Supplementary Material

**Fig. 1** Ultrasound: Sagittal plane showing slight pleural effusion (asterisks) with a sharply defined, solid mass in the dorsal pleural recess (dotted arrows, between the marks). Ribs (little arrows) with acoustic shadows.

**Fig. 3** CT of the chest (Philips Brilliance 64-slice scanner, Philips Healthcare, Best, Netherlands; Slice thickness: 2 mm; CTDIvol: 6.5 mGy) with iodine contrast medium (50 ml of iomeprol 400, Imeron®, Bracco Imaging, Milan, Italy. Flow rate: 2 ml/s; post-threshold delay: 20 s). Axial (a) and coronal (b) planes. Paravertebral mass (arrows) with intermediate density, pleural effusion (asterisks) and adjacent atelectatic lung parenchyma.
Fig. 5  Trocar placement and scars 3 weeks after the operation.