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# COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC SCAN

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- ◆ **The method utilizes an x-ray tube, which rotates axially around the patient**
- ◆ **and a diametrically opposed array of detectors, which detect the residual radiation traversing the body.**

# COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC SCAN

- ◆ **The resulting images are a composite of an array of individual picture elements (pixels), each with a numerical value that is related to the x-ray attenuation at a specific position in the displayed body part.**



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- ◆ **These values, called CT numbers, represent the difference in x-ray attenuation between a given material and water, and are expressed in Hounsfield units.**

# COMPARISON WITH CONVENTIONAL RADIOGRAPHY

- ◆ **Conventional radiographs detect differences in contrast of about 5 percent, whereas CT can detect differences of less than 0.5 percent (5 HU).**
- ◆ **CT provides images free of superimposition of structures, thereby eliminating the effects of overlapping anatomic complexity.**

# COMPUTED TOMOGRAPHIC SCAN

- ◆ CONVENTIONAL
  - ◆ SPIRAL
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- A decorative graphic at the bottom right of the slide, consisting of a silhouette of a mountain range in a teal color.

# ADVANTAGES OF SPIRAL

- ◆ **TIME AND ARTIFACT**
- ◆ **NO MISS OF LESION WITH MOTION**
- ◆ **MULTIPLE VIEW**
- ◆ **2D AND 3D SCAN**
- ◆ **LOW CONTRAST MATERIAL**
- ◆ **CT-ANGIOGRAPHY**

# VOXEL

**MINIMUM VOLUME OF TISSUE  
THAT HAVE ATTENUATION  
EFFECT ON  
CROSSING X-RAY  
(ALTERED BY WINDOWS)**

# **HUNSFIELD UNITS (CT NUMBERS OR CT DENSITY)**

**ATTENUATION COEFFICIENT OF  
EACH TISSUE ON CROSSING X-RAY**

# CT Density

<b>Moiety</b>	<b>Hounsfield units</b>
<b>Bone</b>	<b>1000</b>
<b>Calcium</b>	<b>100</b>
<b>Acute blood</b>	<b>85</b>
<b>Tumor</b>	<b>30-60</b>
<b>Gray matter</b>	<b>35-40</b>
<b>White matter</b>	<b>25-30</b>
<b>CSF</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Adipose</b>	<b>-100</b>
<b>Air</b>	<b>-1000</b>

# CT-SCAN WITH CONTRAST

**MECHANISM OF  
ENHANCEMENT IS BASED  
ON DISRUPTION OF BBB  
BY DISEASE PROCESSES**



# Computed Tomography in stroke

<b>Duration</b>	<b>Without contrast</b>	<b>With contrast</b>
<b>Hyperacute</b>	<b>NL or blurring of gray-white matter junction</b>	<b>No enhancement</b>
<b>Acute</b>	<b>Poorly defined hypodensity maximal edema</b>	<b>No enhancement or mild gyral enhancement</b>
<b>Subacute</b>	<b>Hypodensity, less edema</b>	<b>Gyral enhancement</b>
<b>Remote</b>	<b>Sharply defined hypodensity</b>	<b>Enhancement in 6 weeks</b>

# CT in Hemorrhage

**Duration**

**Without contrast**

**Acute**

**Hyperdensity, mass effect**

**Subacute**

**Hypodense periphery,  
Hyperdense center, mass effect**

**Remote**

**Hypodense**

# Checklist for reading cranial CT

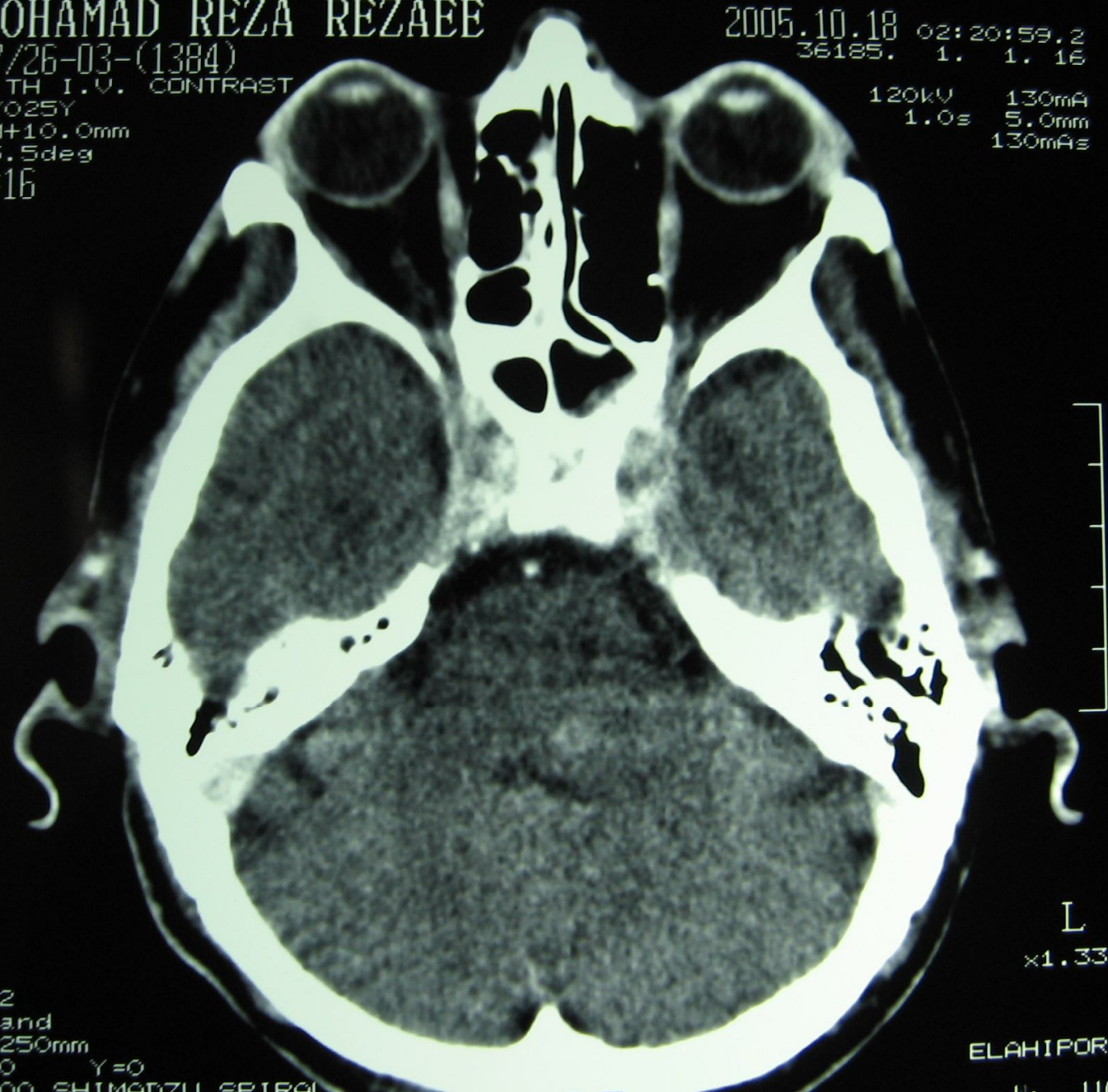
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- ◆ **Focal lesion or edema around paraventricular and paracortical white matter.**

