

Workshop

Quantitative Echocardiography

Practical tips for good clinical practice

Anderson: Intra-cardiac Pressures & Continuity Equation

Zimmerman : MR quantification and Diastolic Function

Oh : Diastology and Hemodynamic Cases



Quantitative Cases

Hemodynamics and Diastology

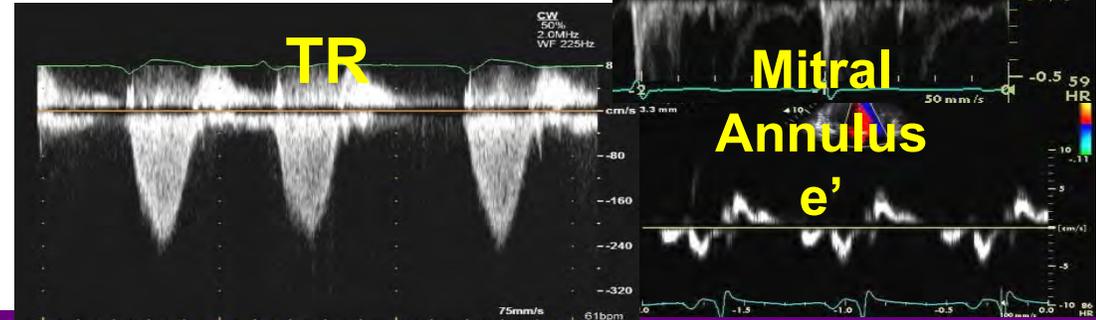
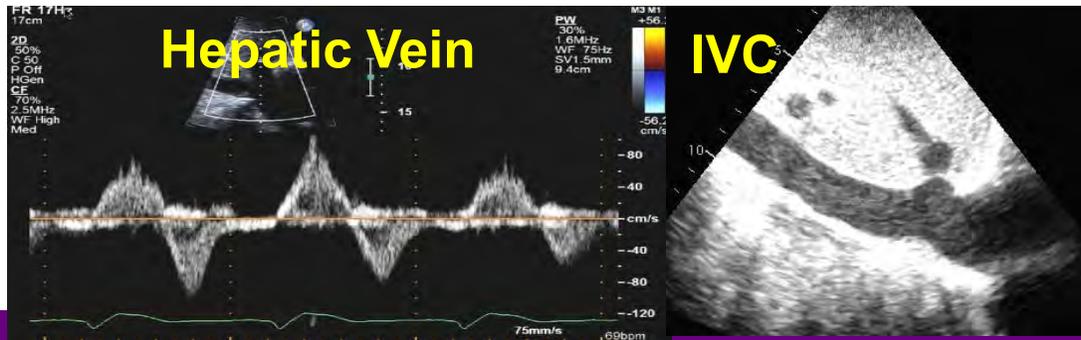
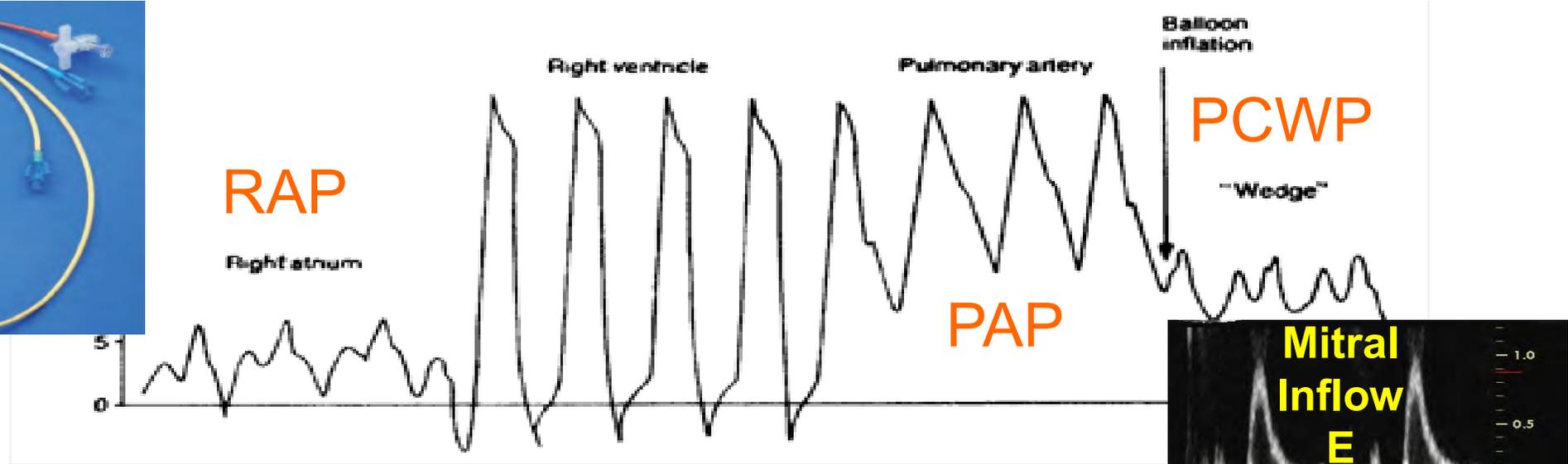
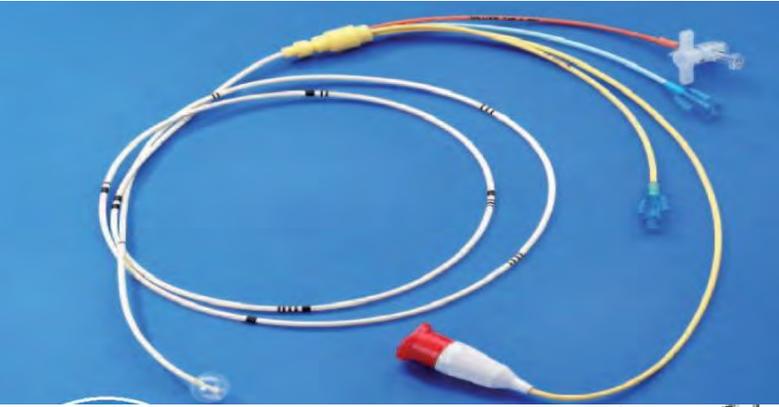


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Echocardiography as a Noninvasive Swan-Ganz Catheter

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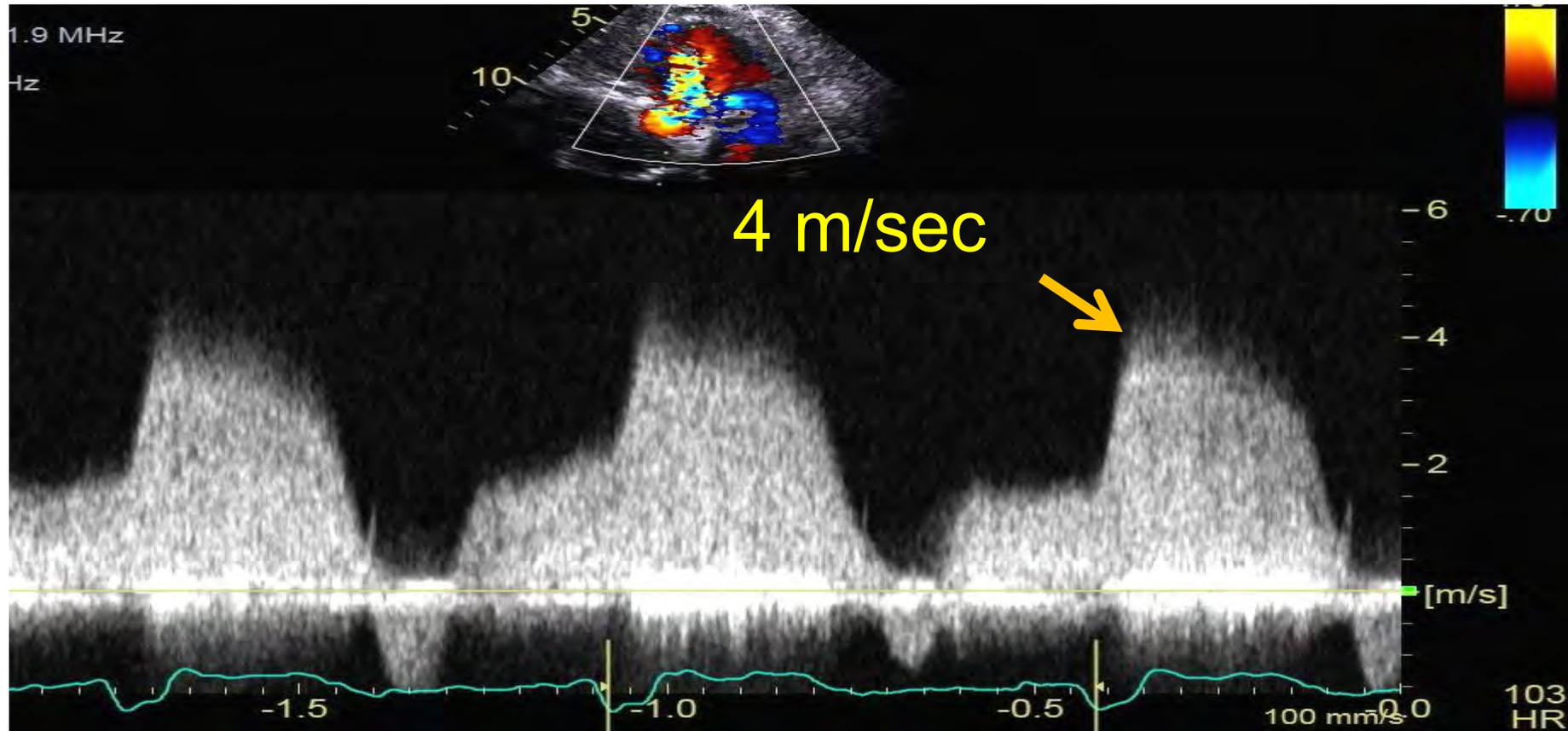
$E/e' = \text{PAWP}$



Right Heart Hemodynamics
TV, PV and Hepatic Vein Doppler Tracings
Velocity, Configuration and Density

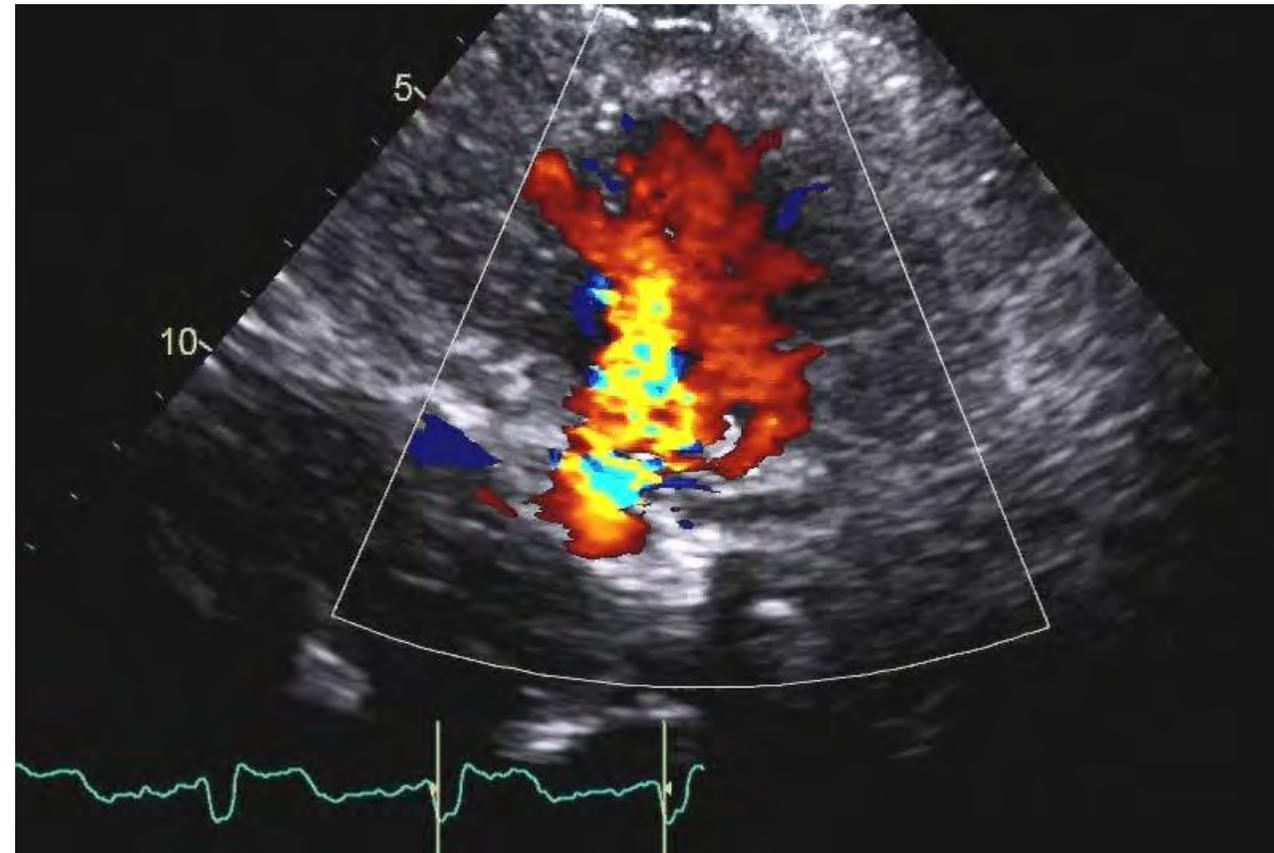
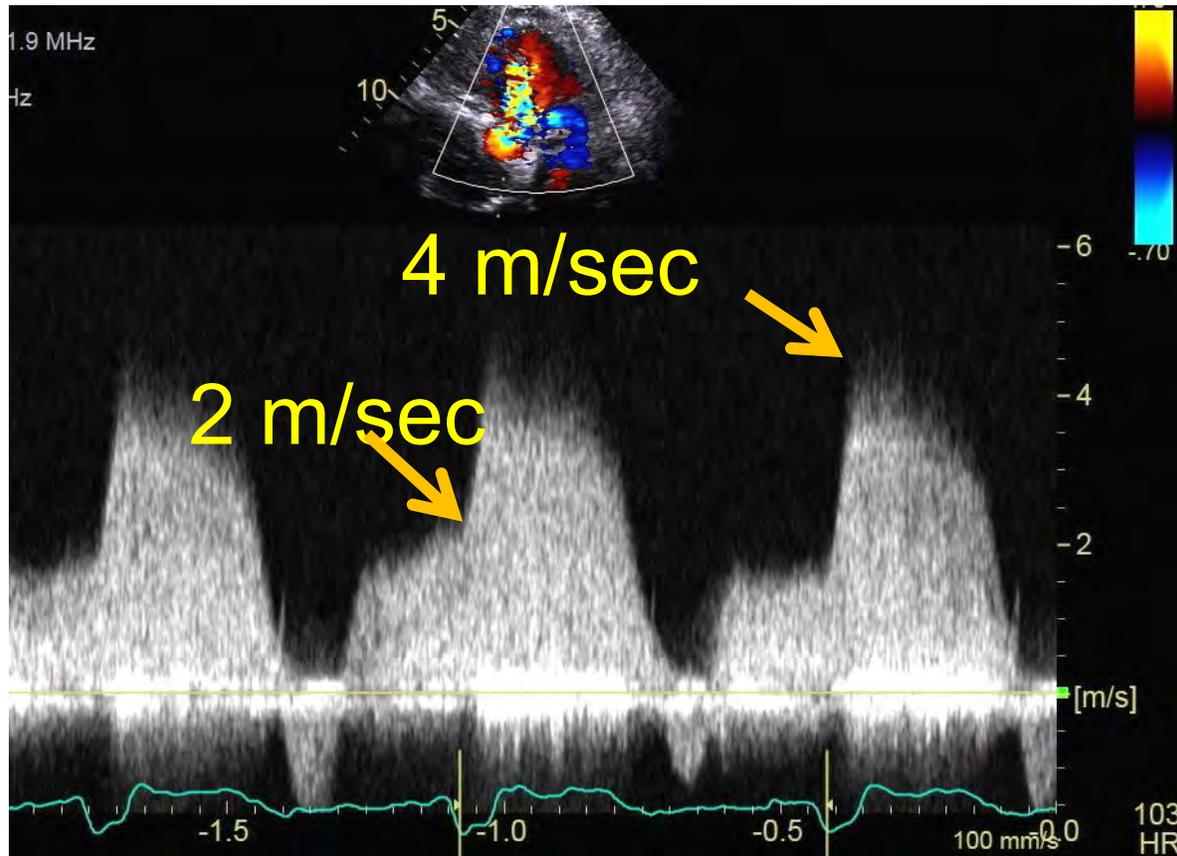
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67 yo man with posterior infarct with following Doppler. Diagnosis ?



