

**Table S1.** Results (mean ± standard deviation) and comparison of the evaluated parameters (inflammatory, chemical, venous blood gas, and metabolic parameters) in cows developing parietal fibrinous peritonitis, generalised peritonitis and the control group.

<b>Inflammatory parameters</b>		PFP (11 cows)	Control group (14 cows)	p-Value	GP (30 cows)	Control group (14 cows)	p-Value	PFP (11 cows)	GP (30 cows)	p-Value
SP (g/l)	Mean ± SD	78.45±14.24 <sup>a</sup>	68.36±2.82 <sup>b</sup>	0.0383	71.33±13.26 <sup>a</sup>	68.36±2.82 <sup>a</sup>	0.4702	78.45±14.24 <sup>a</sup>	71.33±13.26 <sup>a</sup>	0.0840
PP (g/l)	Mean ± SD	87.09±11.78 <sup>a</sup>	71.7±3.17 <sup>b</sup>	0.0022	78.97±14.15 <sup>a</sup>	71.7±3.17 <sup>a</sup>	0.0647	87.09±11.78 <sup>a</sup>	78.97±14.15 <sup>a</sup>	0.0576
Fibrinogen (g/l)	Mean ± SD	8.64±4.82 <sup>a</sup>	3.36±0.93 <sup>b</sup>	0.0001	7.83±2.45 <sup>a</sup>	3.36±0.93 <sup>b</sup>	0.0001	8.64±4.82 <sup>a</sup>	7.83±2.45 <sup>a</sup>	0.4253
glutaraldehyde test (min)		< 3	> 15	0.0001	< 3	> 15	0.0001	< 3	< 3	0.1035
		<b>Chemical parameters</b>								
Na <sup>+</sup> (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	130.9±5.57 <sup>a</sup>	133.14±2.21 <sup>a</sup>	0.2800	126.93±5.79 <sup>a</sup>	133.14±2.21 <sup>b</sup>	0.0004	130.9±5.57 <sup>a</sup>	126.93±5.79 <sup>b</sup>	0.0314
K <sup>+</sup> (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	3.64±0.25 <sup>a</sup>	4.48±0.42 <sup>b</sup>	0.0393	3.7±1.3 <sup>a</sup>	4.48±0.42 <sup>b</sup>	0.0188	3.64±0.25 <sup>a</sup>	3.7±1.3 <sup>a</sup>	0.8496
Ca <sup>++</sup> (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	1.06±0.09 <sup>a</sup>	1.19±0.04 <sup>b</sup>	0.0033	0.89±0.12 <sup>a</sup>	1.19±0.04 <sup>b</sup>	0.0001	1.06±0.09 <sup>a</sup>	0.89±0.12 <sup>b</sup>	0.0001
Cl <sup>-</sup> (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	93±6.15 <sup>a</sup>	96.93±2.73 <sup>a</sup>	0.0918	82.38±6.45 <sup>a</sup>	96.93±2.73 <sup>b</sup>	0.0001	93±6.15 <sup>a</sup>	82.38±6.45 <sup>b</sup>	0.0001
Agap (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	15±4.82 <sup>a</sup>	15.28±1.86 <sup>a</sup>	0.8811	18.82±5.56 <sup>a</sup>	15.28±1.86 <sup>b</sup>	0.0263	15±4.82 <sup>a</sup>	18.82±5.56 <sup>b</sup>	0.0271
		<b>Venous blood gas parameters</b>								
pH	Mean ± SD	7.73±0.07 <sup>a</sup>	7.42±0.07 <sup>a</sup>	0.8681	7.47±0.08 <sup>a</sup>	7.42±0.07 <sup>a</sup>	0.0708	7.73±0.07 <sup>a</sup>	7.47±0.08 <sup>a</sup>	0.1390
HCO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	26.47±4.15 <sup>a</sup>	25.56±1.86 <sup>a</sup>	0.7272	30.87±8.16 <sup>a</sup>	25.56±1.86 <sup>b</sup>	0.0137	26.47±4.15 <sup>a</sup>	30.87±8.16 <sup>b</sup>	0.0476
pCO <sub>2</sub> (mmHg)	Mean ± SD	40.03±6.29 <sup>a</sup>	39.76±8.02 <sup>a</sup>	0.9241	40.94±6.8 <sup>a</sup>	39.76±8.02 <sup>a</sup>	0.6090	40.03±6.29 <sup>a</sup>	40.94±6.8 <sup>a</sup>	0.7179
BE (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	1.98±4.35 <sup>a</sup>	1.06±1.51 <sup>a</sup>	0.7015	5.71±7.42 <sup>a</sup>	1.06±1.51 <sup>b</sup>	0.0187	1.98±4.35 <sup>a</sup>	1.06±1.51 <sup>a</sup>	0.0794
		<b>Metabolic parameters</b>								
Glucose (mg/dL)	Mean ± SD	80.36±33.31 <sup>a</sup>	74±5.76 <sup>a</sup>	0.6334	86.13±39.32 <sup>a</sup>	74±5.76 <sup>a</sup>	0.2601	80.36±33.31 <sup>a</sup>	86.13±39.32 <sup>a</sup>	0.6211
L-lactate (mmol/L)	Mean ± SD	4.68±4.82 <sup>a</sup>	1.68±1.44 <sup>a</sup>	0.0865	8.1±4.85 <sup>a</sup>	1.68±1.44 <sup>b</sup>	0.0001	4.68±4.82 <sup>a</sup>	8.1±4.85 <sup>b</sup>	0.0268
Creatinine (mg/dL)	Mean ± SD	2.33±1.15 <sup>a</sup>	2.18±0.28 <sup>a</sup>	0.8382	3.53±2.30 <sup>a</sup>	2.18±0.28 <sup>b</sup>	0.0240	2.33±1.15 <sup>a</sup>	3.53±2.30 <sup>a</sup>	0.0621

PFP: parietal fibrinous peritonitis; GP: generalised peritonitis; SP: serum protein; PP: plasma protein; Na<sup>+</sup>: sodium; K<sup>+</sup>: potassium; Cl<sup>-</sup>: chloride, Ca<sup>++</sup>: ionized calcium; (Agap) anion gap; pH: potential hydrogen, BE: base excess; HCO<sub>3</sub><sup>-</sup>: bicarbonate; pCO<sub>2</sub>: carbon dioxide pressure. Within the same line, values bearing a distinct letter are statistically different from each other (*p*<0.05).