



Pravostranná srdeční katetrizace

(invazivní hemodynamika jako okno do fyziologie oběhu)

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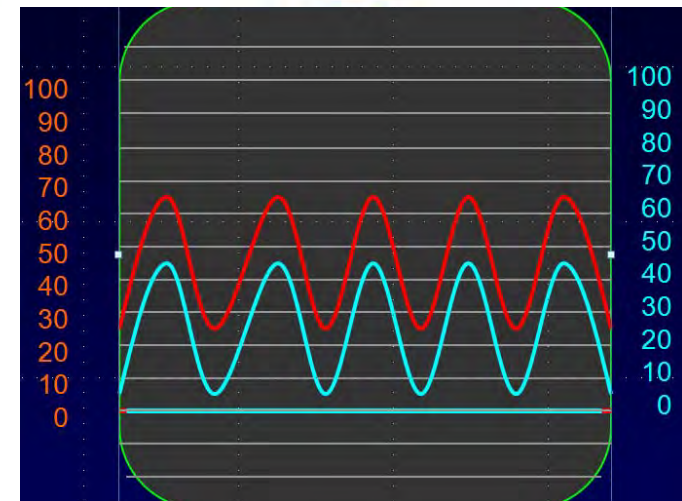
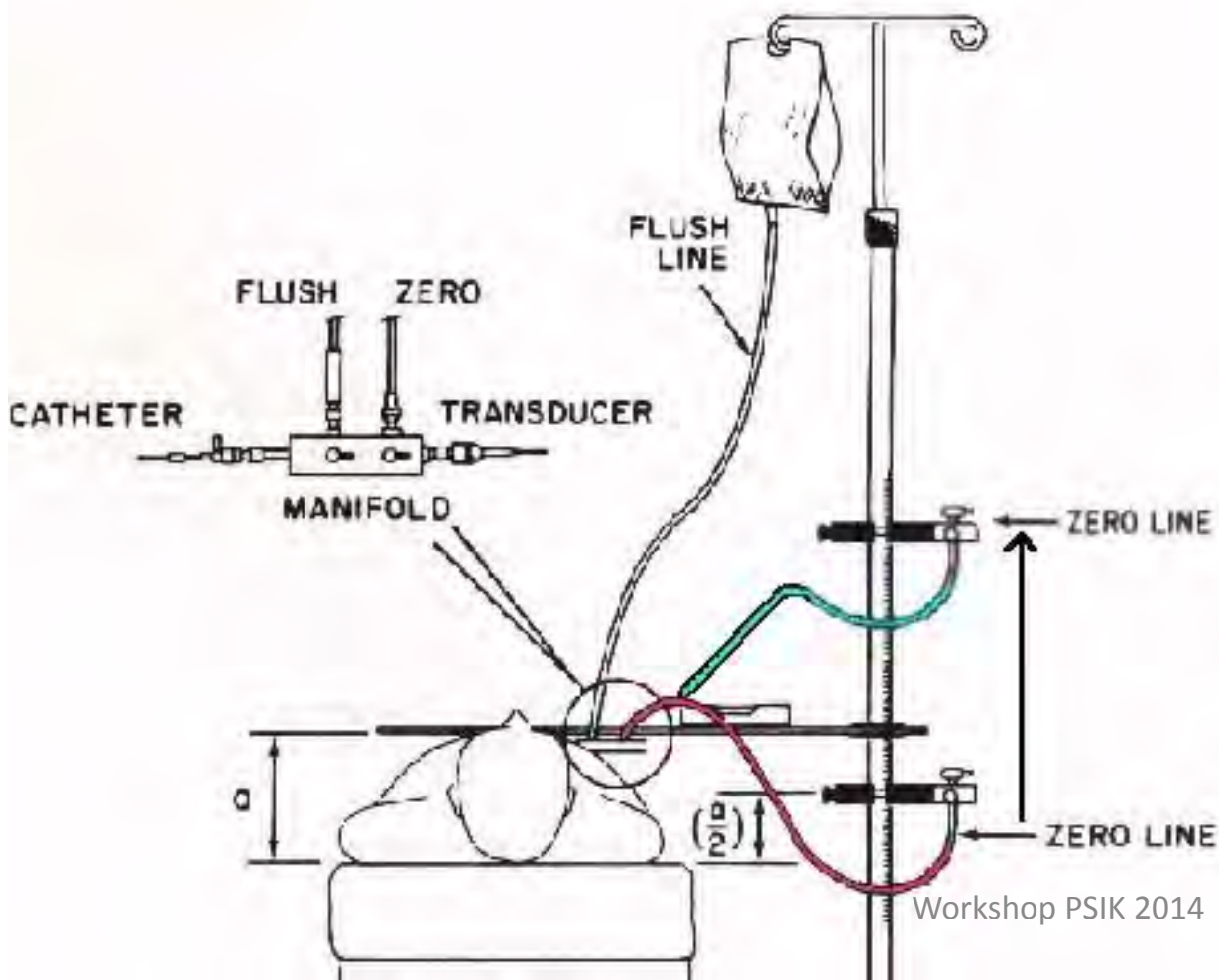
Kardiocentrum

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Měření tlaků - technika

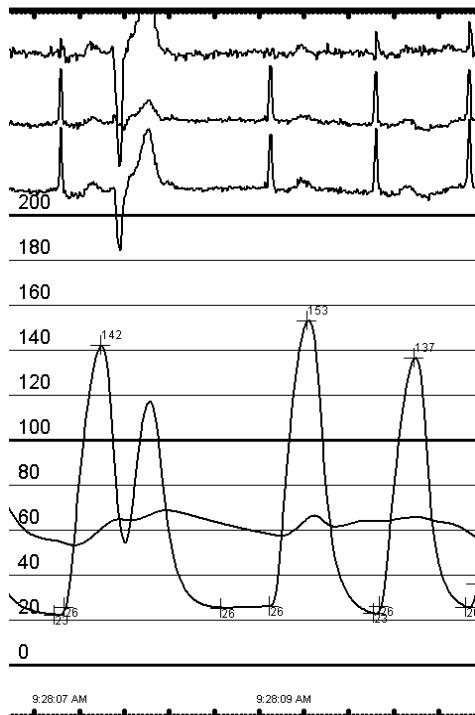
- Přenos tlakového signálu tekutinou v katetru a senzor umístěn mimo tělo pacienta („kapsle“)
- Kalibrace !!



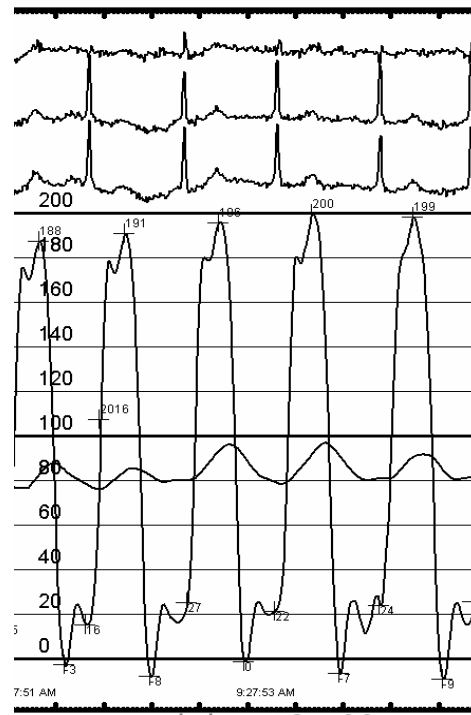
Měření tlaků - chyby

- Kvalitní signál – tlumení je závislé na délce a kalibru katetru, viskozitě tekutiny, absence vzduchových bublin !!

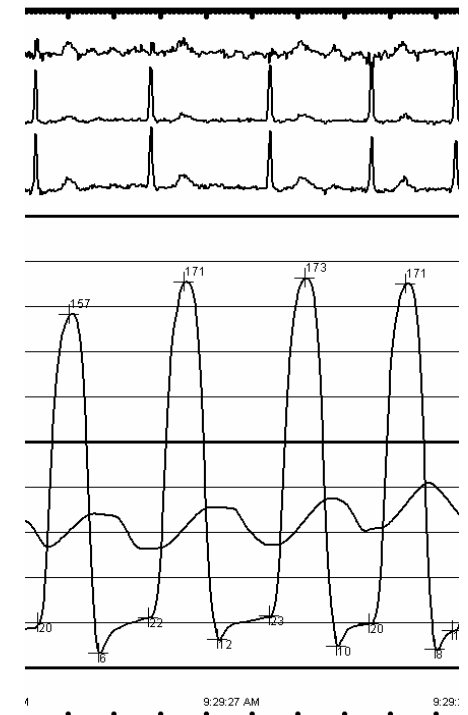
Viskózní kontrast



Dobrá kvalita



Vzduchová bublina





Indikace invazivní hemodynamiky



- **1) u lůžka – ARO, KJ** – kritické stavy (dif.dg. šoků a srdečního selhání)
 - Typicky cestou v.jugularis interna, často bez RTG navigace
- **2) v katetizační laboratoři** – dříve časté, dnes často nahrazeno echokardiografií. Nejčastěji cestou v.femoralis.
 - Závažná rozhodnutí – před Tx nebo jinou KCH operací
 - Potřeba určení typu, tíže a event. reverzibility plicní hypertenze
 - Nesouhlas mezi klinickým nálezem a echokardiografií
 - Kvantifikace zkratových vad
 - Diagnostika konstriktivní versus restriktivní fyziologie
- **3) během invazivních strukturálních intervencí** – TAVI, ASA

Vždy je jasná otázka, „rutinní“ postup již neexistuje



Rizika pravostranné katetrizace



- Krvácení z místa vpichu, vznik AV fistule
- Arytmie při manipulaci katetru v P oddílech. CAVE kompletní AV blok při manipulaci katetrem v RVOT u pacientů s LBBB
- Vyšší radiační zátěž



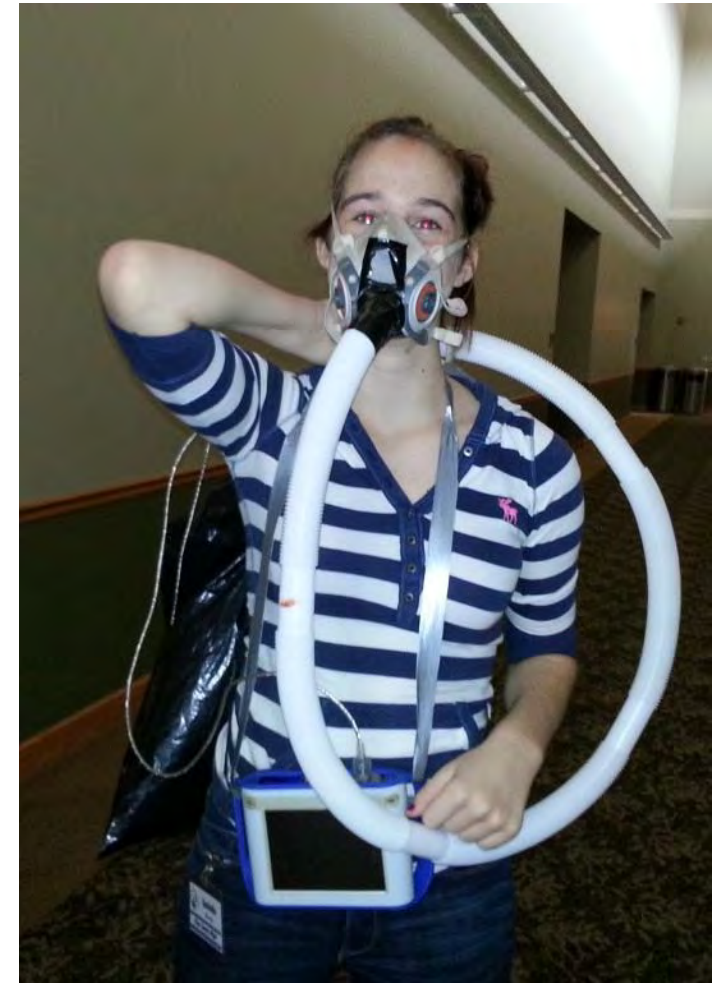
Měření srdečního výdeje (CO; L/min)



- **Indikace:**
 - Výpočet plochy ústí u stenotických vad
 - Výpočet cévních resistencí
 - Výpočet u zkratových vad
- **Metody stanovení CO:** Normální hodnota 4-8L/min.
 - Fickova metoda AV difference
 - Diluční metody (**termodiluce**, barvivová diluce)
 - Angiograficky při ventrikulografii
- **Srdeční index** (CI) $(L/min/m^2) = CO (L/min) / \text{plocha těla } (m^2)$
 - Normální hodnota 2,5-4 $(L/min/m^2)$
- **Tepový objem** (SV) $(ml/stah) = CO (L/min) / \text{srdeční frekvence } (stah/min)$

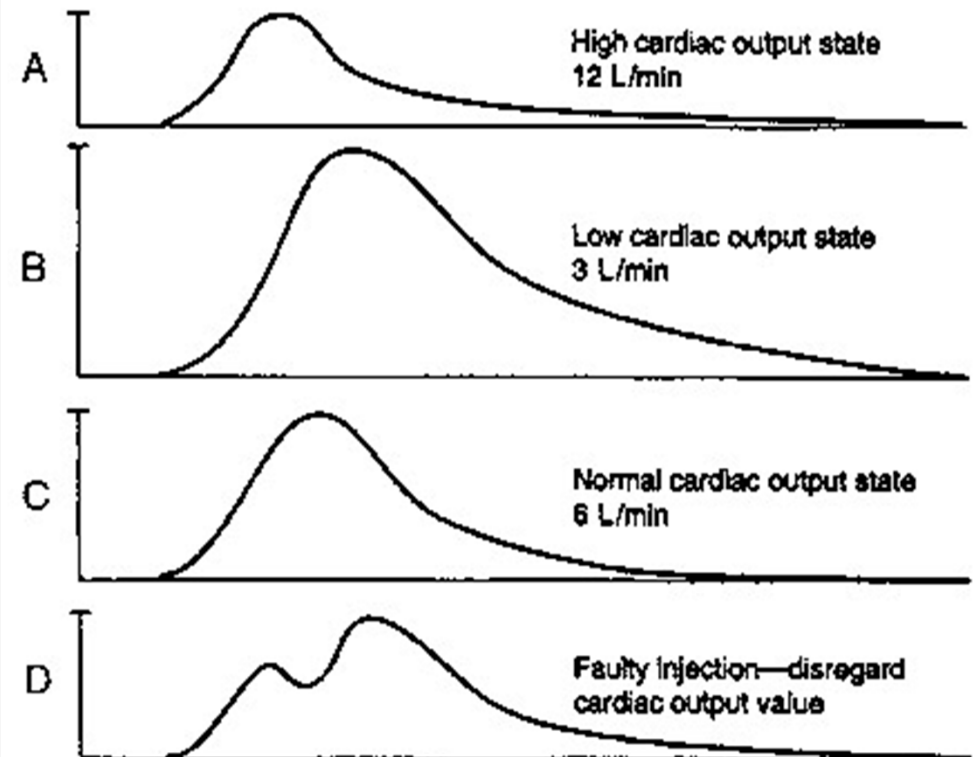
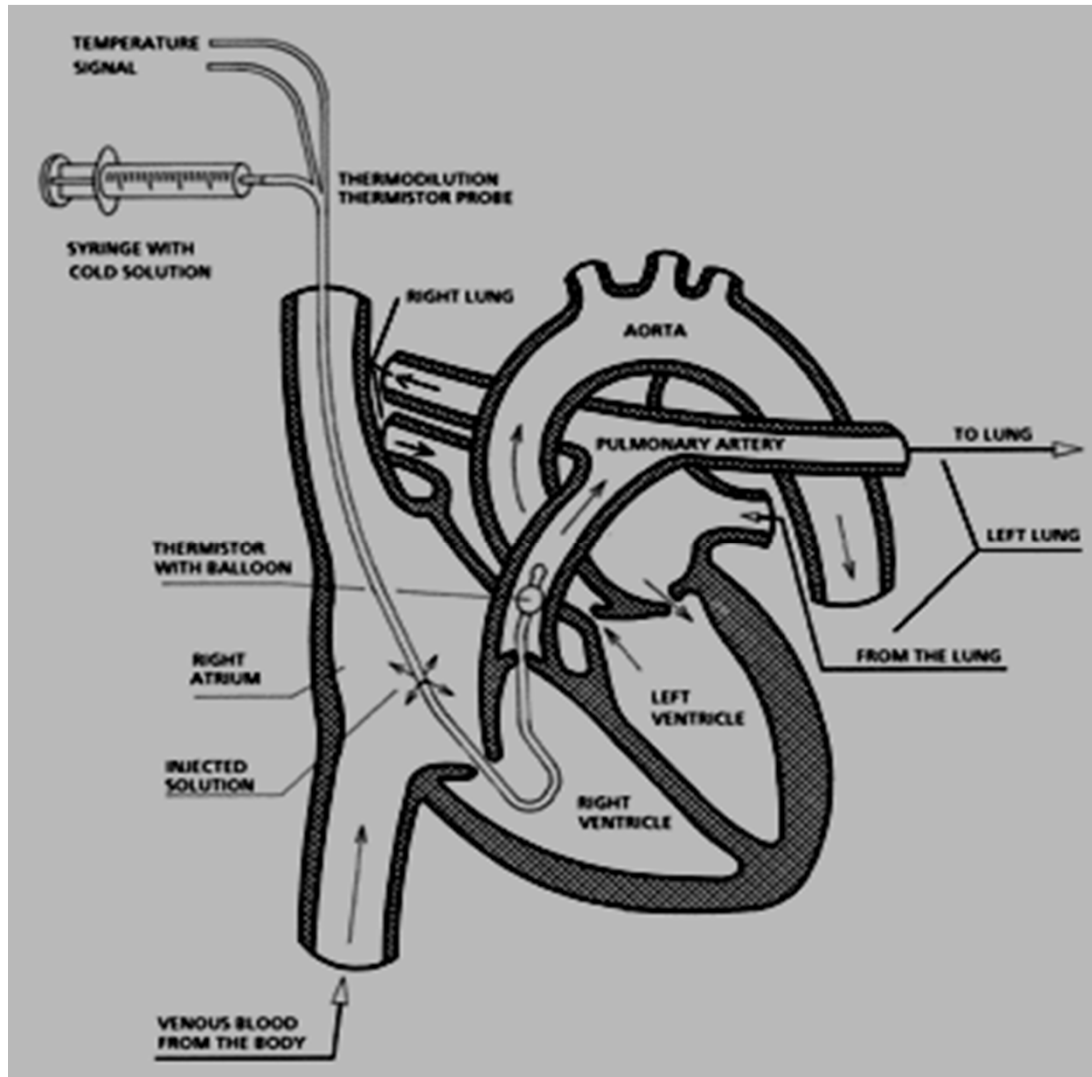
CO – Fickova metoda

- $CO (L/min) = \frac{\text{spotřeba } O_2 (ml/min)}{AV \text{ difference } O_2 (ml/L)}$
- Spotřeba $O_2 (ml/min)$:
 - Přímým měřením dýcháním do vaku (*klaustrofobní*)
 - Odhadem dle tabulek (srdeční frekvence, pohlaví, váha) – chyba až 40% !!!
 - Odhadem 3ml/kg váhy – např. 70kg = 210ml/min
- $AV \text{ difference } O_2 (ml/L) = Hb (g/L) \times \text{konstanta } 1,34 \times \text{rozdíl saturace krve } O_2 \text{ arteriální} - \text{žilní}$
- Příklad: $CO = 210 ml/min / 130 \times 1,36 \times (0,95 - 0,65) = 210 / 53 = 3,96 L/min$



CO - termodiluce

- Rychlá injekce 10ml FS s pokojovou teplotou do PS a detekce změny teploty termistorem v plicnici. Nespolehlivá metoda u trikuspidální regurgitace, zkratů, nízkého výdeje a arytmíí.