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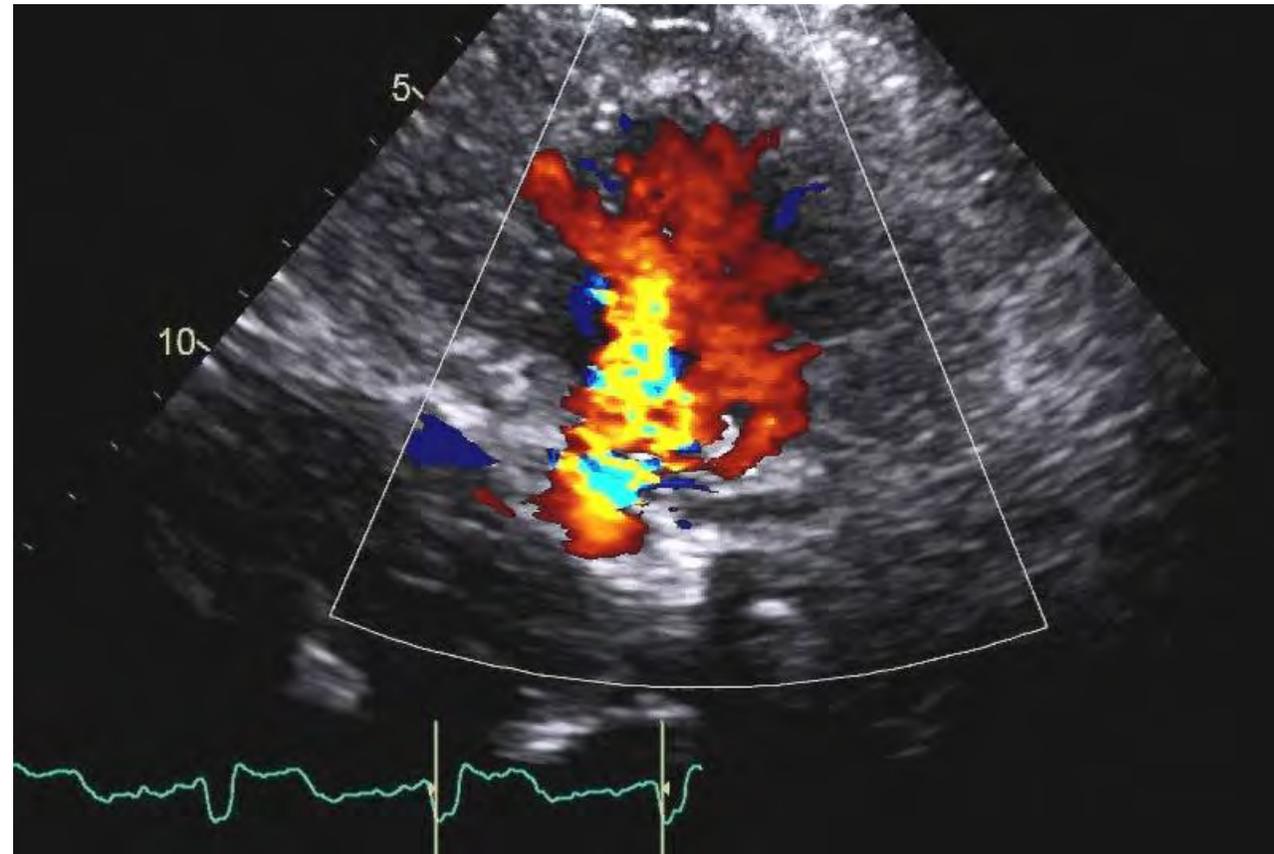
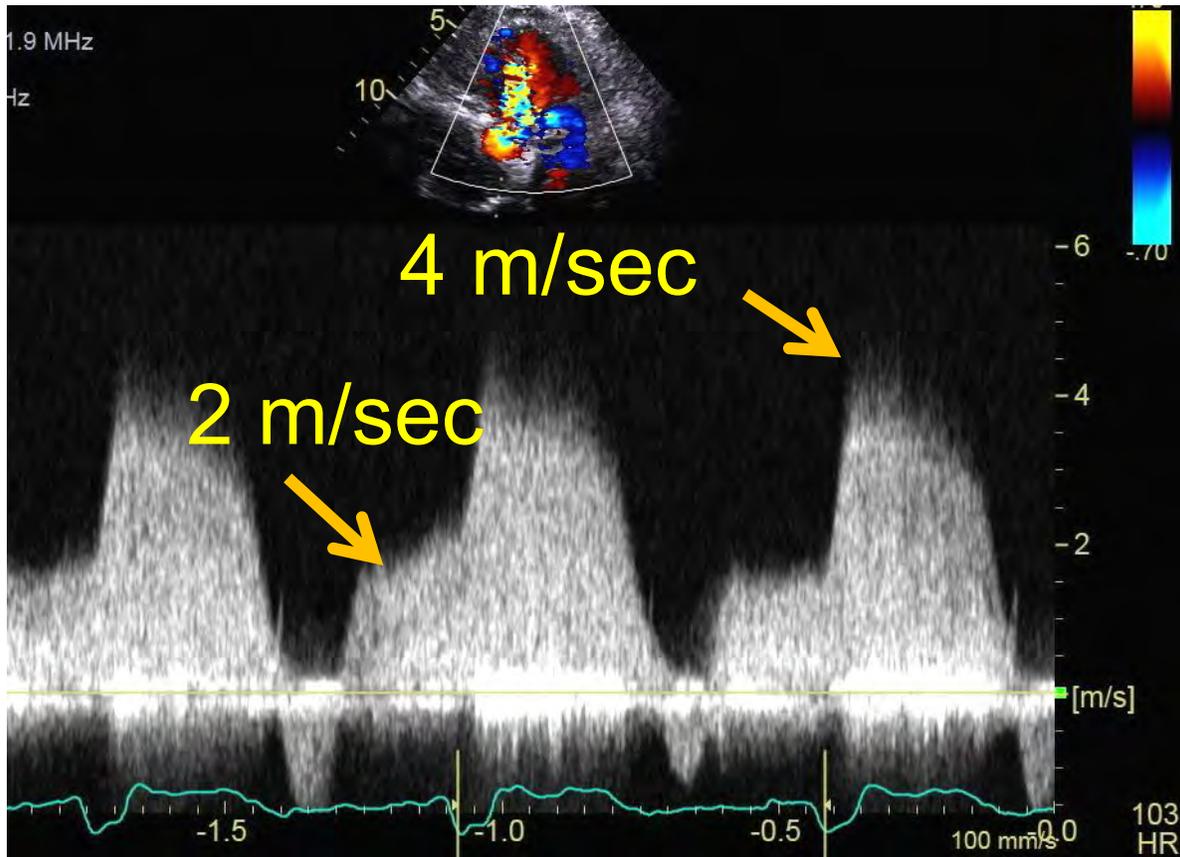
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Pressure Grad = 4 x Velocity²

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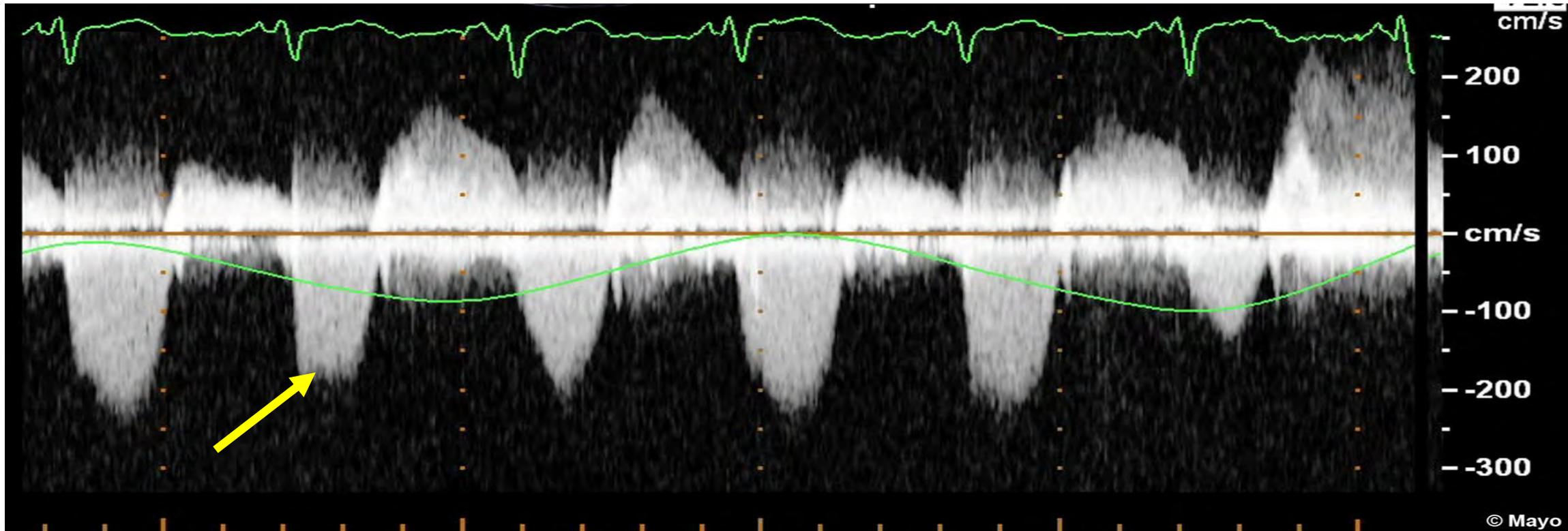
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Systolic BP - (4 x 4²)

Case #1

Heart Failure after TV replacement CW Doppler across the TV prosthesis

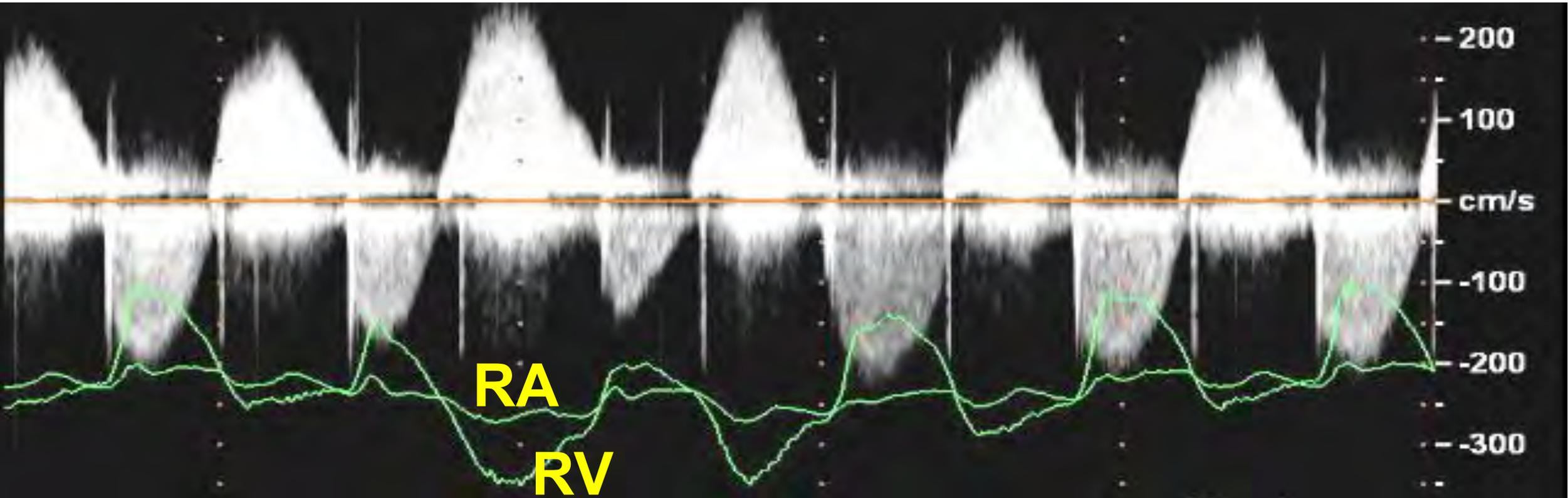
Which respiratory phase does the arrow indicates?



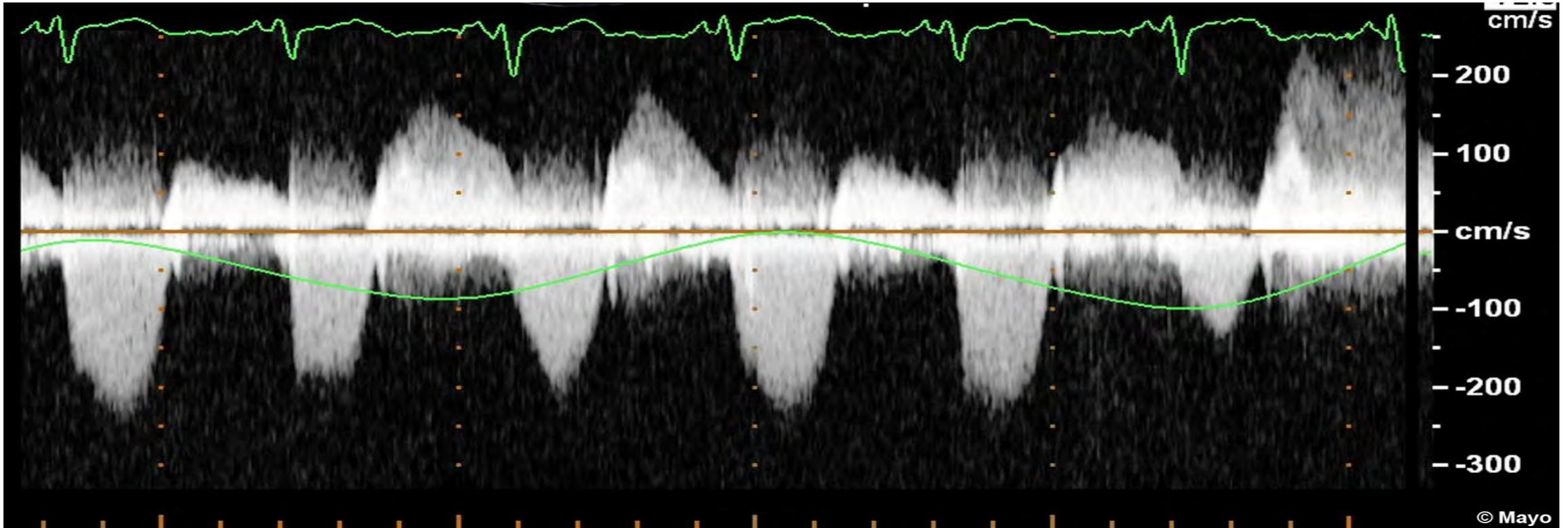
1. Inspiration
2. Expiration
3. Valsalva

Insp

Exp

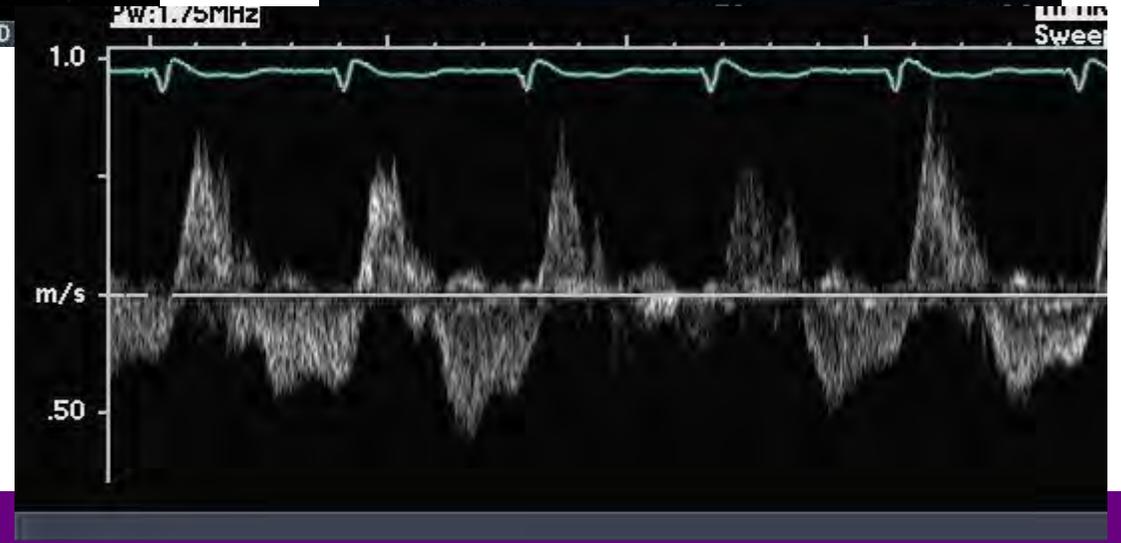
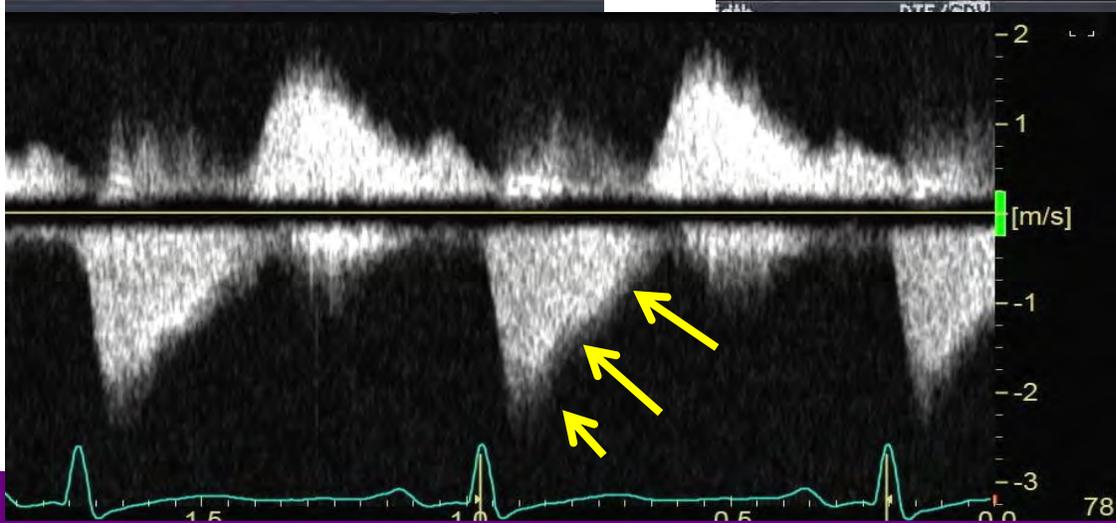
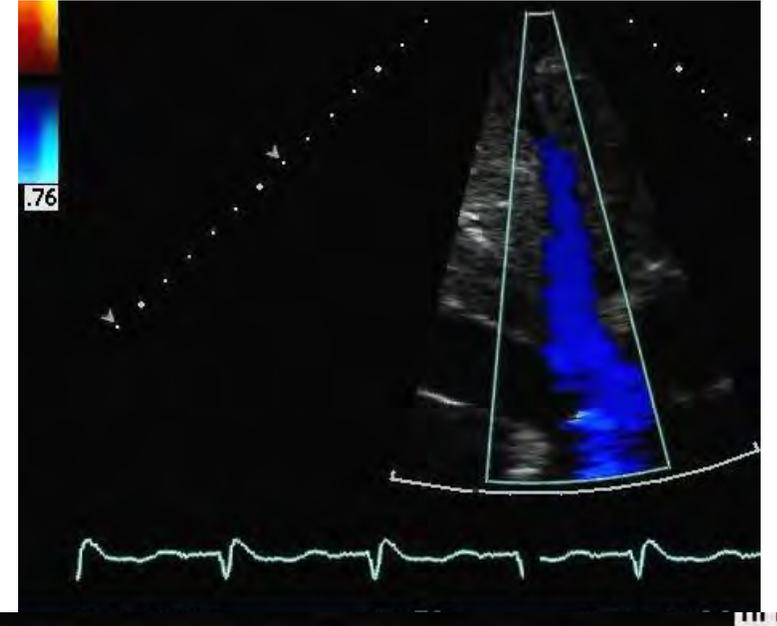
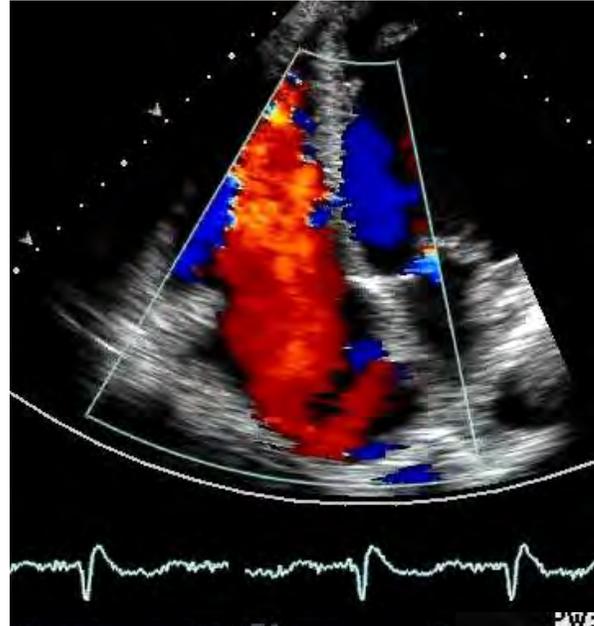