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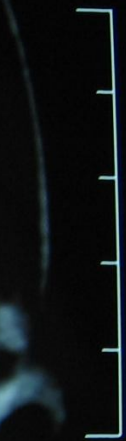
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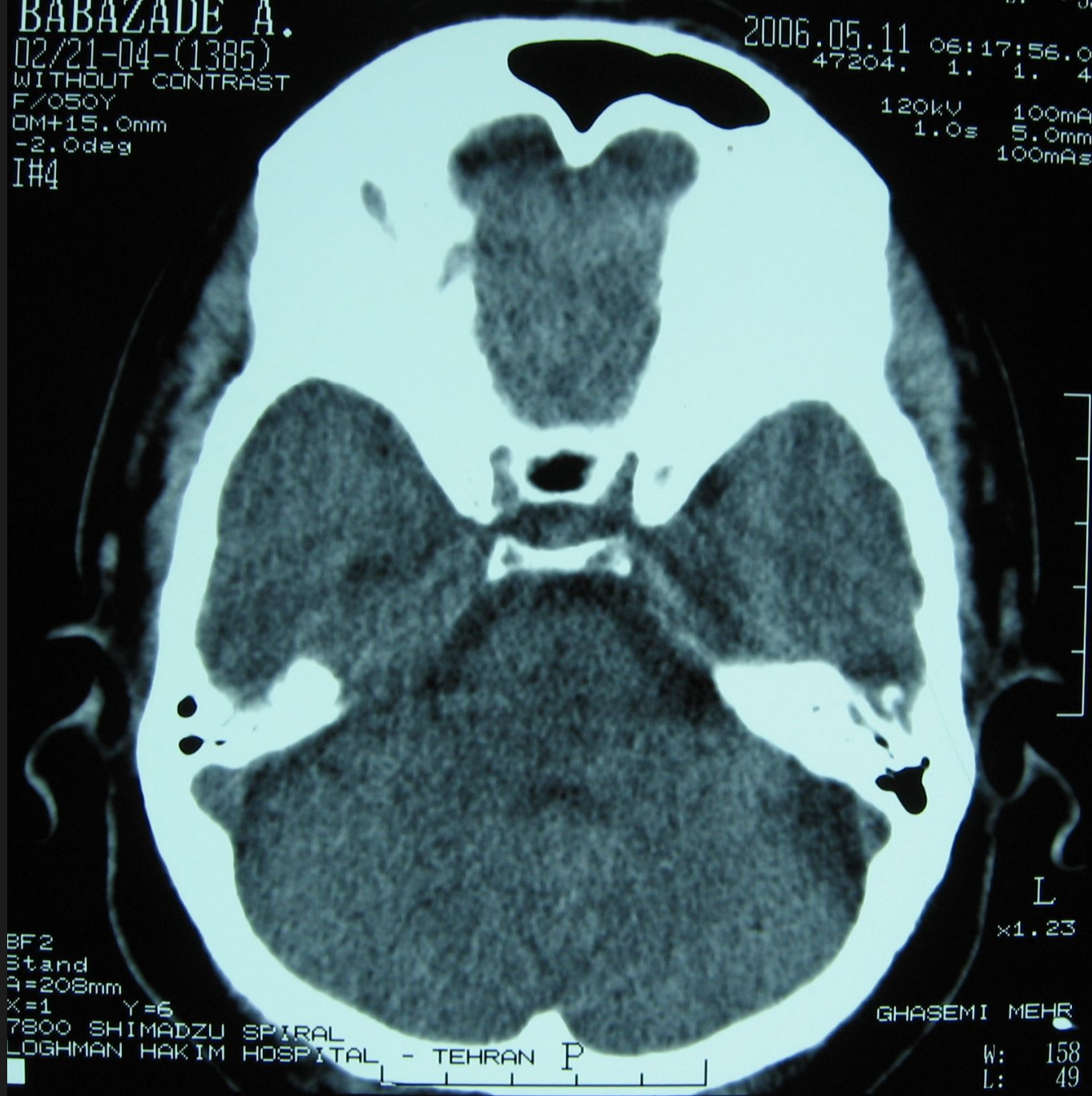
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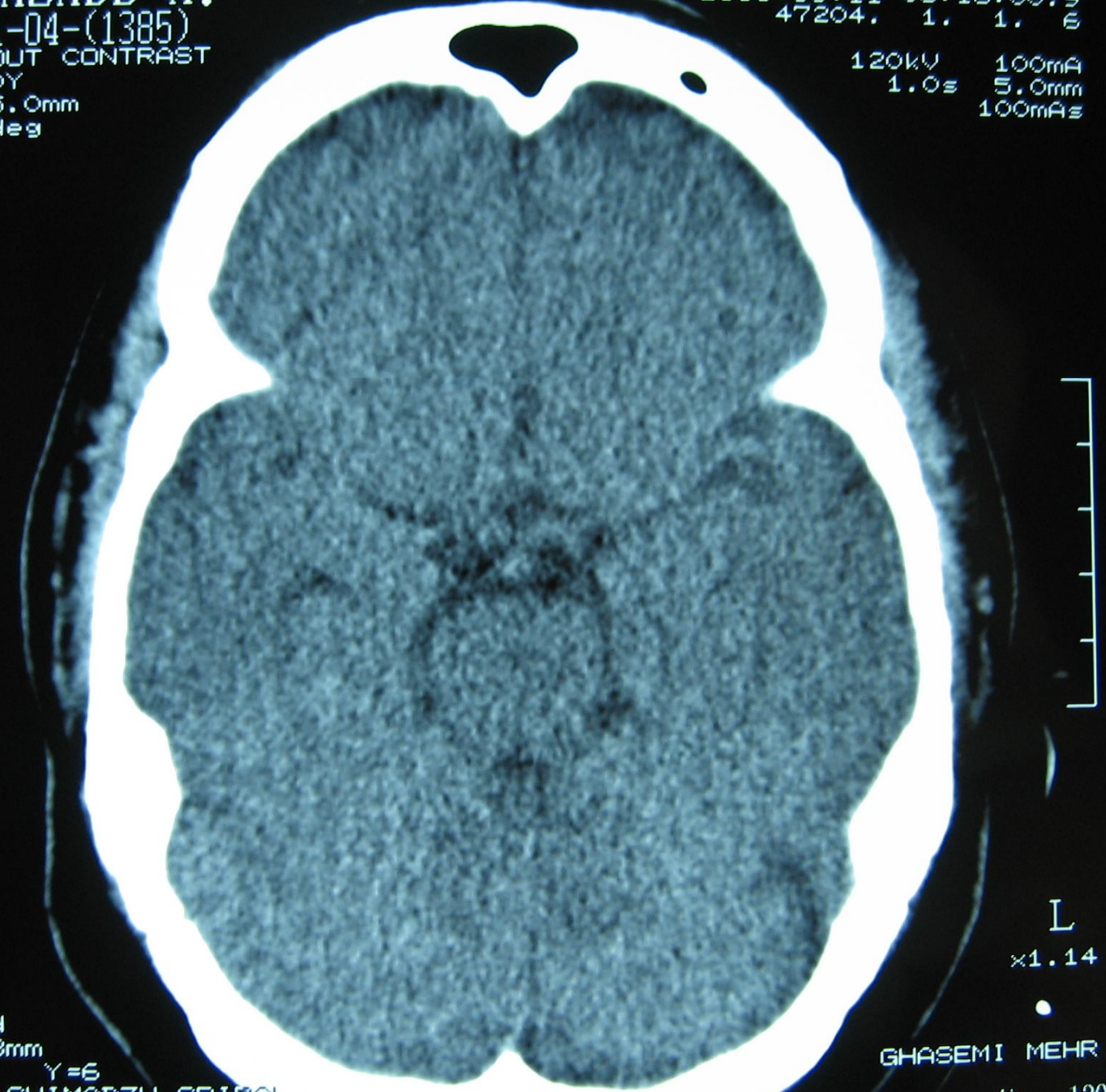
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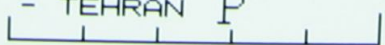
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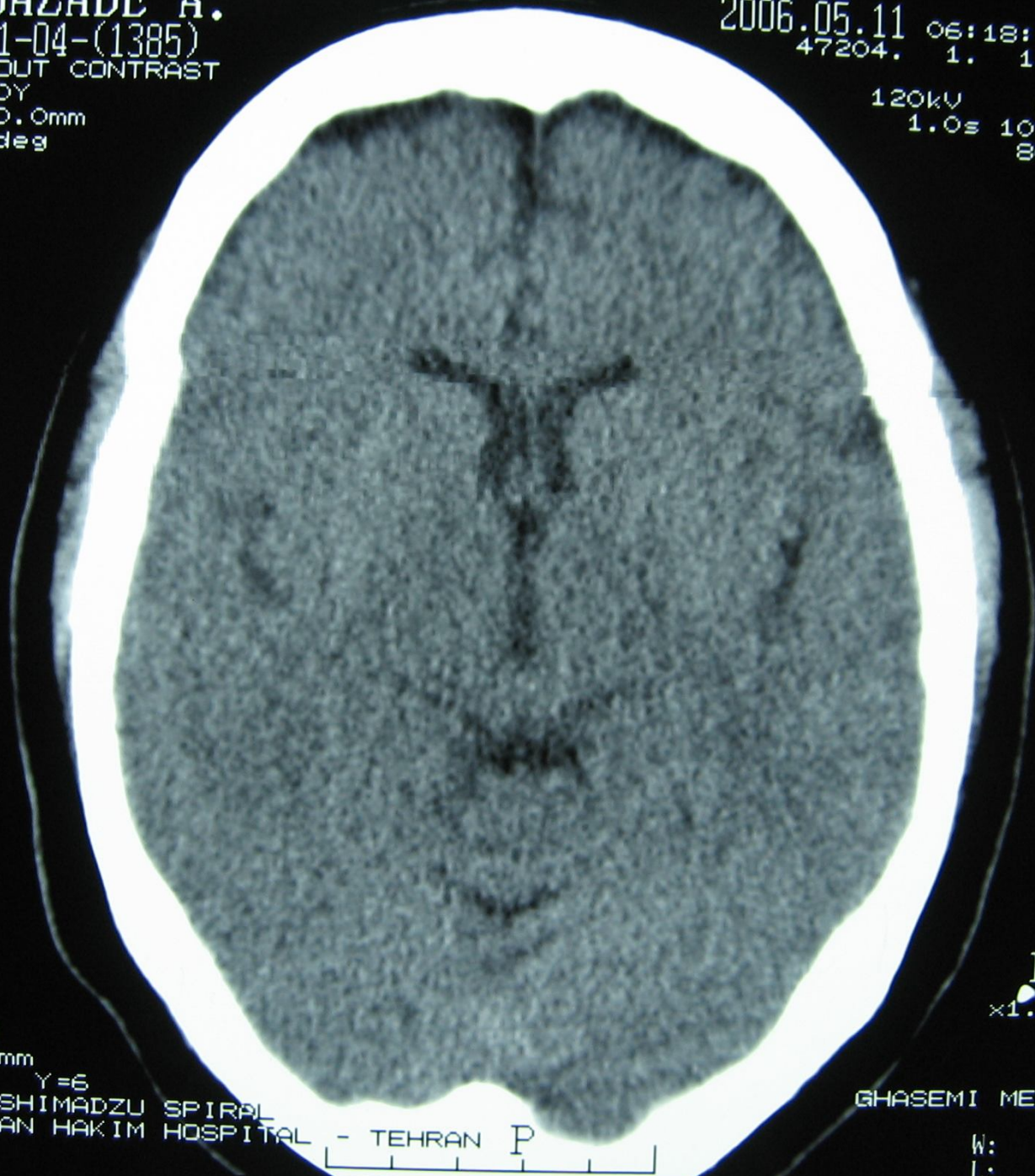
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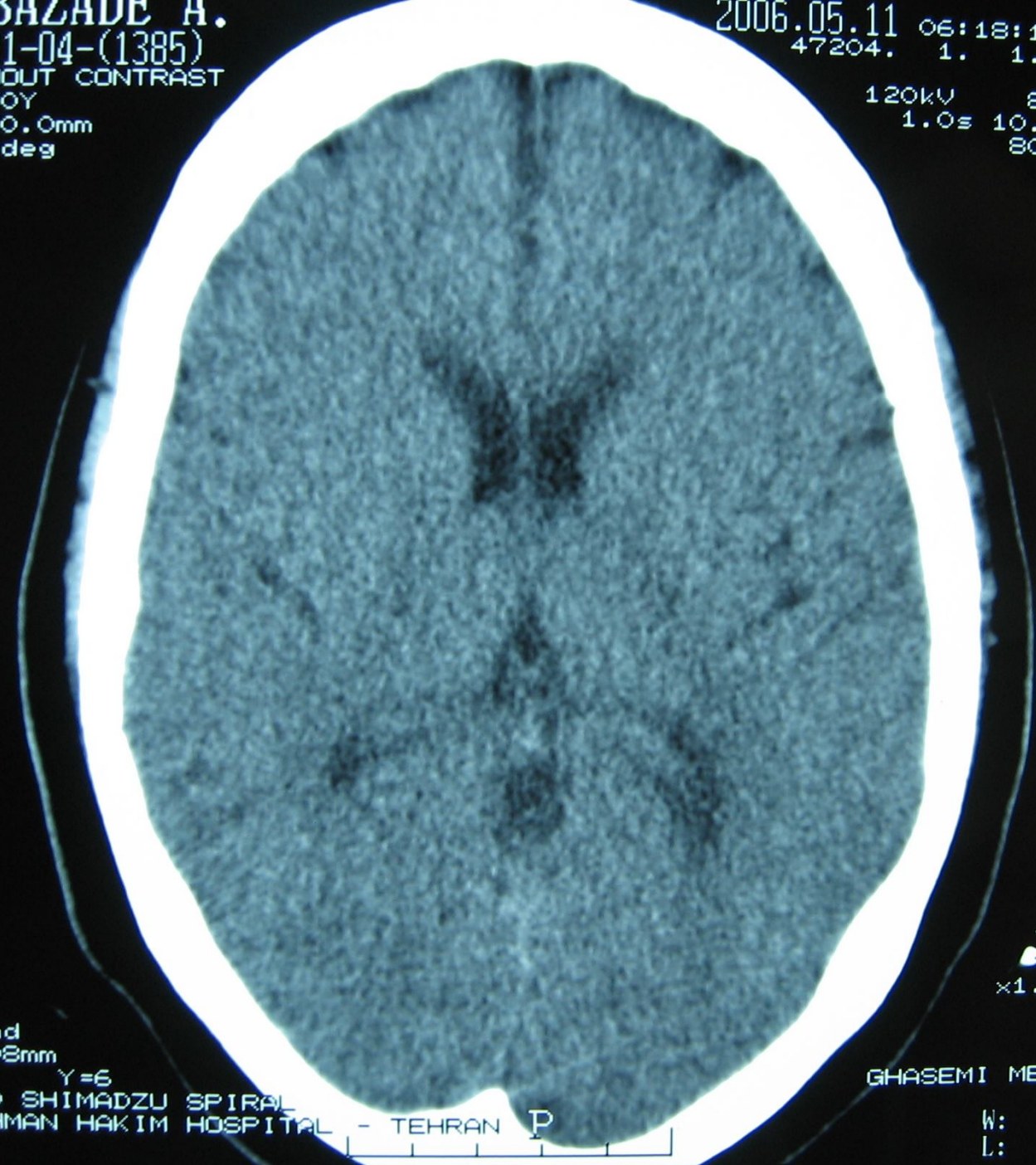
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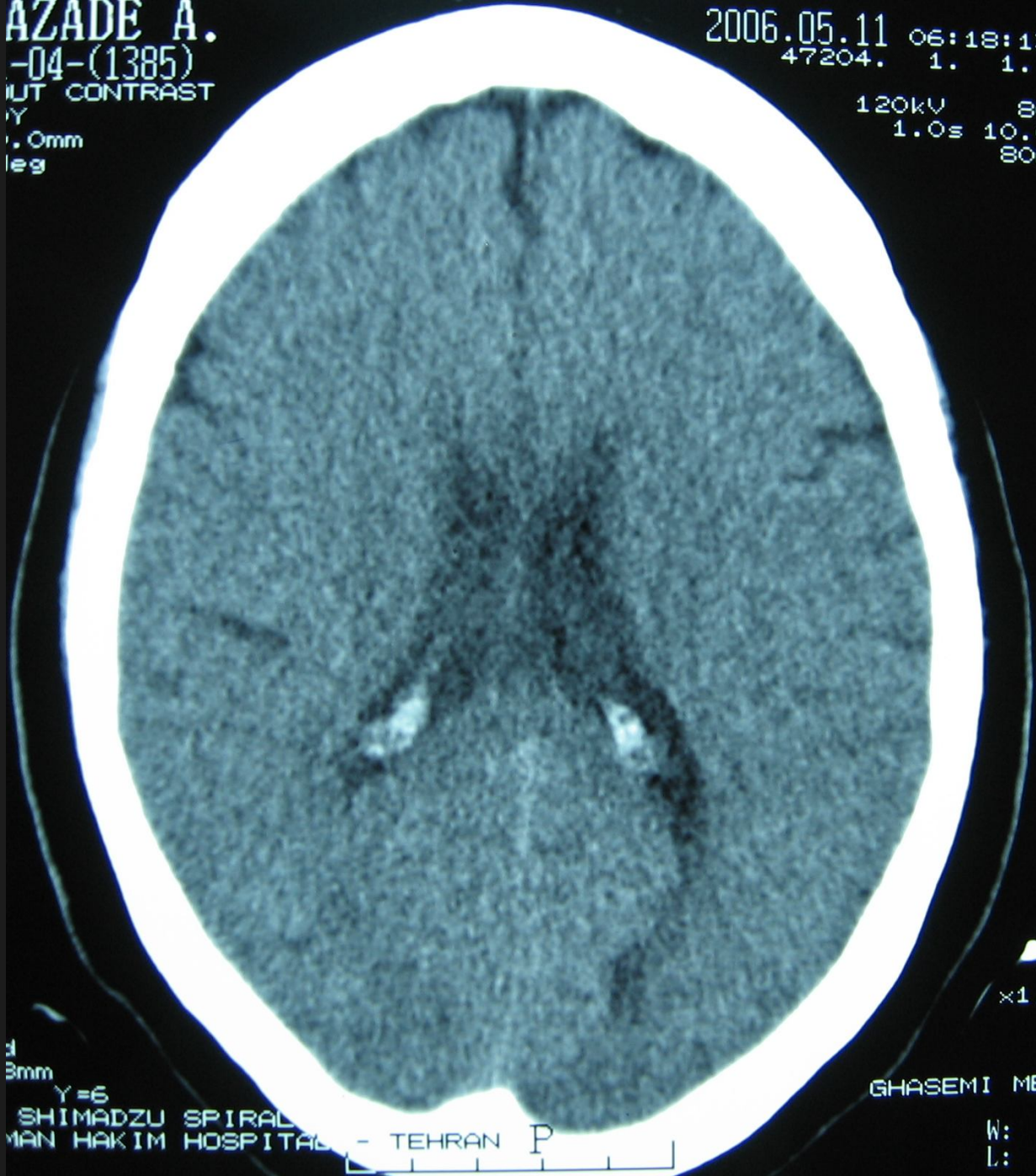
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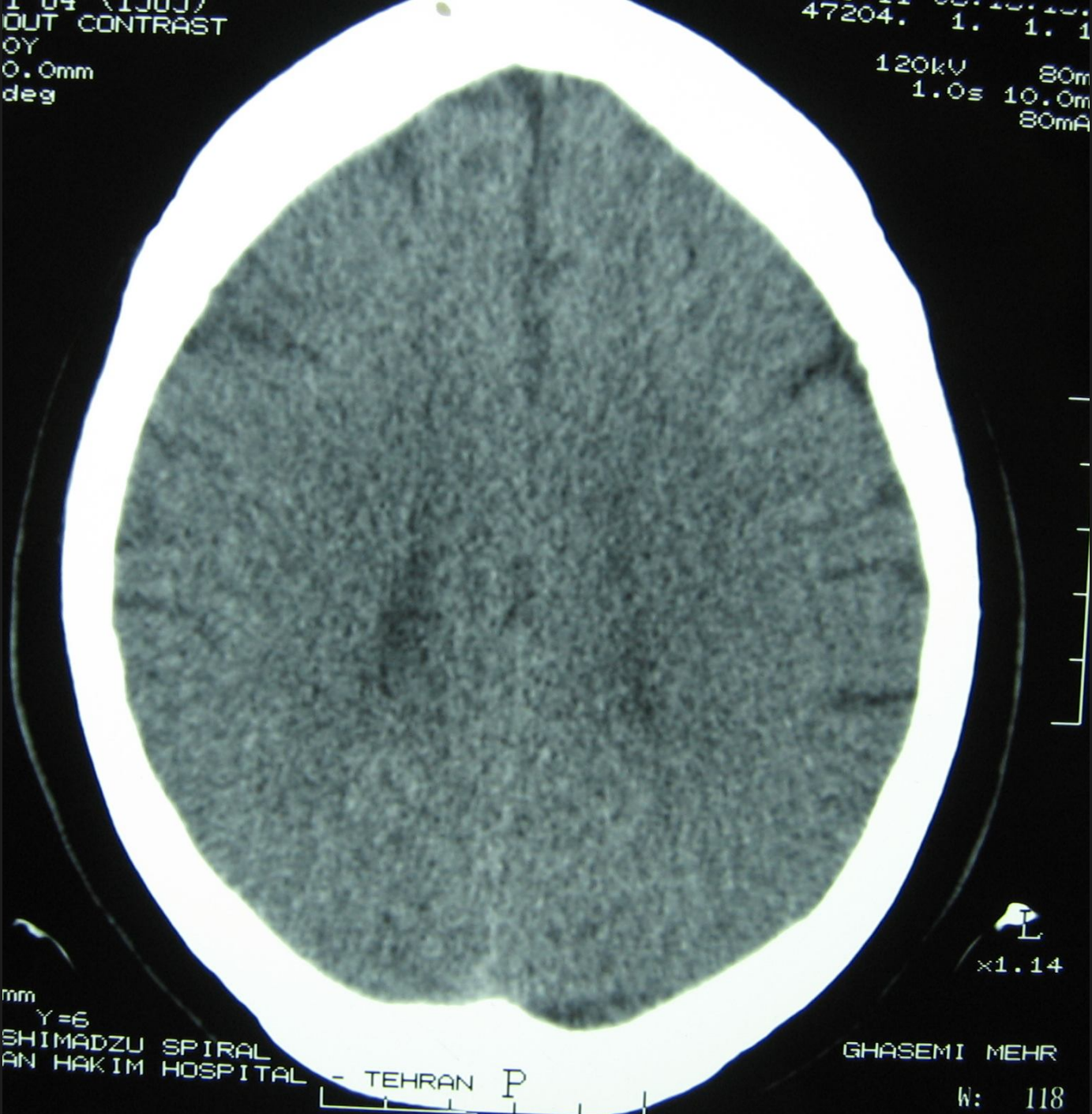
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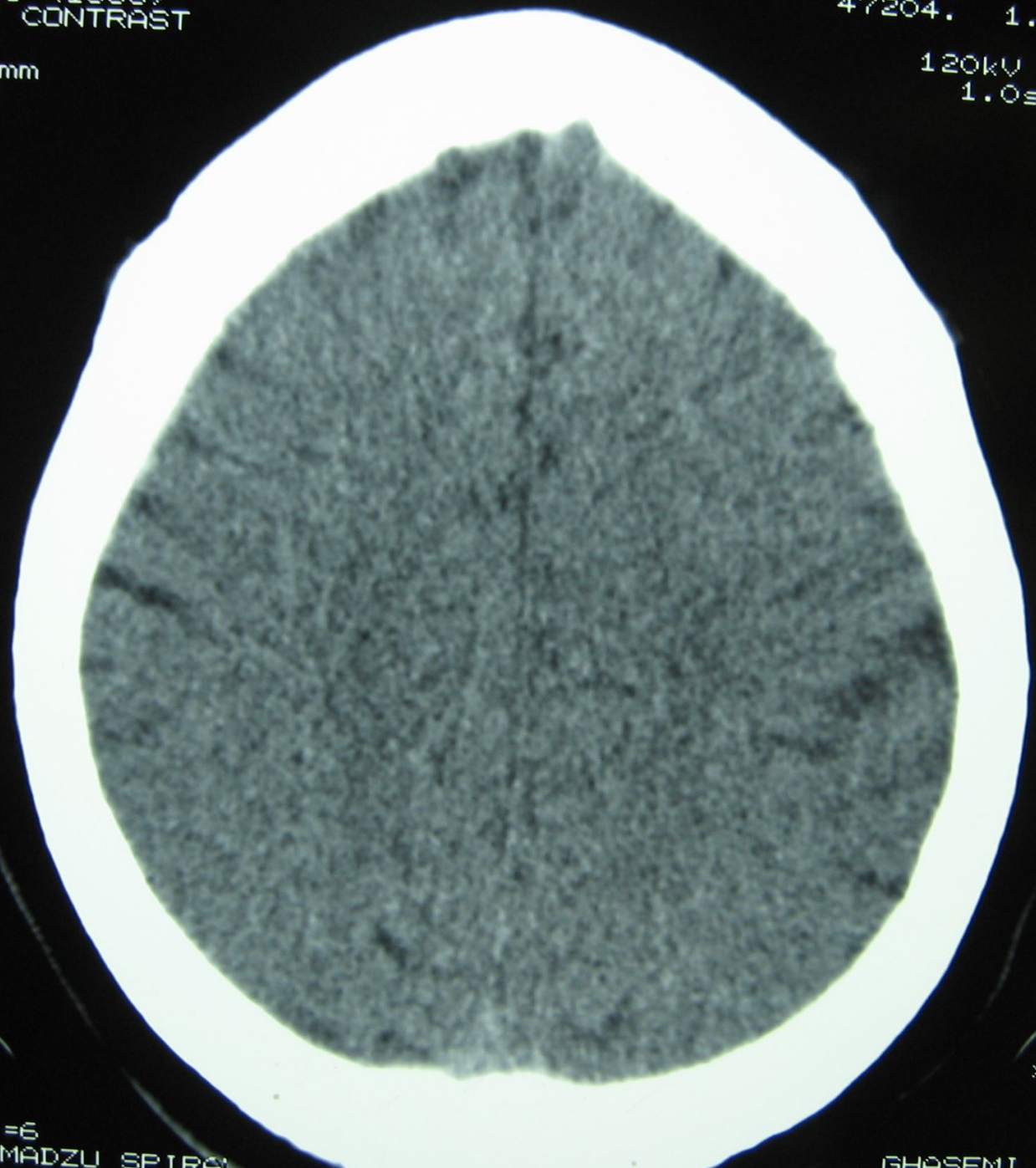
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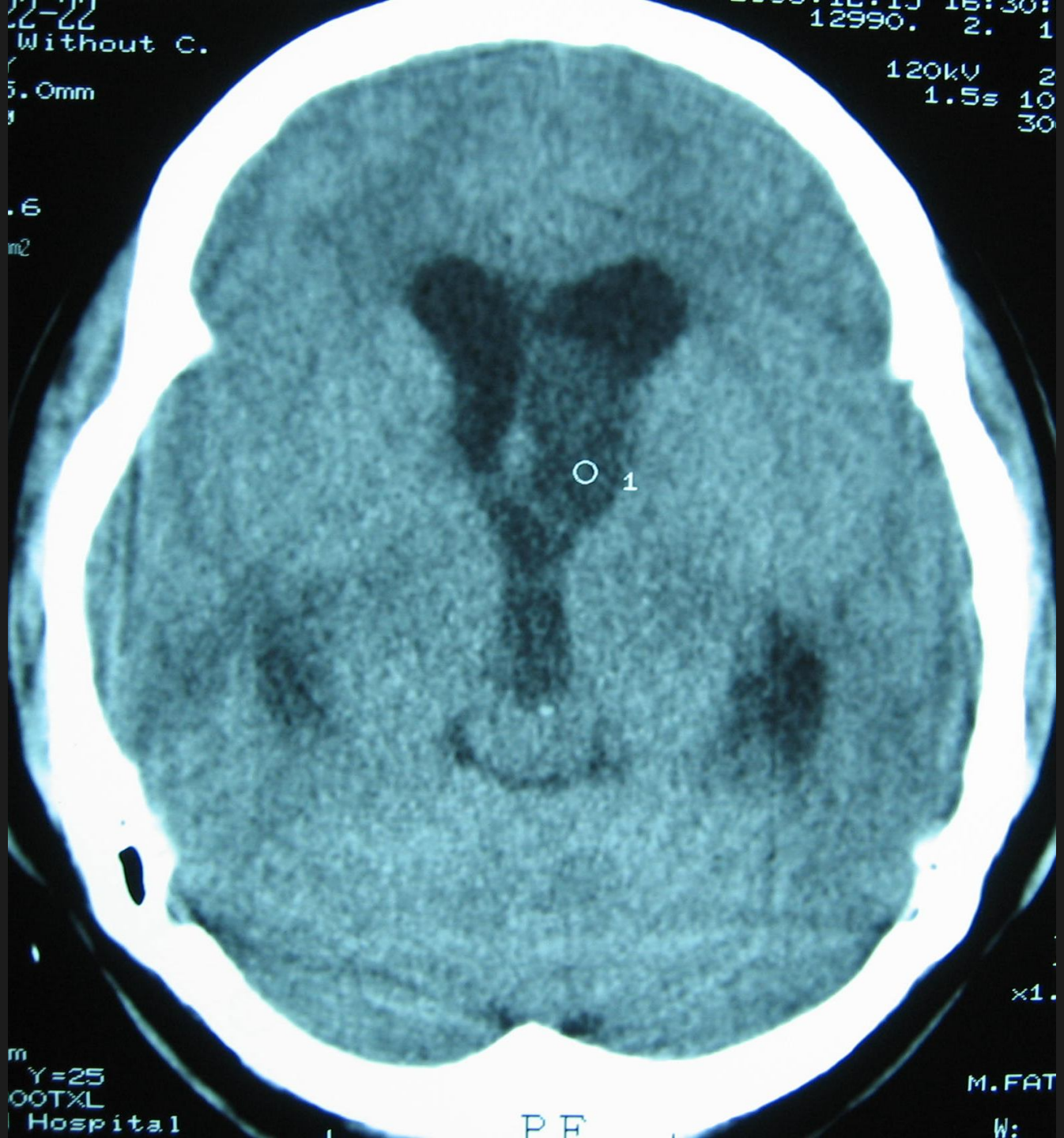
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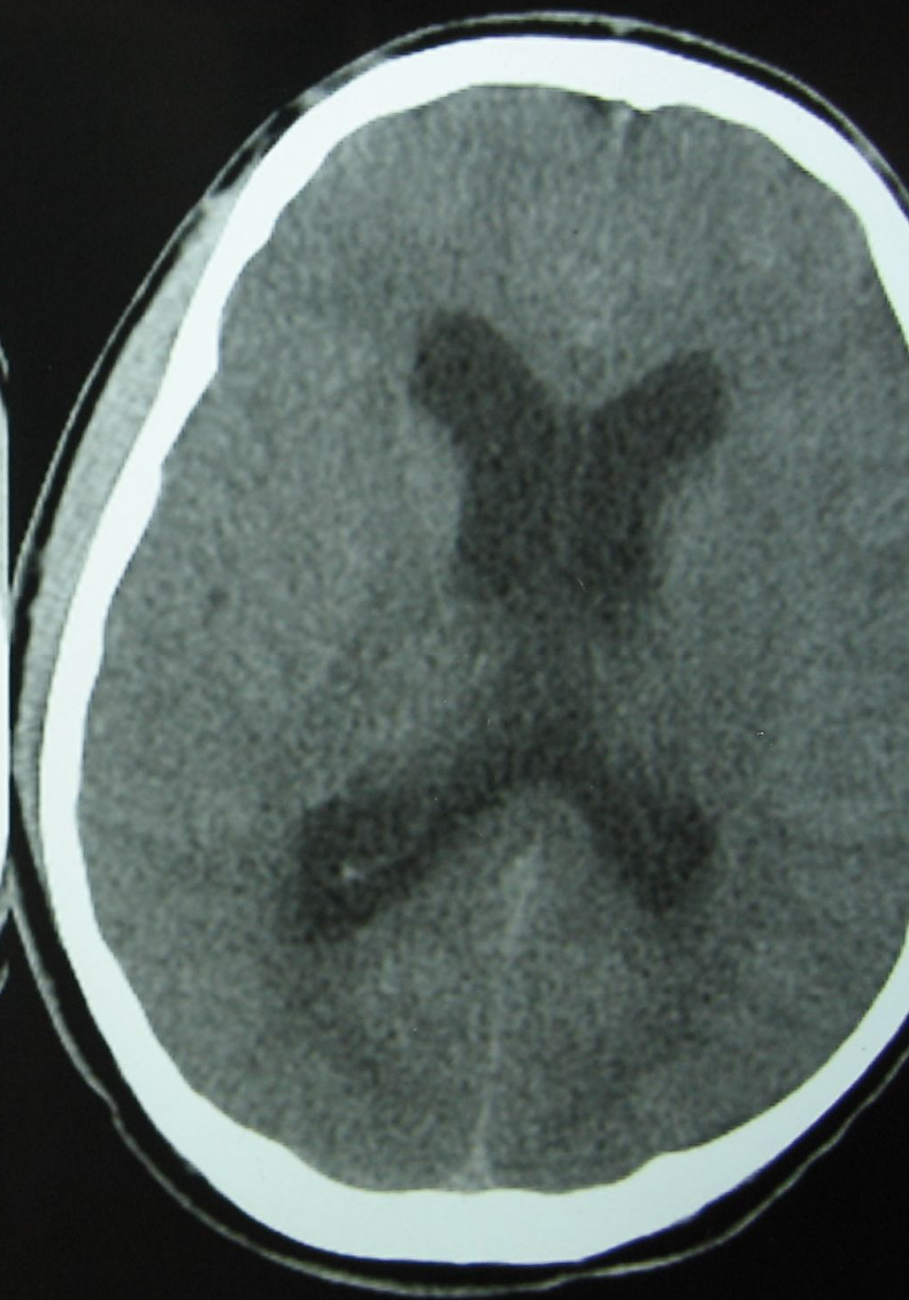
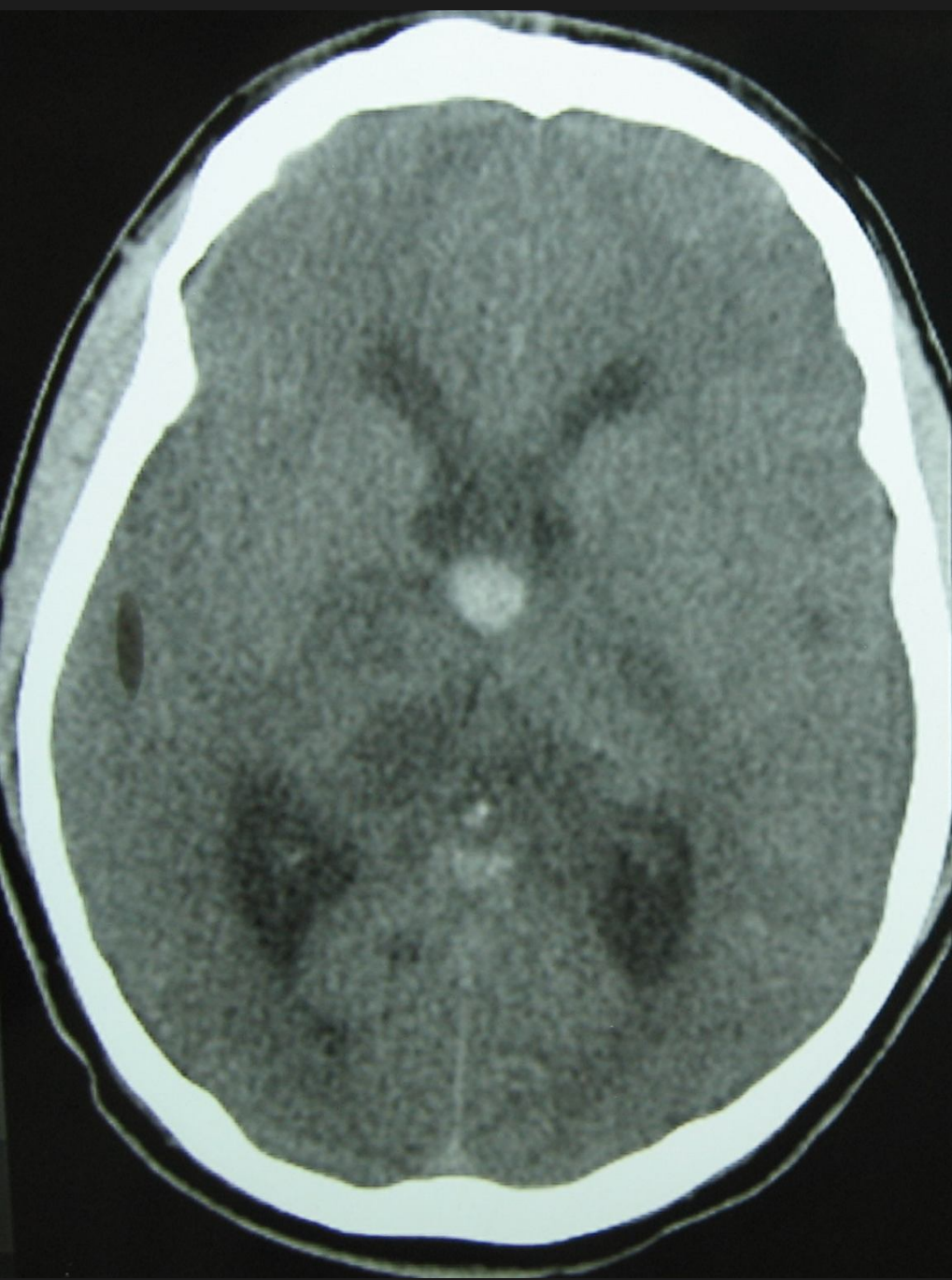


