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DIAGNOSIS: LYMPH NODES ILEO-CAECAL REGION – HODGKINS LYMPHOMA

CLINICAL HISTORY: M/62. The patient noticed weight loss and a mass in the right lower abdomen three months prior to operation. The mass was painless and increasing in size. There was no alteration of bowel habit and no other masses elsewhere. The pre-operative diagnosis was carcinoma of the caecum, and a right hemicolectomy was performed.

MACROSCOPIC: The specimen includes terminal ileum, caecum, and ascending colon. A mass of pale tumour tissue 14cm maximum diameter is situated between the terminal portion of the ileum and the caecum, and protrudes into the lumen of the caecum.

MICROSCOPIC: The sections show a proliferation of lymphoid cells with frequent large Reed-Sternberg cells containing one to several nuclei containing prominent nucleoli. The features are those of Hodgkin's lymphoma, mixed cellularity type.

