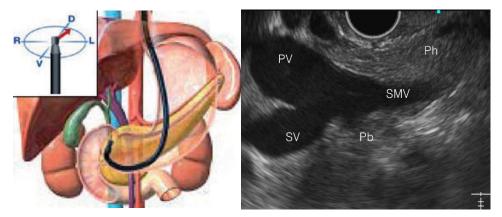


Scanning From Duodenal Bulb-Step 2-2

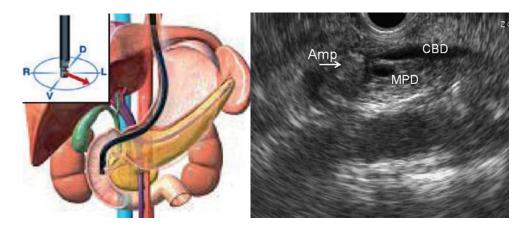


Scanning From Duodenal Bulb-Step 3

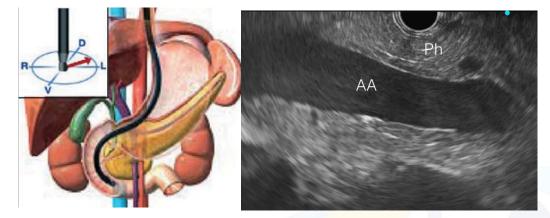
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Scanning From Duodenal Bulb-Step 4



Scanning From Second Duodenum-Step 2



Scanning From Second Duodenum-Step 1