Heart Failure after TV replacement CW Doppler across the TV prosthesis Diagnosis?

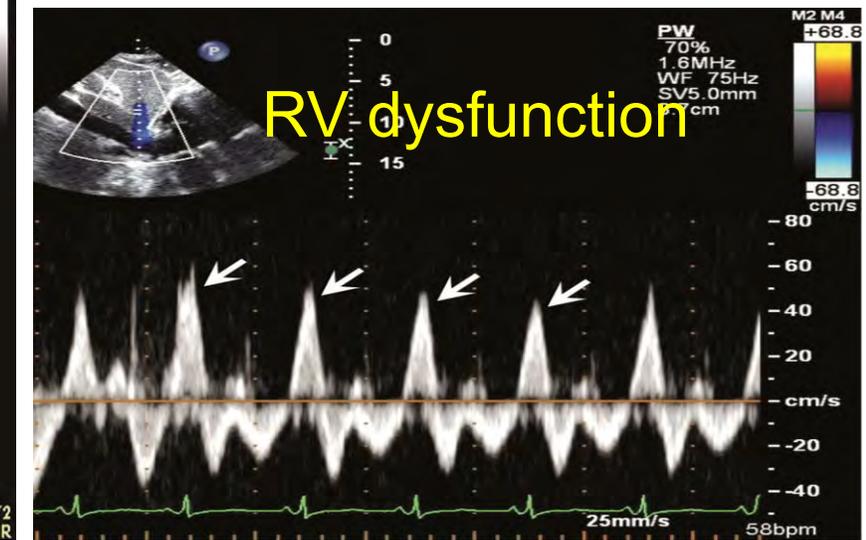
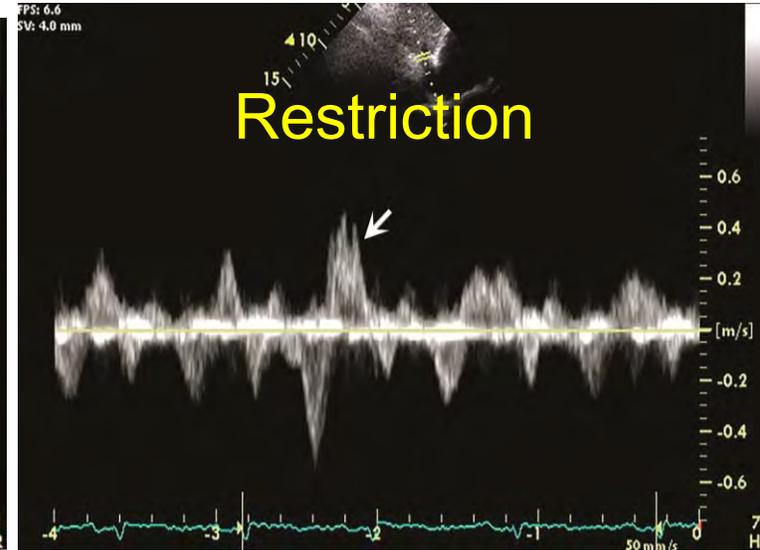
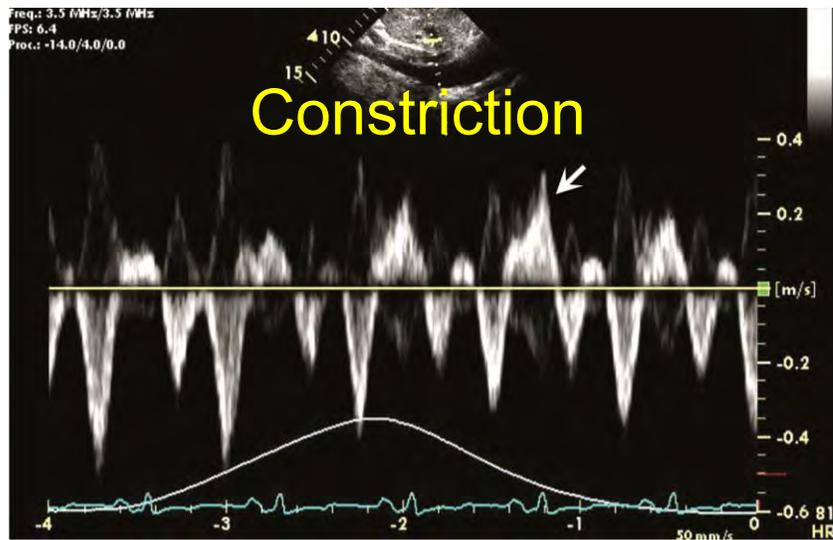
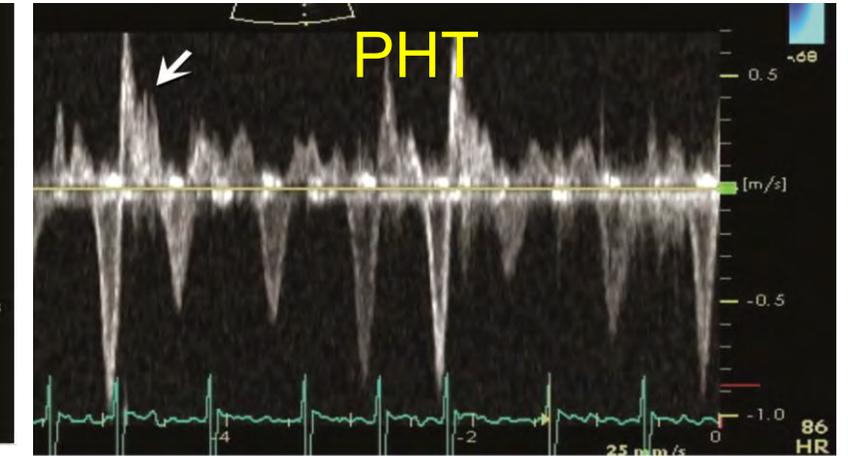
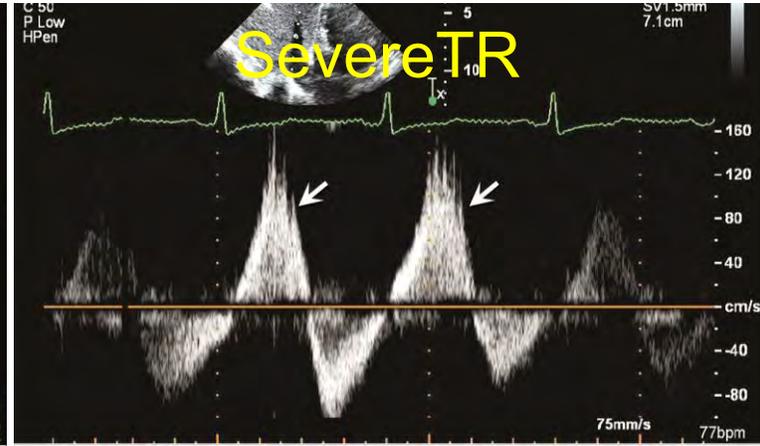
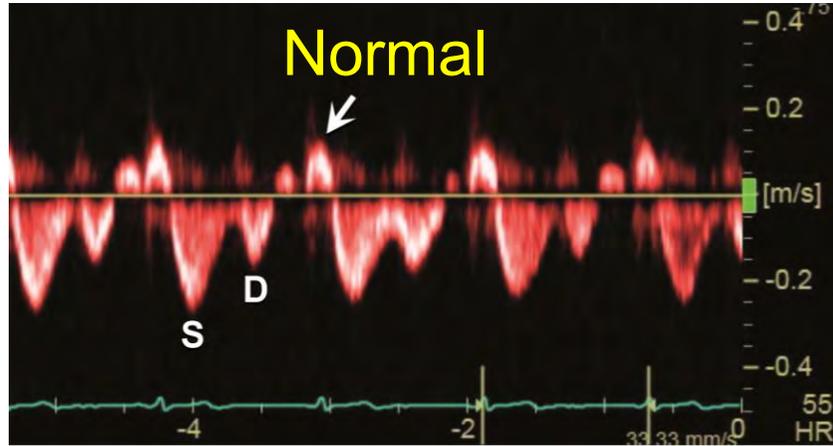


1. TV obstruction
2. Severe TR
3. Increased RA pressure

Severe TR

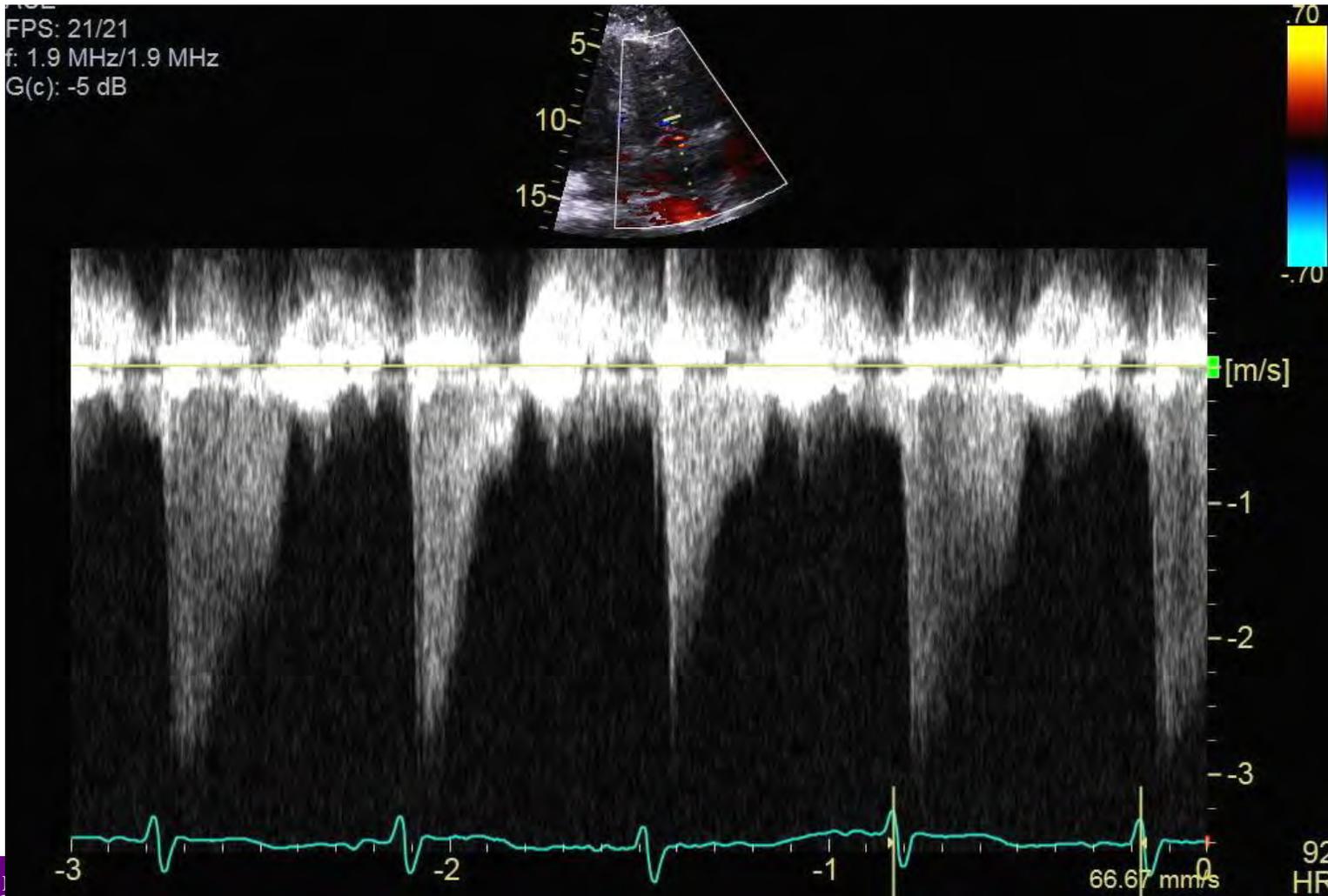


Hepatic Vein Doppler Tracings



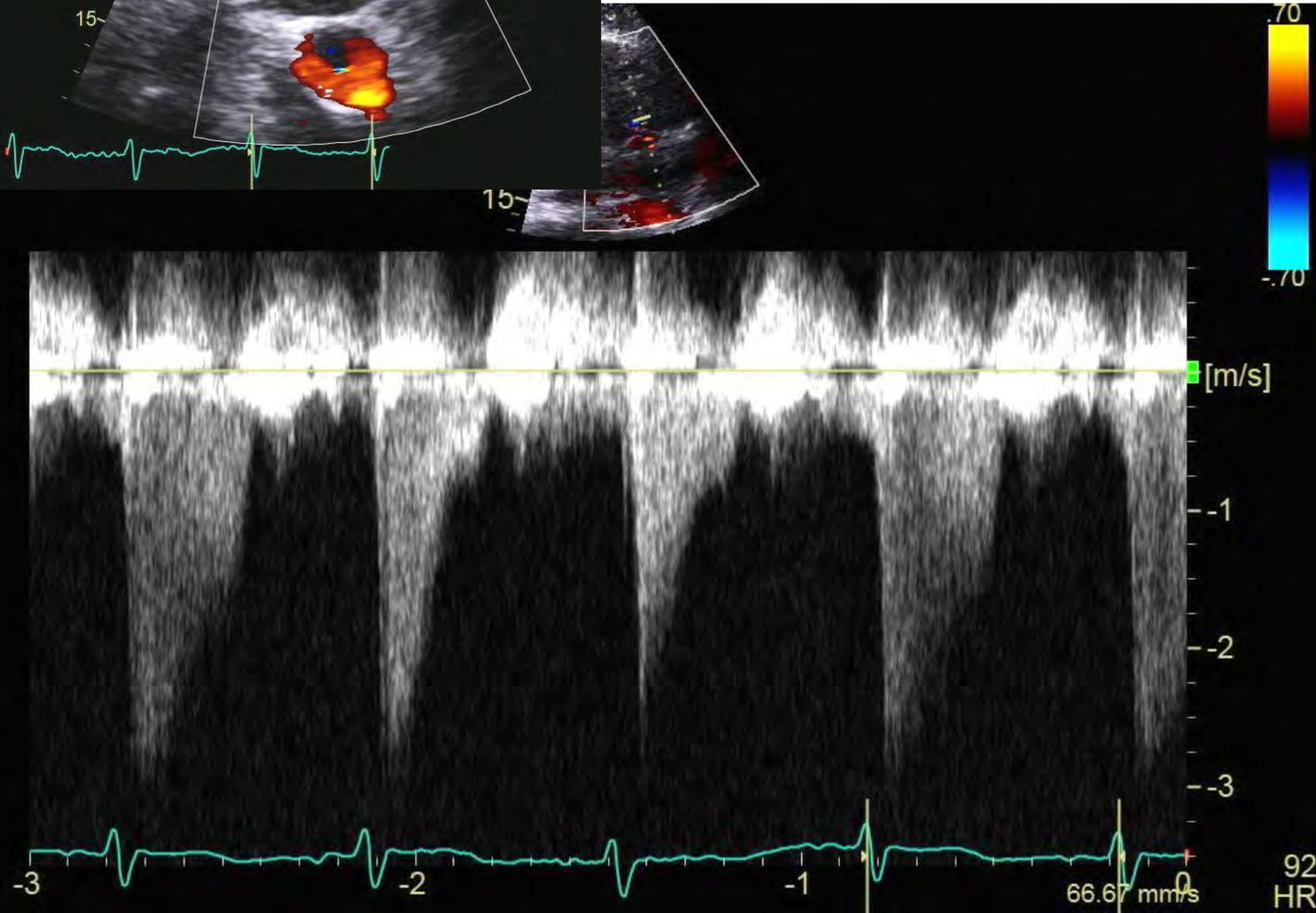
Case #2

What does this CW Doppler show? 70 year old with TIPS procedure



1. Tricuspid Regurgitation
2. Subaortic Stenosis
3. Mitral Regurgitation
4. LVOT Obstruction

How severe is TR?