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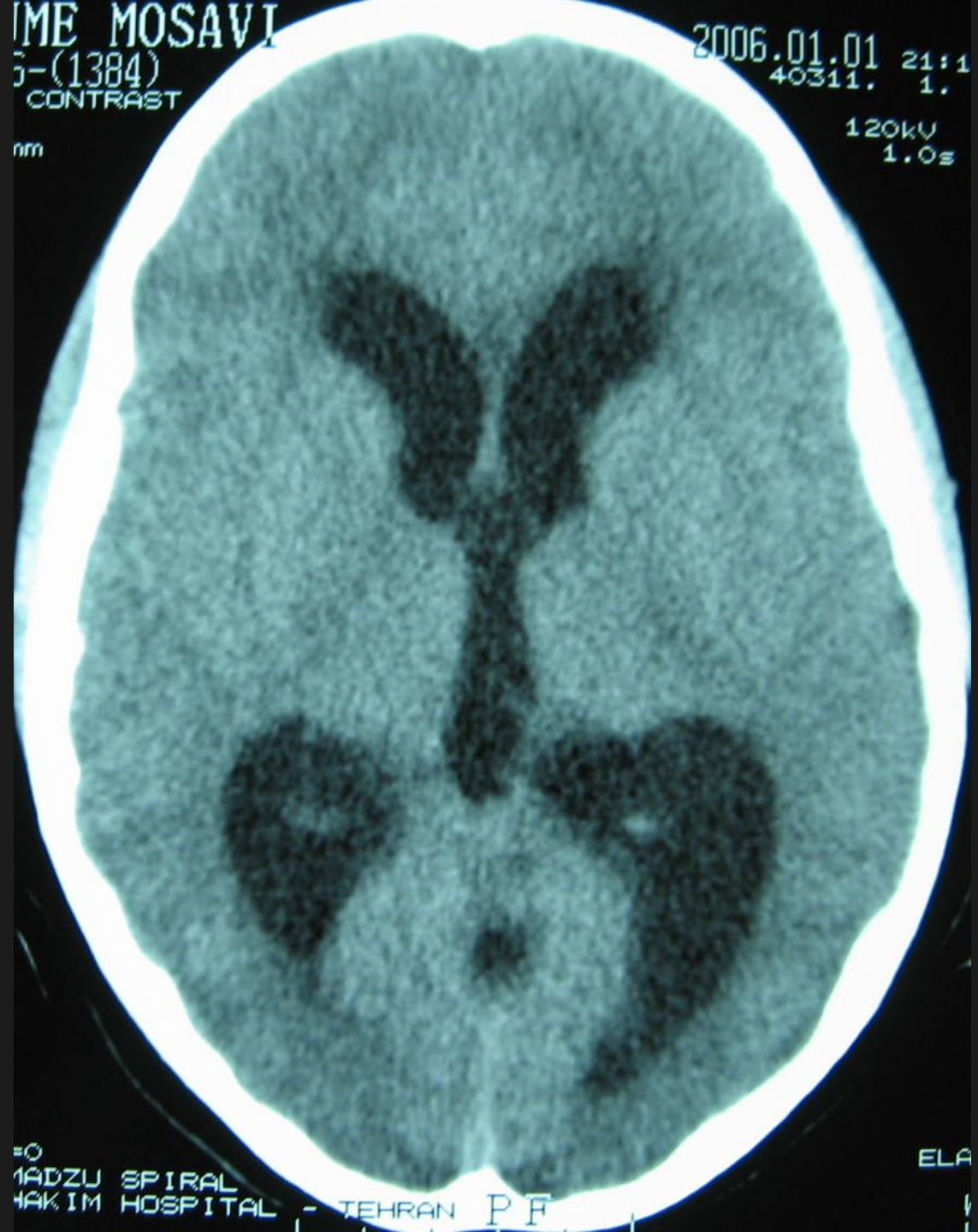


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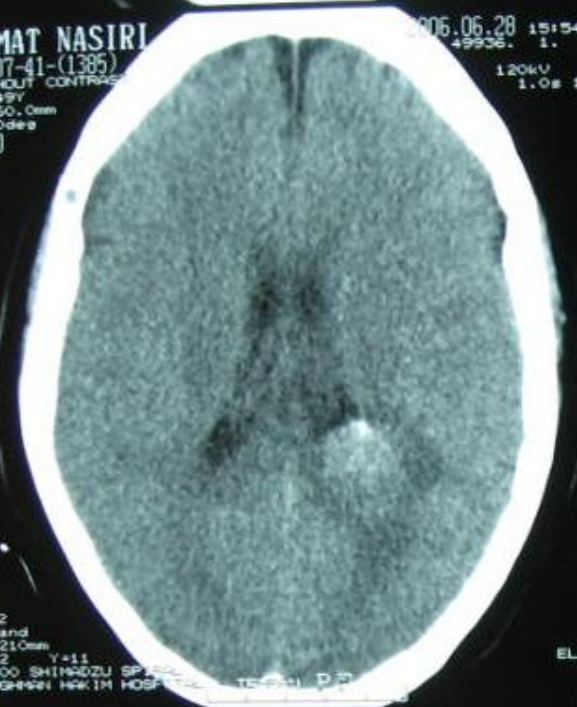
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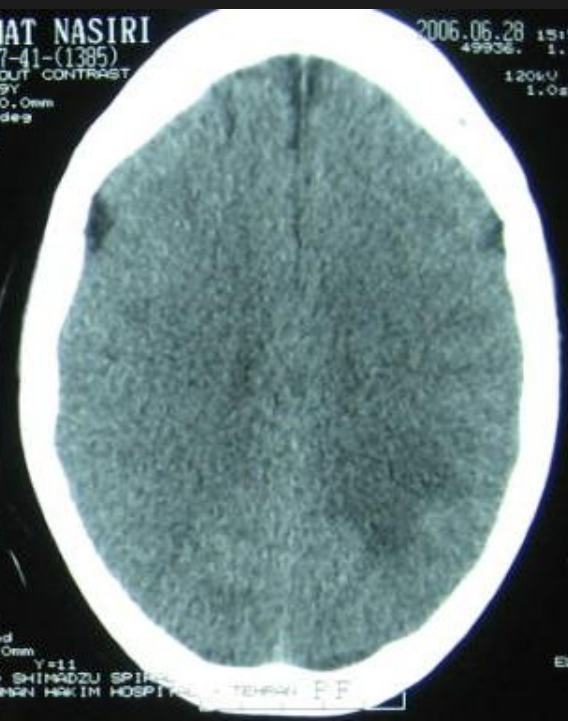


