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Clinical History: A calf in poor body condition was found dead in a group of 130, 5 to 6 months old calves that had been weaned one month previously. Another calf in the same herd had diarrhea and neurologic signs. On the following day, the animal was prostrated, in lateral recumbency, and in agony. Euthanasia and necropsy were performed. An additional calf with diarrhea, poor body condition and tenesmus was observed.

Necropsy Findings:
Follow-Up Questions: Morphologic diagnosis, etiology, condition.

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