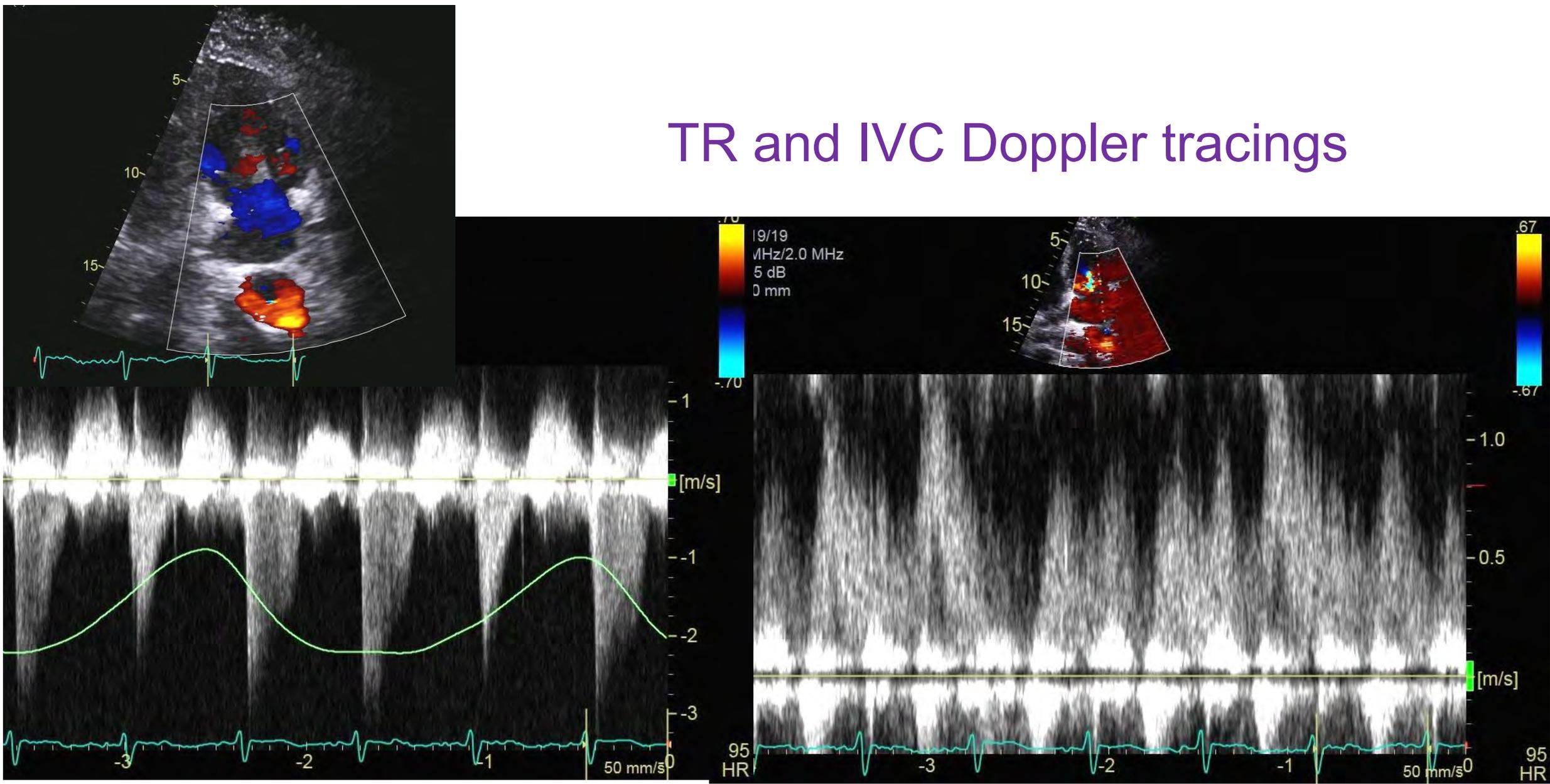
1. Mild
2. Moderate
3. Severe
4. Not certain



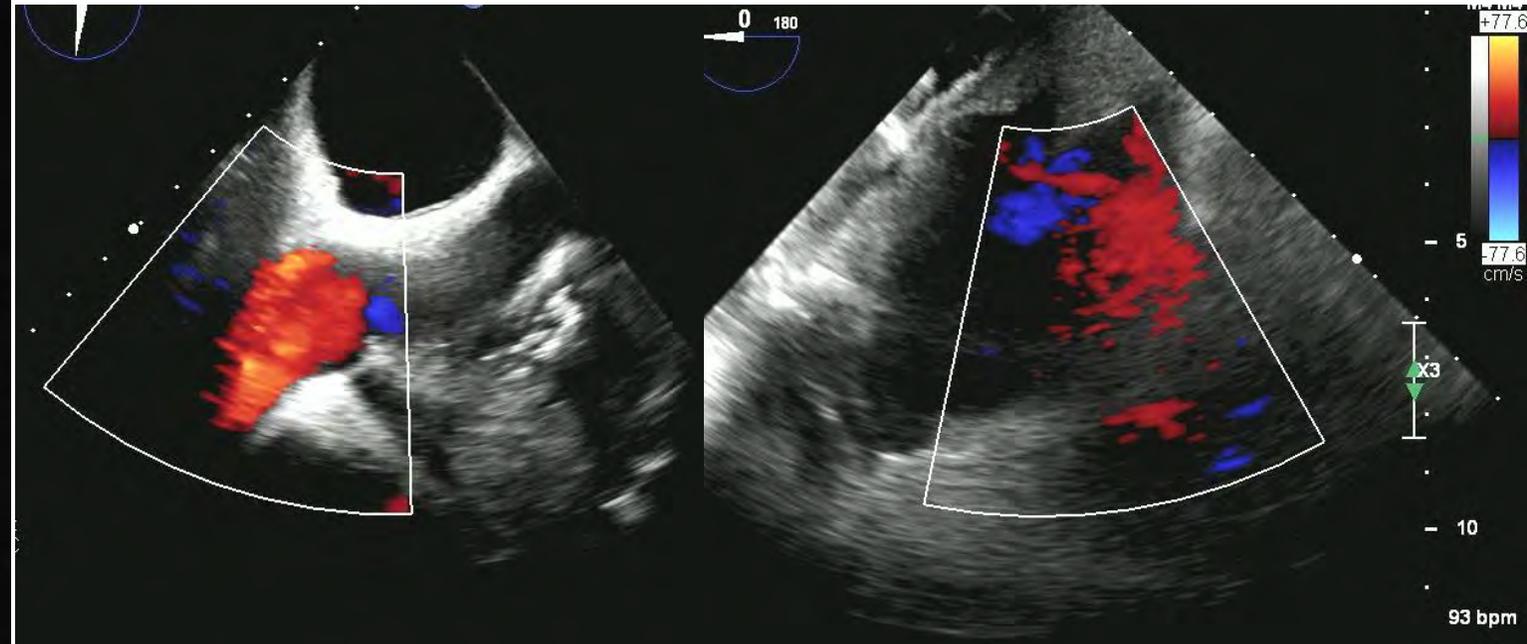
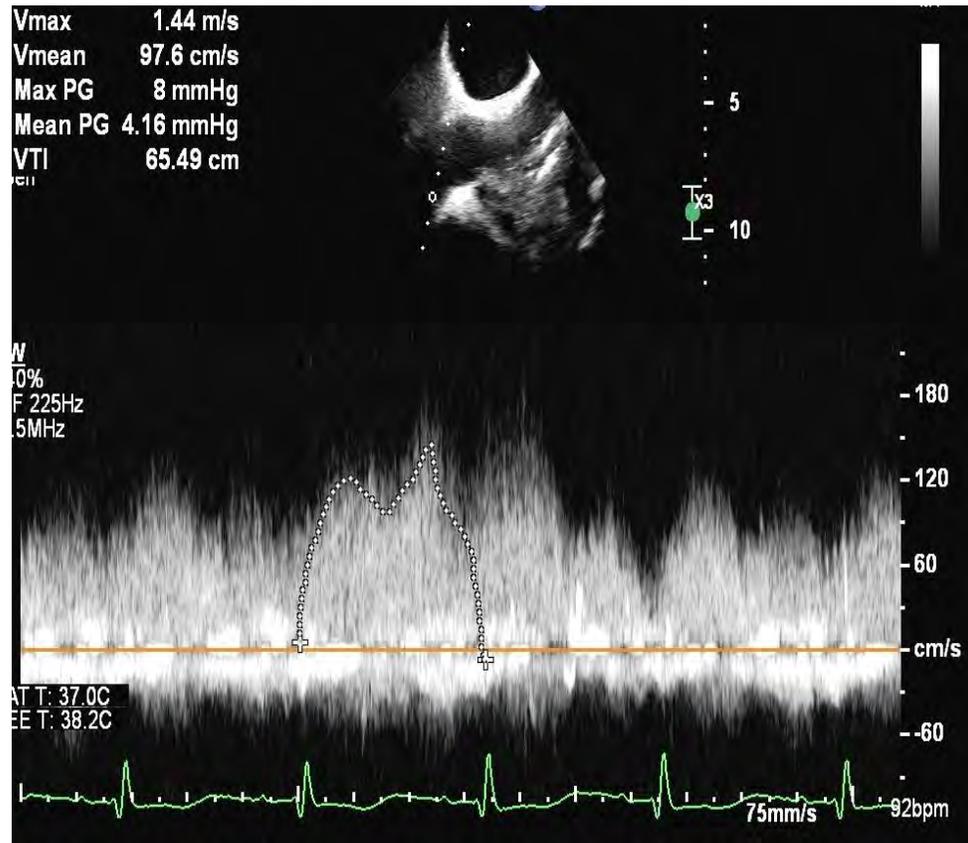
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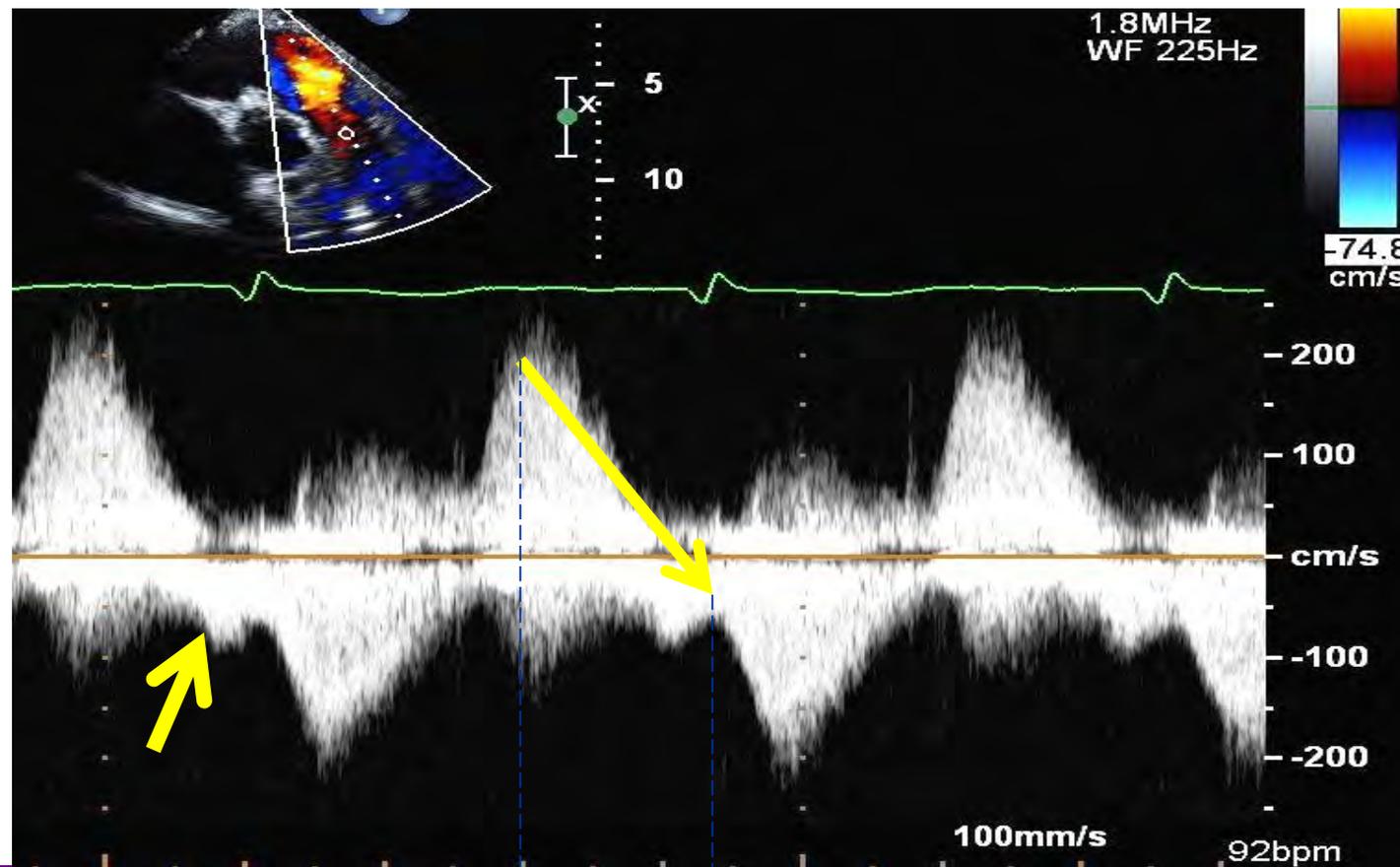
TR and IVC Doppler tracings