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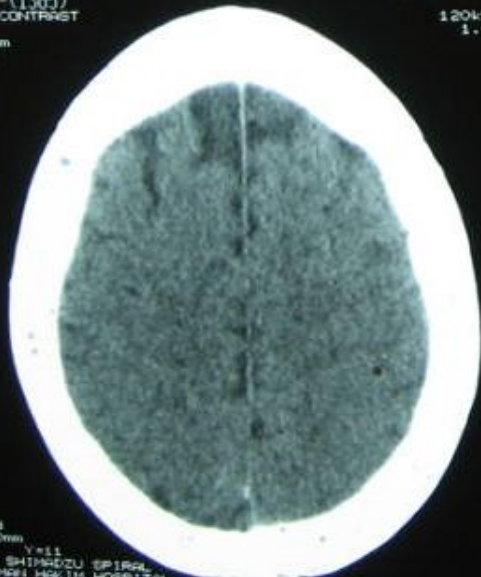


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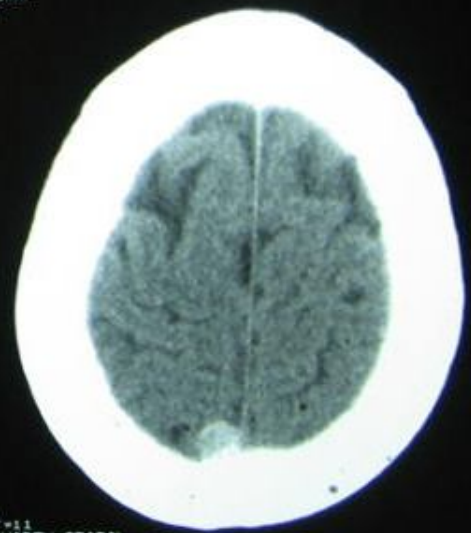


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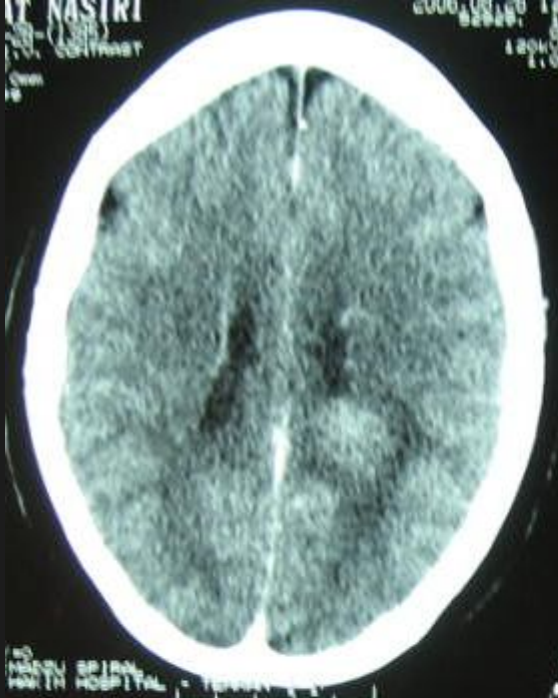


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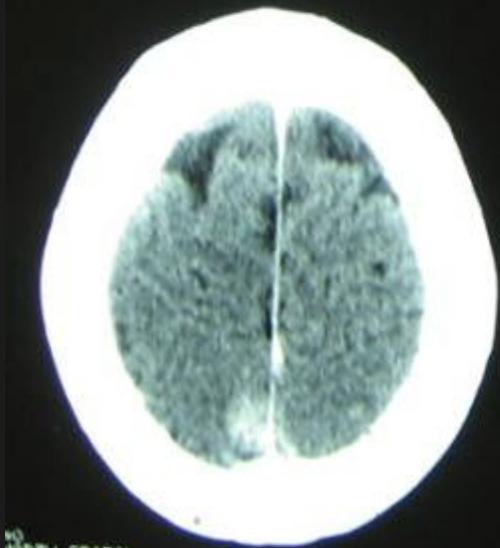
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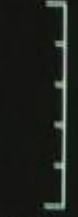
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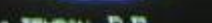


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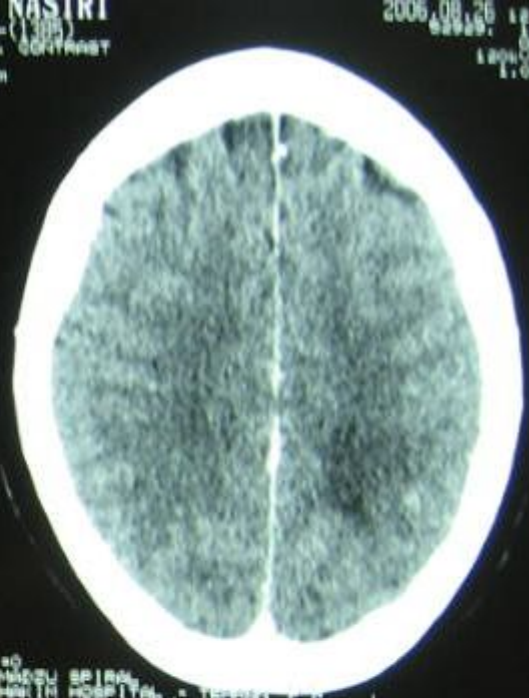
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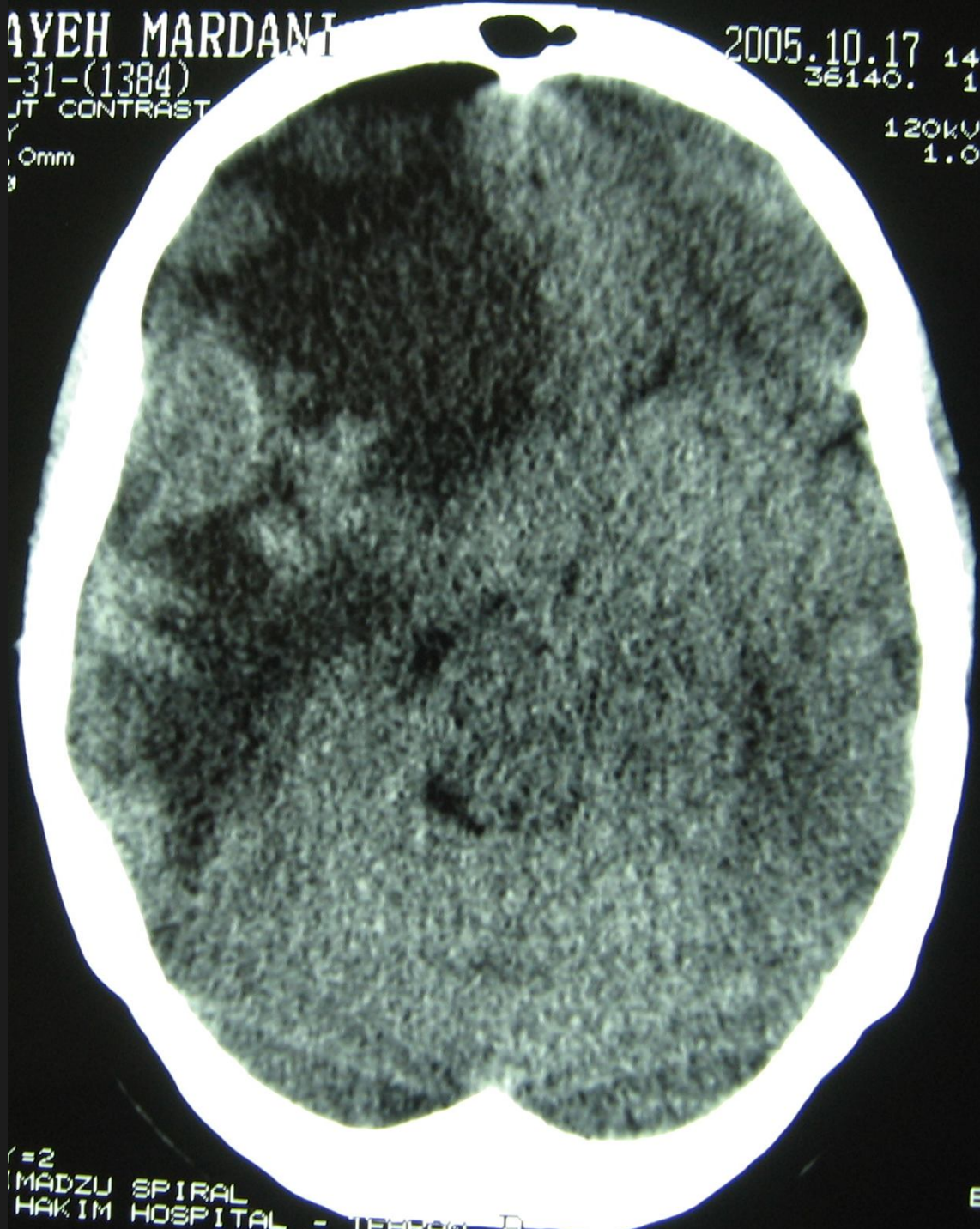
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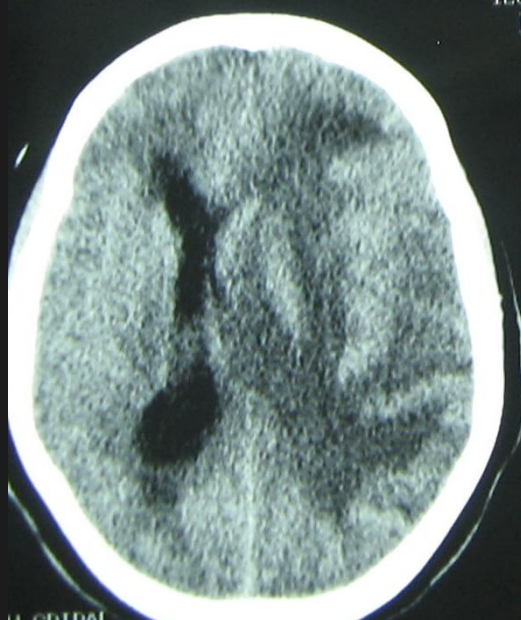
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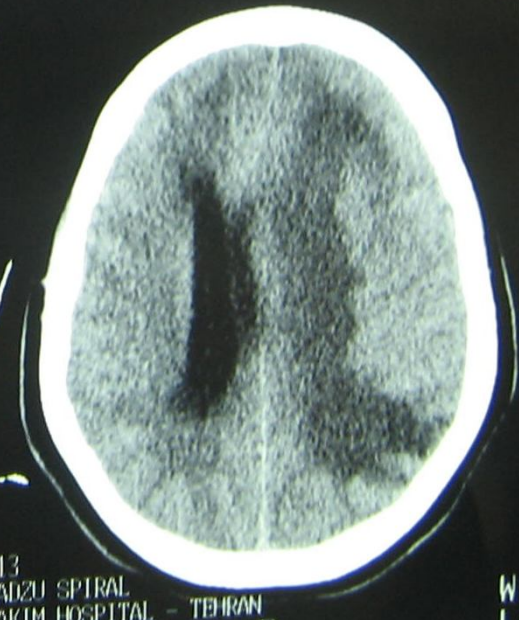
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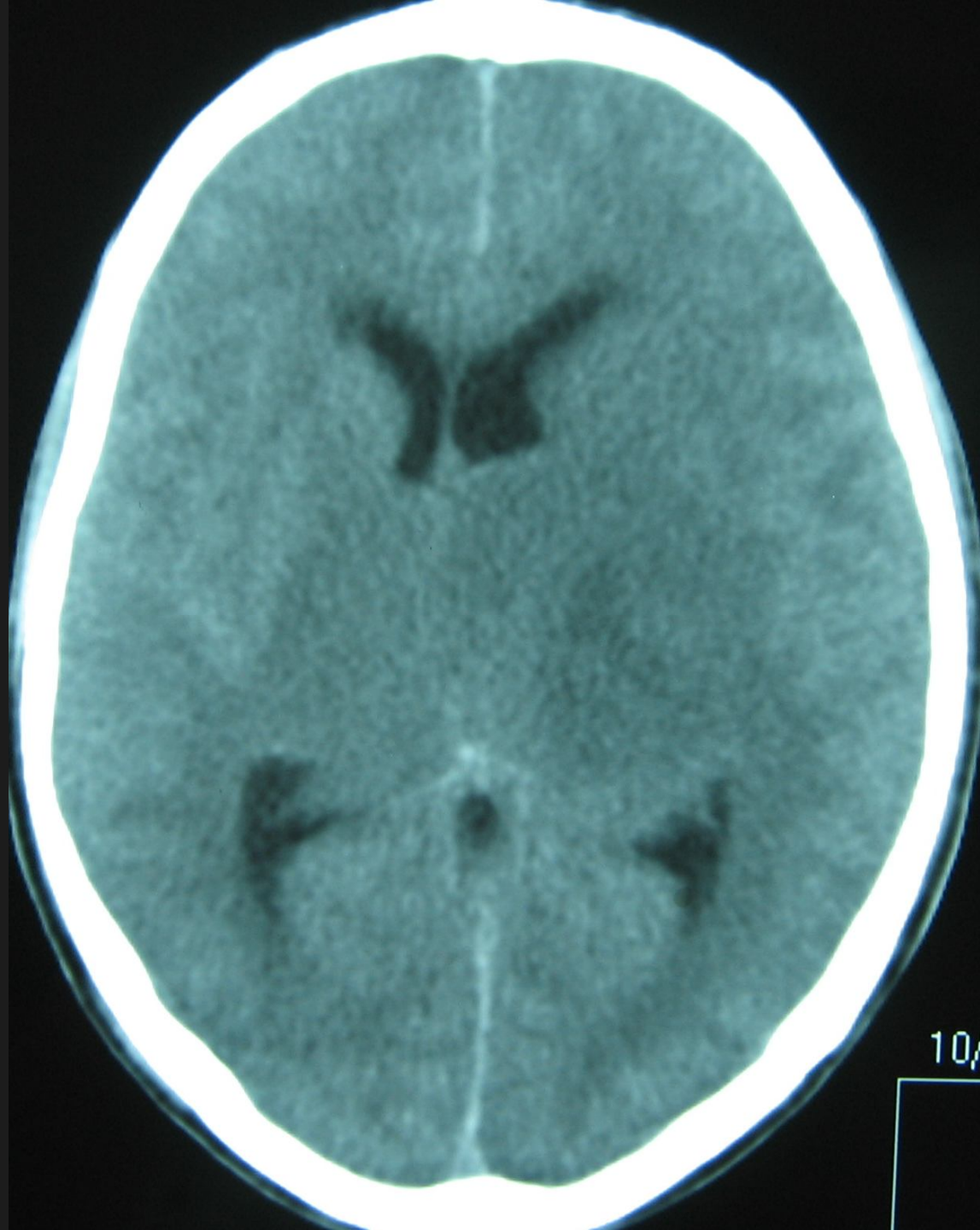
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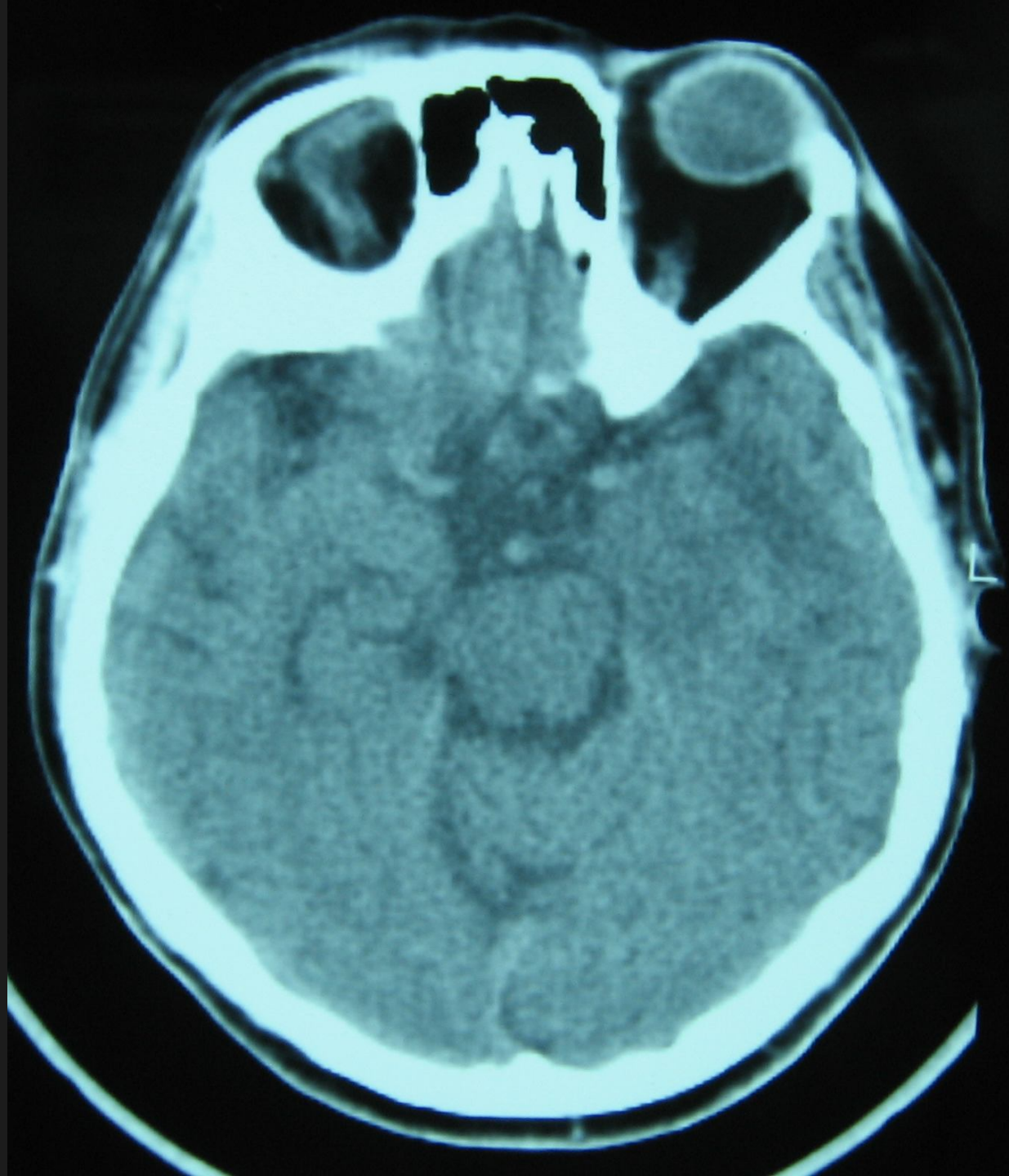
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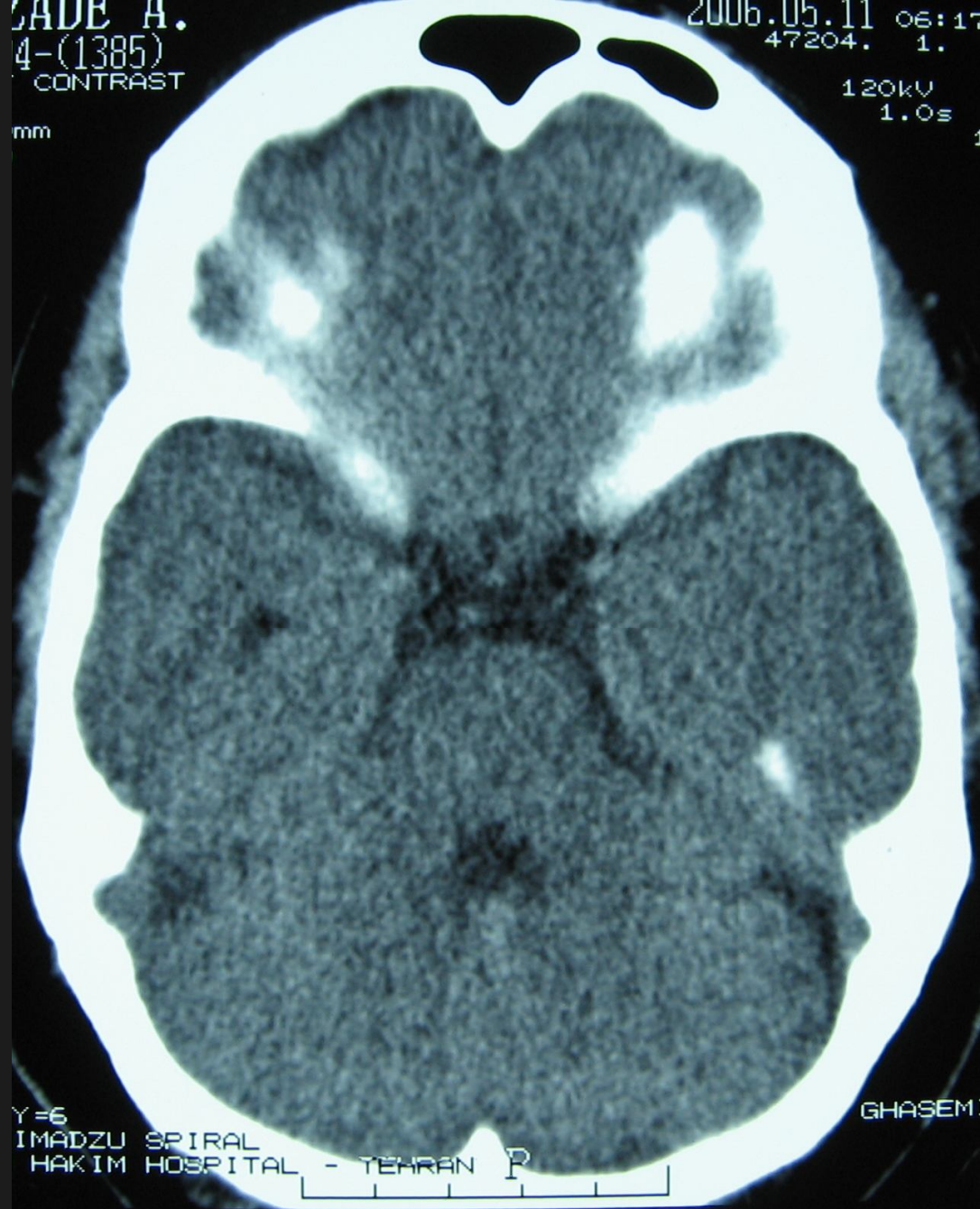
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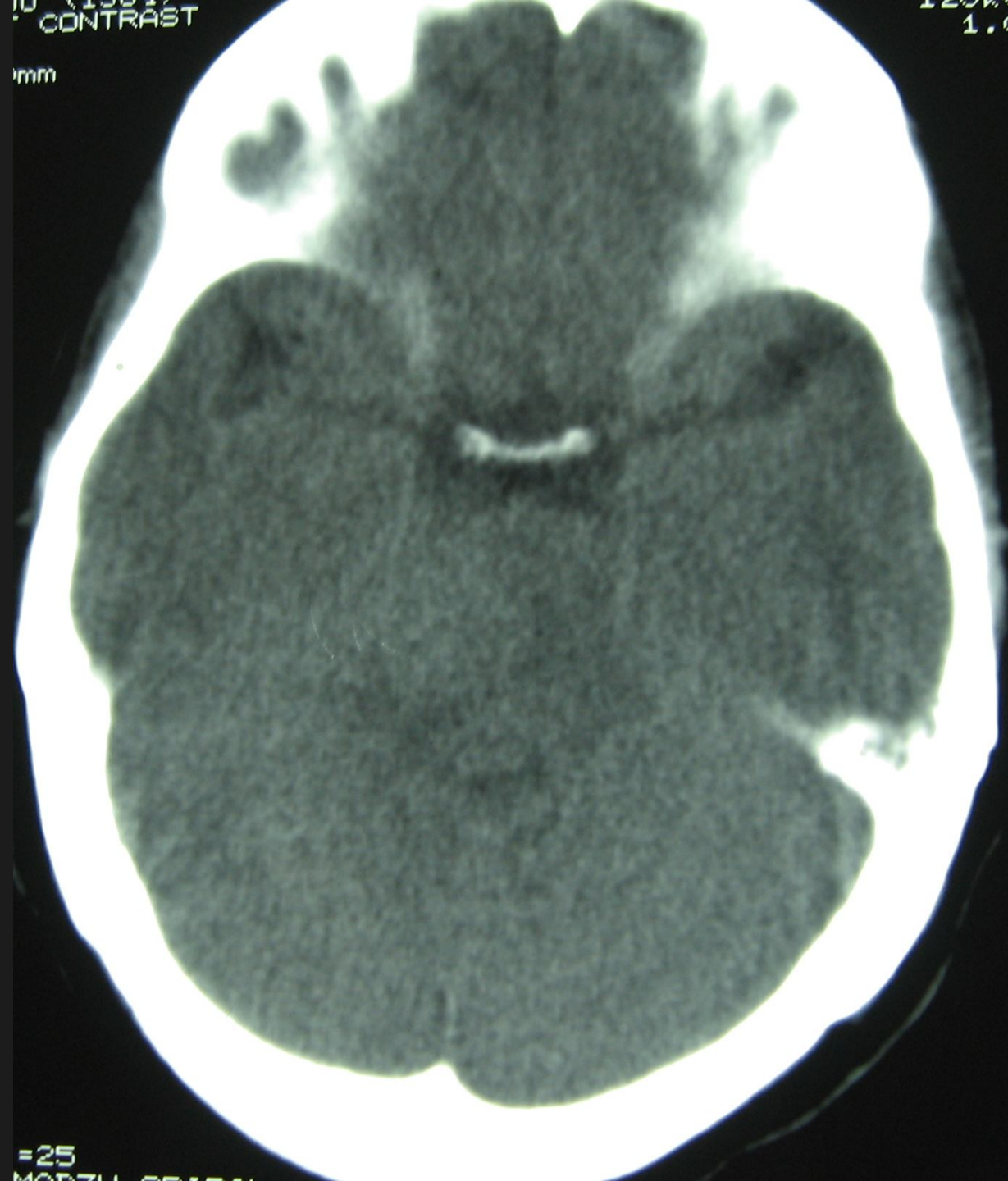


