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Text: HISTORY LVAD patient - new left pleural effusion. CT thorax to r\o empyema TECHNIQUE Scans acquired as per department protocol. Intravenous contrast: Omnipaque 350 - Volume (ml): 50 FINDINGS The heart is enlarged. Triscuspid valve annuloplasty ring and dual lead cardiac resynchronisation therapy device are in situ. A left ventricular assist device is present. The inflow and outflow cannulae are unremarkable. There is no obvious driveline collections. No significant pericardial effusion. Small volume mediastinal lymph nodes are probably reactive. Small right pleural effusion. Small to moderate left pleural effusion. Minor dependent lower lobe atelectasis is noted. The aerated lungs show emphysematous changes especially in the upper lobes. The bone settings show no overt destructive lesion. A small cyst is suggested in the left renal upper pole. There are stones in the gallbladder. CONCLUSION Bilateral pleural effusions, larger on the left. No conclusive evidence of empyema. Report Indicator: Known \ Minor Finalised by: <DOCTOR>

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## Layman Explanation

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## Summary

No diseases detected.  
No specific organs mentioned.  
No symptoms mentioned.