Increased flow from IVC and mild TR TEE

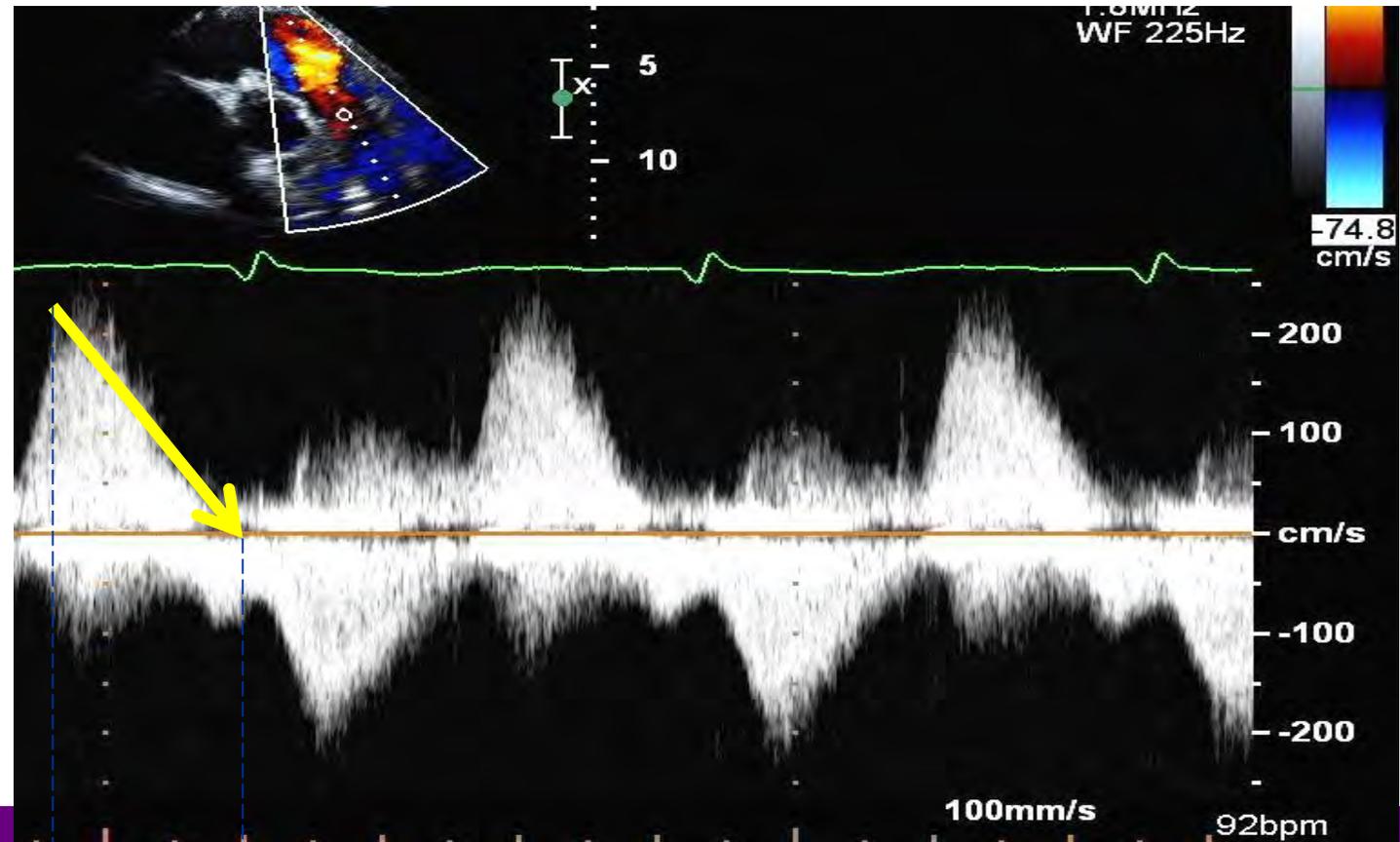
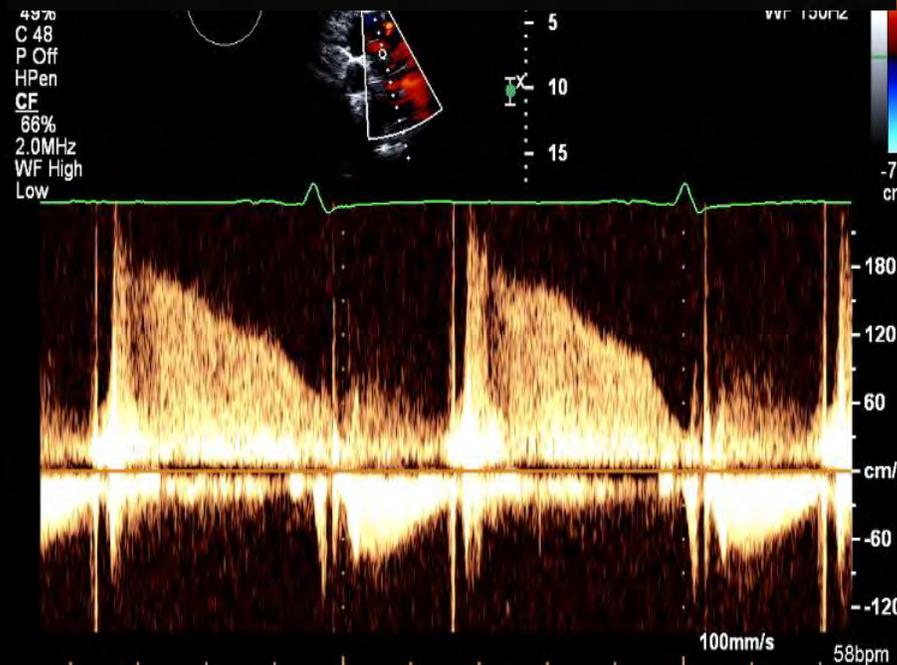
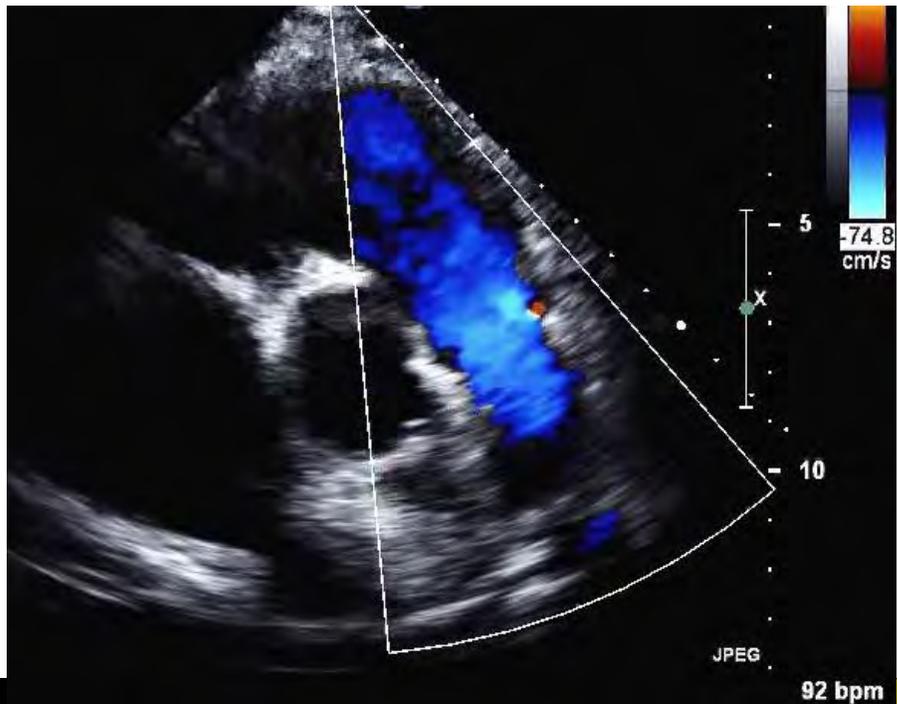


CW Across the PV Diagnosis ?



300 msec

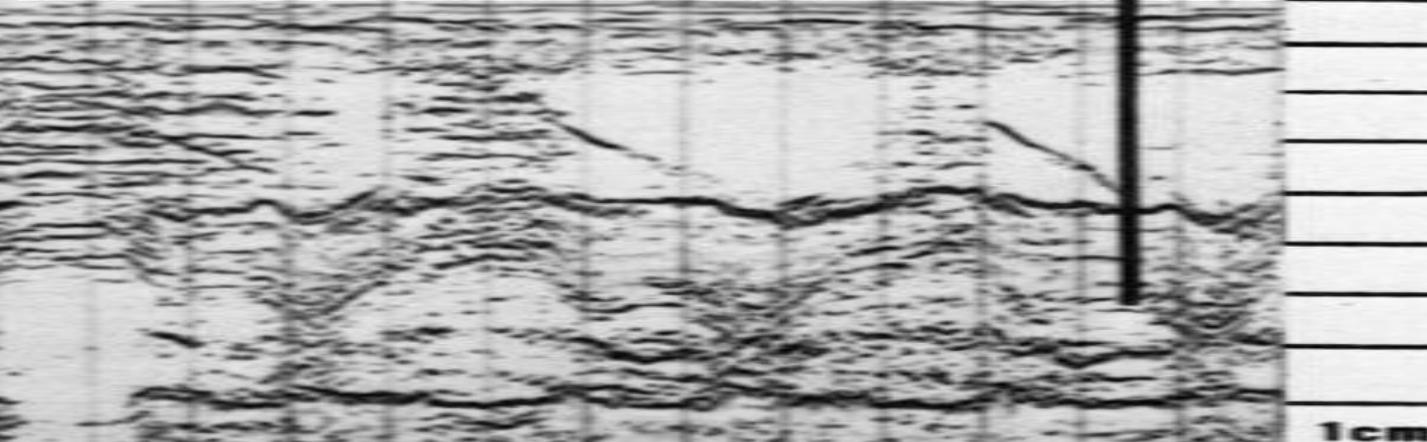
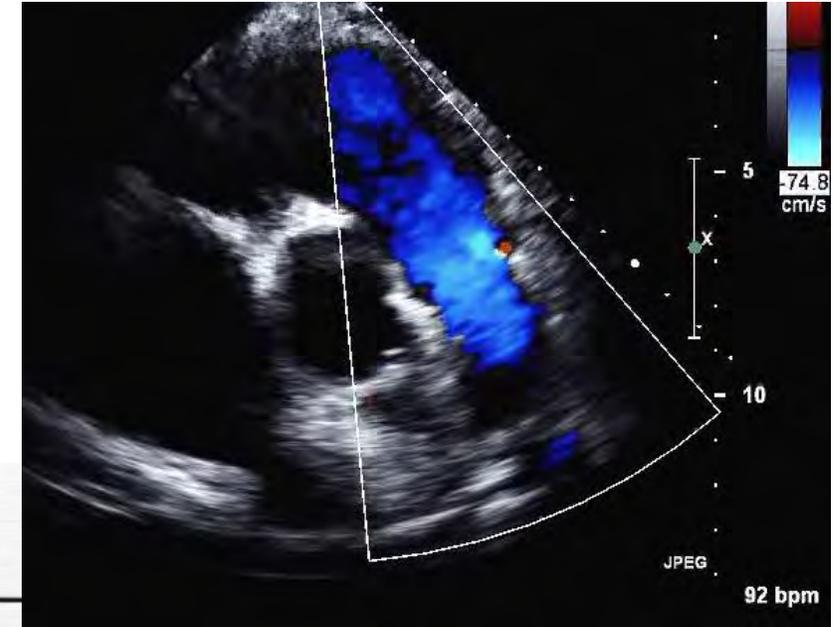
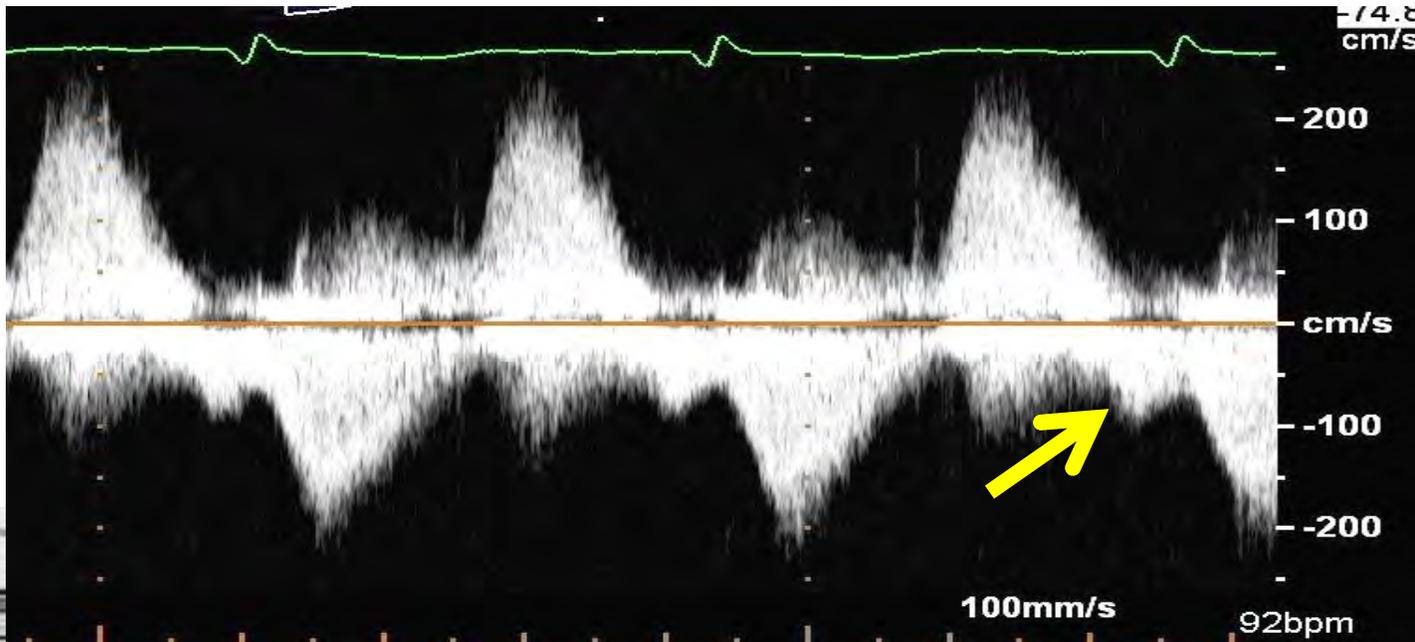
Pulmonary Regurgitation



300 msec

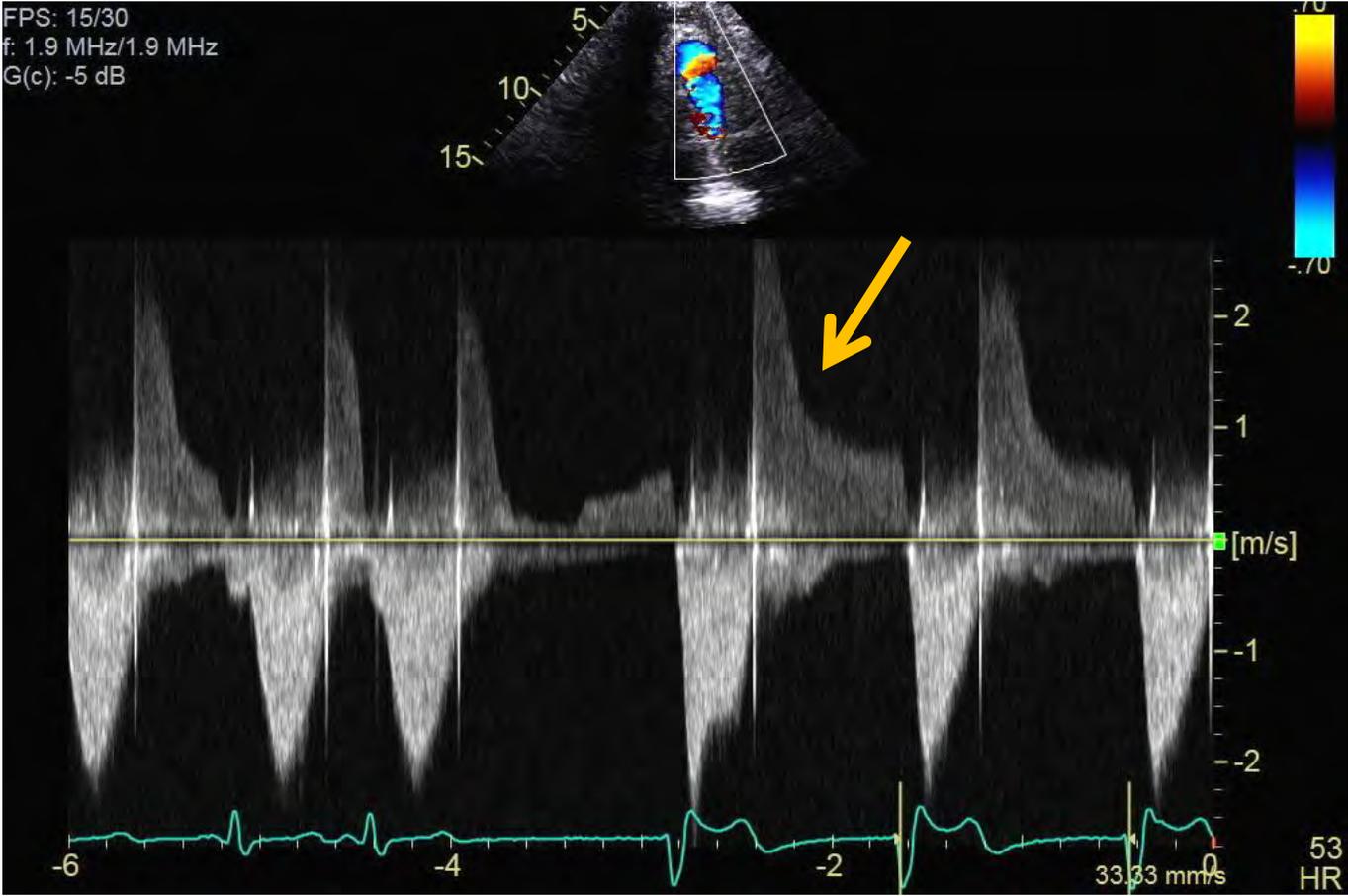
Short PHT of Pulmonary Regurgitation

Diastolic Opening of the PV



- Severe Pul Regurgitation
- Restrictive CM
- Constriction

CW Doppler Recording of the pulmonary valve Short DT from Increased RV diastolic pressure

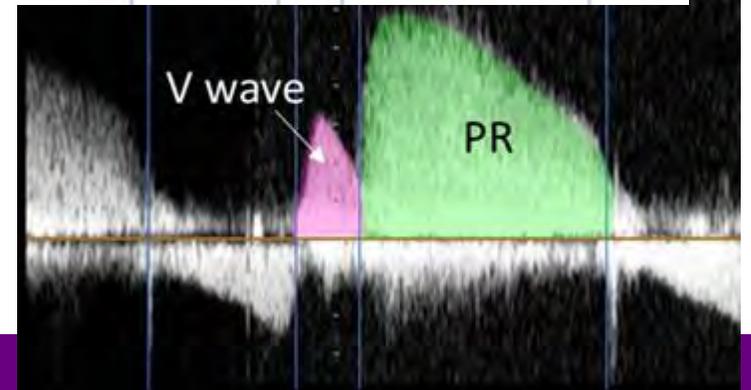
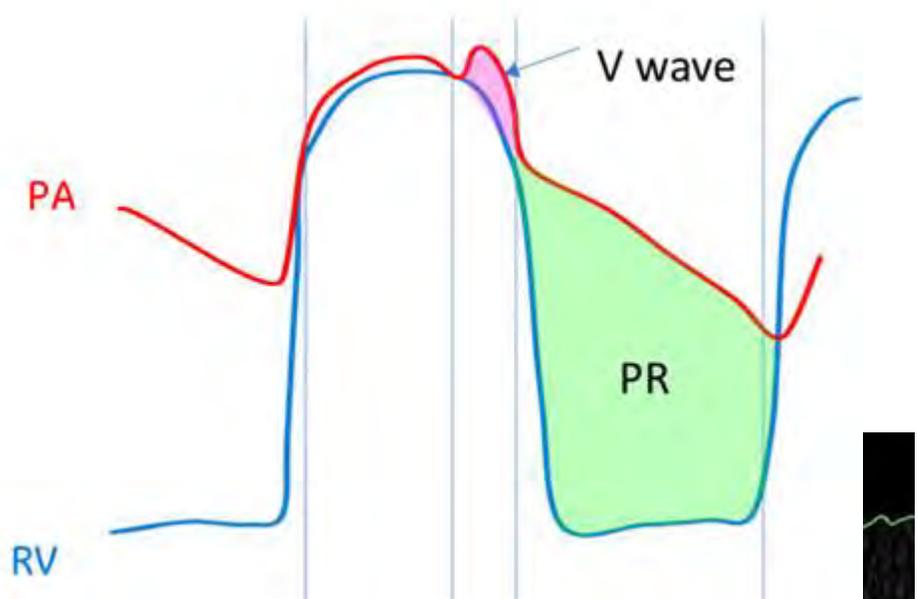


