

Pictorial Quiz

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Case scenario

A 42-year-old female patient with known comorbid of hypertension and vascular disease reported with blackish area covering her right foot and was feeling severe pain and numbness for 2 months. Patient had a surgical history of right femoral thrombolectomy and amputation of the big

toe and 3 fingers five months ago. Examination showed the affected area was turned black in color, dry in nature, and shrunken in size with characteristic rusty flesh odour with often dead skin falling off and had well demarcated borders extending up to anterior side of leg. Lab results revealed the platelet count of $587 \times 10^9/l$ indicating thrombocytosis.

What is your diagnosis?



Fig. Jinnah postgraduate medical center (medicine unit #2, ward: 6)

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