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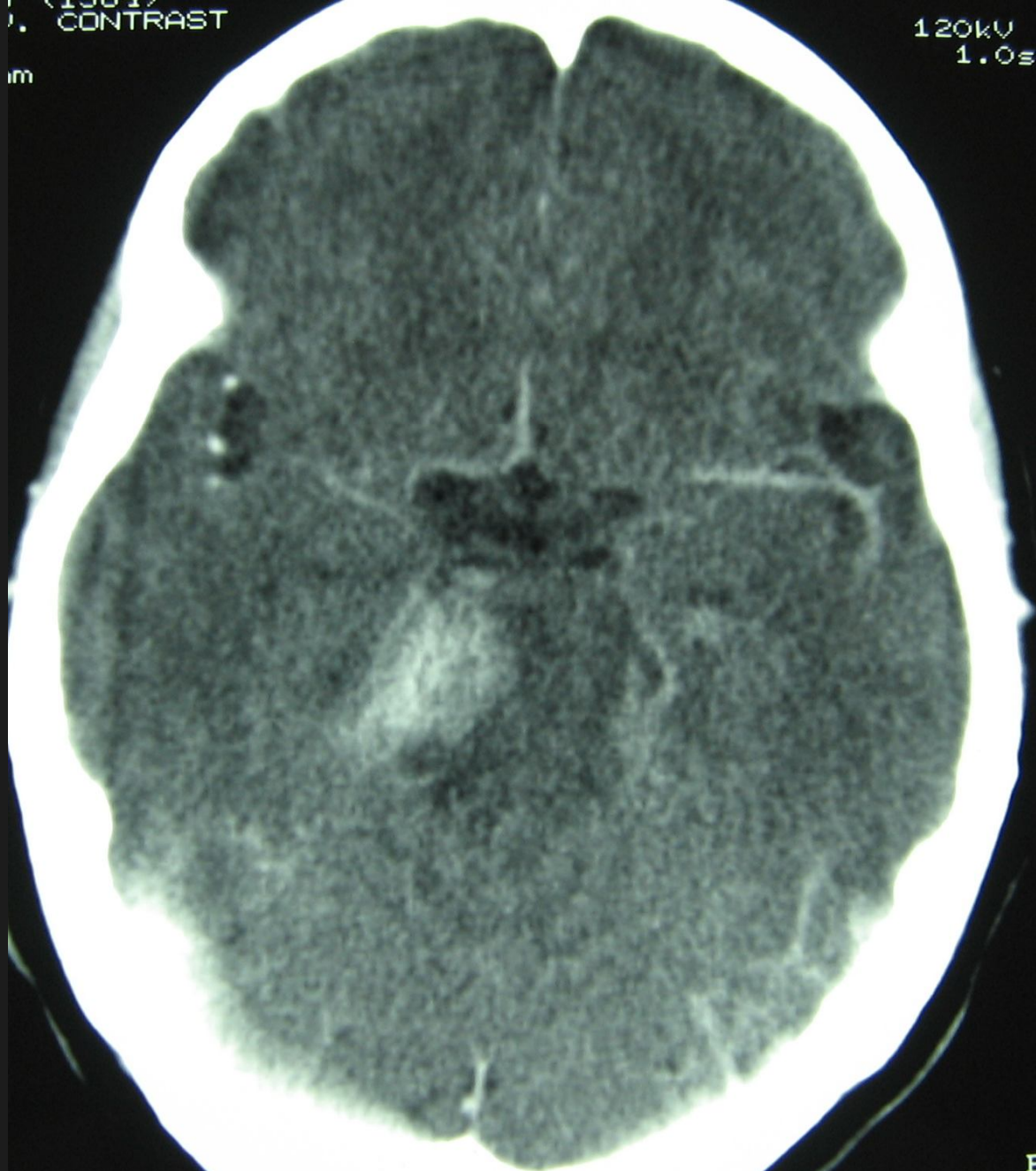
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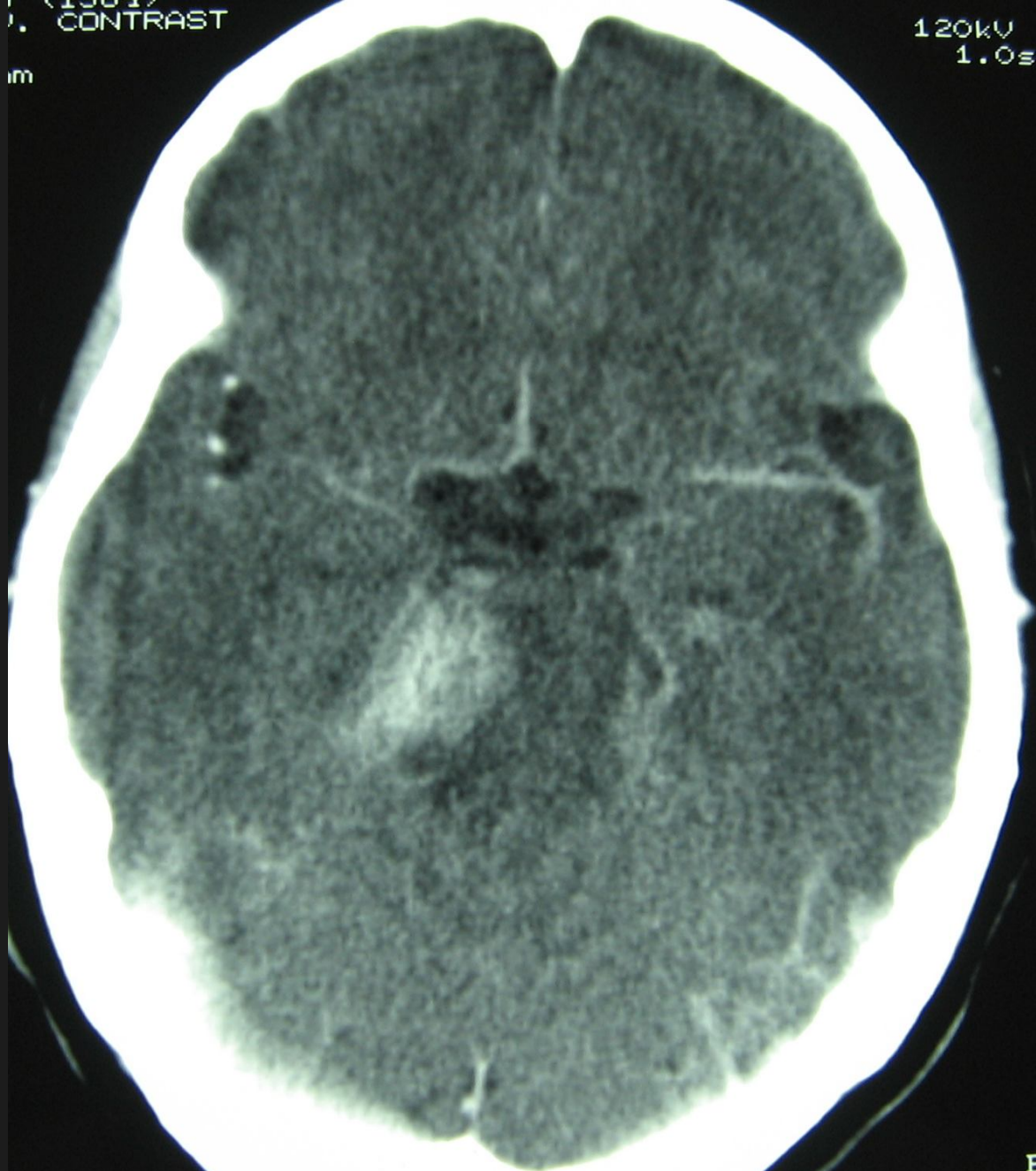
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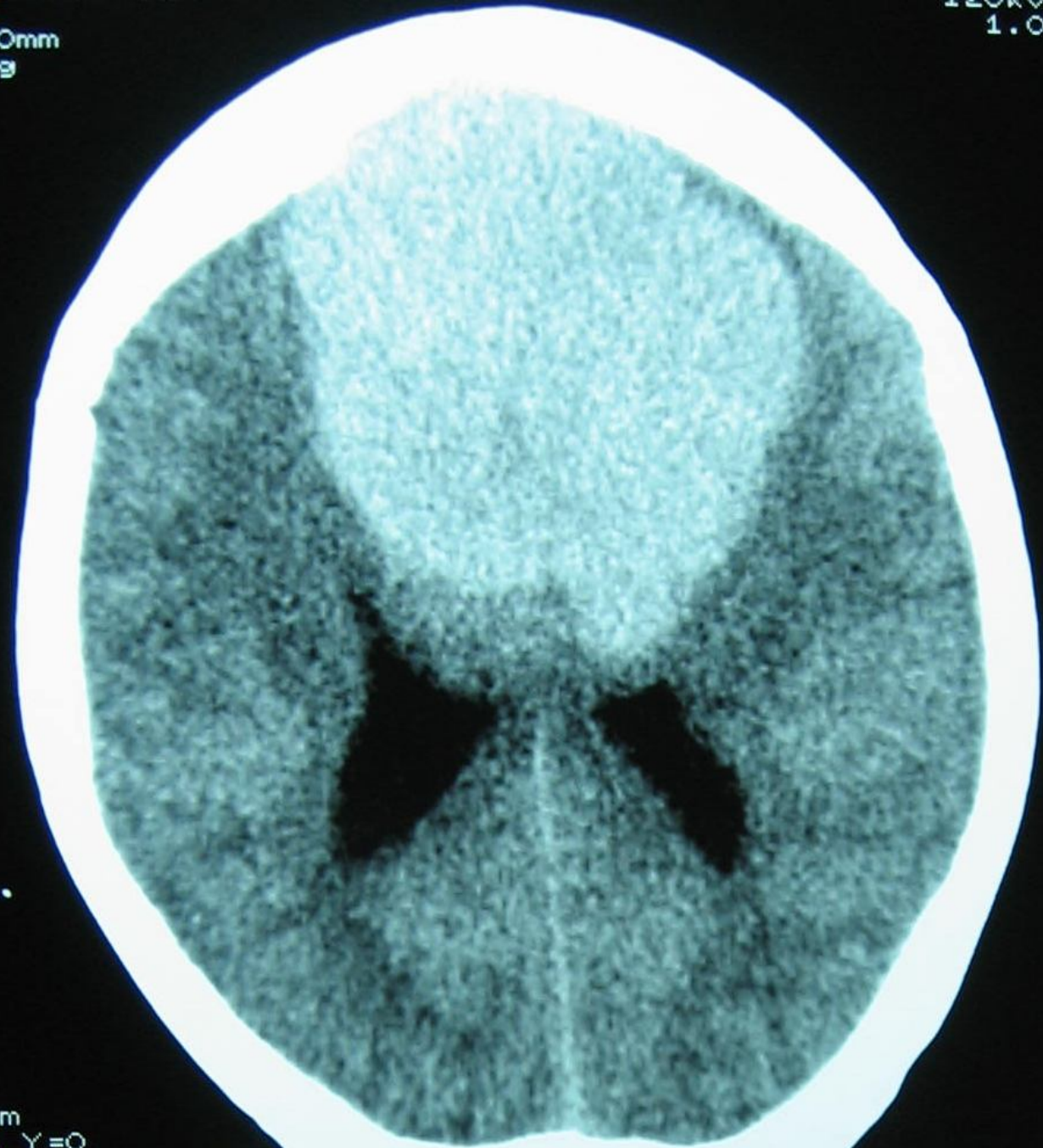
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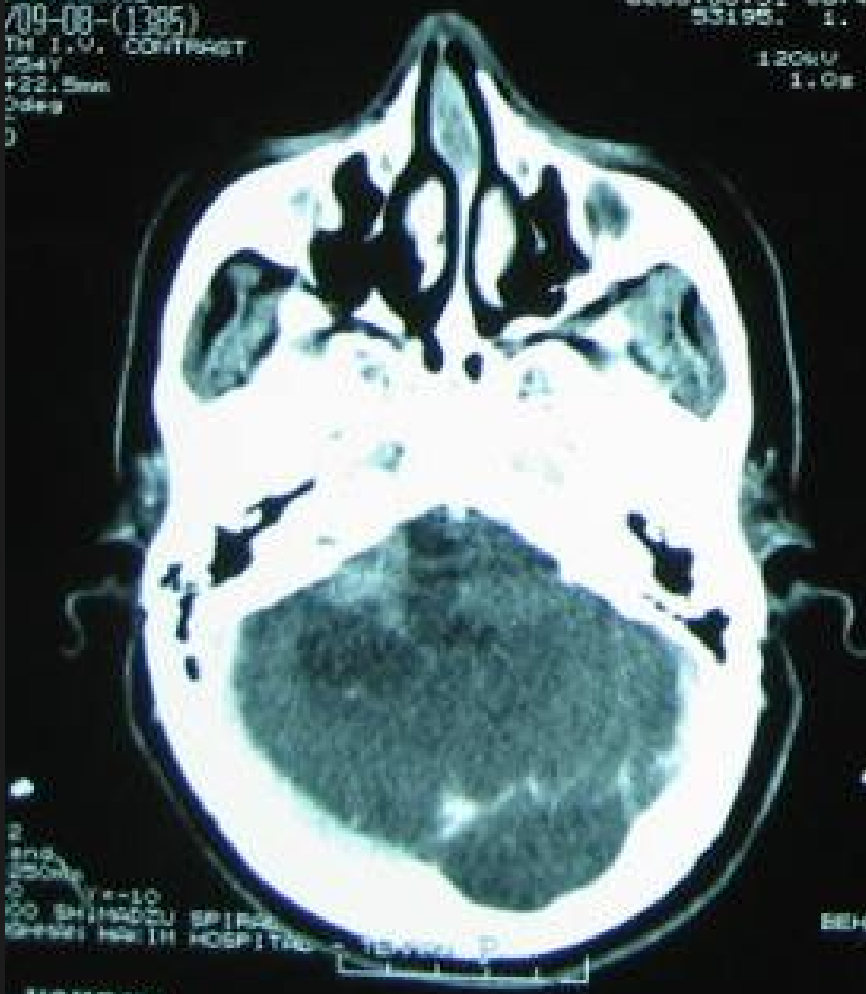