CW Doppler recording of PV Early closure of PV



Pulmonary arterial V waves in mitral regurgitation: clinical and experimental observations

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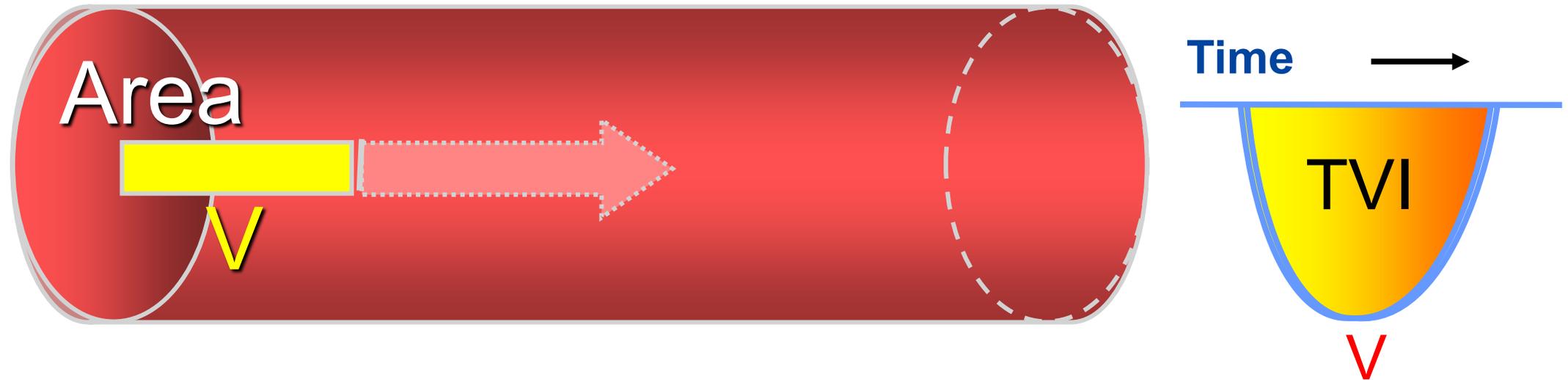


Left Side Hemodynamics

Doppler Hemodynamic Formulae

- **Hydraulic orifice formula**
 - Flow rate = Area x Velocity
 - Volume = Area x Time velocity integral (TVI)
- **Pressure gradient = $4 \times \text{velocity}^2 = (2 \times \text{velocity})^2$**
- **Pressure half time (PHT) = $0.29 \times \text{DT}$**
 - $\text{MVA} = 220 / \text{PHT}$
- **Continuity equation and PISA**
 - $\text{AVA} = \text{LVOT area} \times \text{LVOT tvi} / \text{AV tvi}$
 - $\text{ERO} = 6.28 \times \text{radius}^2 \times \text{Aliasing vel} / \text{MR vel}$

Hydraulic Orifice Formula



$$\text{Flow Rate (mL/sec)} = \text{Area} \times \text{Velocity}$$

$$\text{Volume (cm}^3 \text{ or mL)} = \text{Area} \times \text{TVI}$$

TVI = time velocity integral

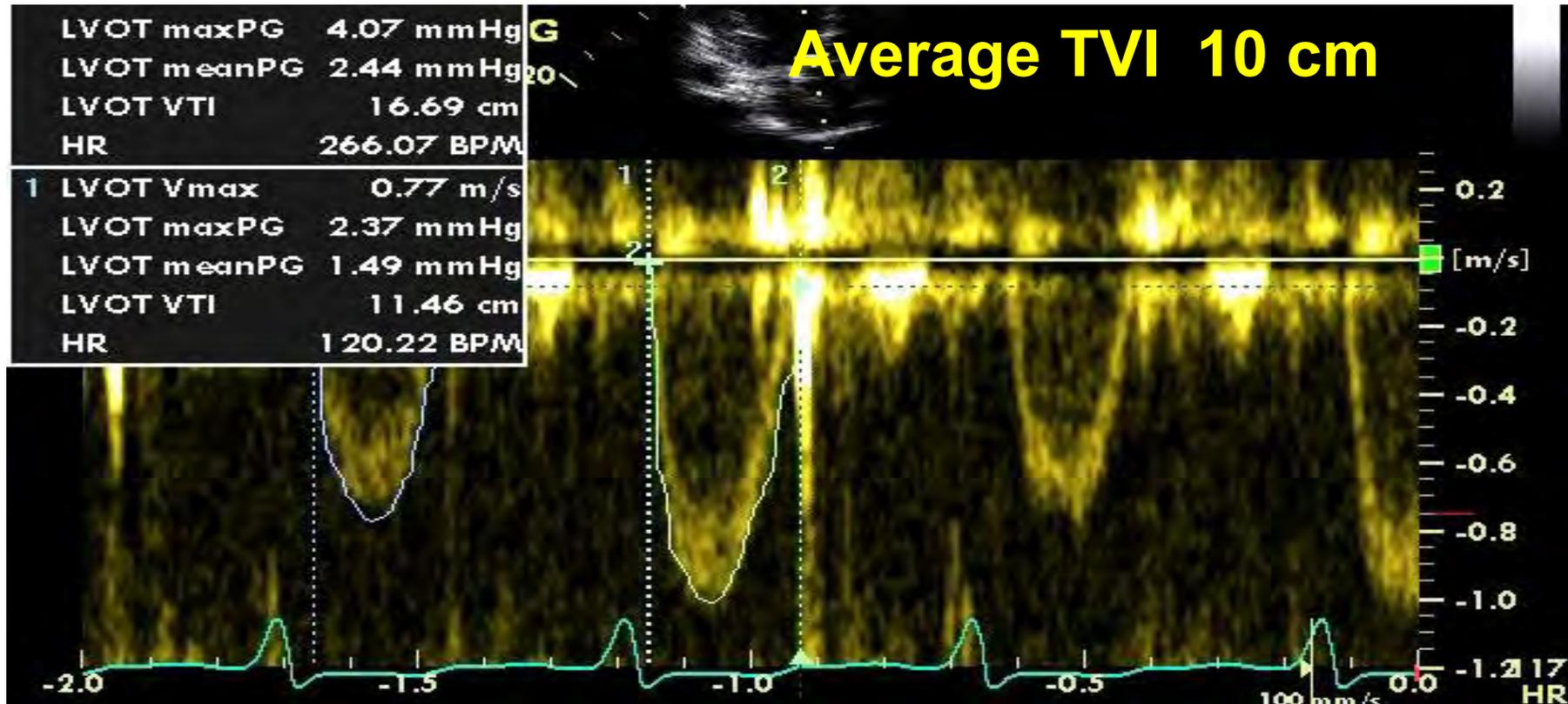
Applications of Stroke Volume Calculation

$SV = \text{Area} \times \text{Flow TVI}$

1. $SV \text{ index} = SV / BSA$ (35 mL/ m² as the cut-off)
2. $\text{Cardiac output} = SV \times \text{Heart Rate}$
3. $Q_p / Q_s = (\text{RVOT area} \times \text{RVOT tvi}) / (\text{LVOT area} \times \text{LVOT tvi})$
4. Continuity equation
 - $AVA = (\text{Stroke volume}) / \text{Aortic valve tvi}$
 - $\text{Mitral Regurgitation volume} = \text{LV SV} - \text{LVOT SV}$
5. PISA (using Flow Rate)
 - $MV \text{ ERO} = \text{MR flow rate} / \text{MR tvi}$

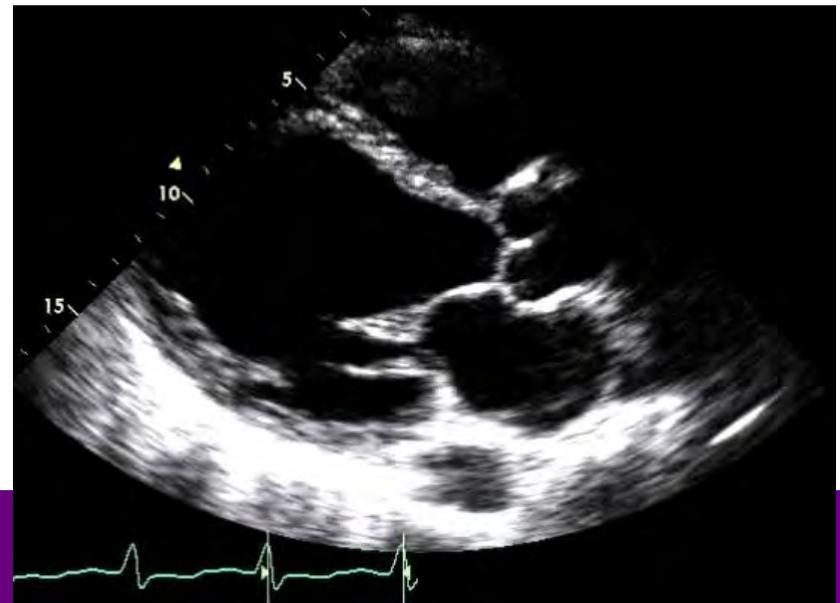
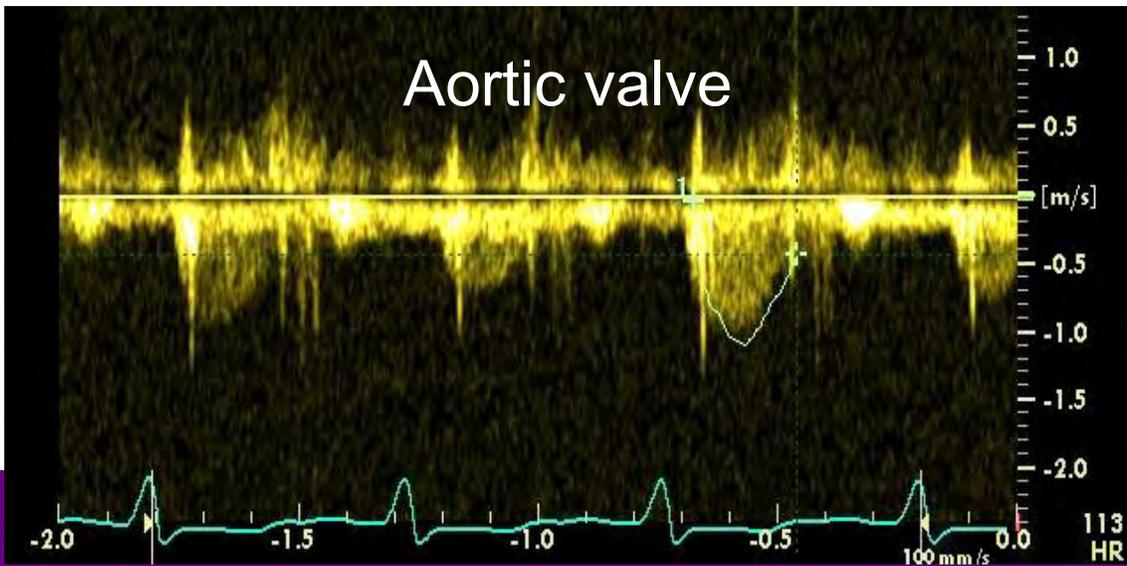
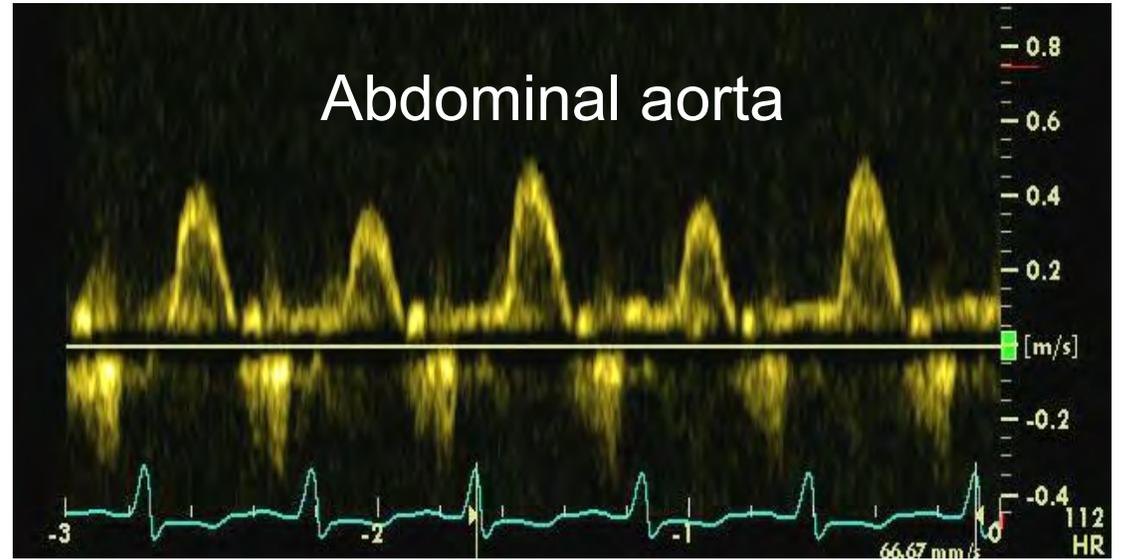
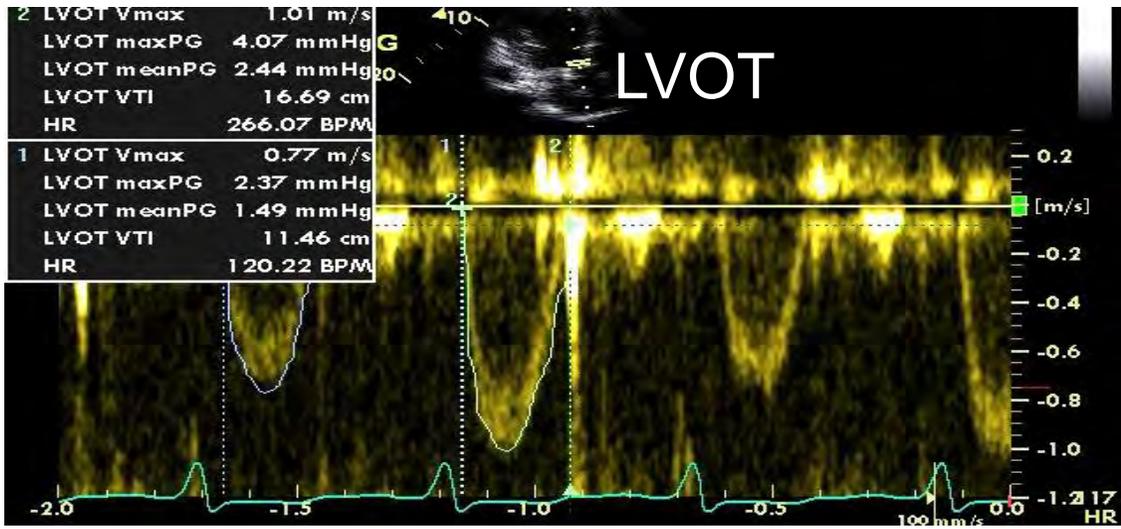
PW Doppler recording from LVOT

What is the underlying condition?