Cévní resistance



- Plicní cévní resistance = $(PA_{\text{mean}} - LA/PCW_{\text{mean}}) / Q_p$
 - Normální hodnota je do 2 Wood Units = $160 \text{ dyn}\cdot\text{s}/\text{cm}^5$
- Systémová cévní resistance = $(Ao_{\text{mean}} - RA_{\text{mean}}) / Q_s$
 - Normální hodnota je do 20 Wood Units = $1600 \text{ dyn}\cdot\text{s}/\text{cm}^5$



Oxymetrie – kvantifikace zkratů

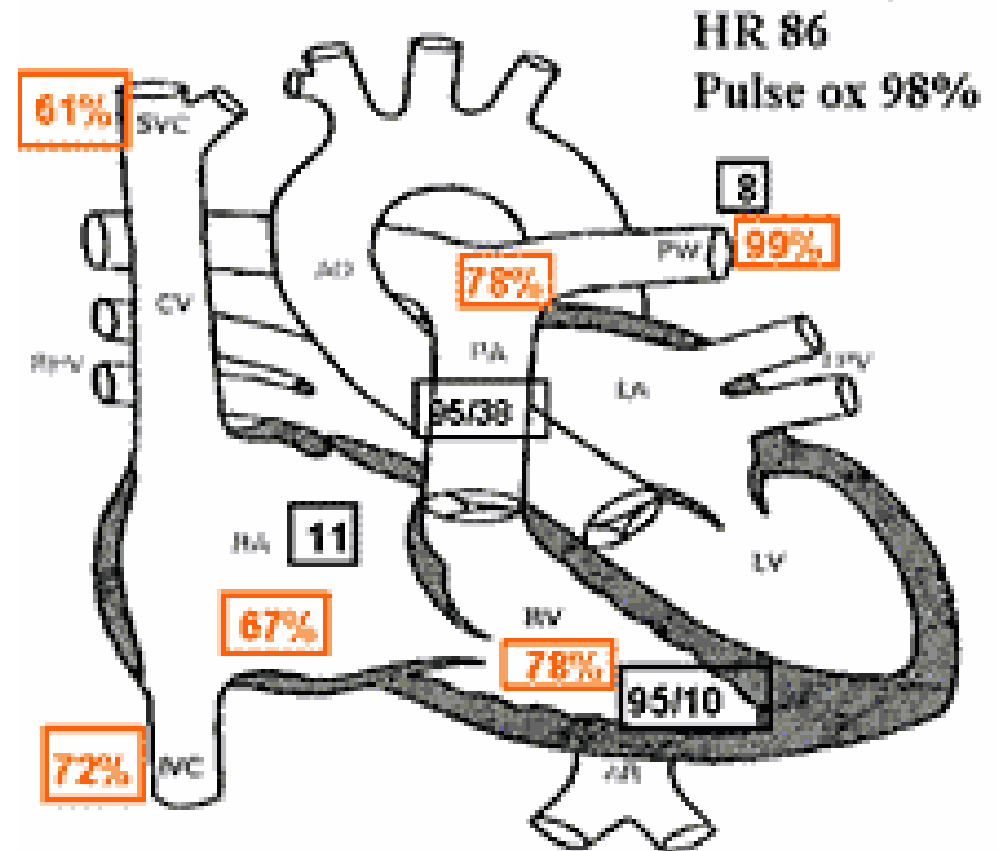


- Průtok plicním řečištěm není stejný jako systémovým řečištěm
- Typický odběr saturací: (PCW, PA, RV, RA, SVC, IVC, aorta) x2
- Technika
 - vždy odsát několik ml krve před odběrem, bez bublin, led
 - rychlé stanovení saturace, včetně iontů a Hb (identické hodnoty)
- Lze detekovat vzestup saturace krve O₂, typicky vzestup o více než 7% budí podezření na zkrat
- Smíšená žilní krev $MV = (3 \times SVC + 1 \times IVC) / 4$
 - Saturace krve v IVC je ovlivněna malou desaturací krve v ledvinách

Oxymetrie – kvantifikace zkratů

- Defekt septa síňí s L-P zkratem

$$\begin{aligned}
 \bullet \quad Q_p/Q_s &= \frac{\text{Hb} \times 1.34 \times \text{sat(aorta-PA)}}{\text{Hb} \times 1.34 \times \text{sat(aorta-MV)}} \\
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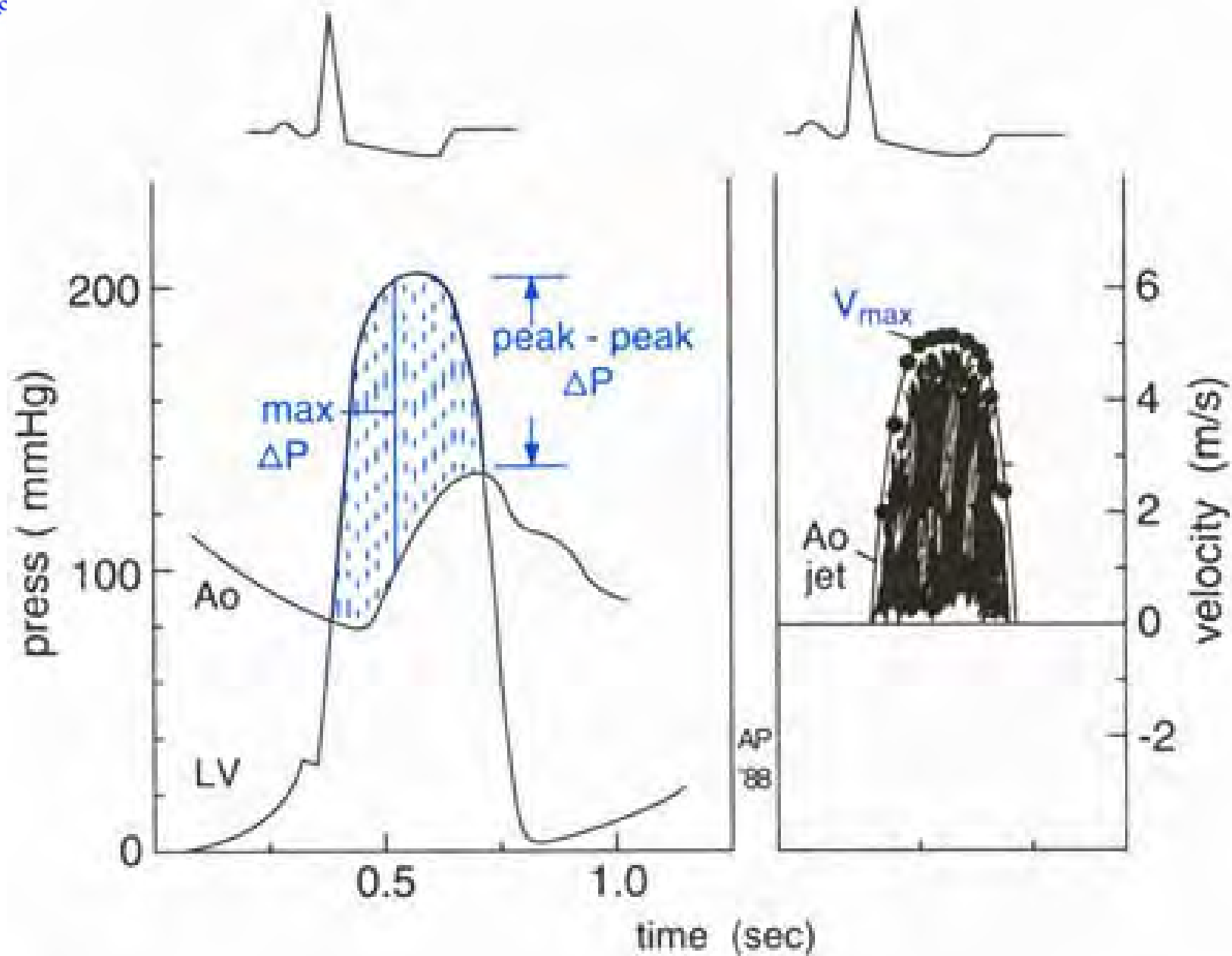


Stenotické vady



- Při znalosti průtoku a gradientu lze vypočítat plochu ústí
[Am Heart J.](#) 1951 Jan;41(1):1-29. [GORLIN R](#), [GORLIN SG](#).
Hydraulic formula for calculation of the area of the stenotic mitral valve, other cardiac valves, and central circulatory shunts.
- **$AVA = CO / 44.3 \times HR \times \text{ejekční perioda} \times \sqrt{\text{vstřední gradient}}$**
- Jednoduchá kontrola – Hakki formule $AVA = CO / \sqrt{\text{peak grad.}}$
- Chyba v CO má matematicky větší vliv než chyba v gradientu
- Pro Mitrální Stenosu se přidává do jmenovatele koeficient 0,85
- Pro trikuspidální a pulmonální chlopeň se používají pouze gradienty, nikoliv Gorlinova formule

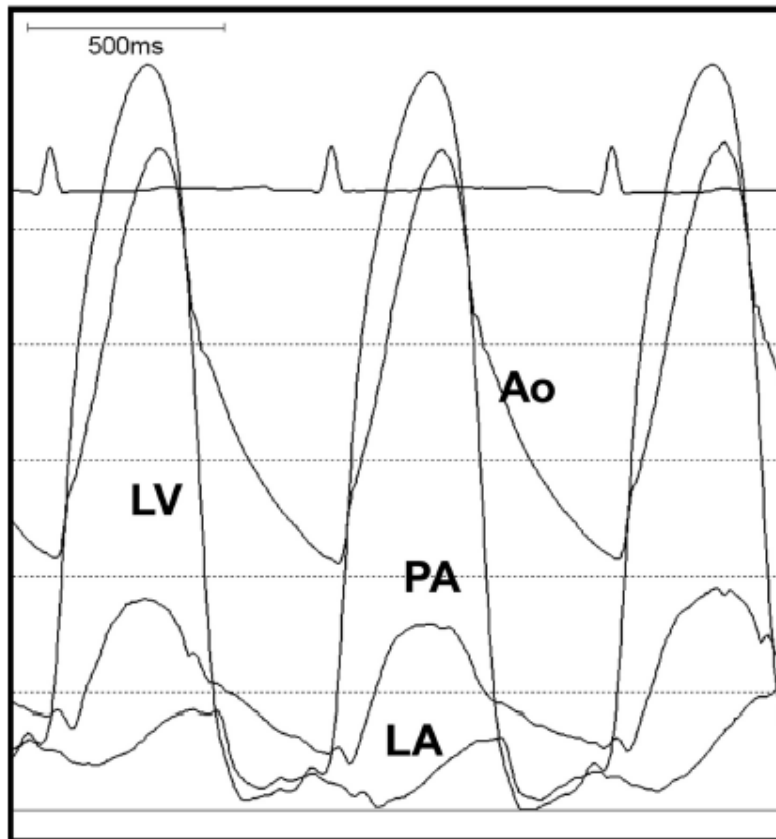
Aortální stenosa



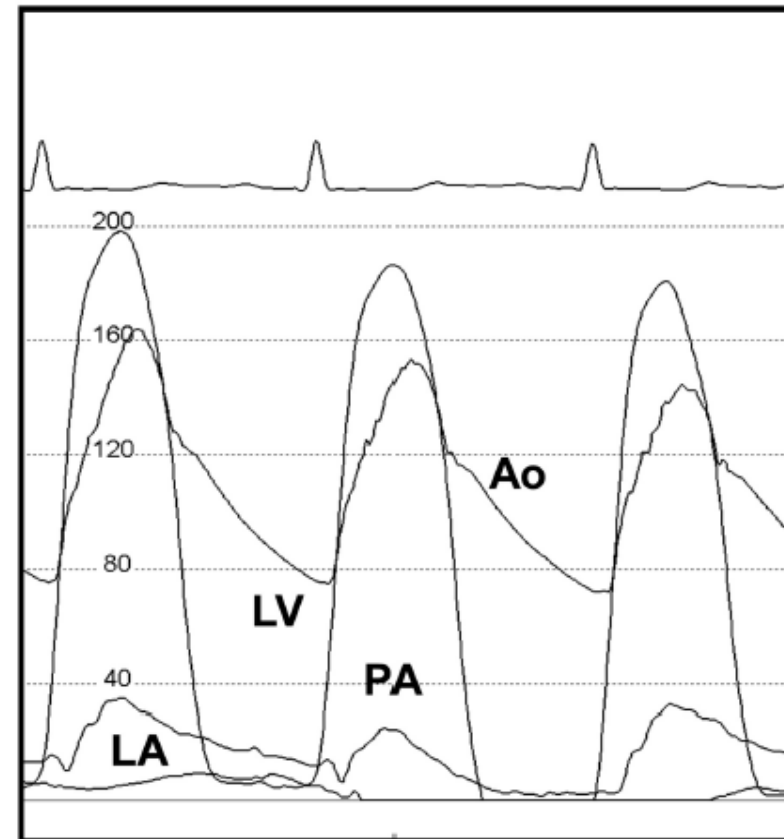
Aortální stenosa - chyby

Srdeční výdej a gradient musí být měřeny současně !!

CO = 4,1 L/min ← **CHYBA** → CO = 4,9 L/min

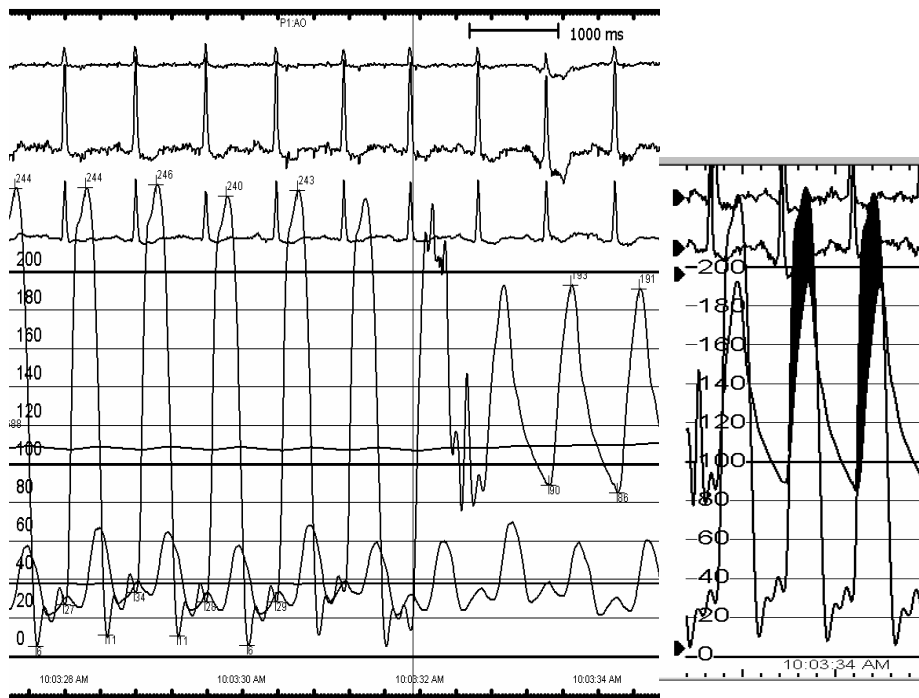


**Gradient 32 mm Hg
AVA 0.9 cm²**



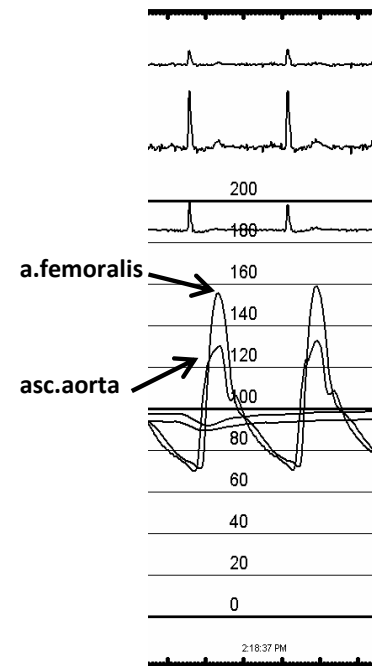
**Gradient 45 mm Hg
AVA 0.9 cm²**

Pravidelný SR, pull-back je OK



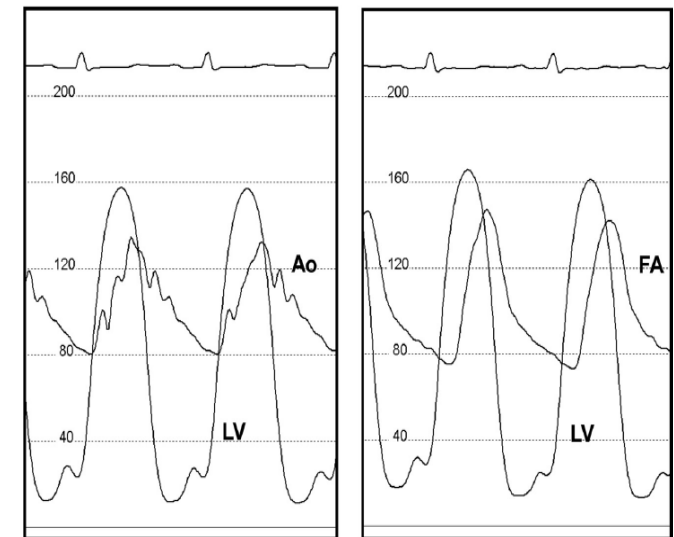
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Arytmie, nebo četné KES (katetr v LK)

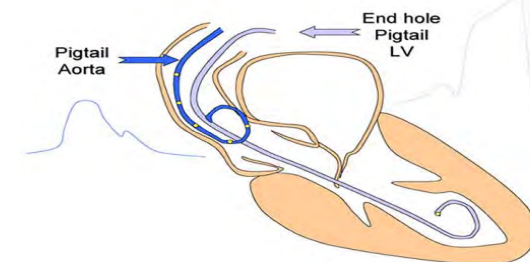


Central Ascending Aorta

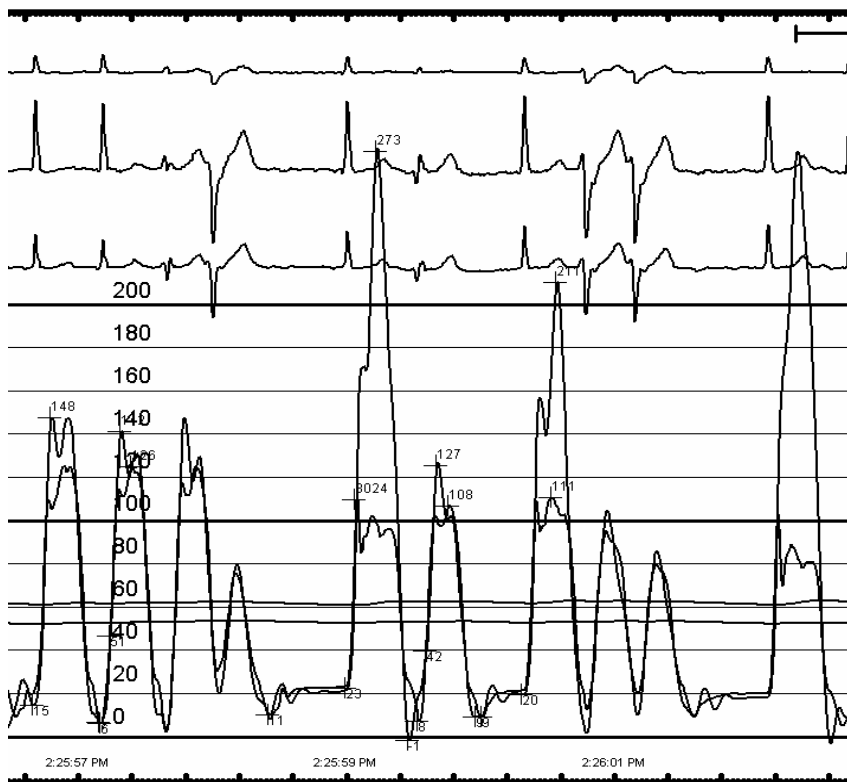
Femoral Artery



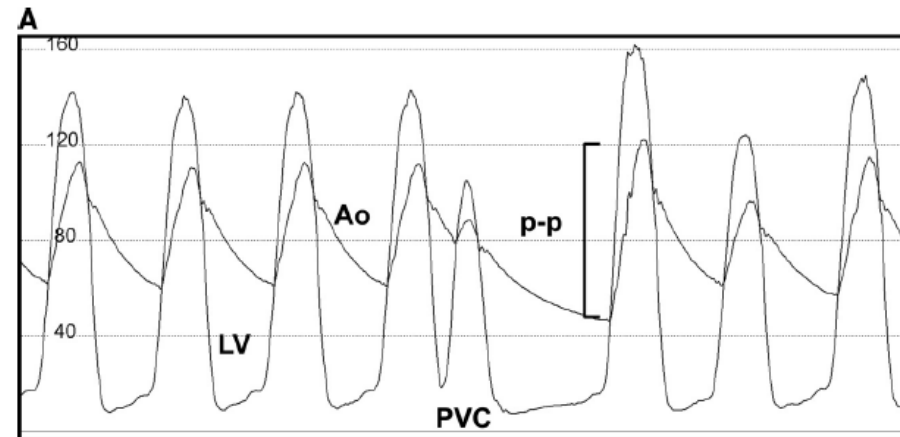
Simultánní měření tlaku v LK a asc.aortě



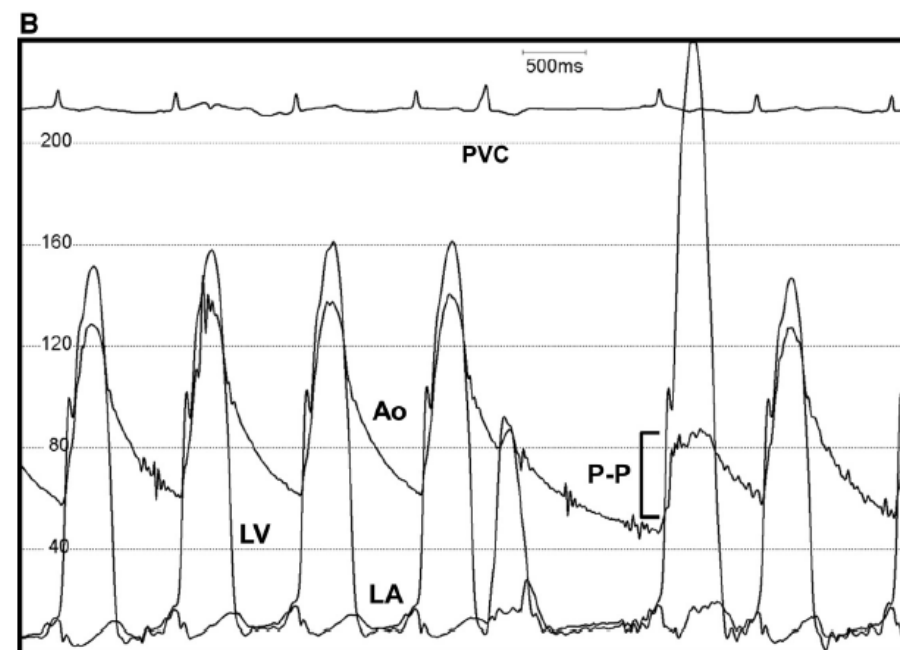
- Rozlišení ECHO KG obtížné, jety se míchají