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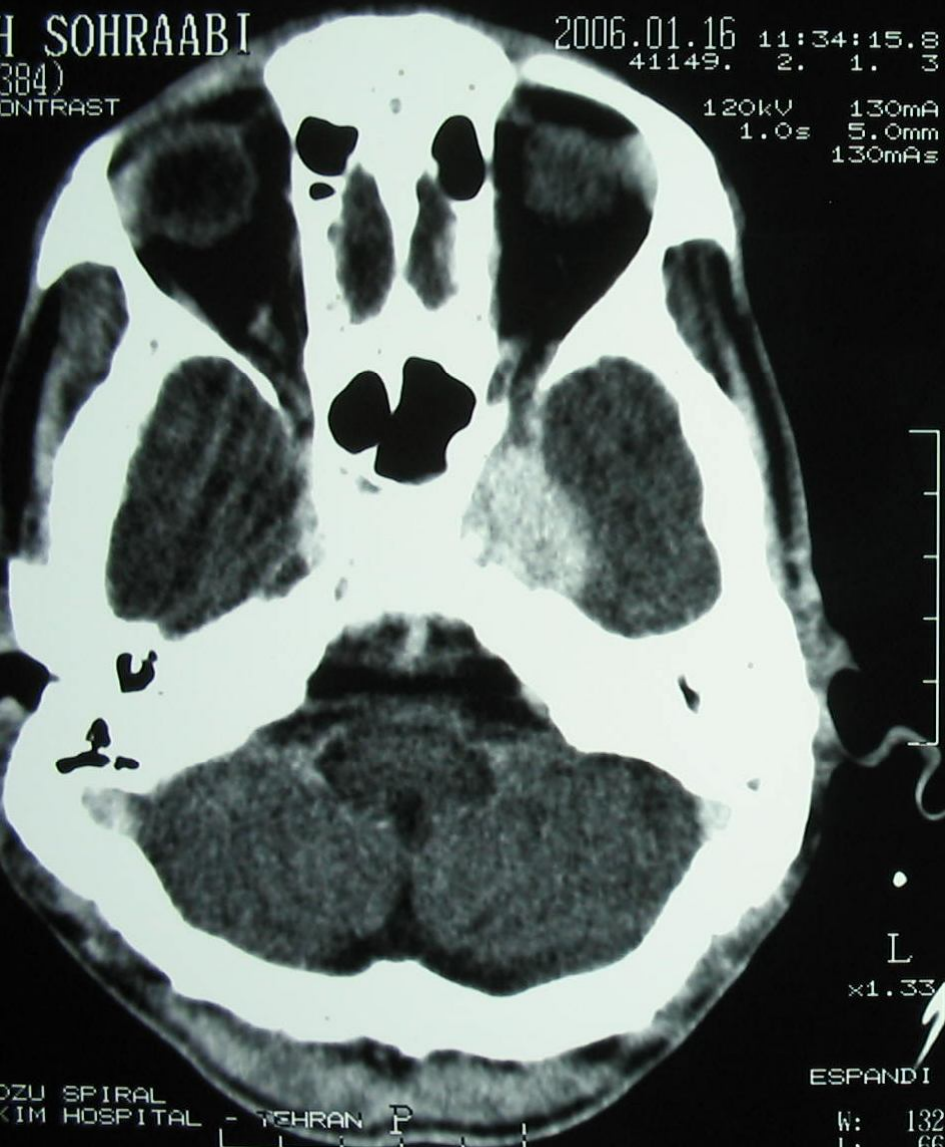


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LOGHMAN HAKIM HOSPITAL - TEHRAN P





JAMILEH MANSOURIAN

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05/10-06-(1384)  
WITH I.V. CONTRAST  
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OM+51.0mm  
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1.0s 2.0mm  
130mAs



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Stand  
A=200mm  
X=0  
7800 SHIMADZU SPIRAL  
LOGHMAN HAKIM HOSPITAL - TEHRAN P