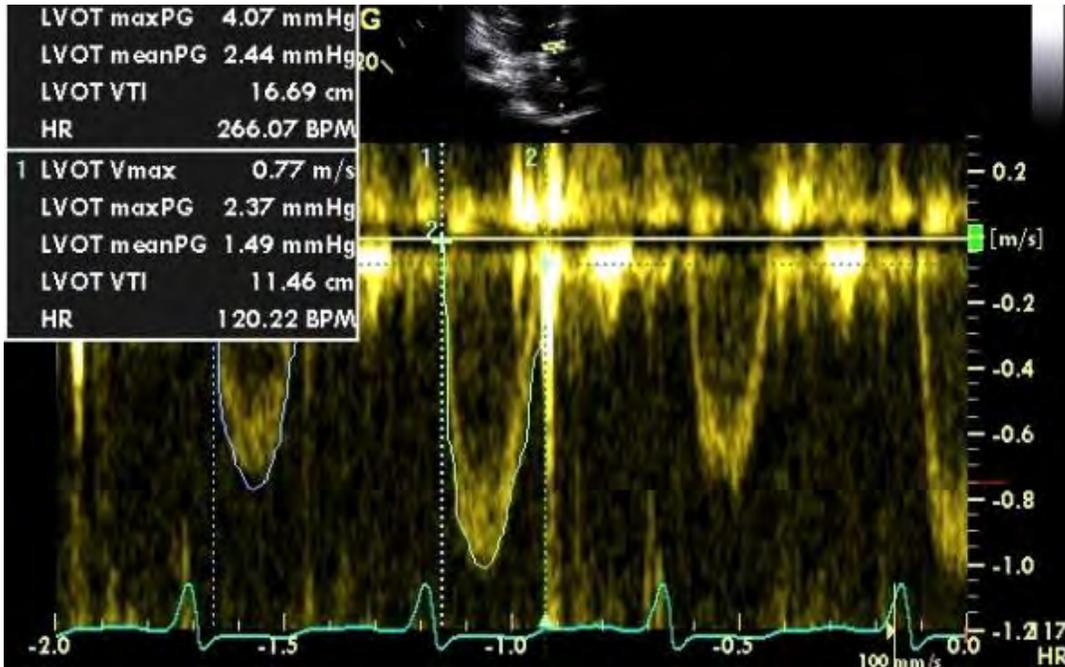


1= Constriction 2=Tamponade 3=LVEF 10% 4=LVOT alternans

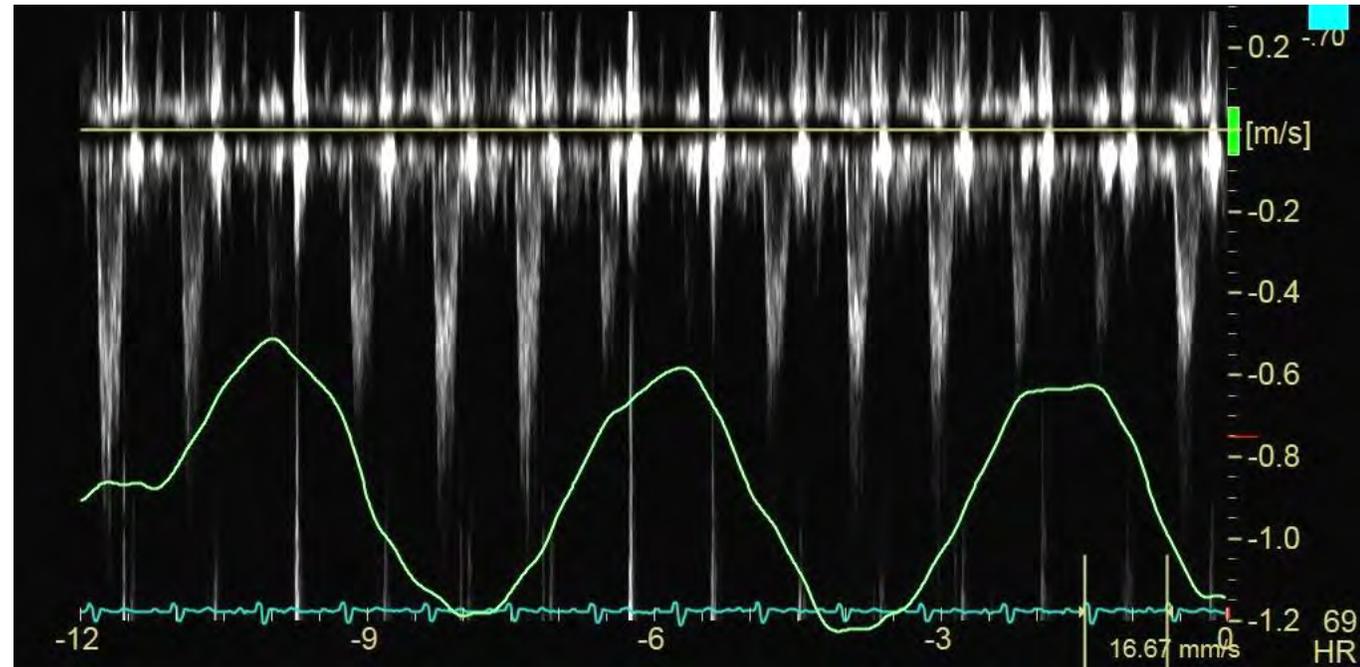
Pulsus Alternans: Severe LV Dysfunction



LVOT TVI and Velocity are Proportional to Stroke Volume

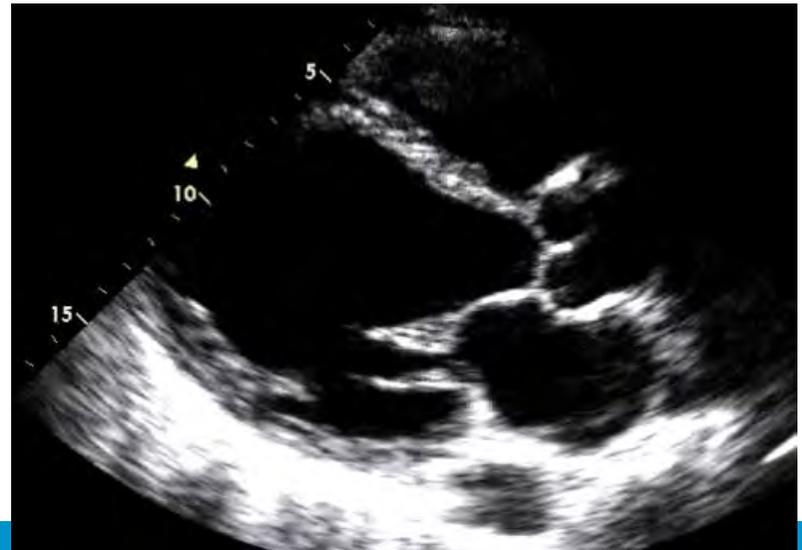
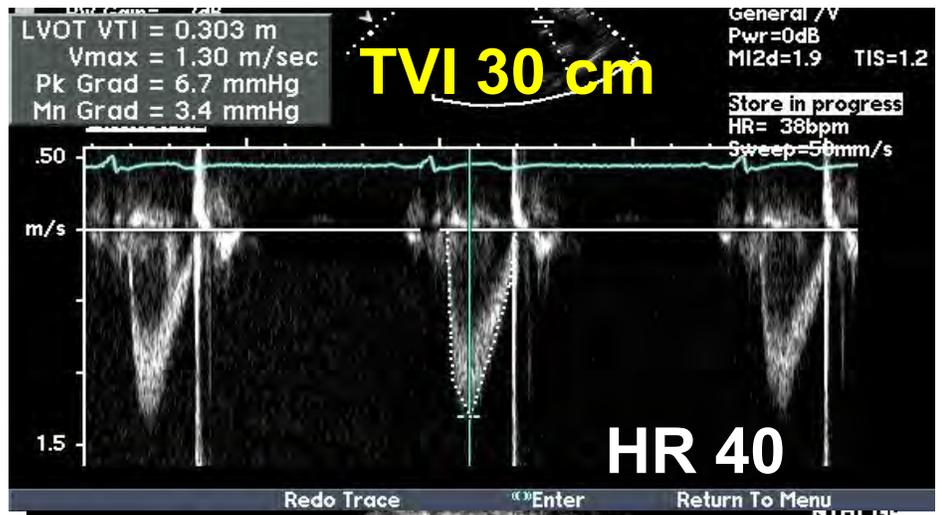
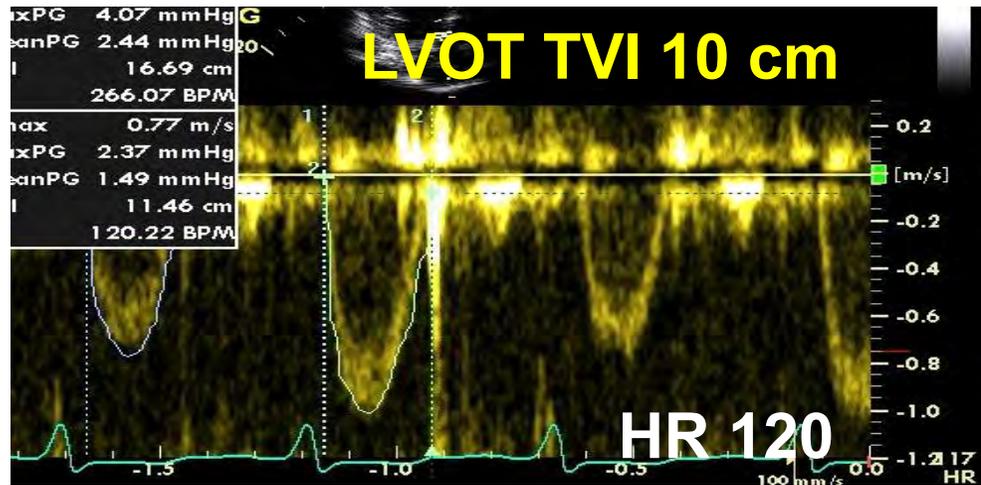


Pulsus Alternans



Pulsus Paradoxus

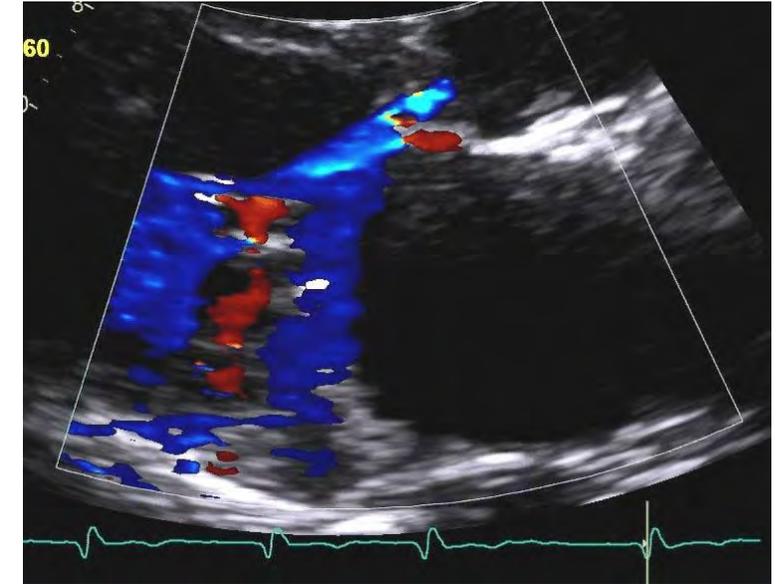
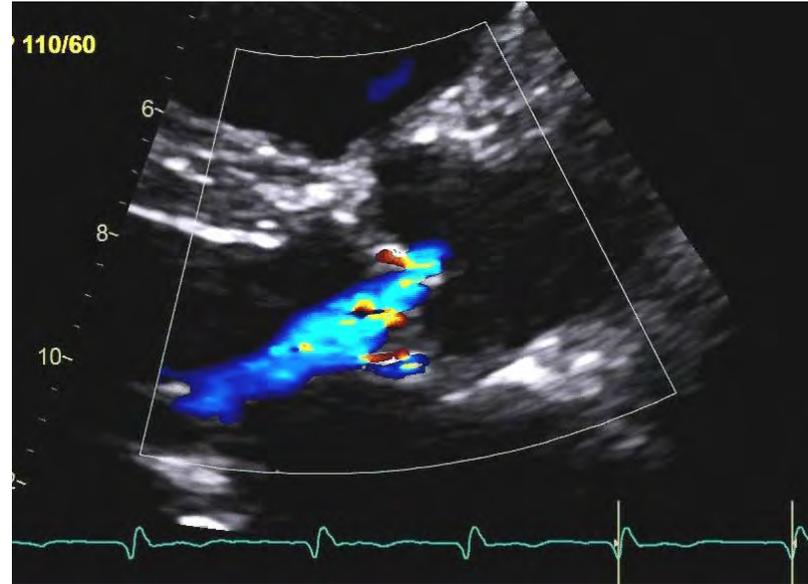
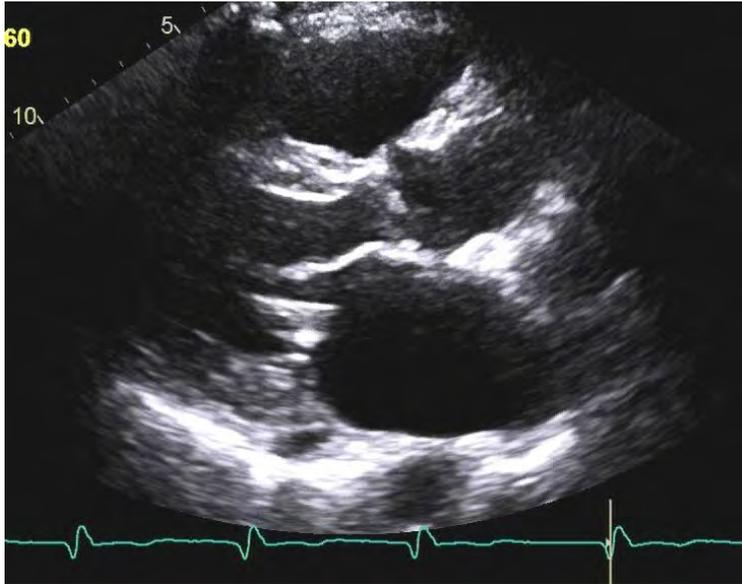
Pulsus Alternans Treated in 60 yo man with DCM



Cardiac Output is improved by
1= x1 2= x2 3= x3 4= x4

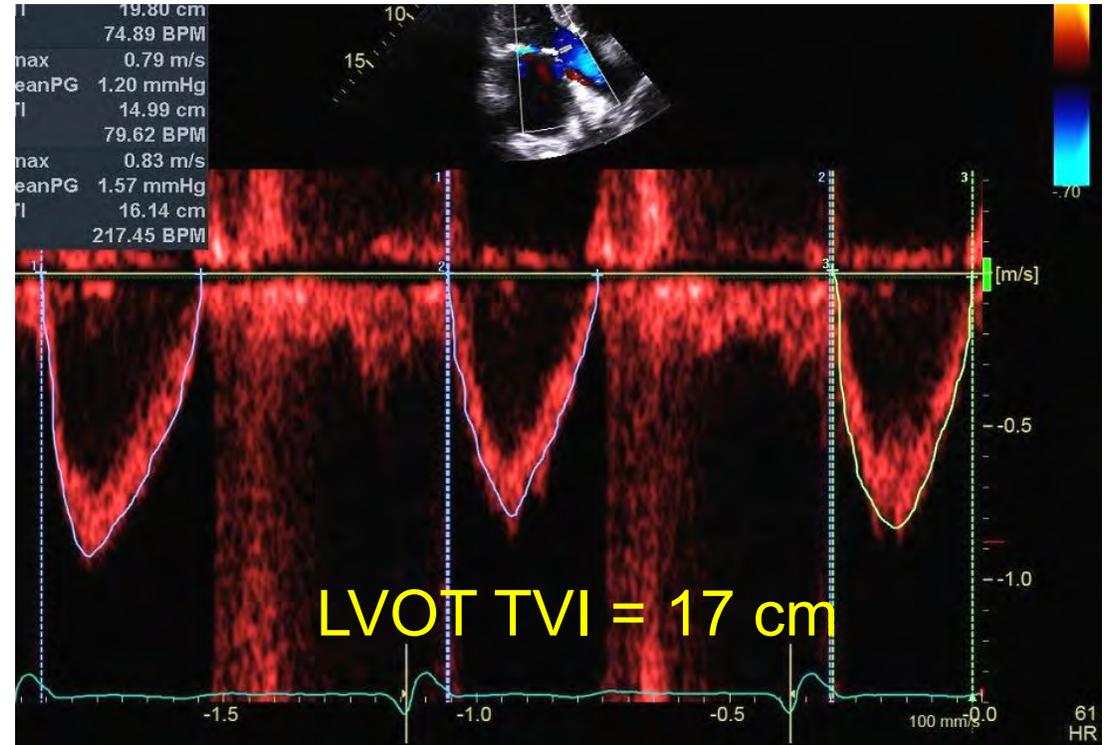
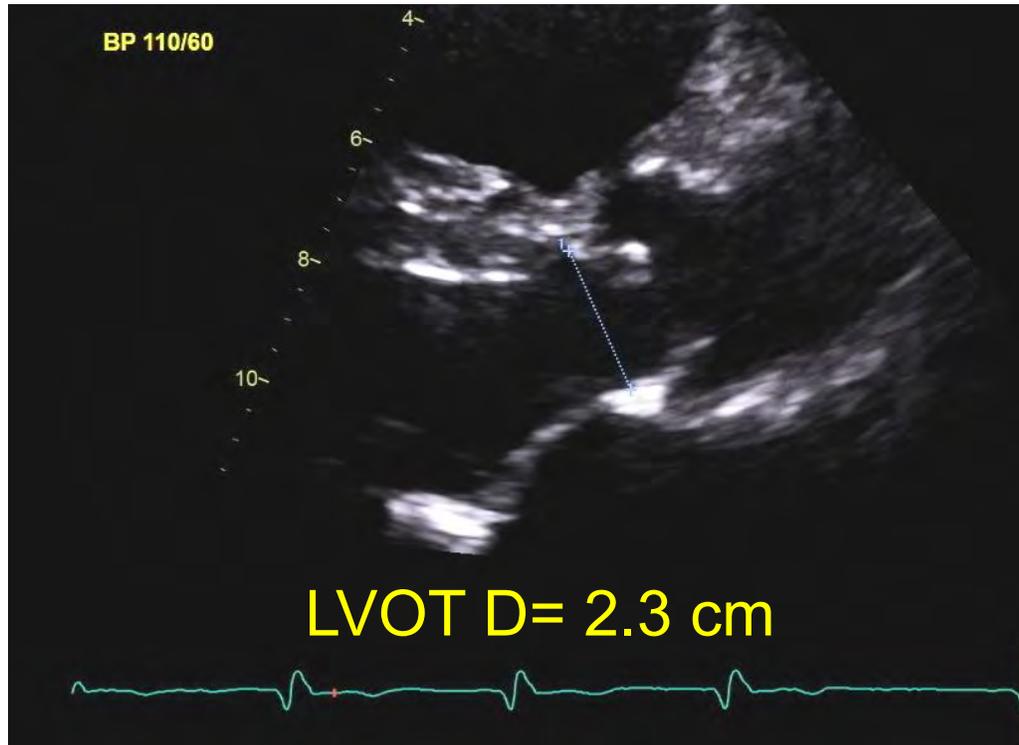
Case #7

Calculate Mitral and Aortic Regurgitant Volume From LVOT, RVOT and Mitral Inflow volume



LVOT Stroke Volume

LVOT SV = AR volume + Systemic SV (RVOT SV)