**Průkaz gradientu mezi
hrotem LK a LVOT**



Ao Stenosa

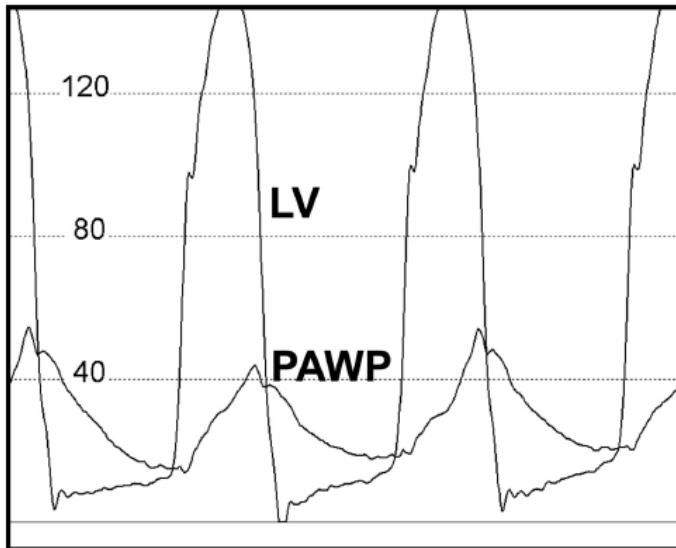


HOCM

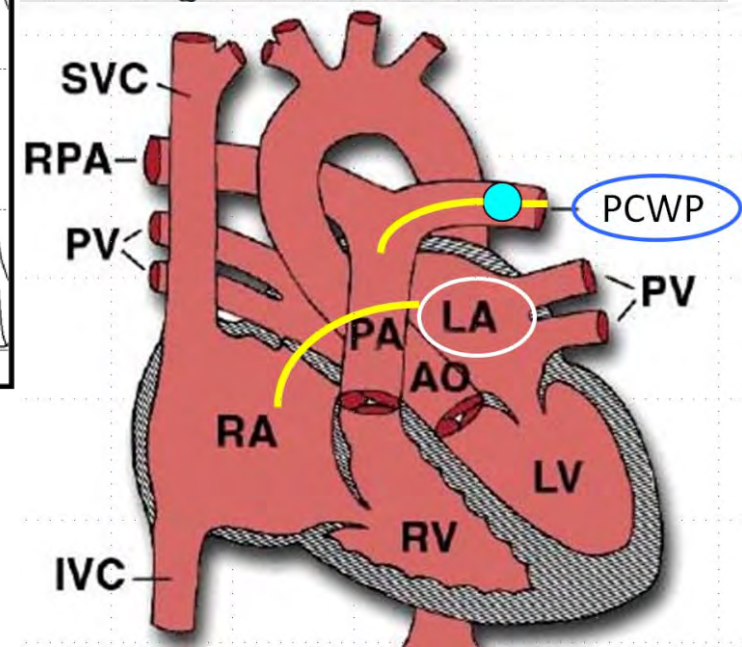
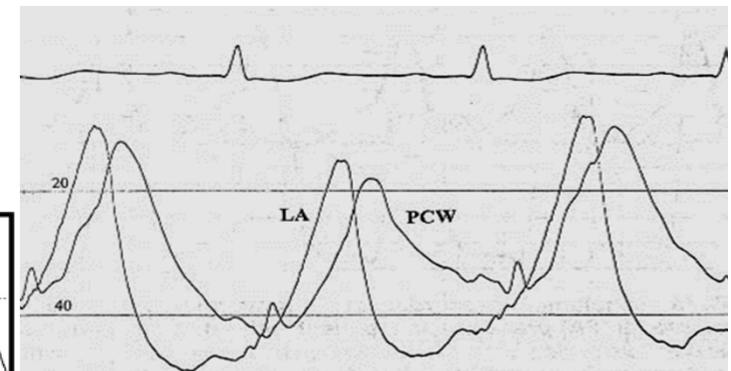
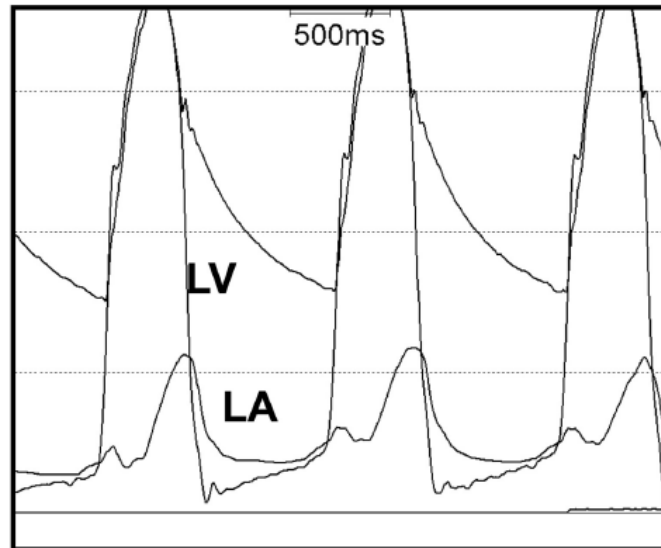
Mitrální stenosa

- Echokardiografie je velmi přesná a spolehlivá
- Potřeba hemodynamiky je spíše k **posouzení tíže a typu plicní hypertenze**, zvláště při nesouladu mezi ECHO KG a klinikou
- Měření **gradientu mezi tlakem v LK a PCW je zatíženo chybou** (posun a tlumení)

**Mean Mitral Gradient
15 mm Hg**



**Mean Mitral Gradient
6 mm Hg**



Regurgitační vady

- Angiograficky nehodnotíme „jety“, ale densitu KL
- Nutné podat dostatečné množství KL a zvolit vhodnou projekci



Aortální regurgitace

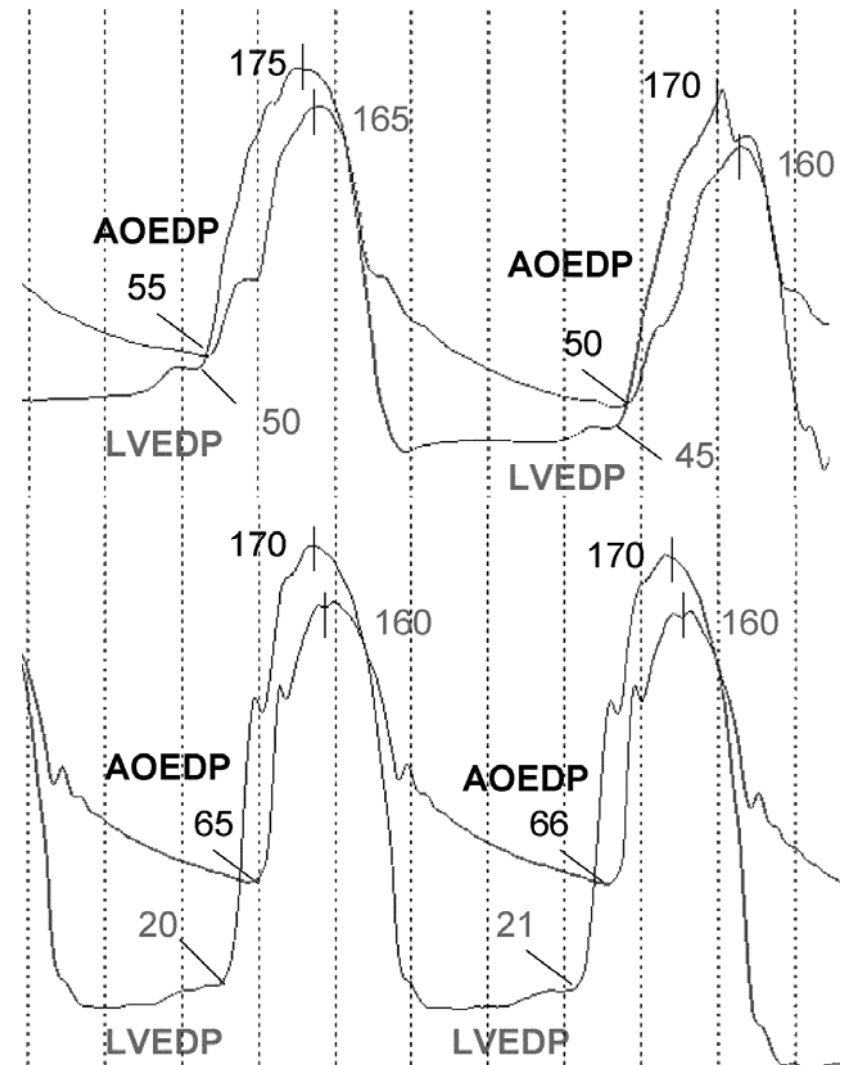
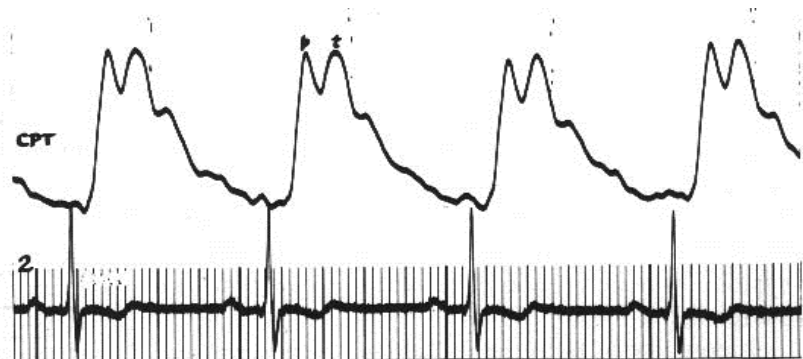
- Rozdíl systolického a end-diastolického tlaku v aortě nad 100mmHg

- Index Aortální Regurgitace

$$\text{AoR Index} = (\text{AoEDP} - \text{LVEDP}) / \text{Ao systolic}$$

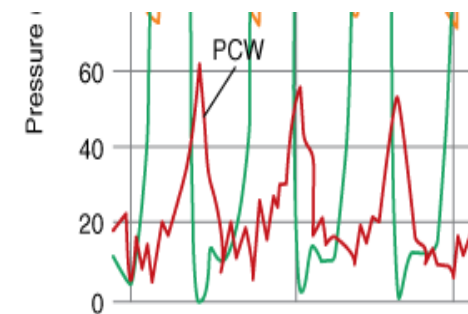
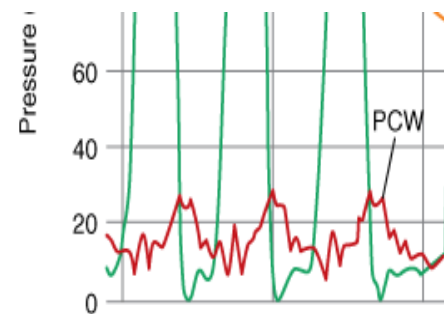
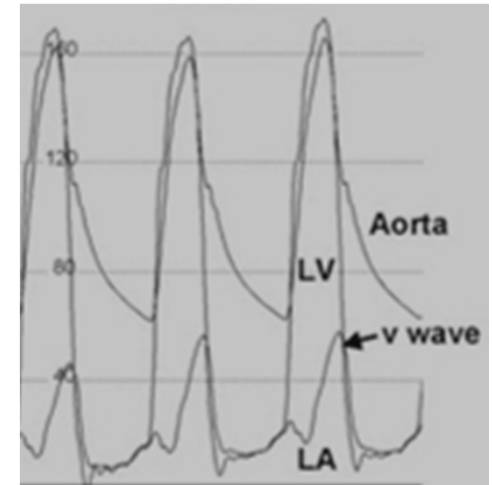
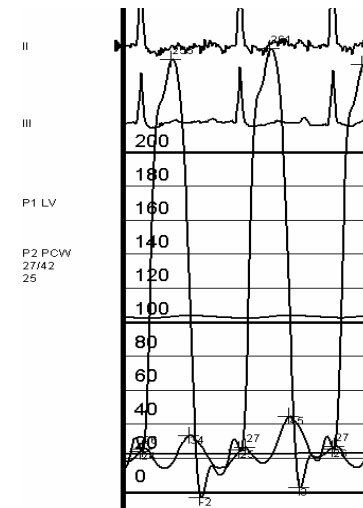
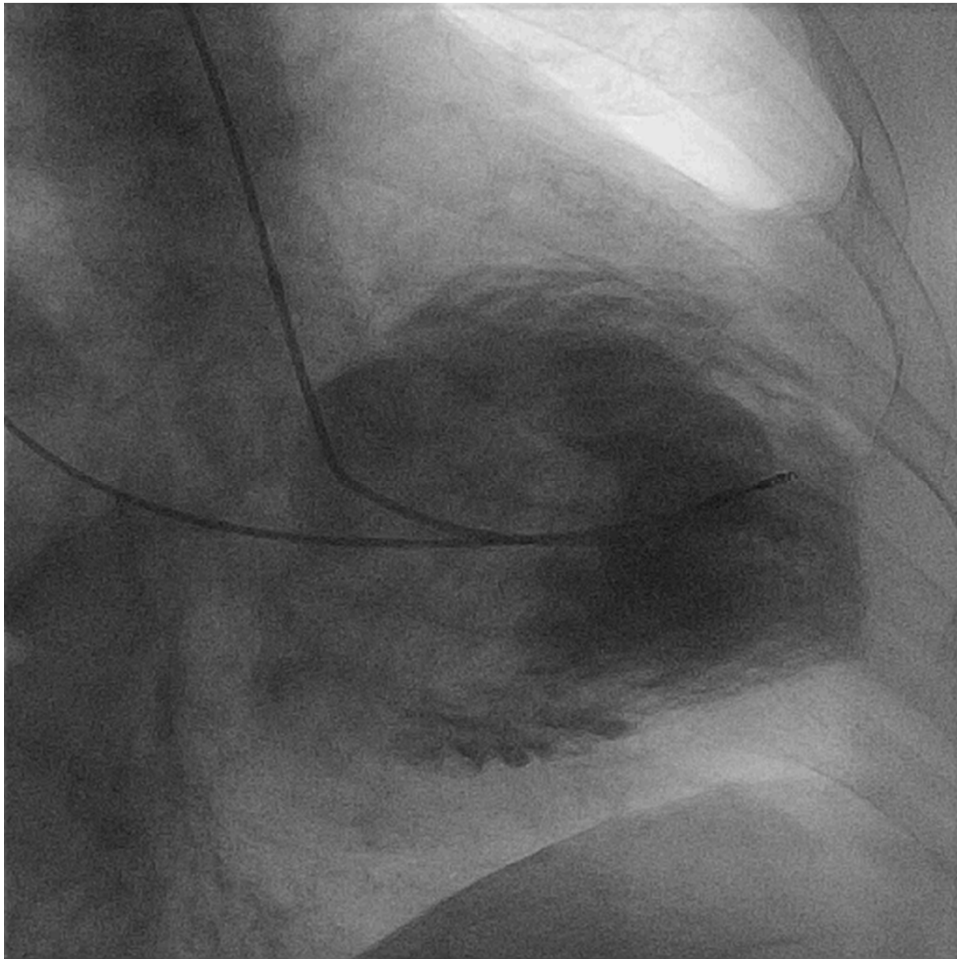
Hodnota nad 25 značí méně významnou vadu

Pulsus bisferiens - HOCM nebo AoReg



Mitrální regurgitace

- Vysoká vlna „v“ v zaklínění – definována jako ≥ 2 x vyšší než střední tlak v zaklínění (LS). Není příliš spolehlivý parametr.
- Postkapilární plicní hypertenze

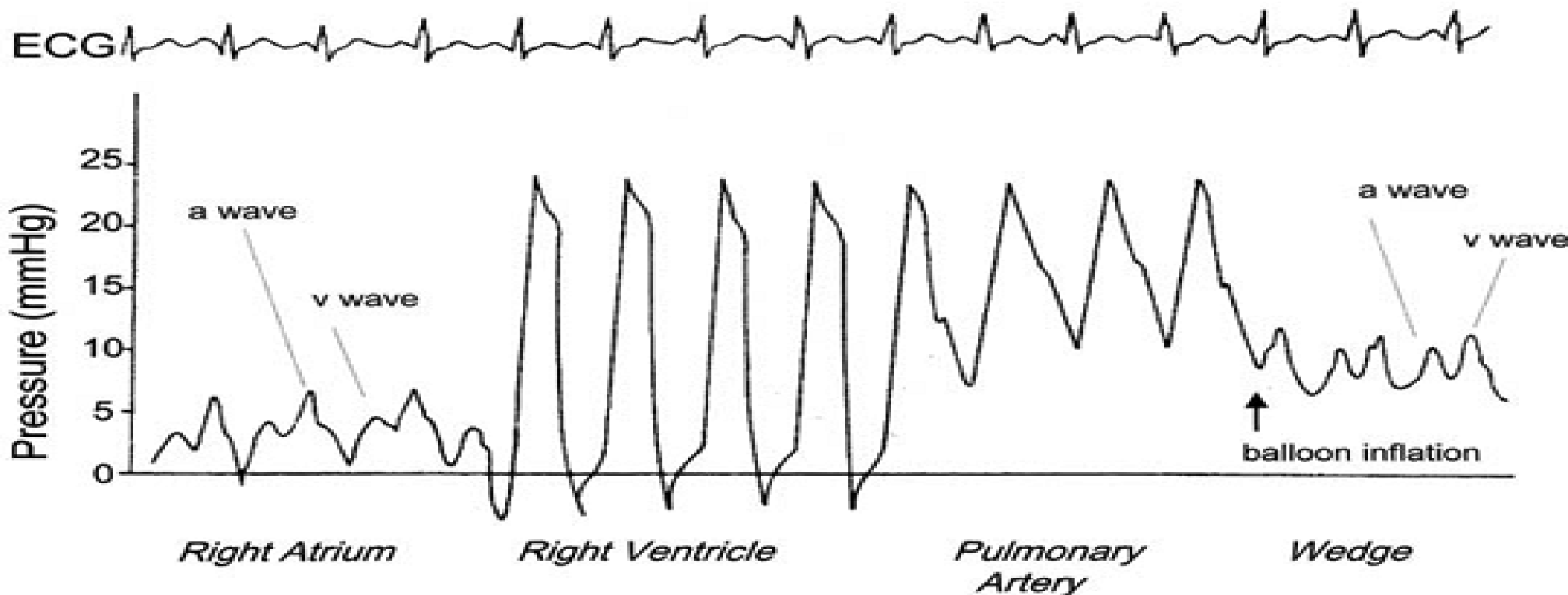


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Plicní hypertenze

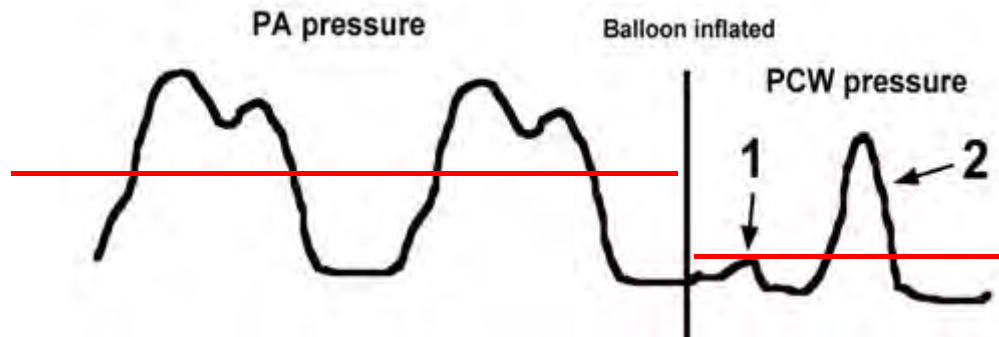
- Obecně – známka horší prognózy mnoha diagnóz



Tabulka 3 Stupně závažnosti plicní hypertenze

	<i>Lehká</i>	<i>Střední</i>	<i>Těžká</i>
Střední tlak v plicnici (mm Hg)	26-35	36-45	>45
Systolický tlak v plicnici (mm Hg)	36-45	46-60	>60