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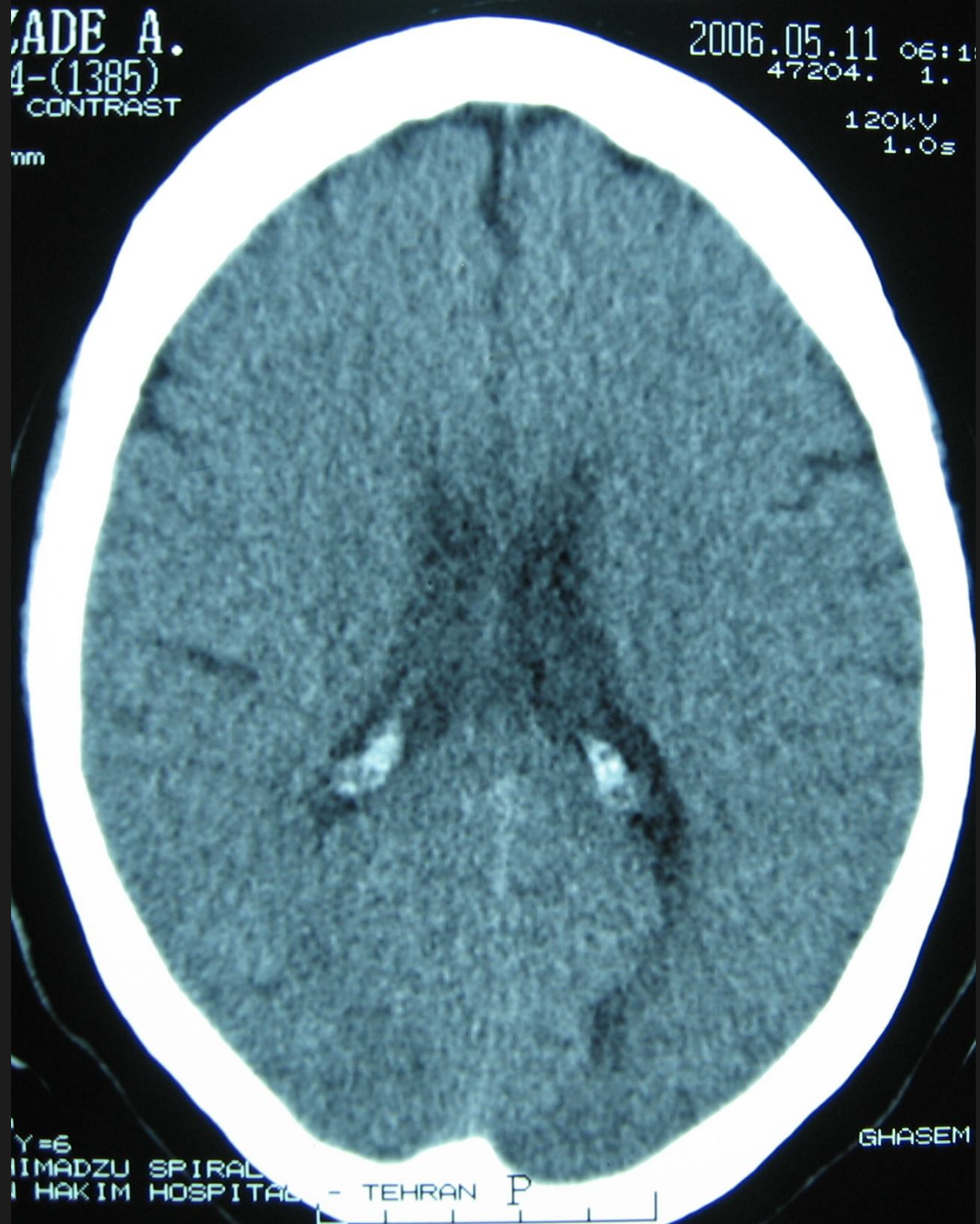
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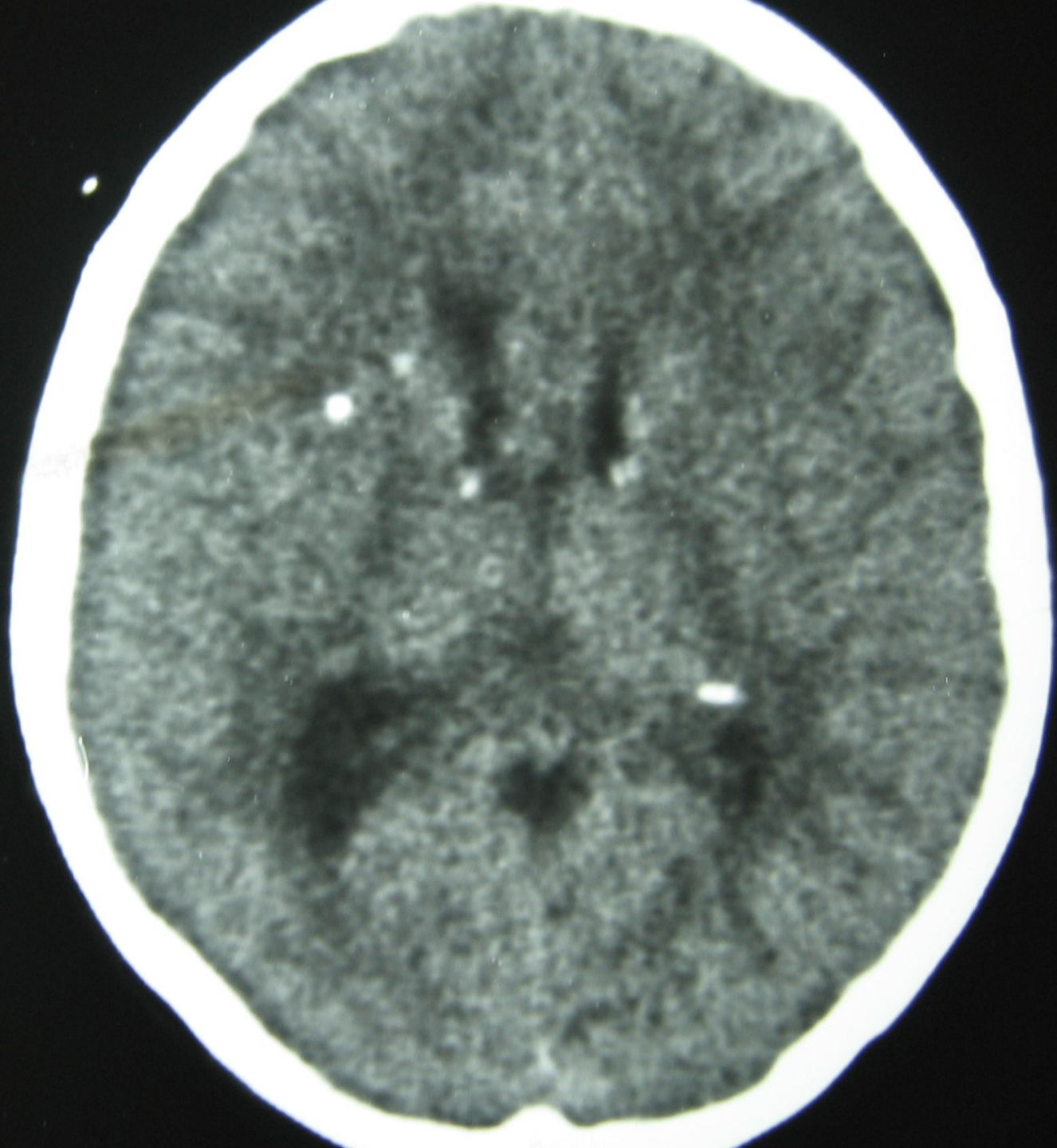
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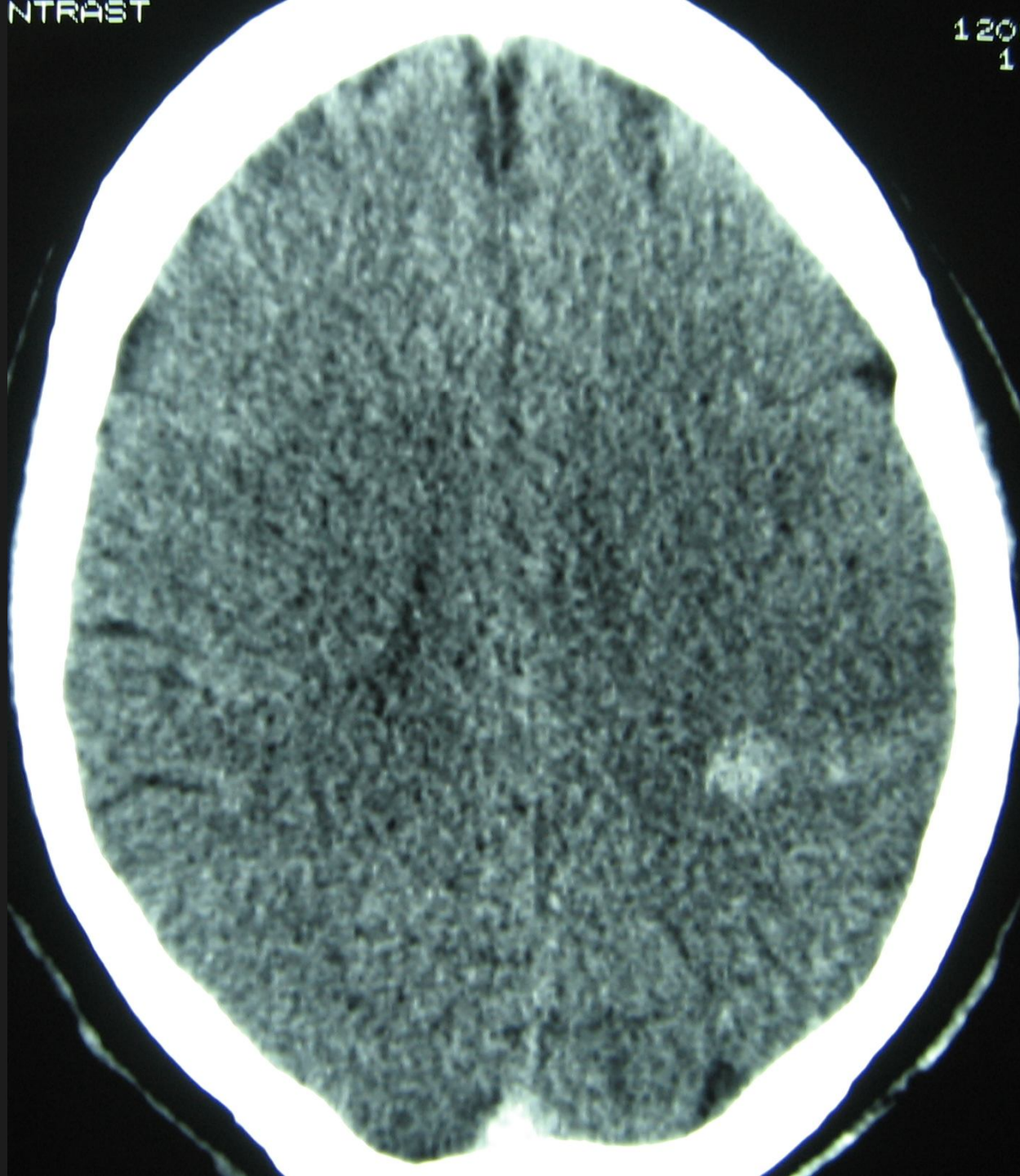
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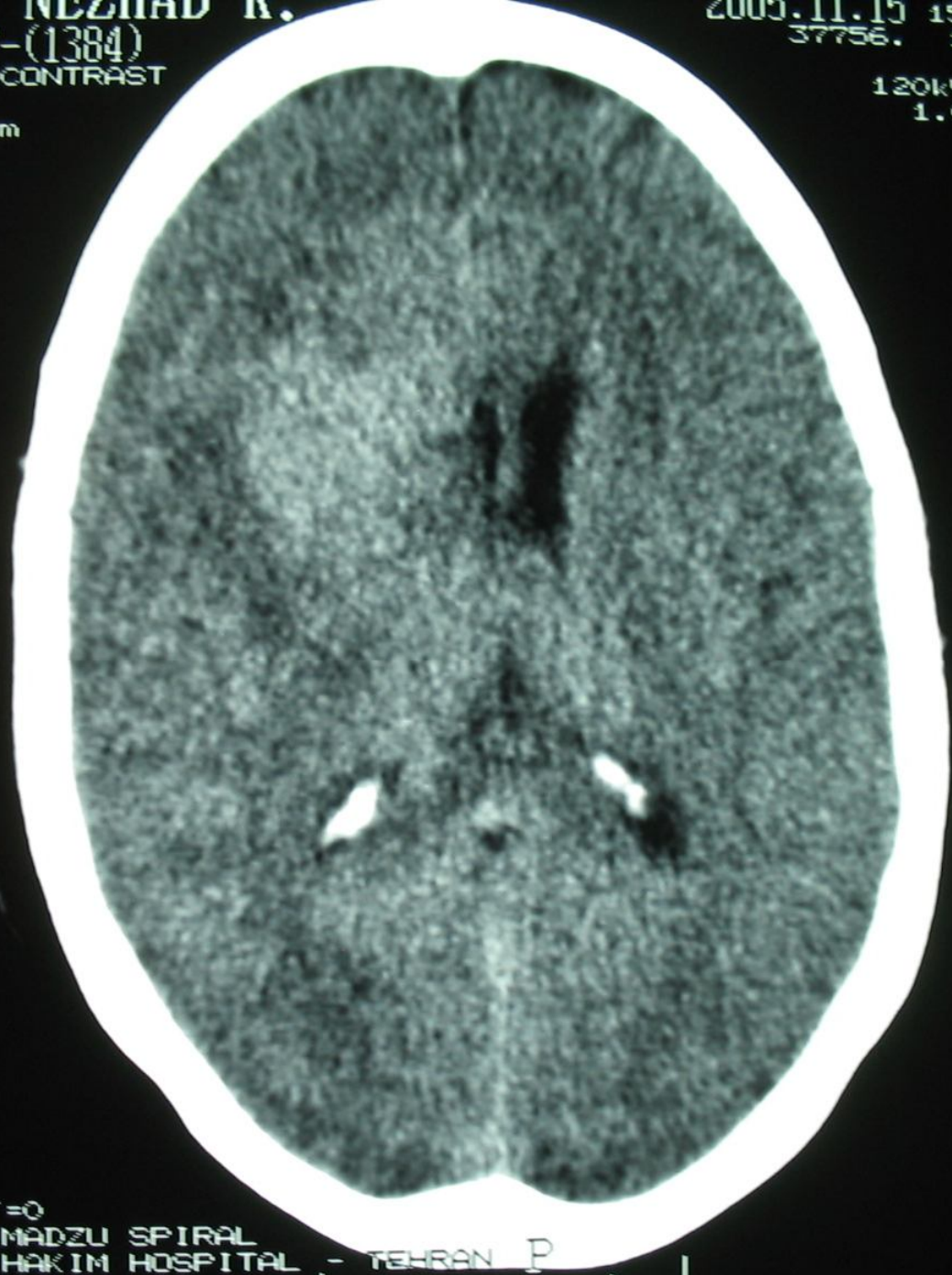
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1.0s 10  
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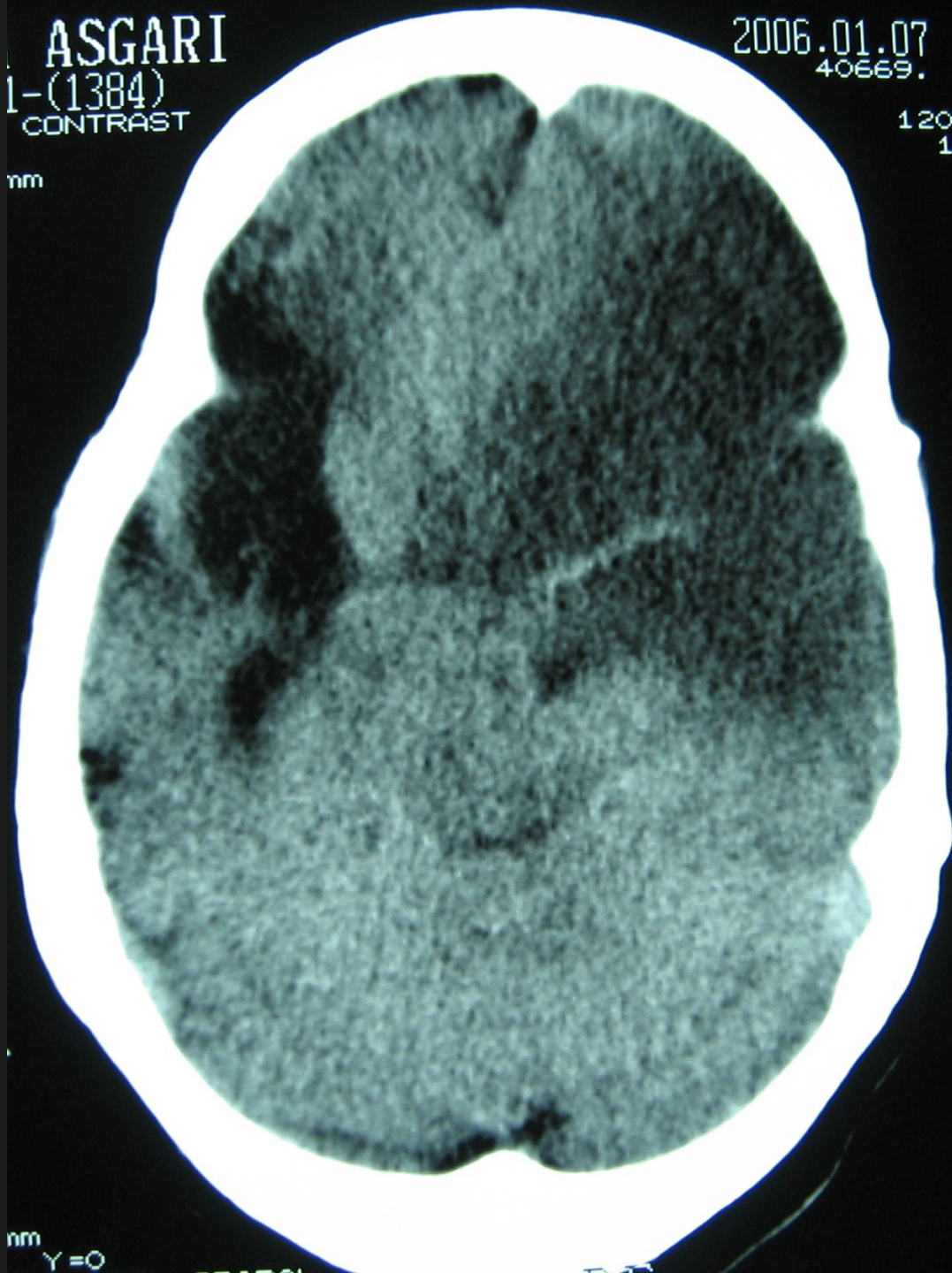
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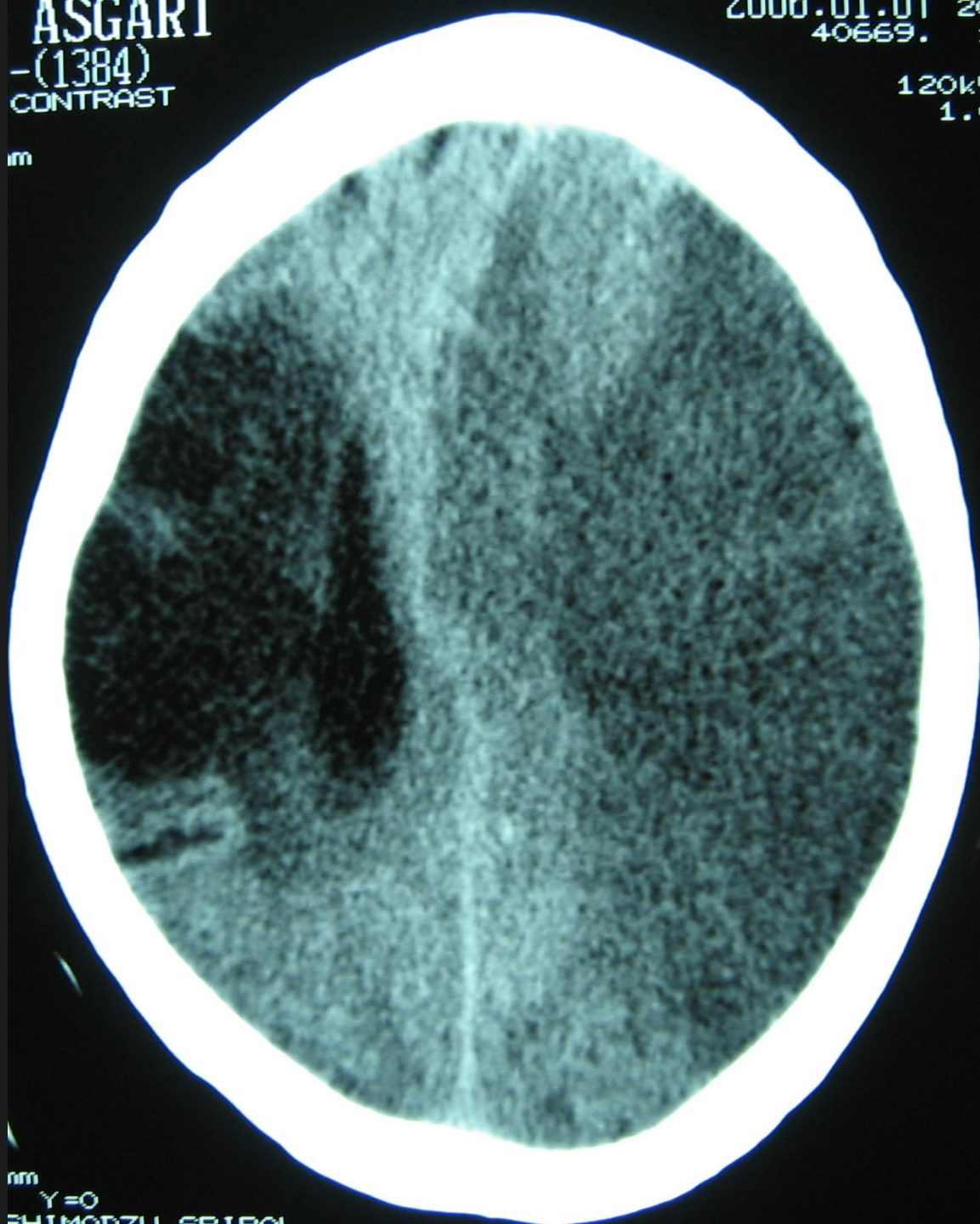
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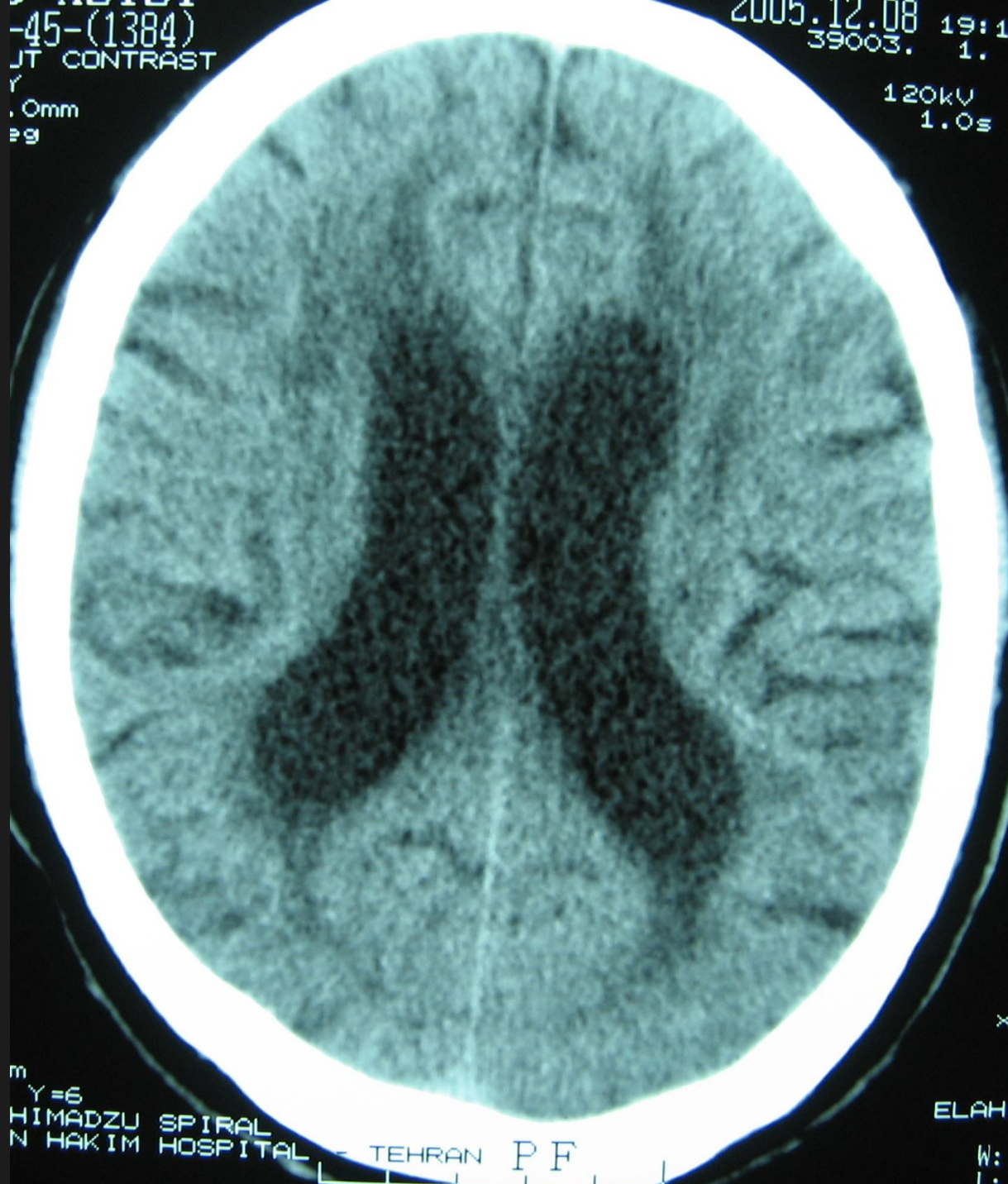
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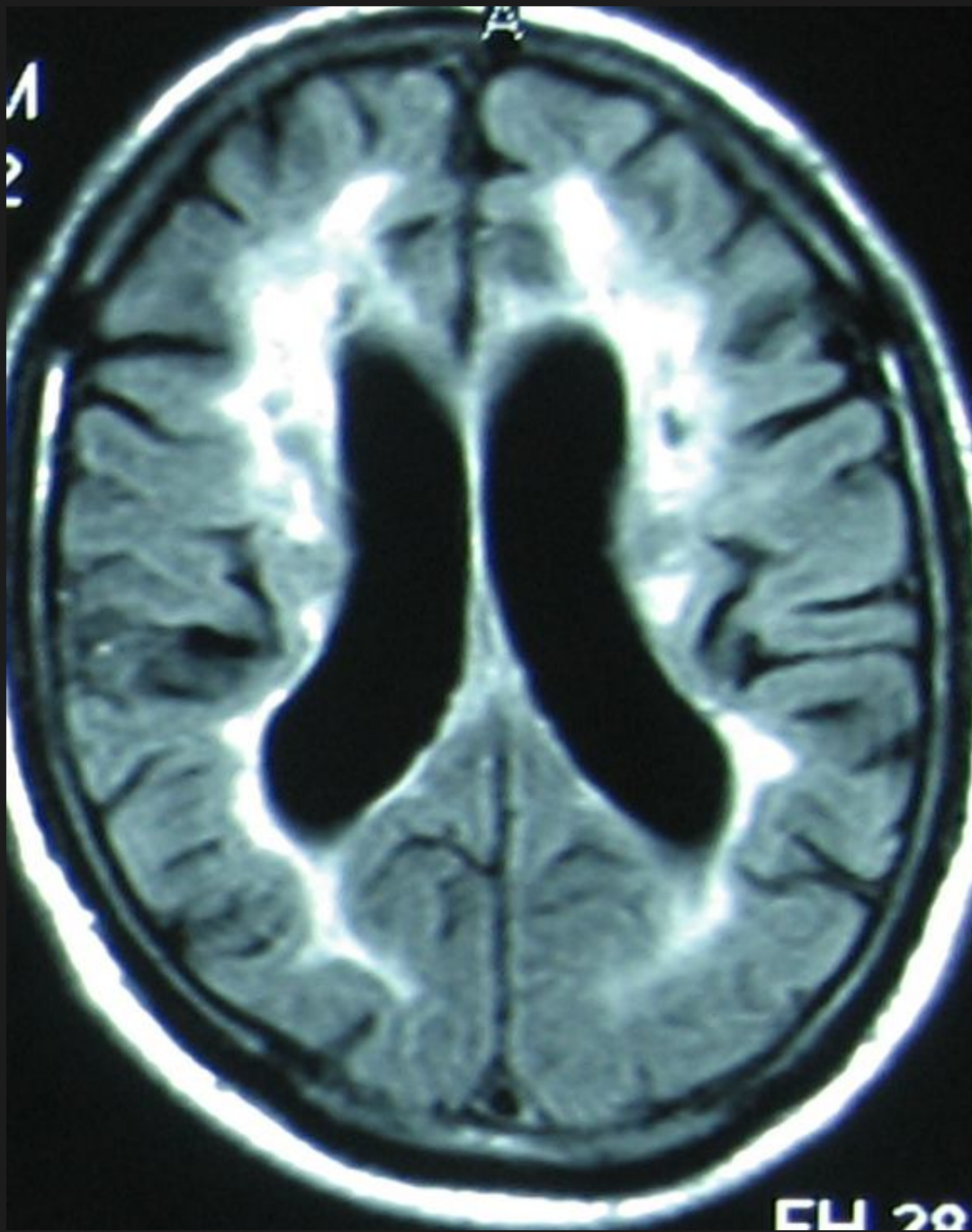


