

1.5T - 15.0 TIBIAL STRESS FX MRI - UW Madison								11/03/10 Tuite/De Smet/kar		
8ch CARDIAC COIL Place marker at point of maximal pain, or mark upper and lower area of pain								3 Examples of areas of edema		
								Step 1. Sag STIR look for bright areas of edema		
		Through edema	Through edema	Perpendicular to edema		If NO edema	If NO edema	Step 2. Ax T2 look for bright areas of edema		
1	2	3a	4a	See diagrams		3b	4b	Example 1	Example 2	Example 3
3pl Loc	Sag IR	Ax T1	Ax T2	Oblique	Oblique	Ax T1	Ax T2	Periosteal reaction	Muscle tear	Stress Fx
FGRE	FSTIR		fat	Long Axis	Long Axis		fat	Outside edge of bone	Soft tissue	Within bone
				T1	T2 fat					
2d	2d	2d	2d	2d	2d	2d	2d			
std loc	FSE-IR	FSE-XL	FSE-XL	FSE-XL	FSE-XL	FSE-XL	FSE-XL			
FGRE										
NP, Seq	Seq, TRF	TRf	TRf	TRf	TRf	TRf	TRf	Step 2. Determine direction of edema		
	ZIP 512	ZIP 512	ZIP 512	ZIP 512	ZIP 512	ZIP 512	ZIP 512	Example 1	Example 2	Example 3
Fast	Fast	Fast	Fast	Fast	Fast	Fast	Fast		Direction not obvious	??? direction
TE def	TE 44	TE MF	TE 60	TE MF	TE 60	TE MF	TE 60			
TR def	TR 3200	TR 550	TR 4000	TR 550	TR 2000	TR 550	TR 4000			
BW def	TI 160									
	ETL 8	ETL 4	ETL 8	ETL 4	ETL 8	ETL 4	ETL 8			
	BW 20.83	BW 20.83	BW 20.83	BW 20.83	BW 20.83	BW 20.83	BW 20.83			
Usr CV	Usr CV	Usr CV	Usr CV	Usr CV	Usr CV	Usr CV	Usr CV	Step 3. GRx slices long axis perpendicular to edema		
	0, 0	0, 0, 0	0, 0, 1, 0	0, 0, 0	0, 0, 1, 0	0, 0, 0	0, 0, 1, 0	Example 1	Example 2	Example 3
			Sat fat		Sat fat		Sat fat			
38 x 38	38 x 22 prn	16 x 16	16 x 16	24 x 24 prn	24 x 24 prn	16 x 16	16 x 16			
7 / 3	4 / .4	3 / 1.5	3 / 1.5	3 / 0.2	3 / 0.2	5 / 2.5	5 / 2.5			
13 sls		44 sls	41 sls	22 sls / 2 acq	23 sls	44 sls	41 sls			
256 x 128	256 x 192	256 x 224	256 x 224	320 x 224	256 x 224	256 x 224	256 x 224	Periosteal reaction	Muscle tear	Stress Fx within tibia
2 nex	2 nex	2 nex	2 nex	2 nex	2 nex	2 nex	2 nex	Scan thru tibia & fibula	Scan thru entire leg	Scan in both planes if unsure
pfov 1	pfov .6 - .5 prn	pfov 1	pfov 1	pfov 1	pfov 1	pfov 1	pfov 1			Sagittal and Corona
	@4 min	4:16	5:12	2:20	2:52	4:40	3:52			