Plicní hypertenze



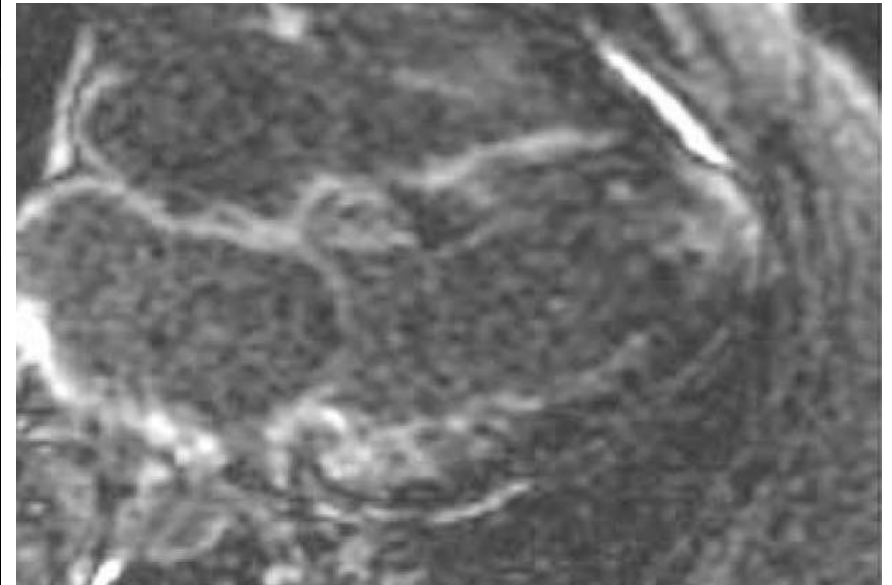
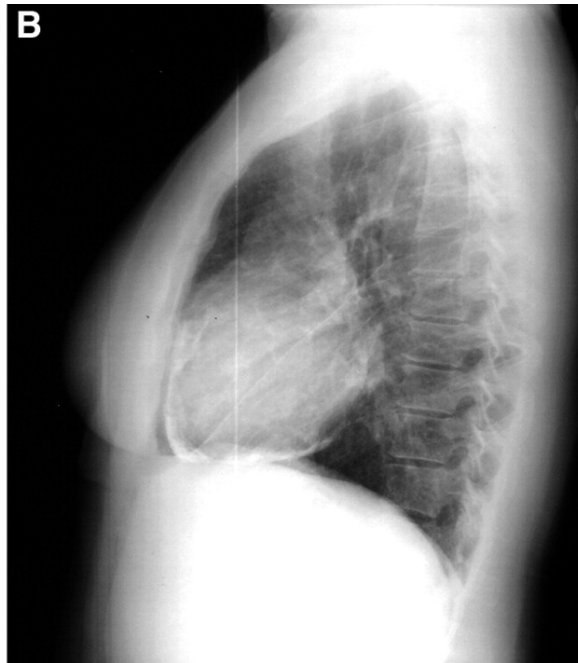
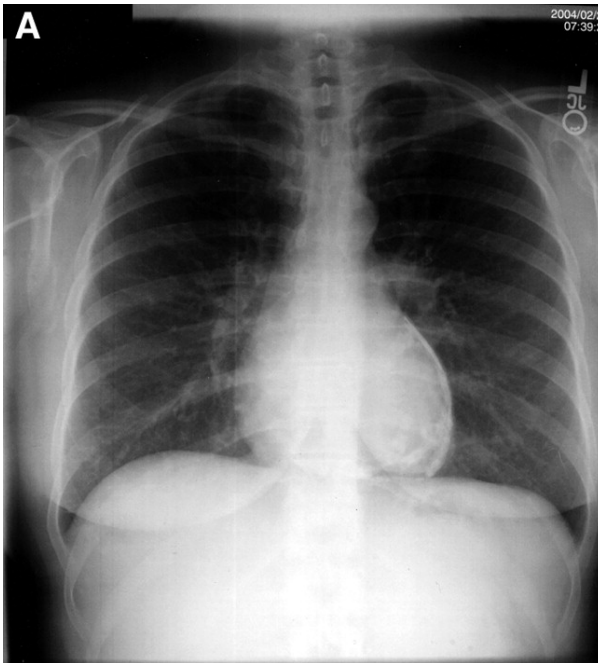
Transpulmonální gradient
 $PA_{\text{mean}} - PCW_{\text{mean}}$

Tabulka 1. Hemodynamické rozdělení plicní hypertenze (PH) (střední tlak v plicnici 25mmHg a více)

		Tlak v zaklínění (mmHg)	Transpulmonální gradient	Srdeční výdej	Klinická skupina
<u>Prekapilární PH</u>		≤15		snížený či normální	1,3,4,5
<u>Postkapilární PH</u>		>15			
	pasivní		≤12	snížený či normální	2
	reaktivní, dříve smíšená PH		>12	snížený či normální	2
Hyperkinetická		≤15	>10	zvýšený (plicní průtok)	část 1.4

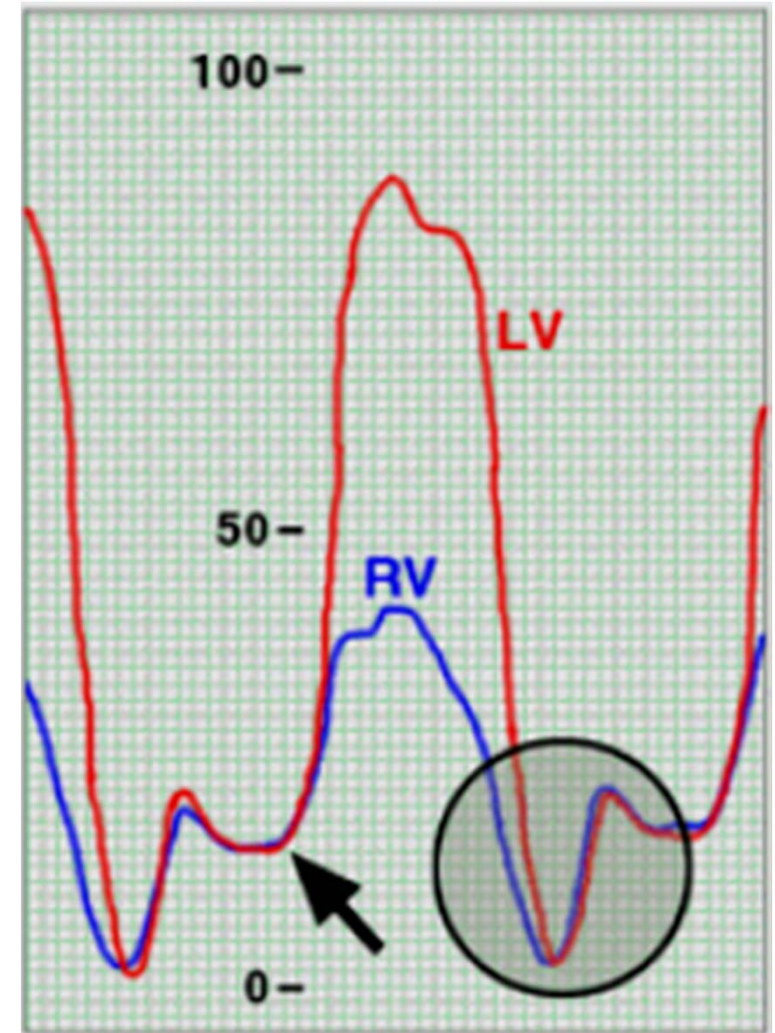
Konstrikce versus Restrikce

- Pravostranné srdeční selhání u pacienta s normální EF LK
- Přibývá pacientů po radiaci hrudníku a chemoterapii a pacientů po sternotomii
- Moderní zobrazovací metody mohou významně pomoci – např. kalcifikace perikardu na angiografii či CT, typický nálezn na MRI u amyloidosy

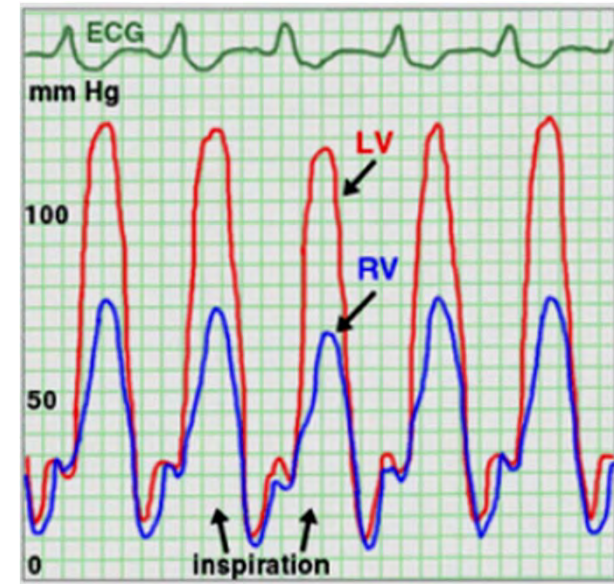
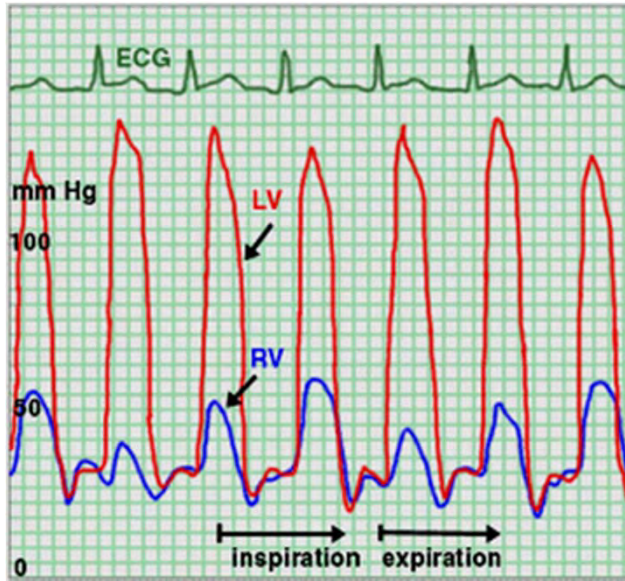


Konstrikce versus Restrikce

- Dip a plateau
- Ekvalizace tlaků v LK a PK v diastole
- U pacientů vyšetřovaných ve stabilním stavu s normálním tlakem v PS může být nutná objemová zátěž k detekci těchto znaků



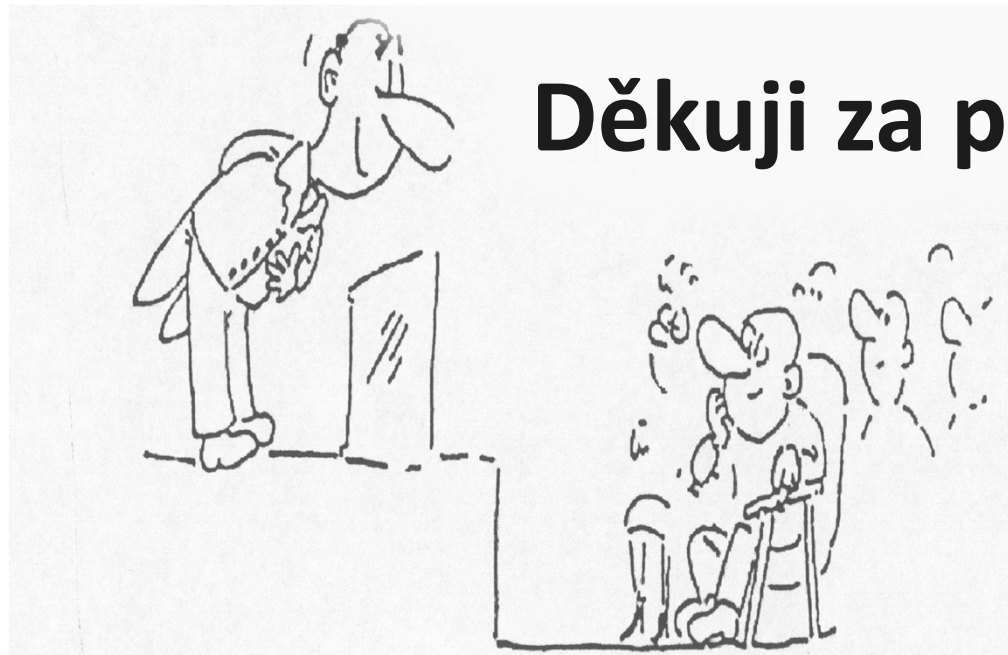
Konstrikce versus Restriktice



	Constrictive Pericarditis	Restrictive Cardiomyopathy
End diastolic pressure equalization (LVED-RVED)	≤ 5 mm Hg	> 5 mm Hg
Pulmonary artery pressure	< 55 mm Hg	> 55 mm Hg
RVEDP / RVSP	$> 1/3$	$\leq 1/3$
Dip-plateau morphology	LV rapid filling wave > 7 mm Hg	LV rapid filling wave ≤ 7 mm Hg

Závěr

- Hemodynamické vyšetření v katetrizační laboratoři v 21. století není nikdy rutinní – diagnosa u typických a jednoduchých nálezů je stanovena pomocí neinvazivních metod a invazivní vyšetření je indikováno pouze u komplikovaných stavů
- Individuální přístup a precizní technika je zásadní



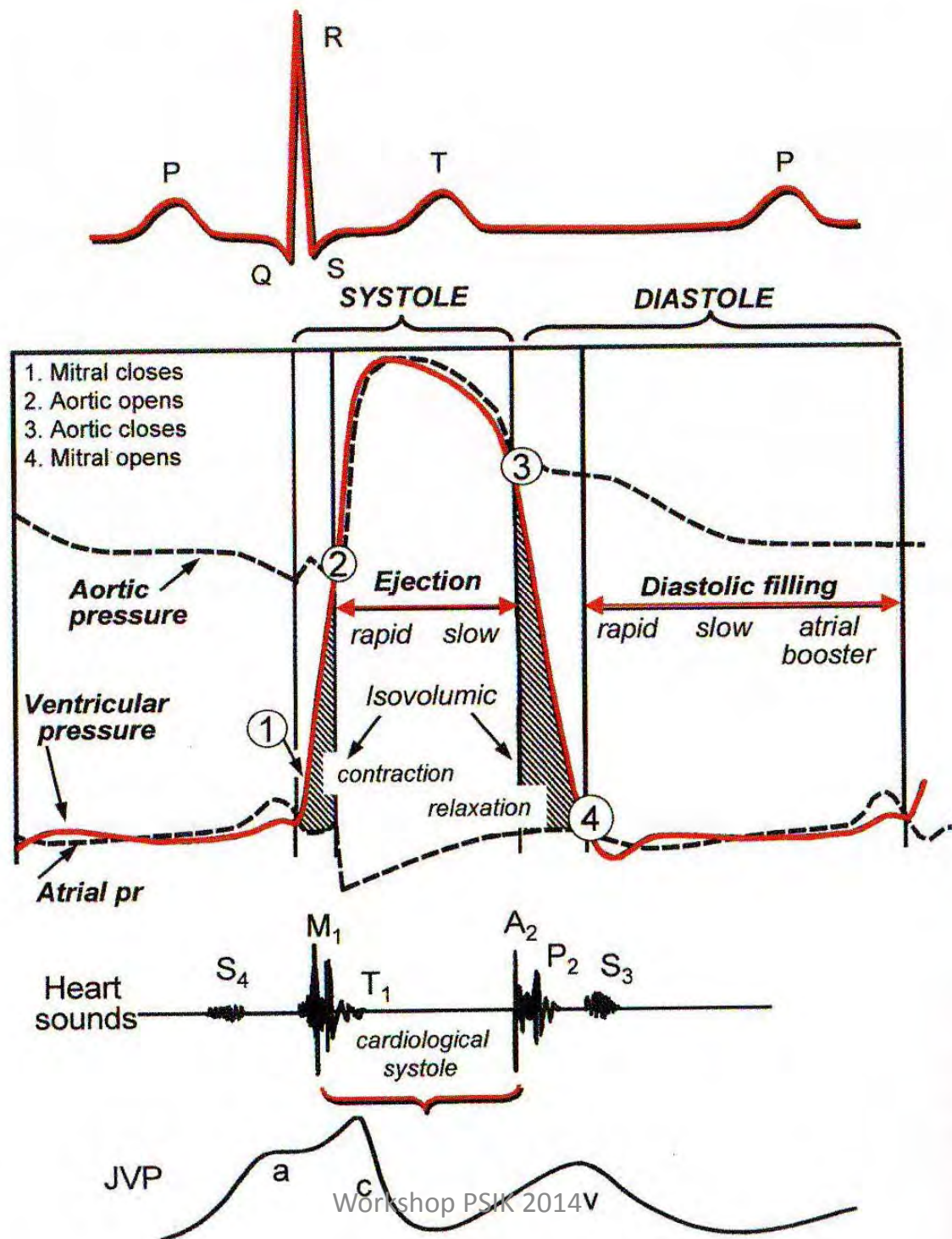
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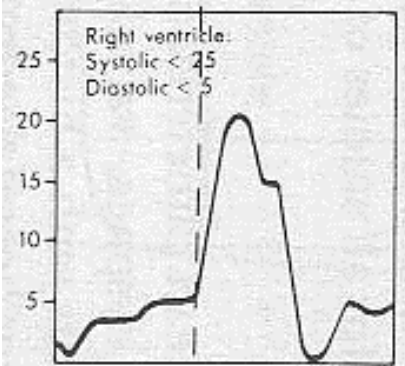
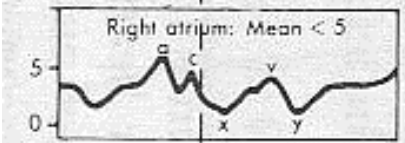
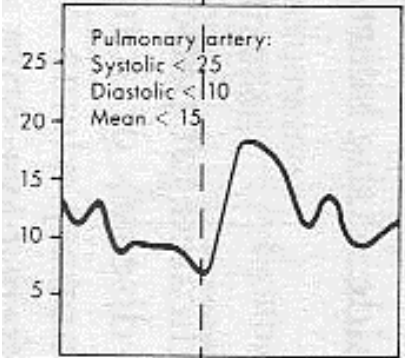
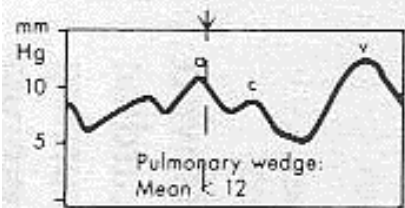


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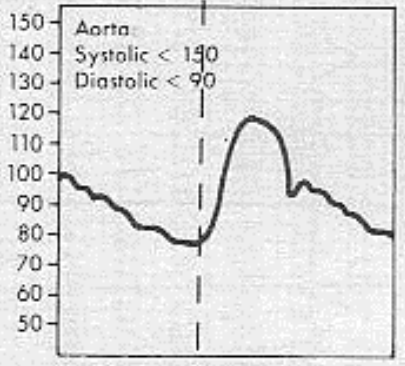
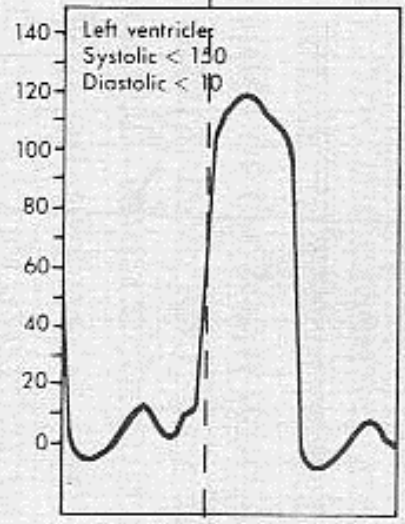
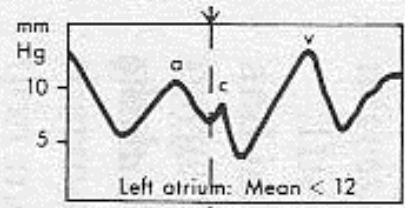
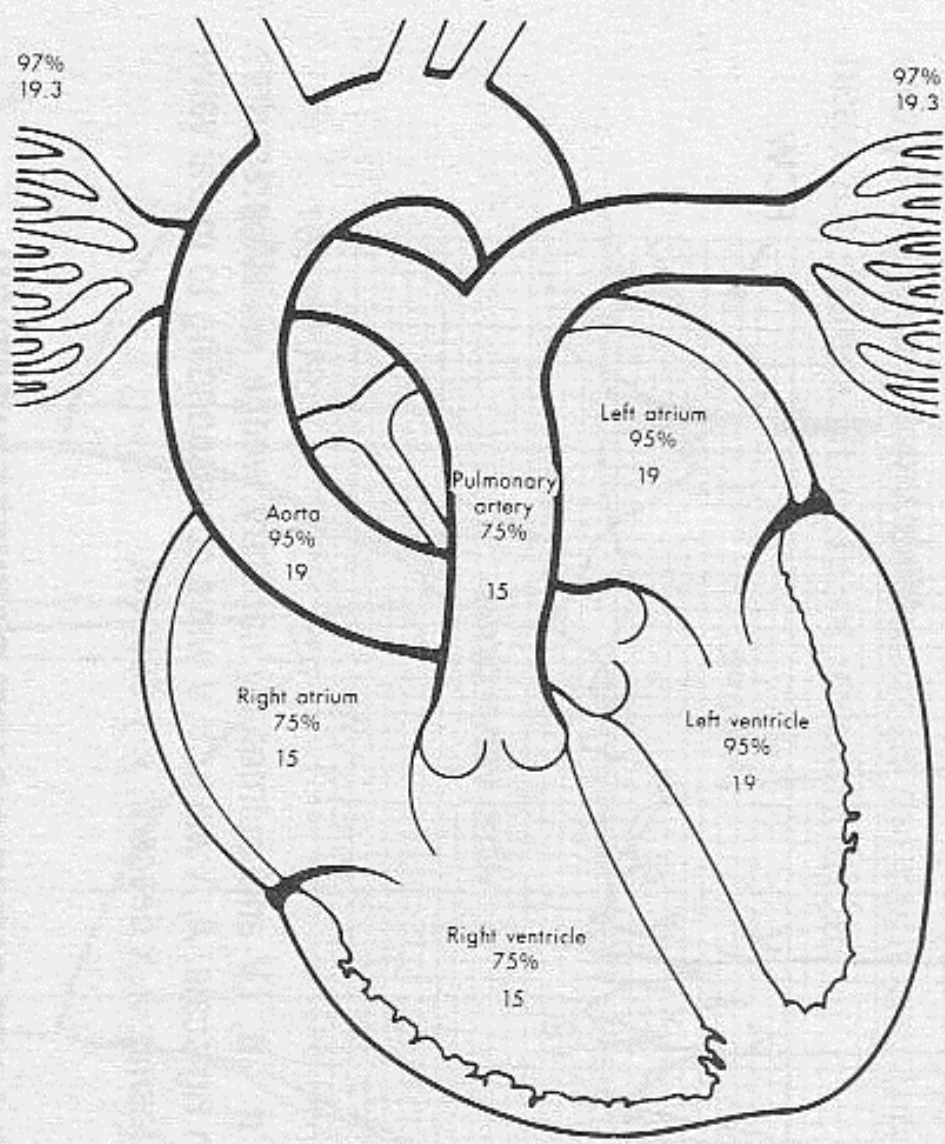
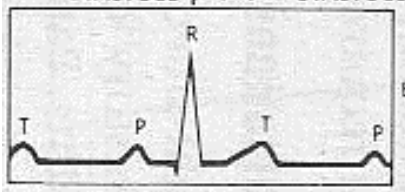