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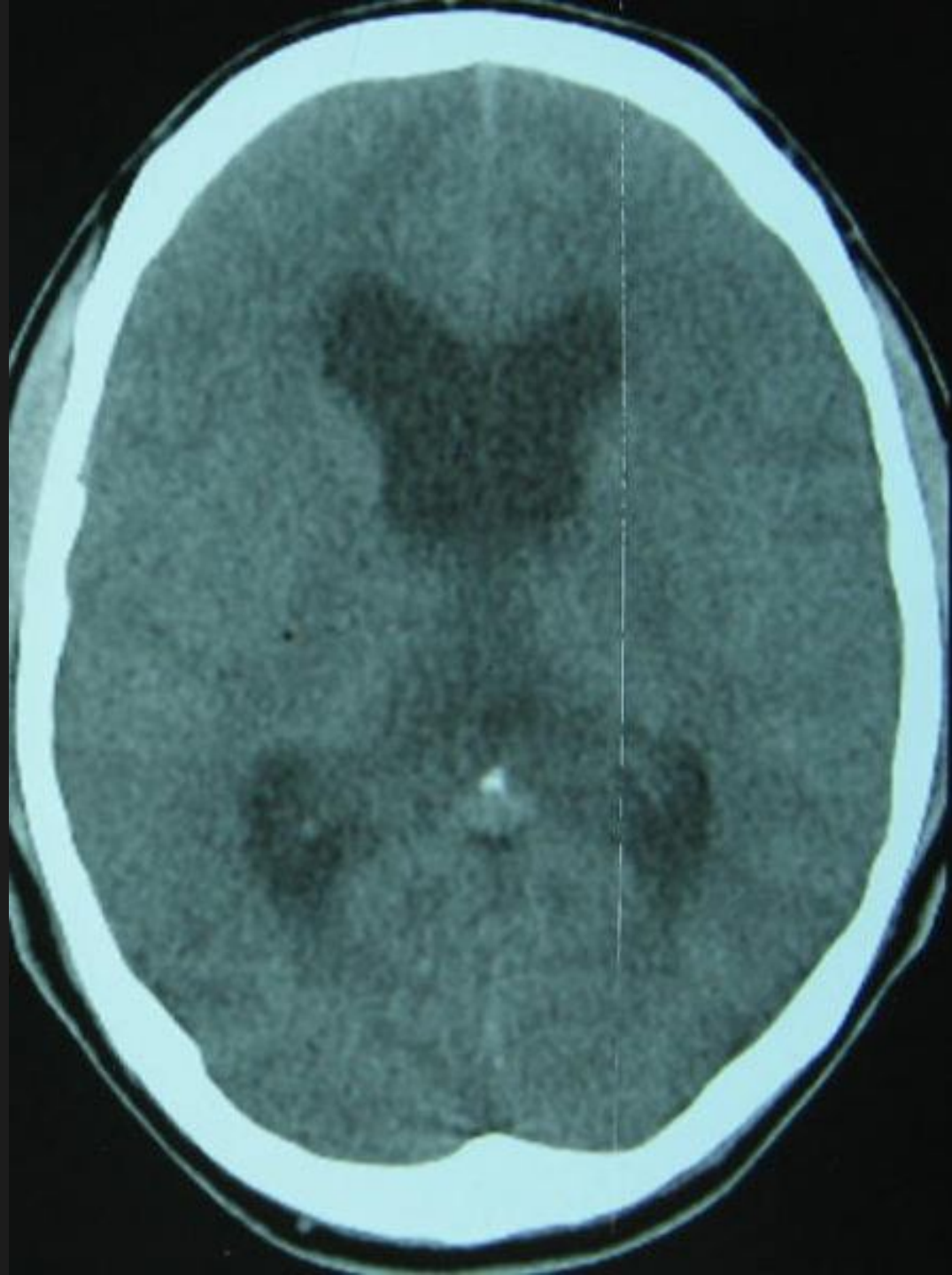
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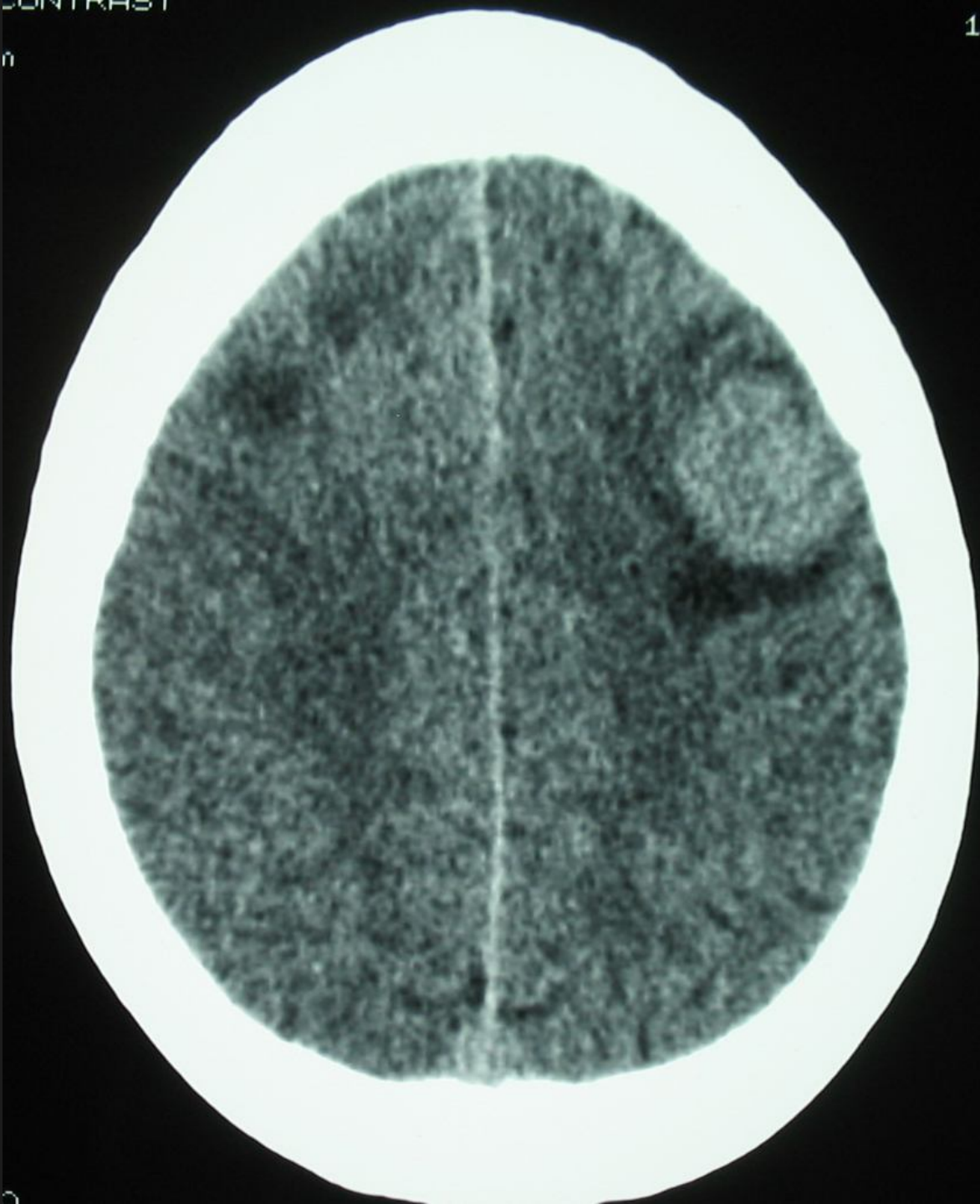


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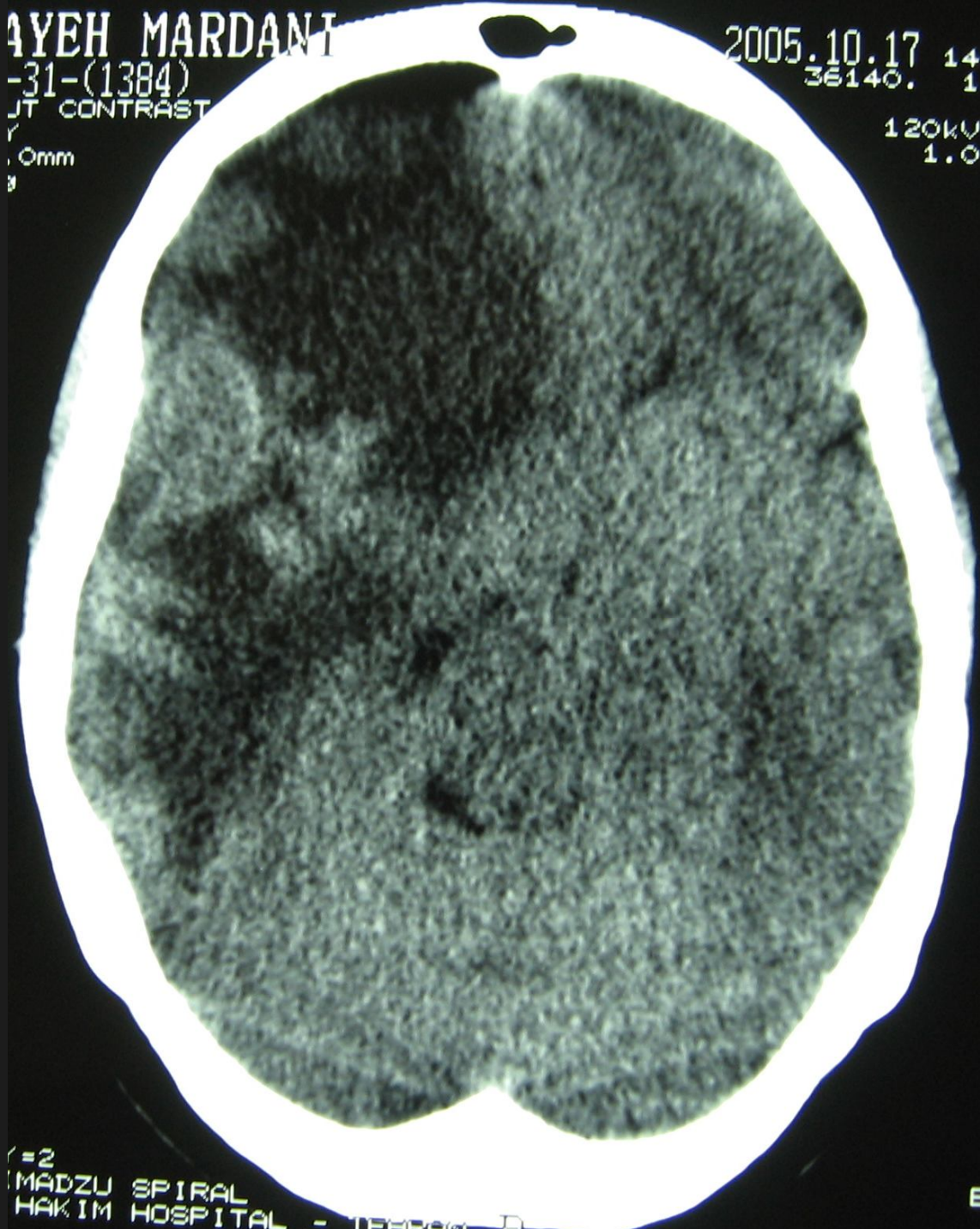
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