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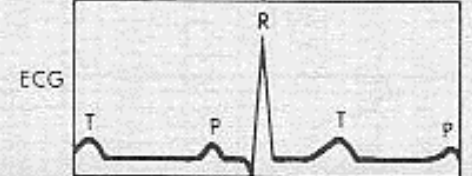




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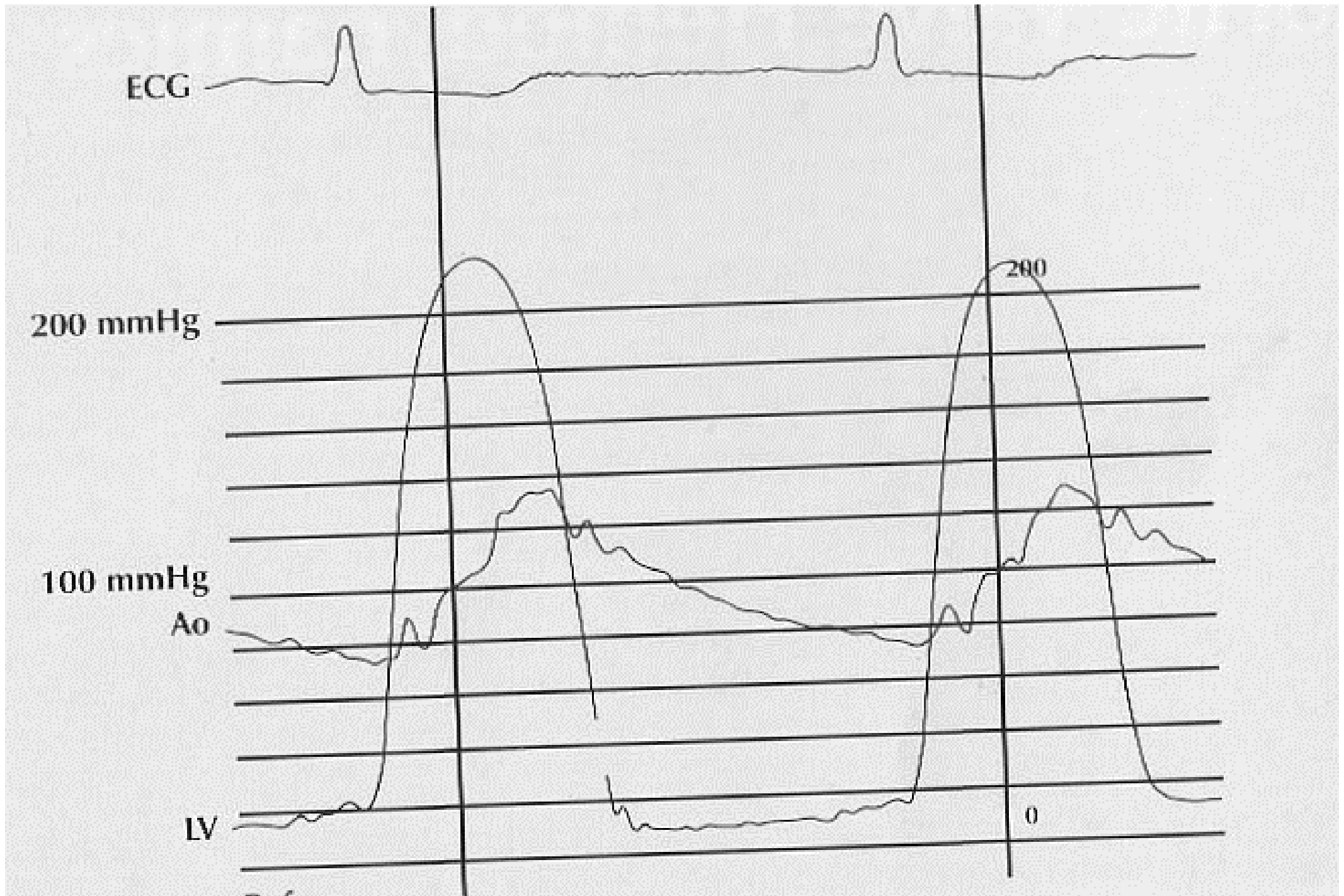


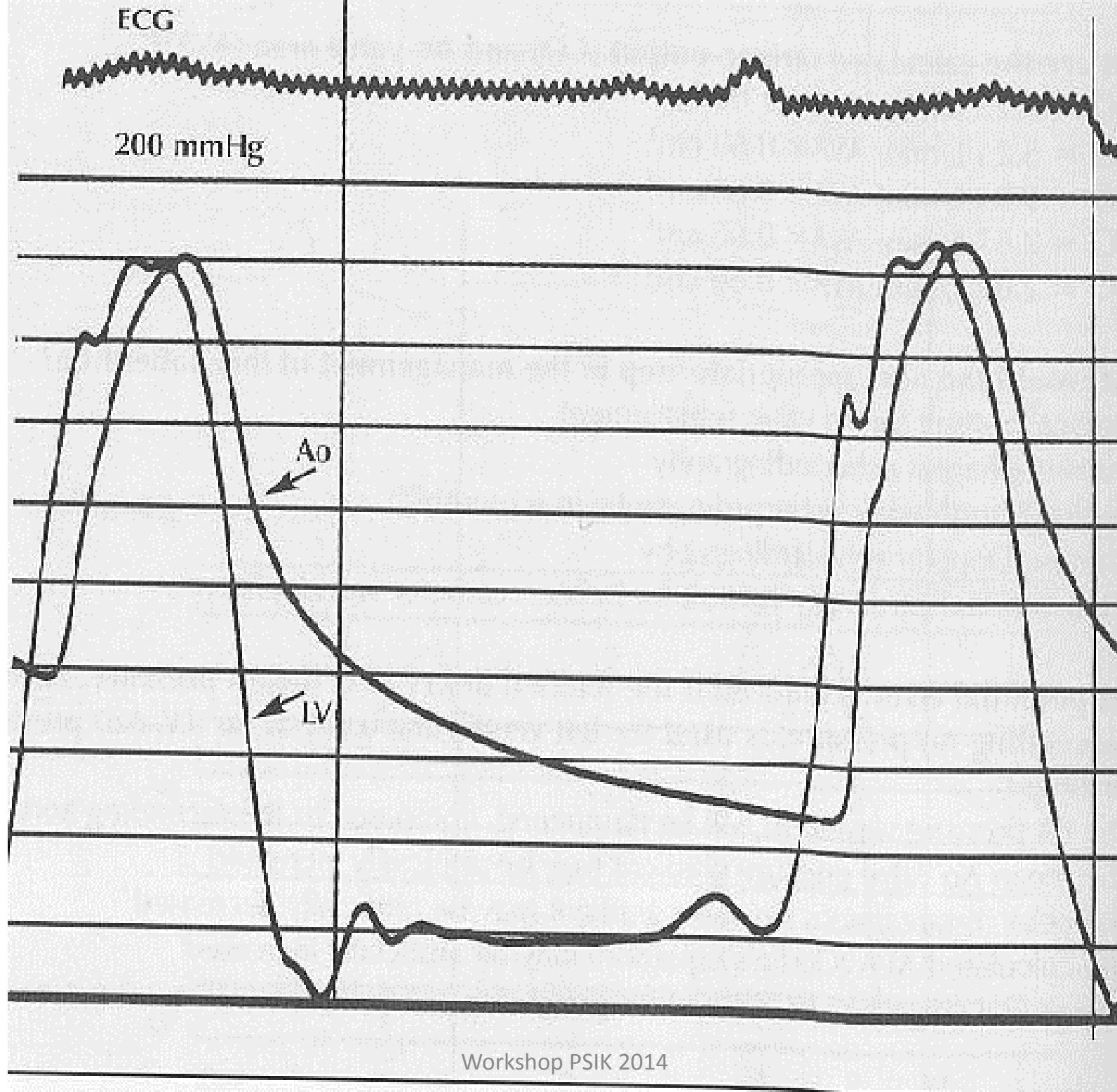
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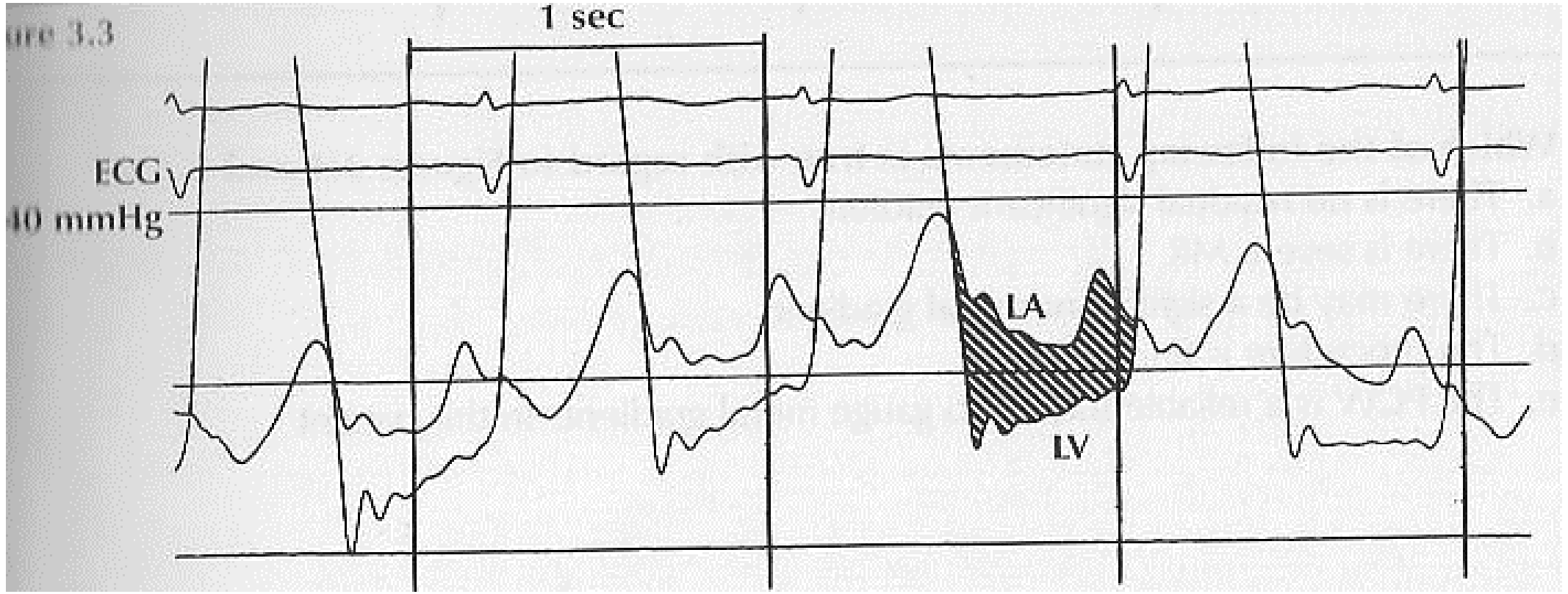


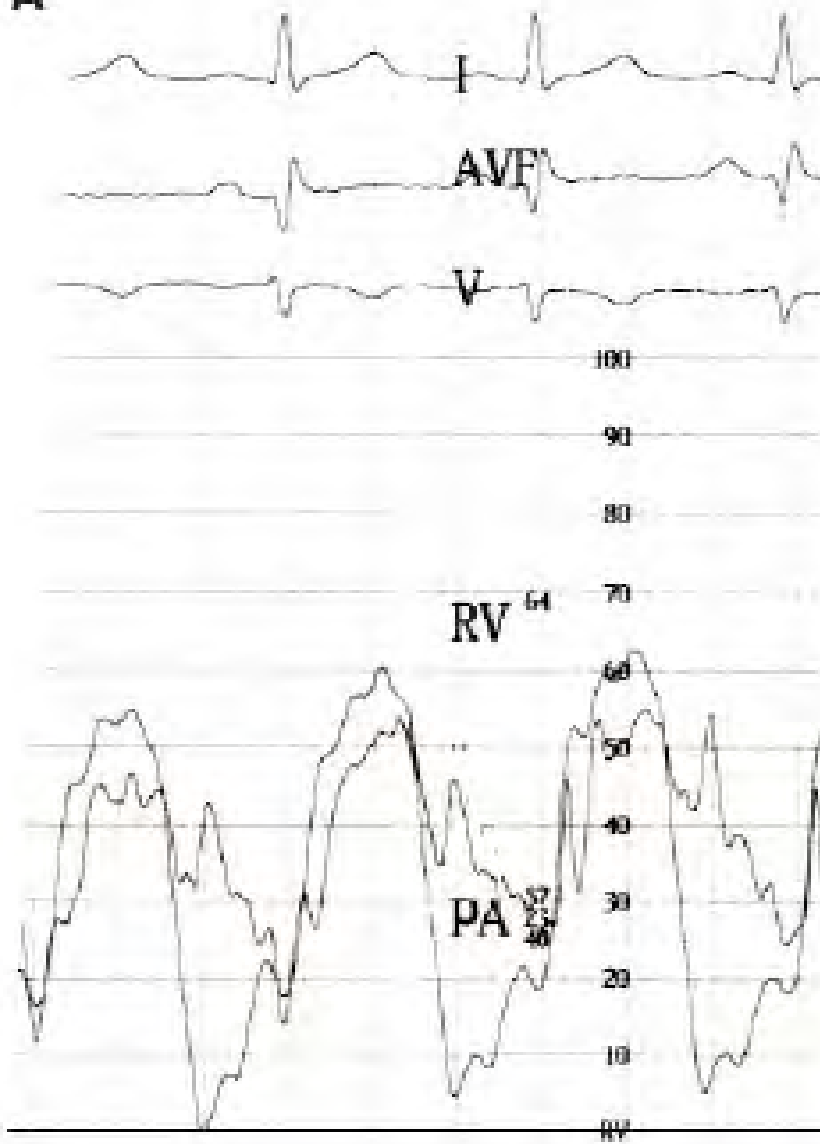
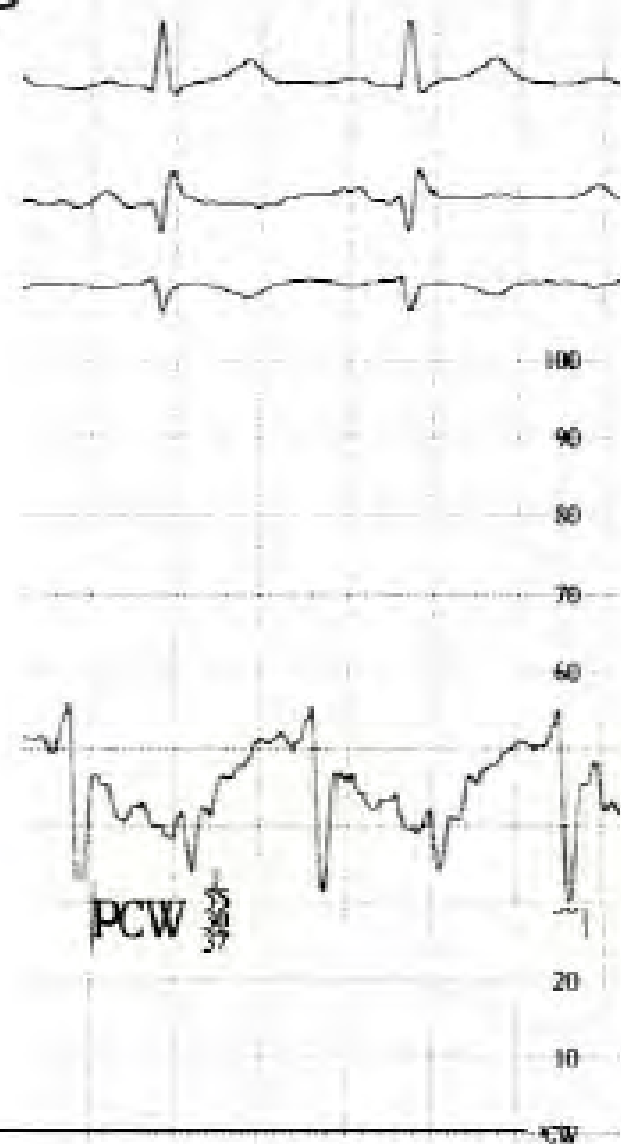
CASES

- Study range
- Synchronise with ECG
- Usually name of chamber is written







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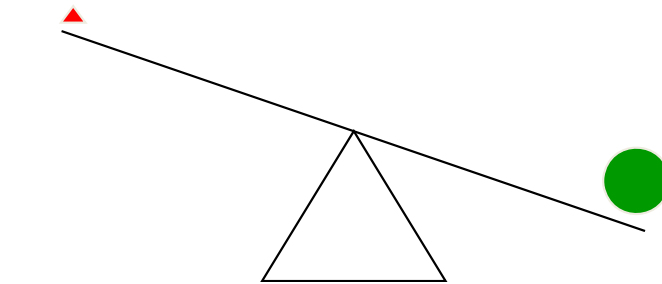
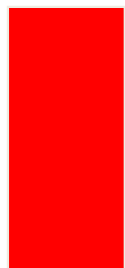
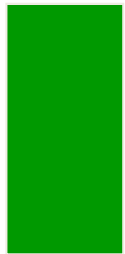
Cardiac Output

- 5L/min. and more
- Indexed to BSA – over 2.5L/min/m²
- Vascular resistance
- Systemic resistance – $Ao-RA/CO$
- Pulmonary vascular resistance – $PA-LA/CO$
- Shunt calculation

Complications of Coronary Angiography

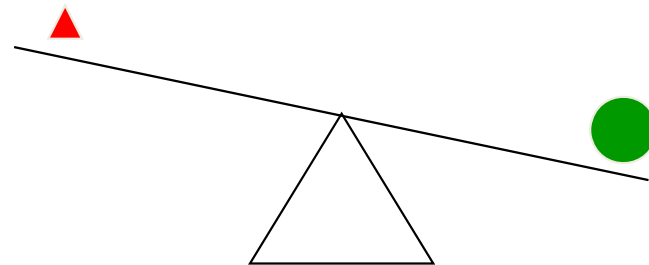
- Death 0.1%
- Neurological event 0.1%
- Arrhythmias(DC or pacing) 0.3%
- Local vascular problems 1.6%
- Vasovagal reactions 2.1%
- Allergies 2.0%
- Air embolism
- Contrast nephropathy

Risk vs Benefit: The code of appropriateness



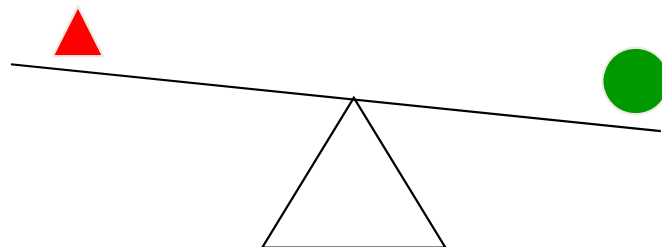
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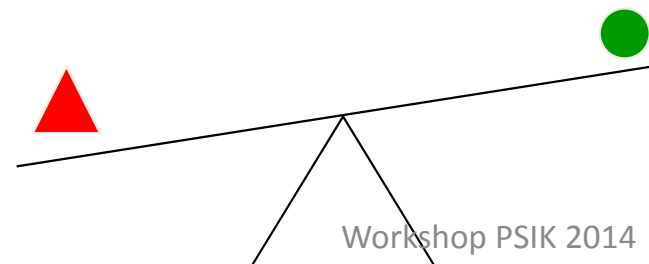
$B > R$

IIa (probably appropriate)



$B \geq R$

IIb (possibly appropriate)

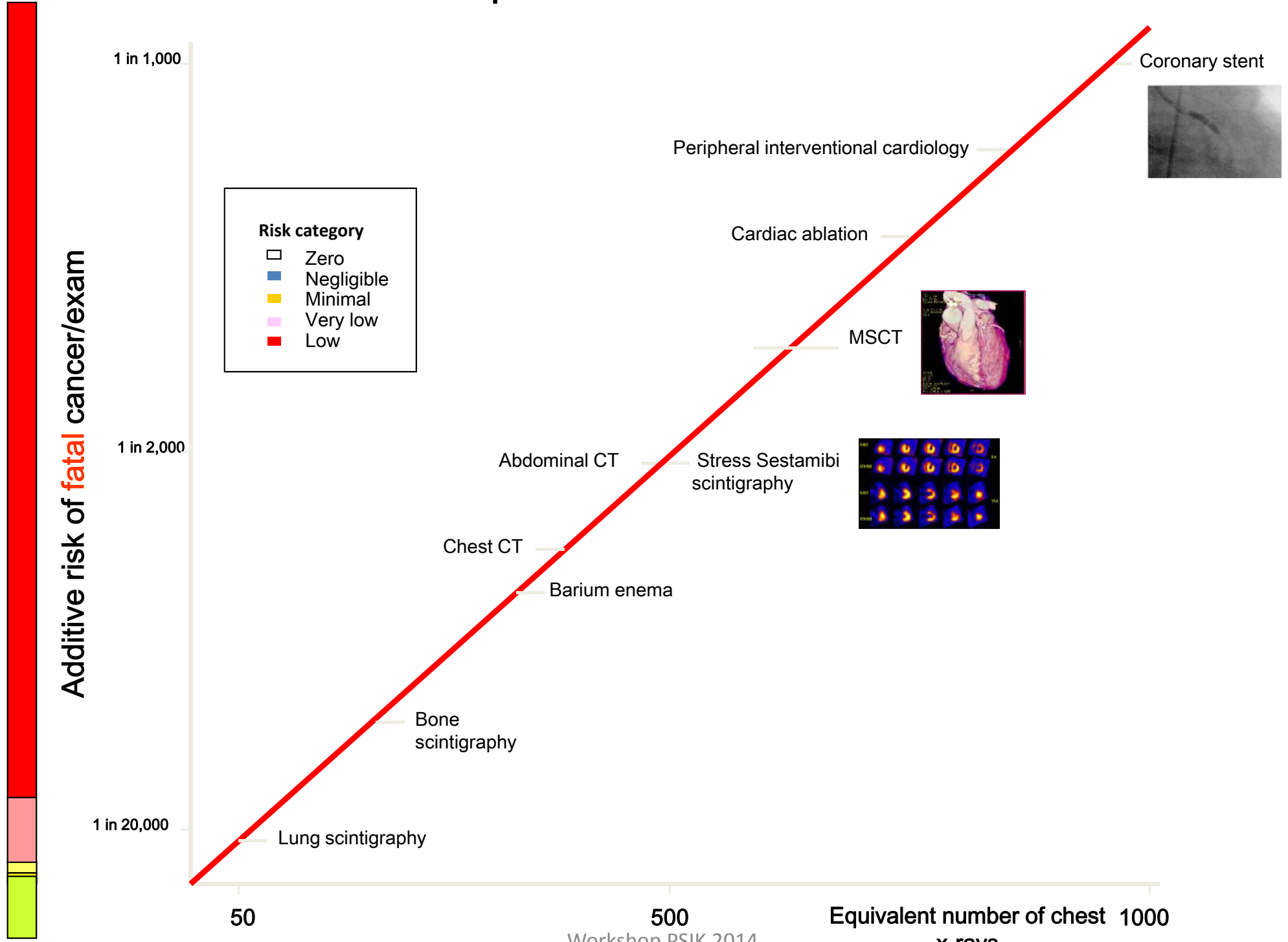


$R \geq B$

III (inappropriate)

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Informed consent: How to escape from a communication Inferno



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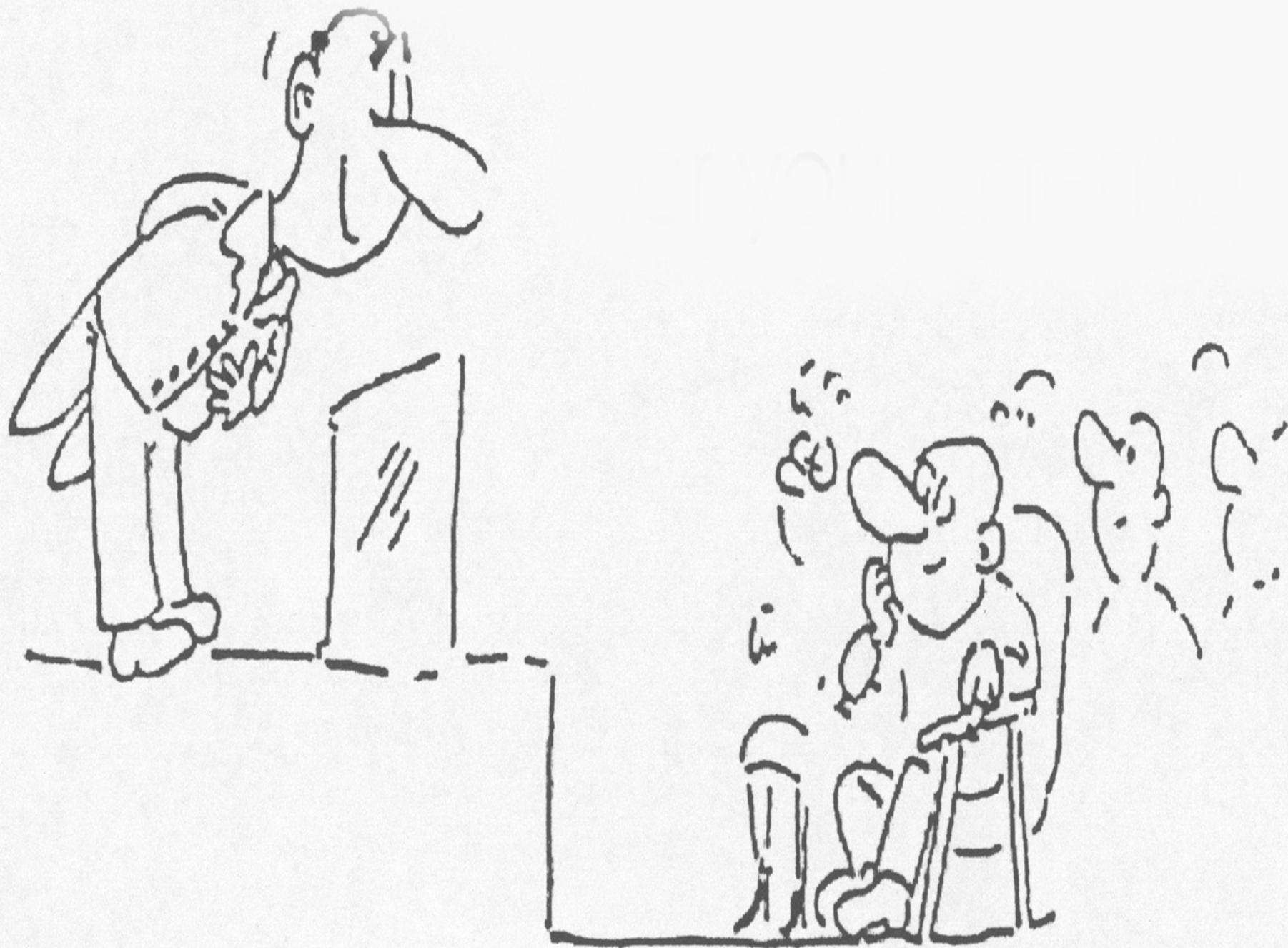
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Workshop PSIK 2014

“Free of radiation”: population perspective

- Stress perfusion imaging (Brindis RG, JACC 2005):
 - 10 million /year in US
- Average dose per exam (Thompson RC, J Nucl Med, 2006):
 - 1000 chest x-rays (500 to 1600)
- Risk per exam (BEIR VII, 2005):
 - 1 cancer in 500
- **Population risk: 20,000 cancer/year**

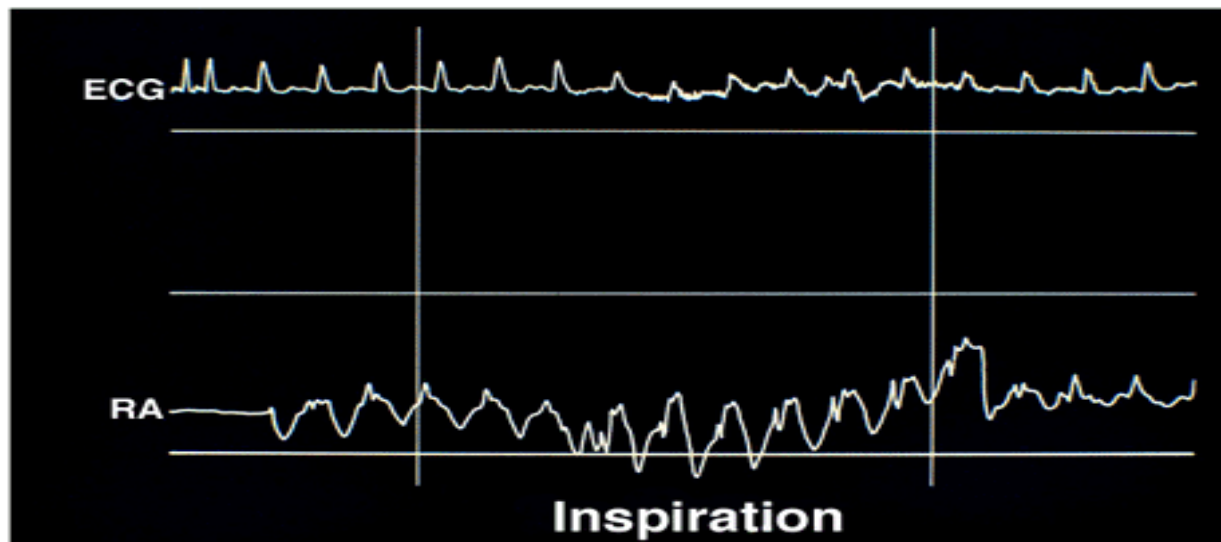
Small individual risks multiplied by billion examinations become significant population risks



Right Heart Catheterization

Inspiratory Effect on Right Atrial Pressure

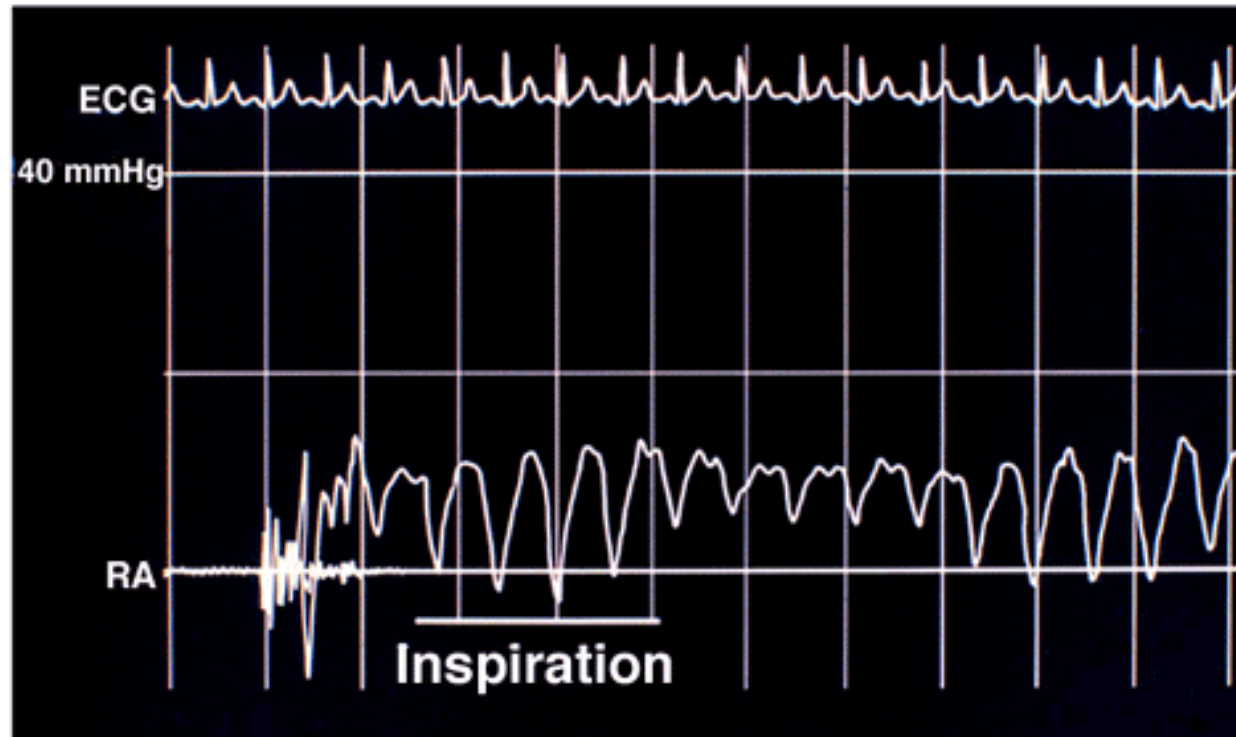
- Normal physiology
 - Inhalation: Intrathoracic pressure falls → RA pressure falls
 - Exhalation: Intrathoracic pressure increases → RA pressure increases



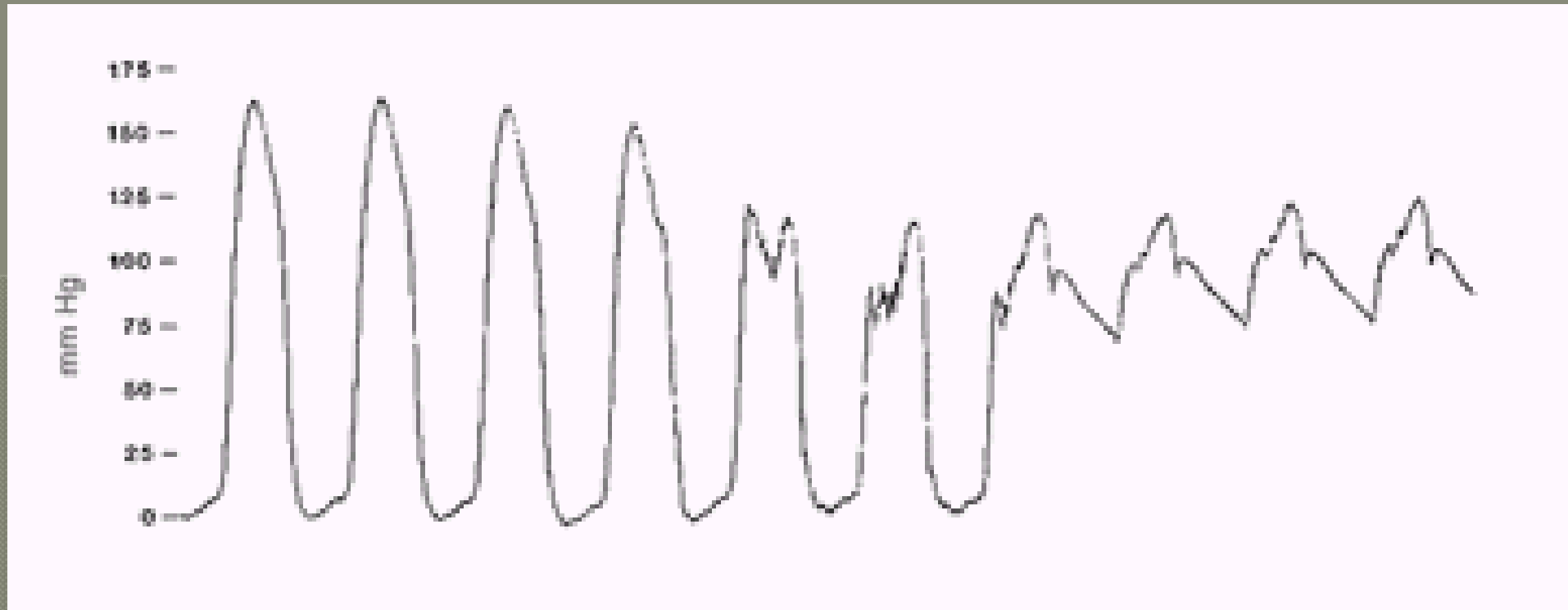
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Abnormalities in RA Tracing

- Elevated mean atrial pressure



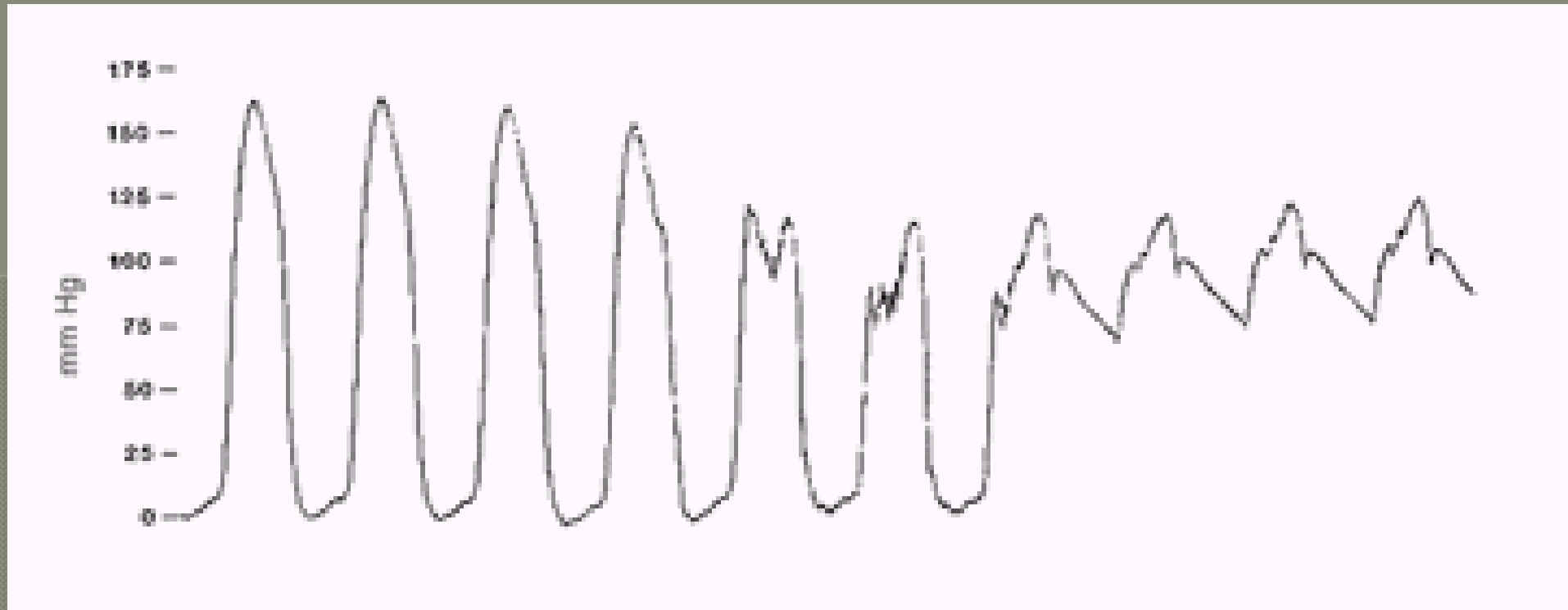
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Cardiac Output Measurement

Fick Oxygen Method: AV O₂ Difference

Step 1: Theoretical oxygen carrying capacity

$$\text{O}_2 \text{ carrying capacity (mL O}_2 \text{ / L blood)} = \\ 1.36 \text{ mL O}_2 \text{ / gm Hgb} \times 10 \text{ mL/dL} \times \text{Hgb (gm/dL)}$$

Step 2: Determine arterial oxygen content

$$\text{Arterial O}_2 \text{ content} = \text{Arterial saturation} \times \text{O}_2 \text{ carrying capacity}$$

Step 3: Determine mixed venous oxygen content

$$\text{Mixed venous O}_2 \text{ content} = \text{MV saturation} \times \text{O}_2 \text{ carrying capacity}$$

Step 3: Determine A-V O₂ oxygen difference

$$\text{AV O}_2 \text{ difference} = \text{Arterial O}_2 \text{ content} - \text{Mixed venous O}_2 \text{ content}$$

Cardiac Output Measurement

Fick Oxygen Method

- Fick oxygen method total error $\approx 10\%$
 - Error in O₂ consumption $\approx 6\%$
 - Error in AV O₂ difference $\approx 5\%$. Narrow AV O₂ differences more subject to error, and therefore Fick method is most accurate in low cardiac output states
- Sources of Error
 - Incomplete collection of expired air (Douglas bag)
 - Underestimate O₂ consumption and CO
 - Respiratory quotient = 1
 - Volume of CO₂ expired is not equal to O₂ inspired
 - Leads to underestimation of O₂ consumption and CO
 - Incorrect timing of expired air collection (Douglas bag)

Cardiac Output Measurement

Fick Oxygen Method

● Sources of Error

- Spectrophotometric determination of blood oxygen saturation
- Changes in mean pulmonary volume
 - Douglas bag and MRM measure amount of O₂ entering lungs, not actual oxygen consumption
 - Patient may progressively increase or decrease pulmonary volume during sample collection. If patient relaxes and breathes smaller volumes, CO is underestimated
- Improper collection of mixed venous blood sample
 - Contamination with PCW blood
 - Sampling from more proximal site

Cardiac Output Measurement

Indicator Dilution Methods

● Requirements

- Bolus of indicator substance which mixes completely with blood and whose concentration can be measured
- Indicator is neither added nor subtracted from blood during passage between injection and sampling sites
- Most of sample must pass the sampling site before recirculation occurs
- Indicator must go through a portion of circulation where all the blood of the body becomes mixed

Cardiac Output Measurement

Indicator Dilution Methods

Stewart-Hamilton Equation

$$CO = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\text{Indicator amount}}{C(t) dt} \quad C = \text{concentration of indicator}$$

$$CO = \frac{\text{Indicator amount (mg)} \times 60 \text{ sec/min}}{\text{mean indicator concentration (mg/mL)} \times \text{curve duration}}$$

● Indicators

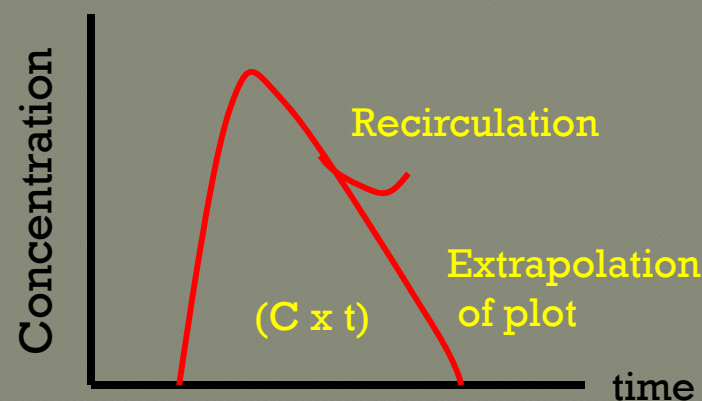
- Indocyanine Green
- Thermodilution (Indicator = Cold)

Cardiac Output Measurement

Indocyanine Green Method

- Indocyanine green (volume and concentration fixed) injected as a bolus into right side of circulation (pulmonary artery)
- Samples taken from peripheral artery, withdrawing continuously at a fixed rate
- Indocyanine green concentration measured by densitometry

$$CO = \frac{I}{(C \times t)}$$



CO inversely proportional to area under curve

Cardiac Output Measurement

Indocyanine Green Method

● Sources of Error

- Indocyanine green unstable over time and with exposure to light
- Sample must be introduced rapidly as single bolus
- Bolus size must be exact
- Indicator must mix thoroughly with blood, and should be injected just proximal or into cardiac chamber
- Dilution curve must have exponential downslope of sufficient length to extrapolate curve. Invalid in Low cardiac output states and shunts that lead to early recirculation
- Withdrawal rate of arterial sample must be constant

Cardiac Output Measurement

Thermodilution Method

$$CO = \frac{V_I (T_B - T_I) (S_I \times C_I / S_B \times C_B) \times 60}{\int_0^{\infty} \Delta T_B dt}$$

V_I = volume of injectate

S_I, S_B = specific gravity of injectate and blood

C_I, C_B = specific heat of injectate and blood

T_I = temperature of injectate

ΔT_B = change in temperature measured downstream

Cardiac Output Measurement

Thermodilution Method

○ Advantages

- Withdrawal of blood not necessary
- Arterial puncture not required
- Indicator (saline or D5W)
- Virtually no recirculation, simplifying computer analysis of primary curve sample

Cardiac Output Measurement

Thermodilution Method

- Sources of Error ($\pm 15\%$)
 - Unreliable in tricuspid regurgitation
 - Baseline temperature of blood in pulmonary artery may fluctuate with respiratory and cardiac cycles
 - Loss of injectate with low cardiac output states ($CO < 3.5 \text{ L/min}$) due to warming of blood by walls of cardiac chambers and surrounding tissues. The reduction in ΔT_B at pulmonary arterial sampling site will result in overestimation of cardiac output
 - Empirical correction factor (0.825) corrects for catheter warming but will not account for warming of injectate in syringe by the hand

Cardiac Output Measurement

Stroke Volume

○ Stroke Volume

- Volume of blood ejected in a single contraction
- Volumetric analysis requires 3-dimensional analysis to calculate end-diastolic and end-systolic volume

Stroke volume = End-diastolic volume – End-systolic volume

- Estimation based on cardiac output

$$\text{Stroke volume} = \frac{\text{Cardiac output}}{\text{Heart rate}}$$

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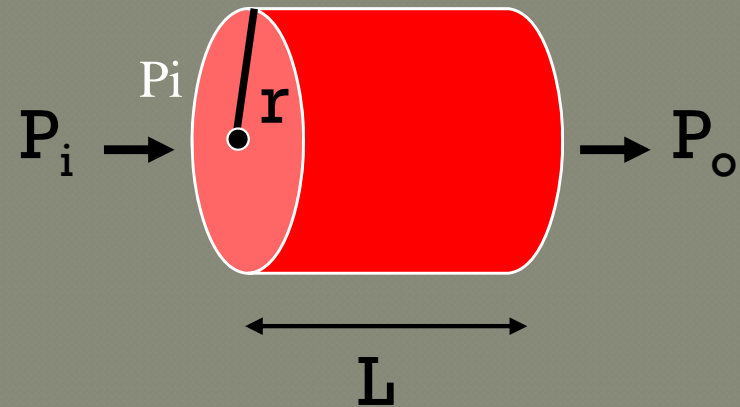
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Vascular Resistance

Poiseuille's Law

$$Q = \frac{\pi (P_i - P_o) r^4}{8 \eta L}$$



Q = volume flow
 $P_i - P_o$ = inflow – outflow pressure
 r = radius of tube
 L = length of tube
 η = viscosity of the fluid

$$\text{Resistance} = \frac{\Delta P}{Q} = \frac{8 \eta L}{\pi r^4}$$

In vascular system, key factor is radius of vessel

Vascular Resistance

Definitions

Normal reference values

Woods Units x 80 = Metric Units

Systemic vascular resistance

$$SVR = \frac{\overline{A_o} - \overline{RA}}{Q_s}$$

10 – 20

770 – 1500

Pulmonary vascular resistance

$$PVR = \frac{\overline{PA} - \overline{LA}}{Q_p}$$

0.25 – 1.5

20 – 120

Vascular Resistance

Systemic Vascular Resistance

- Increased
 - Systemic HTN
 - Cardiogenic shock with compensatory arteriolar constriction
- Decreased
 - Inappropriately high cardiac output
 - Arteriovenous fistula
 - Severe anemia
 - High fever
 - Sepsis
 - Thyrotoxicosis

Vascular Resistance

Pulmonary Vascular Resistance

○ Increased

- Primary lung disease
- Eisenmenger syndrome
- Elevated pulmonary venous pressure
 - Left-sided myocardial dysfunction
 - Mitral / Aortic valve disease

○ Decreased

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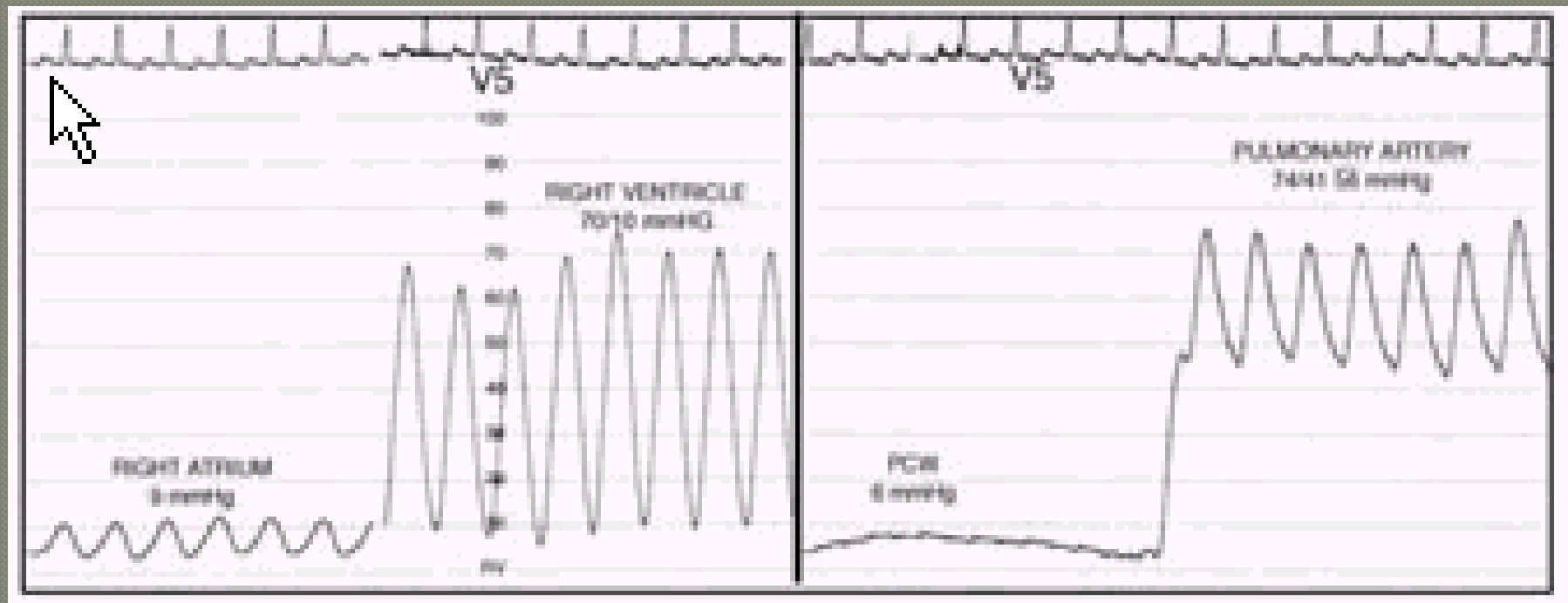
2. The patient is a 55-yo woman who was diagnosed with severe pulmonary hypertension 2 months ago. She has had evidence of RVH by ECG dating back 6 years, but remained asymptomatic until recently. A daughter died at the age of 8 years from primary pulmonary hypertension. She was referred for right heart catheterization to exclude an intracardiac shunt and to perform an intravenous prostacyclin challenge to assess her pulmonary vasoreactivity. Her pulmonary artery hydrogen curve appearance time was 12 seconds.

The hydrogen curve technique is performed by having the patient inhale one breath of hydrogen and record the time to downward drift of the electrocardiographic baseline recorded from the tip of an electrode catheter placed in the main pulmonary artery. A short appearance time of the ECG drift (1-2 seconds) confirms the presence of a left-to-right intracardiac shunt. The 12 second recorded in this patient is normal and excludes a left-to-right shunt. The hydrogen curve technique is very sensitive compared to oximetry, but is not useful in quantifying the magnitude of the shunt nor in detecting a right to left shunt.

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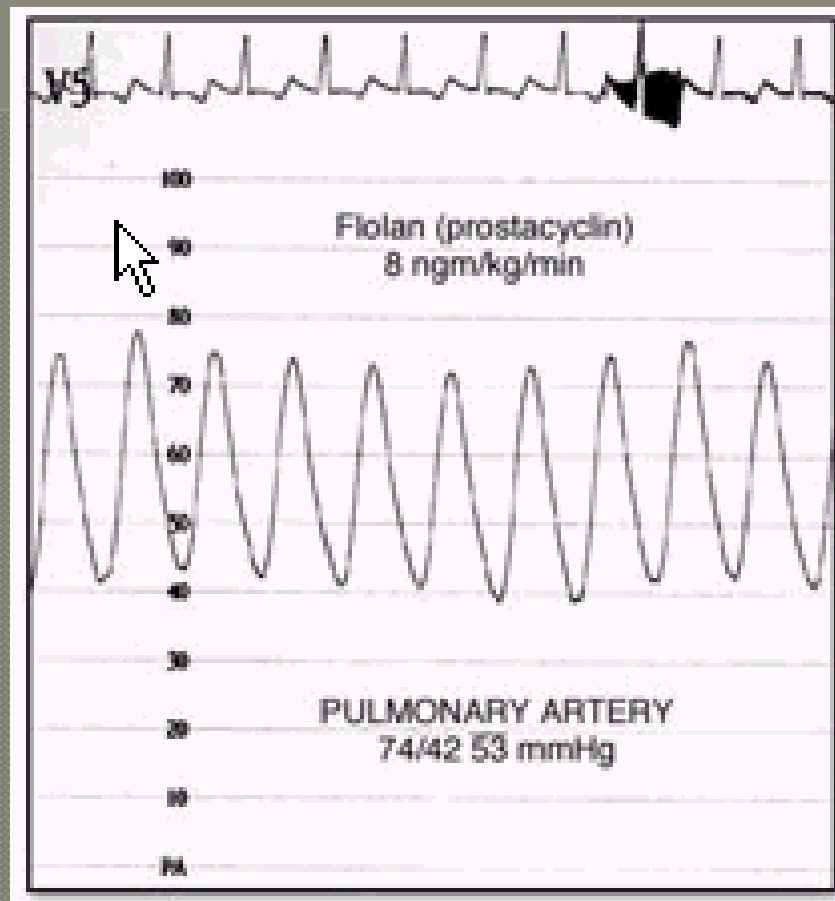
A Flolan (IV prostacyclin) infusion was begun. At a dose of 8 ngm/kg/minute, she had moderate cutaneous flushing and her systemic arterial pressure was reduced from the baseline of 107/81 (mean 90 mmHg) with a heart rate of 136bpm to 86/61 (mean 67 mmHg) with a heart rate of 137 bpm.

Thermodilution cardiac output was 2.50 L/min at baseline and 4.20 L/min during the maximum prostacyclin infusion. The pressure tracing below was recorded before prostacyclin was initiated.



Hemodynamic Principles

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Hemodynamic Principles

3. The cardiac catheterization revealed:

Pressures (mmHg): RA: mean 7, RV: 45/6, PA: 45/25, mean 33, PCW: mean 10, LV: 120/5, Aortic: 120/80, mean 95.

Saturations (%): SVC: 60, IVC: 65, (Mixed Venous 62), RA: 80, RV: 75, PA: 75, PV: 95, Aortic: 95.

Hemoglobin: 13 mg/dl, Oxygen consumption: 250 ml/min.

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Hemodynamic Principles

4. A 48-year-old patient with pulmonary hypertension is admitted with profound cyanosis and clubbing. Her workup reveals primary pulmonary hypertension with a patent foramen ovale and right-to-left shunt. Given the following information, calculate her pulmonary vascular resistance.

Hemodynamic Principles

4. At catheterization, the SVC oxygen saturation is 43%, the IVC oxygen saturation is 50%, the RA saturation is 45%, the PA oxygen saturation is 45%, the PV saturation is 90%, the aortic oxygen saturation is 80%. Oxygen consumption is 275 ml/min. The hemoglobin is 15gm%. The RA pressure mean is 15, the RV pressure is 90/15, the PA pressure is 90/60 with a mean of 75, the pulmonary wedge pressure is 10, the LV pressure is 110/10, the aortic pressure is 110/80 with a mean of 95 mmHg.
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Shunt Detection & Measurement

Indications

- Arterial desaturation (<95%)
 - Alveolar hypoventilation (Physiologic Shunt) corrects with deep inspiration and/or O₂
 - Sedation from medication
 - COPD / Pulmonary parenchymal disease
 - Pulmonary congestion
 - Anatomic shunt (Rt→Lf) does not correct with O₂
- Unexpectedly high PĀ saturation (>80%) due to Lf→Rt shunt

Shunt Detection & Measurement Methods

● Shunt Detection

- Indocyanine green method
- Oximetric method

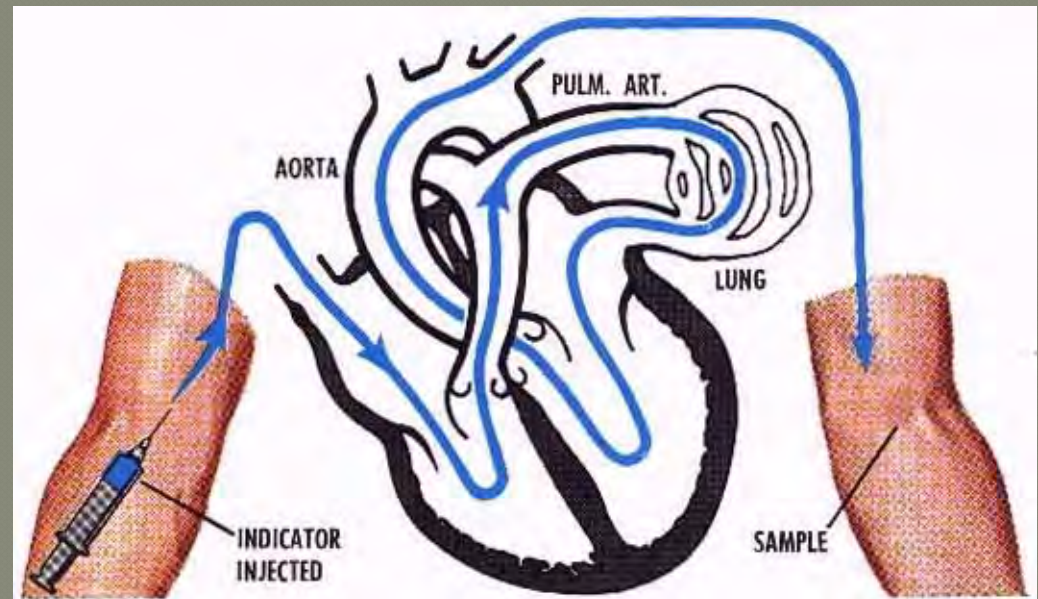
● Shunt Measurement

- Left-to-Right Shunt
- Right-to-Left Shunt
- Bidirectional Shunt

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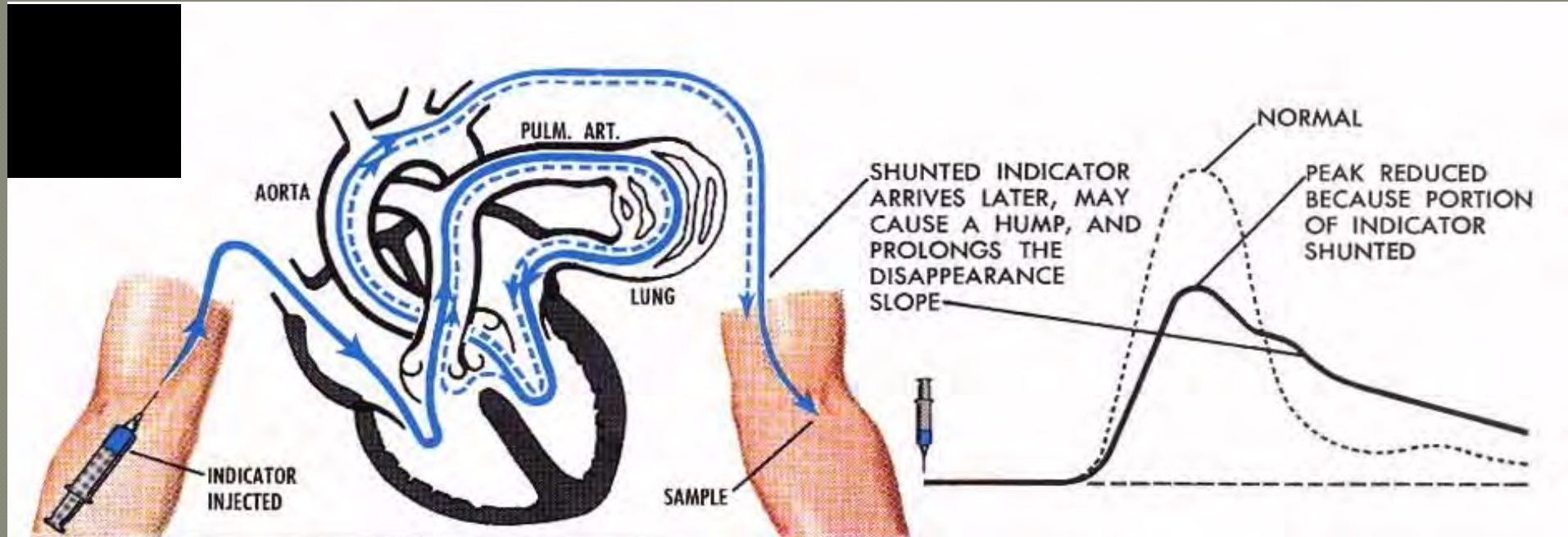
Indocyanine Green Method

- Indocyanine green (1 cc) injected as a bolus into right side of circulation (pulmonary artery)
- Concentration measured from peripheral artery
- Appearance and washout of dye produces initial 1st pass curve followed by recirculation in normal adults



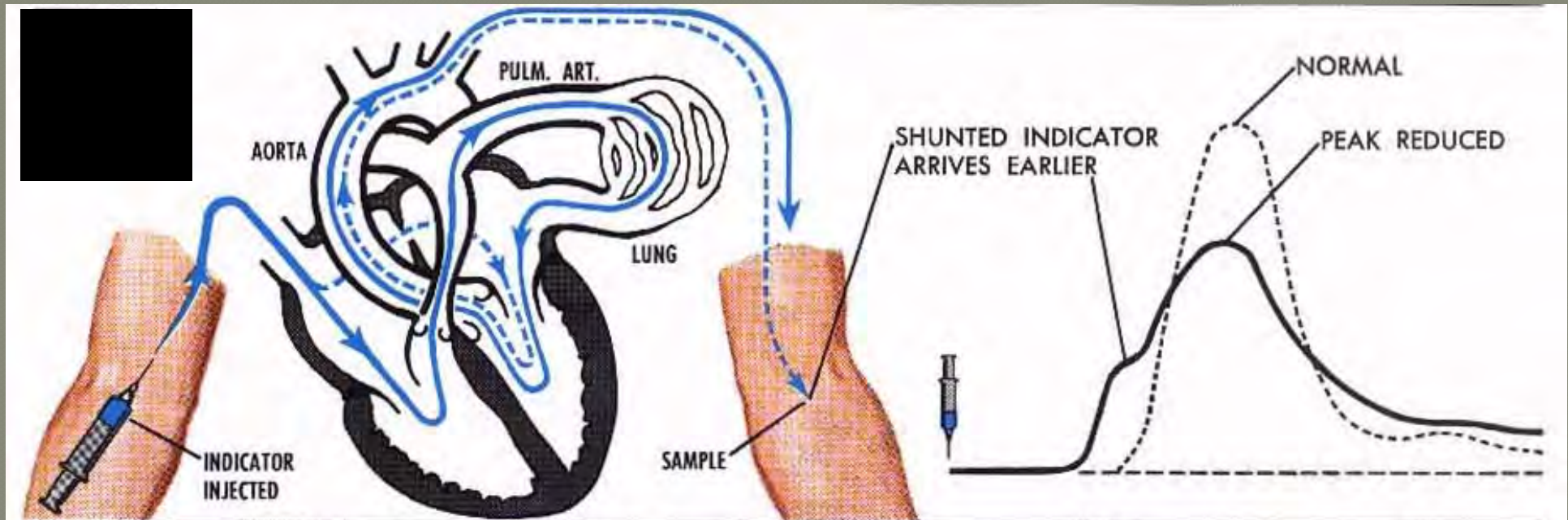
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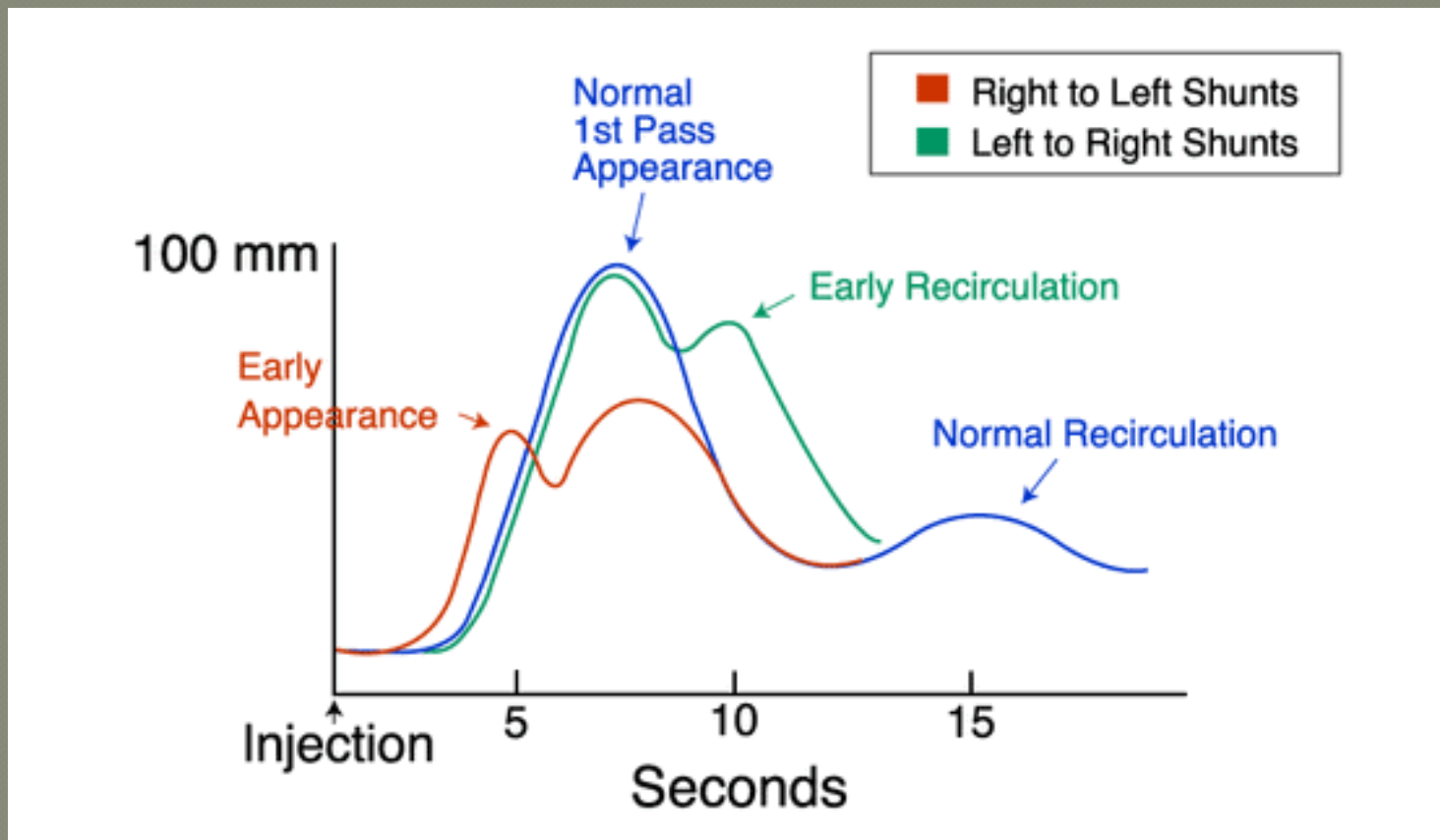
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Right-to-Left Shunt



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Indocyanine Green Method



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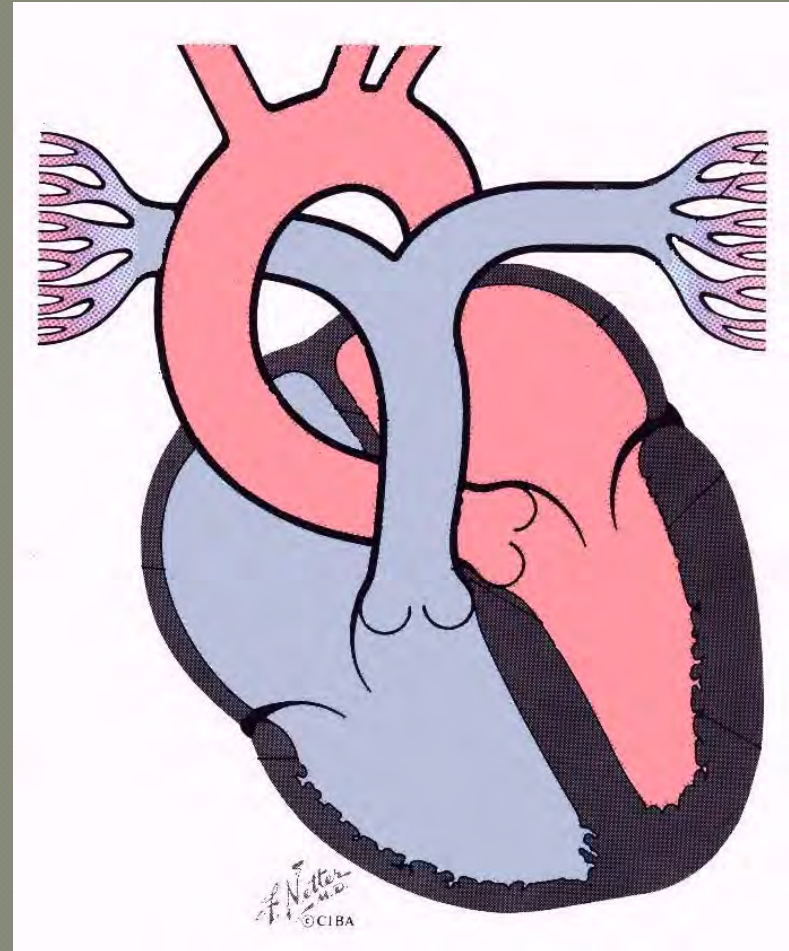
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Oximetric Methods

- Obtain O₂ saturations in sequential chambers, identifying both step-up and drop-off in O₂ sat
- Insensitive for small shunts (< 1.3:1)



Shunt Detection & Measurement

Oximetry Run

- IVC, L4-5 level
- IVC, above diaphragm
- SVC, innominate
- SVC, at RA
- RA, high
- RA, mid
- RA, low
- RV, mid
- RV, apex
- RV, outflow tract
- PA, main
- PA, right or left
- Left ventricle
- Aorta, distal to ductus



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Oximetric Methods

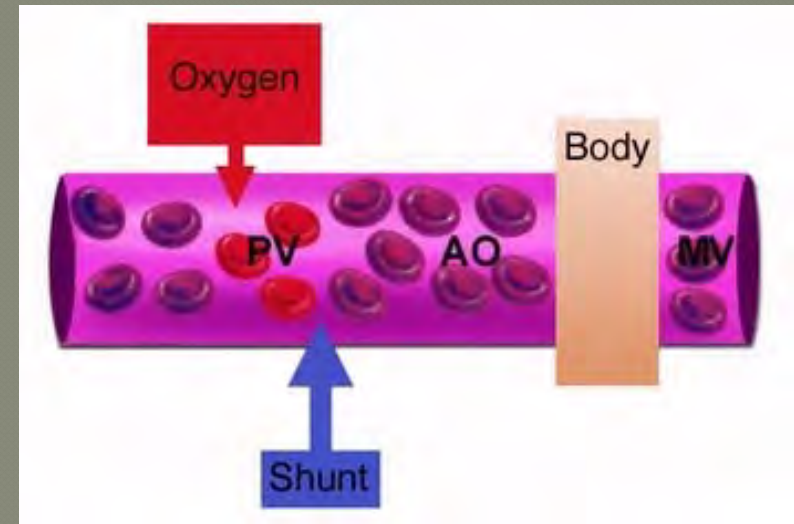
- RA receives blood from several sources
 - SVC: Saturation most closely approximates true systemic venous saturation
 - IVC: Highly saturated because kidneys receive 25% of CO and extract minimal oxygen
 - Coronary sinus: Markedly desaturated because heart maximizes O₂ extraction
- Phlamm Equation: Mixed venous saturation used to normalize for differences in blood saturations that enter RA

$$\text{Mixed venous saturation} = \frac{3 (\text{SVC}) + \text{IVC}}{4}$$

Shunt Detection & Measurement

Right-to-Left Shunt

- Left to right shunt results in step-down in O_2 between PV and Ao
- Shunt is the difference between systemic flow measured and what it would be in the absence of shunt (EPBF)
- Pulmonary Blood Flow = EPBF



Right-Left Shunt = Systemic Blood Flow – Effective Blood Flow

$$= \frac{O_2 \text{ consumption}}{(A_oO_2 - MVO_2) \times 10} - \frac{O_2 \text{ consumption}}{(PvO_2 - MVO_2) \times 10}$$

$$Q_p / Q_s \text{ Ratio} = PBF / SBF = \frac{(A_oO_2 - MVO_2)}{(PvO_2 - PaO_2)}$$

Shunt Detection & Measurement

Right-to-Left Shunt

- Tetralogy of Fallot
- Eisenmenger Syndrome
- Pulmonary arteriovenous malformation
- Total anomalous pulmonary venous return (mixed)

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Bidirectional Shunts

- Left-to-Right Shunt

$$= \frac{Q_p (\text{MV O}_2 \text{ content} - \text{P}\bar{\text{A}} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content})}{(\text{MV O}_2 \text{ content} - \text{P}\text{V} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content})}$$

- Right-to-Left Shunt

$$= \frac{Q_p (\text{P}\text{V} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content} - \text{S}\bar{\text{A}} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content}) (\text{P}\bar{\text{A}} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content} - \text{P}\text{V} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content})}{(\text{S}\bar{\text{A}} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content} - \text{P}\text{V} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content}) (\text{MV O}_2 \text{ content} - \text{P}\text{V} \text{ O}_2 \text{ content})}$$

* If pulmonary vein not entered, use 98% x O₂ capacity.

Shunt Detection & Measurement

Bidirectional Shunt

- Transposition of Great Arteries
- Tricuspid atresia
- Total anomalous pulmonary venous return
- Truncus arteriosus
- Common atrium (AV canal)
- Single ventricle

Shunt Detection & Measurement

Limitations of Oximetric Method

- Requires steady state with rapid collection of O_2 samples
- Insensitive to small shunts
- Flow dependent
 - Normal variability of blood oxygen saturation in the right heart chambers is influenced by magnitude of SBF
 - High flow state may simulate a left-to-right shunt
- When O_2 content is utilized (as opposed to O_2 sat), the step-up is dependent on hemoglobin.

Hemodynamic Principles

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- B. 2-to-1 shunt at the ventricular level.
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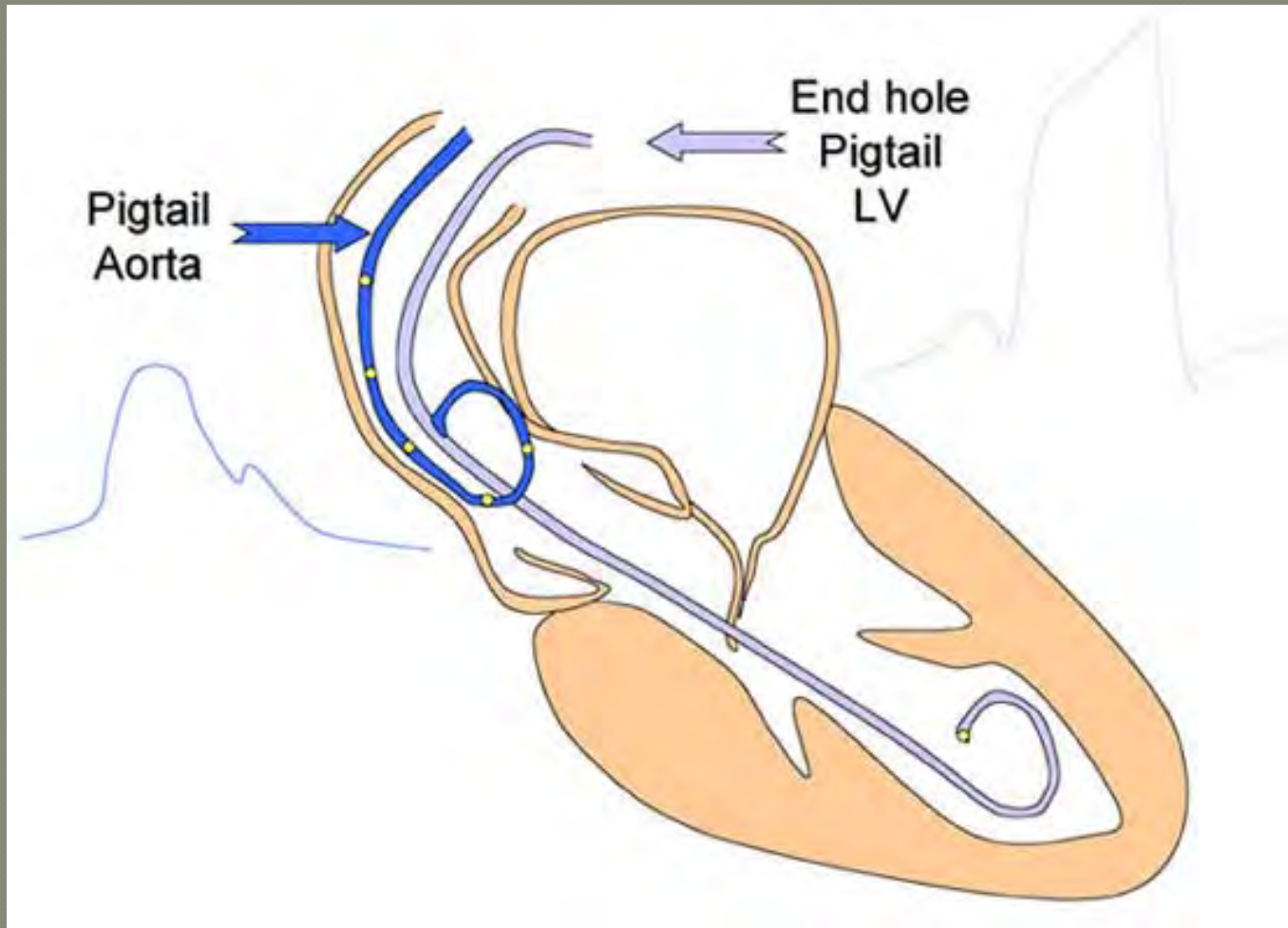
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3. A 40-year-old obese woman is admitted to the hospital with shortness of breath and you are asked to consult. She has ruddy cheeks and perhaps mild cyanosis, but there is no clubbing. Her jugular venous pulse is not elevated and lungs are clear. A right ventricular heave is palpated, as is the second heart sound along the left sternal border. Her left ventricular apex is not displaced. Auscultation shows a soft systolic murmur along the left sternal border that radiates slightly toward the left with an S3 present, but you cannot distinguish whether it is a left or right-sided S3. The pulmonary component of her second heart sound is loud. There is no hepatomegaly or edema. Her echocardiogram is of marginal quality, but there is marked enlargement of the right atrium and right ventricle. Agitated saline injection results in filling of the left heart structures immediately through what appears to be a secundum atrial septal defect (ASD).

Valve Stenoses

Two Catheter Technique



Valve Stenoses

Gorlin Formula Derivation

$$A = \frac{\text{Flow}}{C \cdot 44.3 \sqrt{h}}$$

Flow has to be corrected for the time during which there is cardiac output across the valve.

Aortic	}	Systolic Flow (SEP)
Pulmonic		
Tricuspid	}	Diastolic Flow (DFP)
Mitral		

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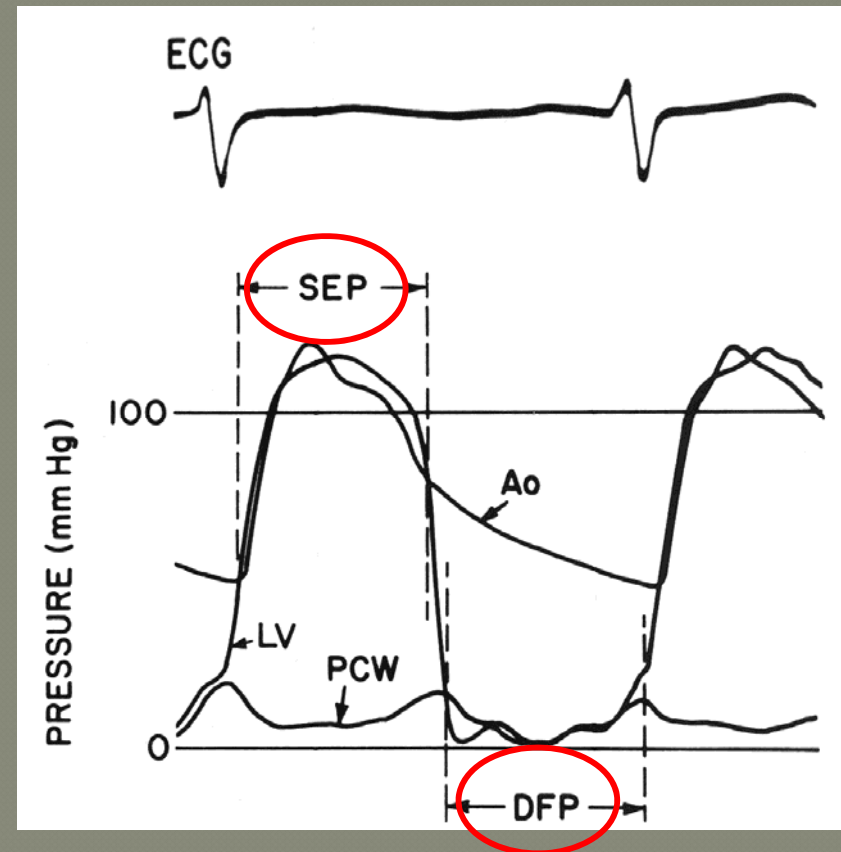
$$A = \frac{\text{CO} / (\text{DFP or SEP}) \cdot \text{HR}}{C \cdot 44.3 \sqrt{\Delta P}}$$

Constant:

Aortic, Tricuspid, Pulmonic: C = 1.0

Mitral: C = 0.85

VSD, PDA: C = 1.0



Valve Stenoses

The “Quick Valve Area” Formula

Gorlin Formula:

$$A = \frac{CO / (DFP \text{ or } SEP) \cdot HR}{C \cdot 44.3 \sqrt{\Delta P}}$$

Quick Valve Area Formula (Hakki Formula):

Determine peak gradient across valve.

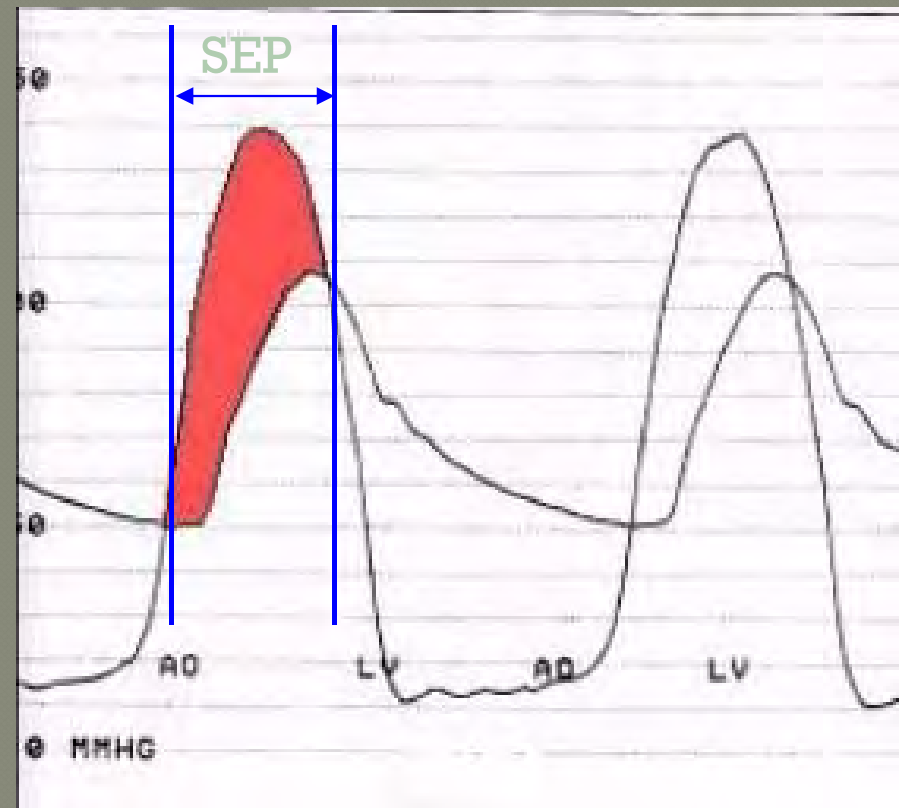
$$A = \frac{CO}{\sqrt{\text{Peak gradient}}}$$

Aortic Valve Stenosis

Calculating Valve Area

Step 1: Planimeter area and calculate SEP

Area of gradient (mm ²)	Length of SEP (mm)	Gradient Deflection (mm)
#1 _____	_____	_____
#2 _____	_____	_____
#3 _____	_____	_____
#4 _____	_____	_____
#5 _____	_____	_____



Average deflection = _____ mm