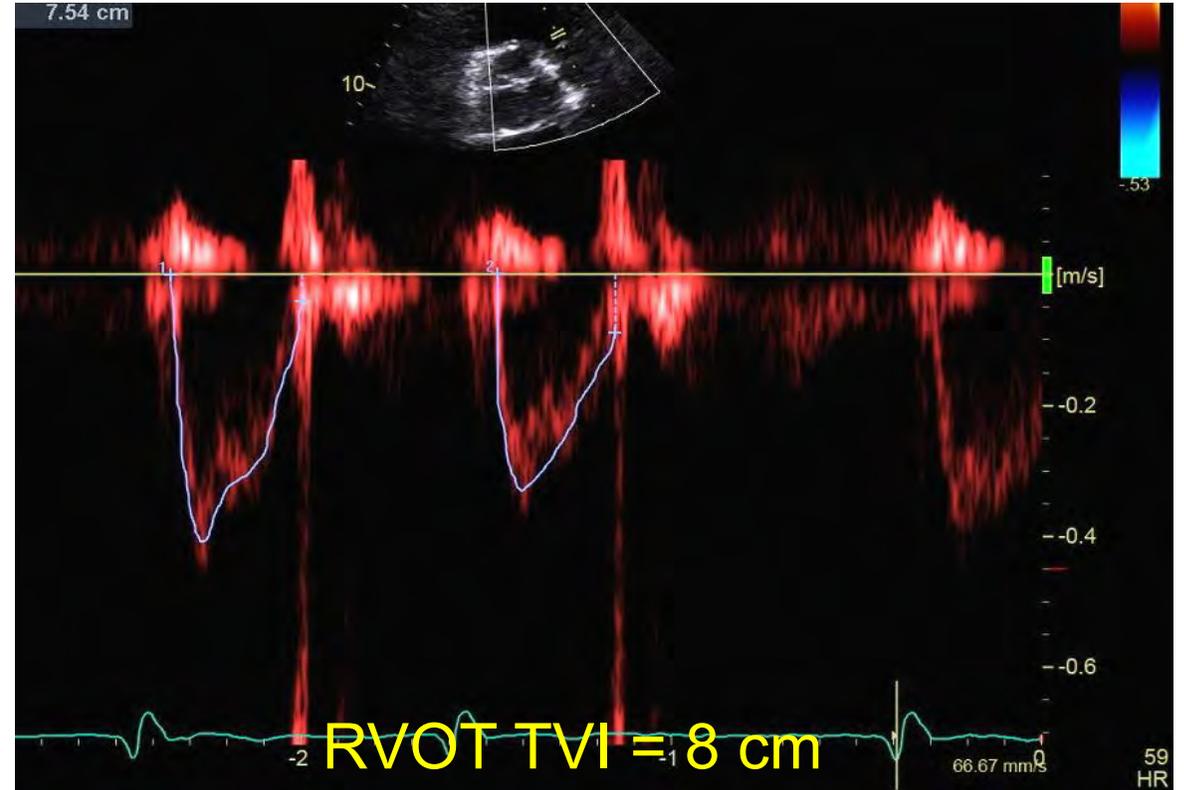
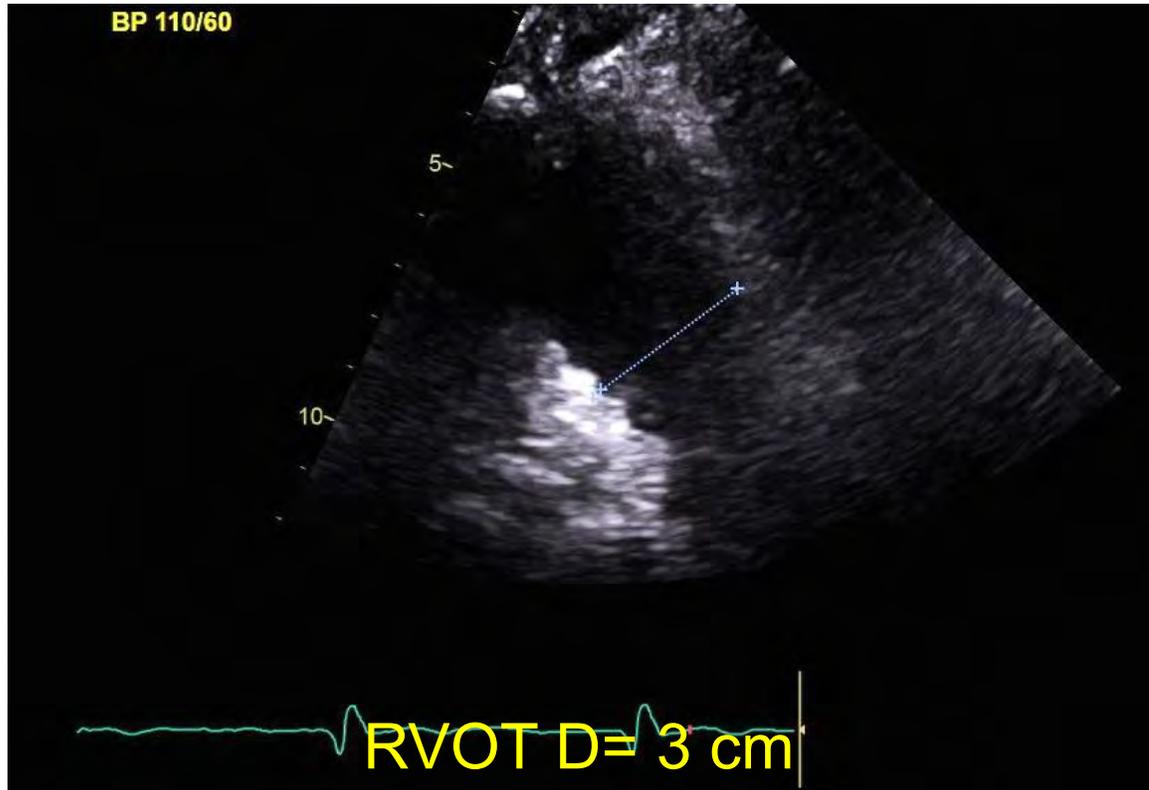


$$\text{LVOT SV} = (2.3)^2 \times 0.785 \times 17 = 71 \text{ mL}$$

$$\text{AR volume} = \text{LVOT SV} - \text{RVOT SV}$$

AR volume = LVOT SV – RVOT SV

RVOT Stroke Volume



$$RV\ SV = (3)^2 \times 0.785 \times 8 = 53\ mL$$

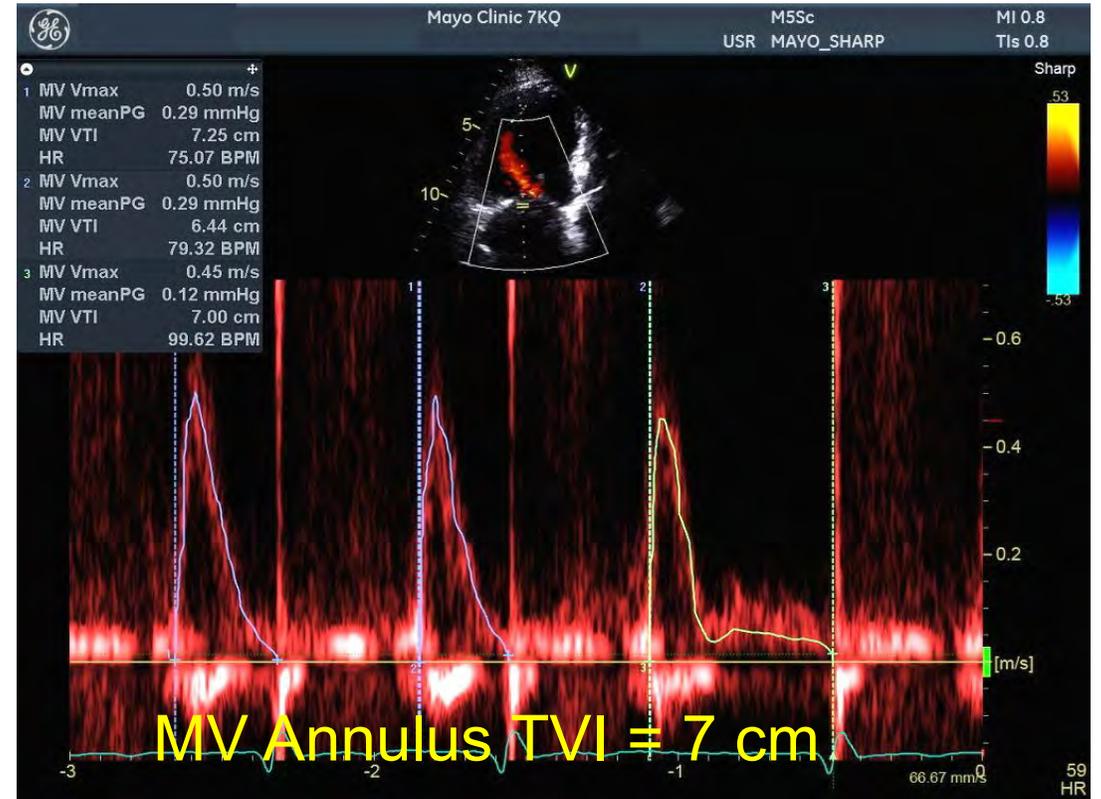
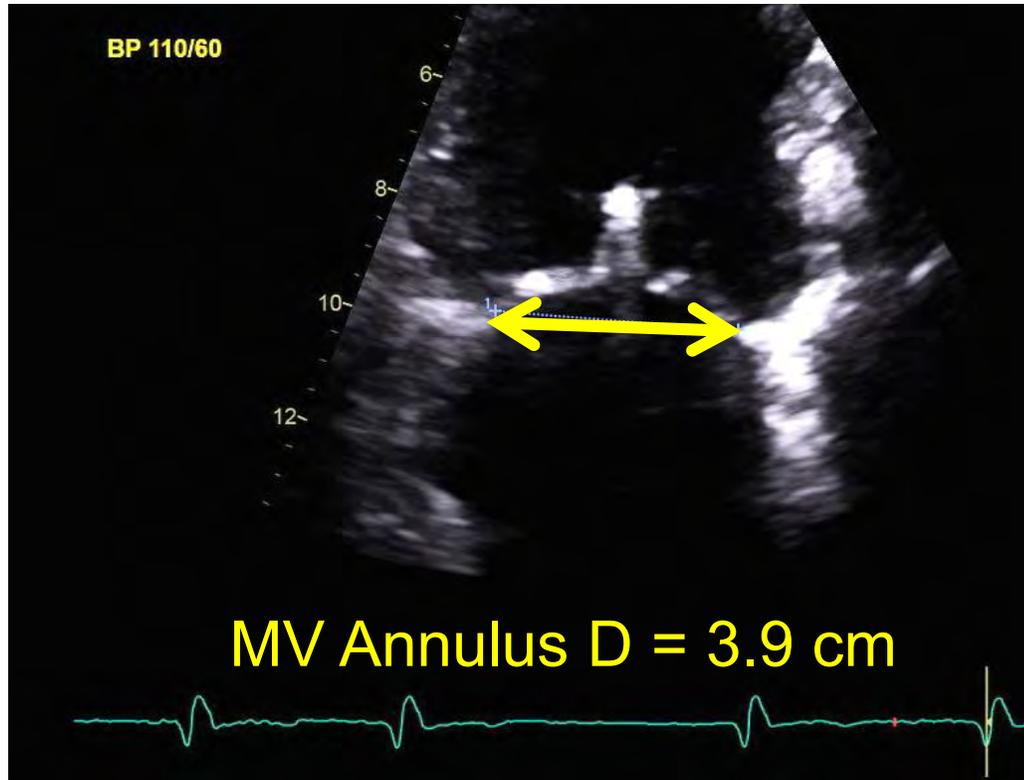
$$AR\ volume = LVOT\ SV - Systemic\ SV\ (RVOT\ SV)$$

$$AR\ volume = 71\ mL - 53\ mL$$

$$AR\ volume = 18\ mL$$

MV Inflow Volume

$$(3.9)^2 \times 0.785 \times 7 = 83 \text{ mL}$$



Diastole to LV = Mitral Inflow + AR volume

Systole Out of LV = MR + LVOT

Mitral Inflow + AR = MR + LVOT SV

MR Volume = Mitral Inflow + AR - LVOT SV

$$= \text{Mitral inflow} + \text{AR} - (\text{AR} + \text{RVOT}) = \text{Mitral inflow} - \text{RVOT} = 83 - 53 = 30 \text{ mL}$$

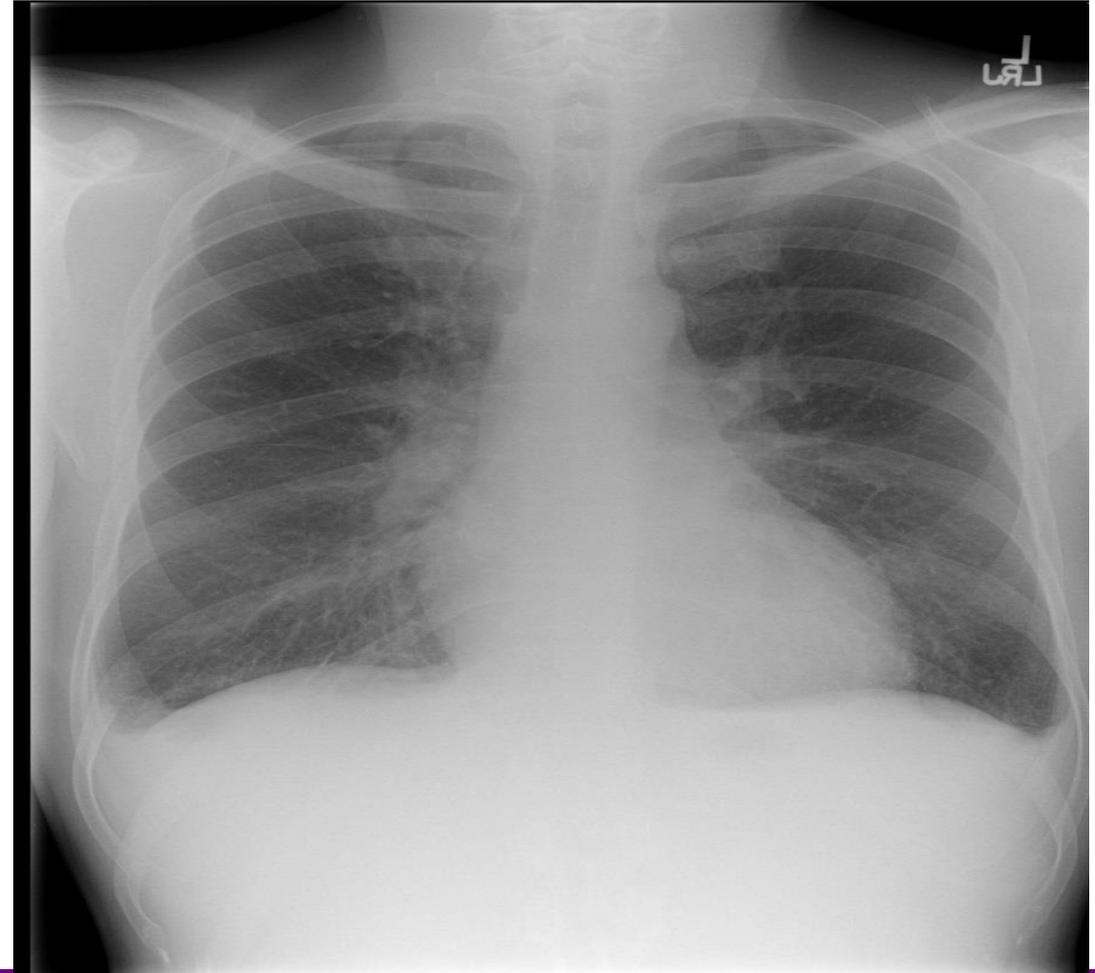
$$\text{LVOT SV} = \text{AR volume} + \text{RVOT SV}$$

Case #8

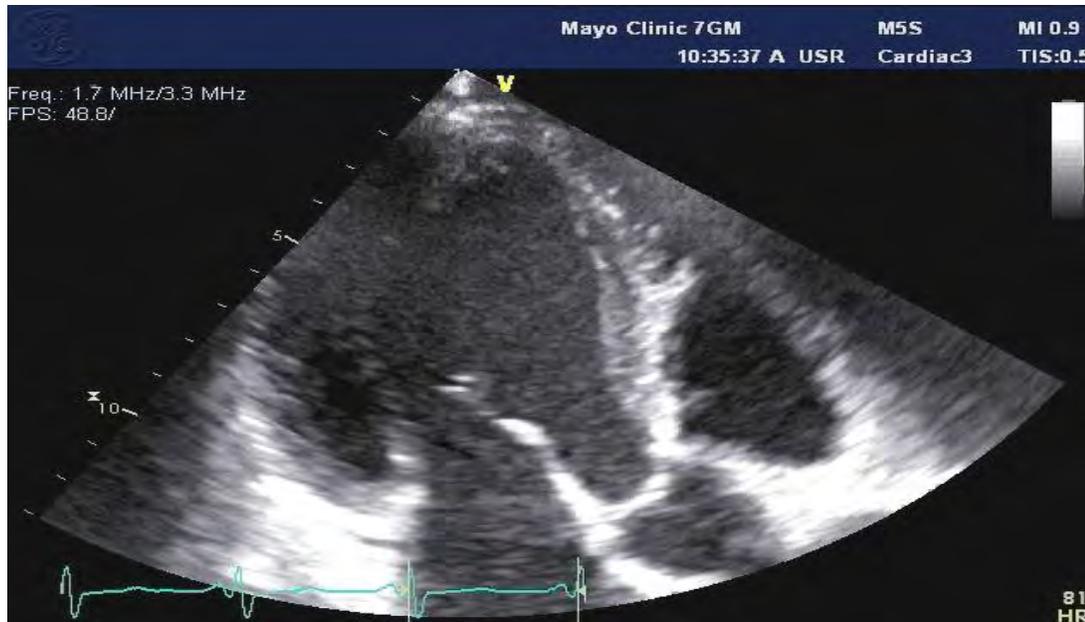
42 year old man with dyspnea

- Gradual onset of chest tightness and dyspnea
- Seen in the ED
- Chest CT negative except for bilateral pleural effusion
- Sent for cardiology evaluation
- Physical Examination
 - HR 90 BPM, JVP 7 cm
 - Increased S2 intensity with GR 1/6 systolic murmur
 - Mild pitting edema

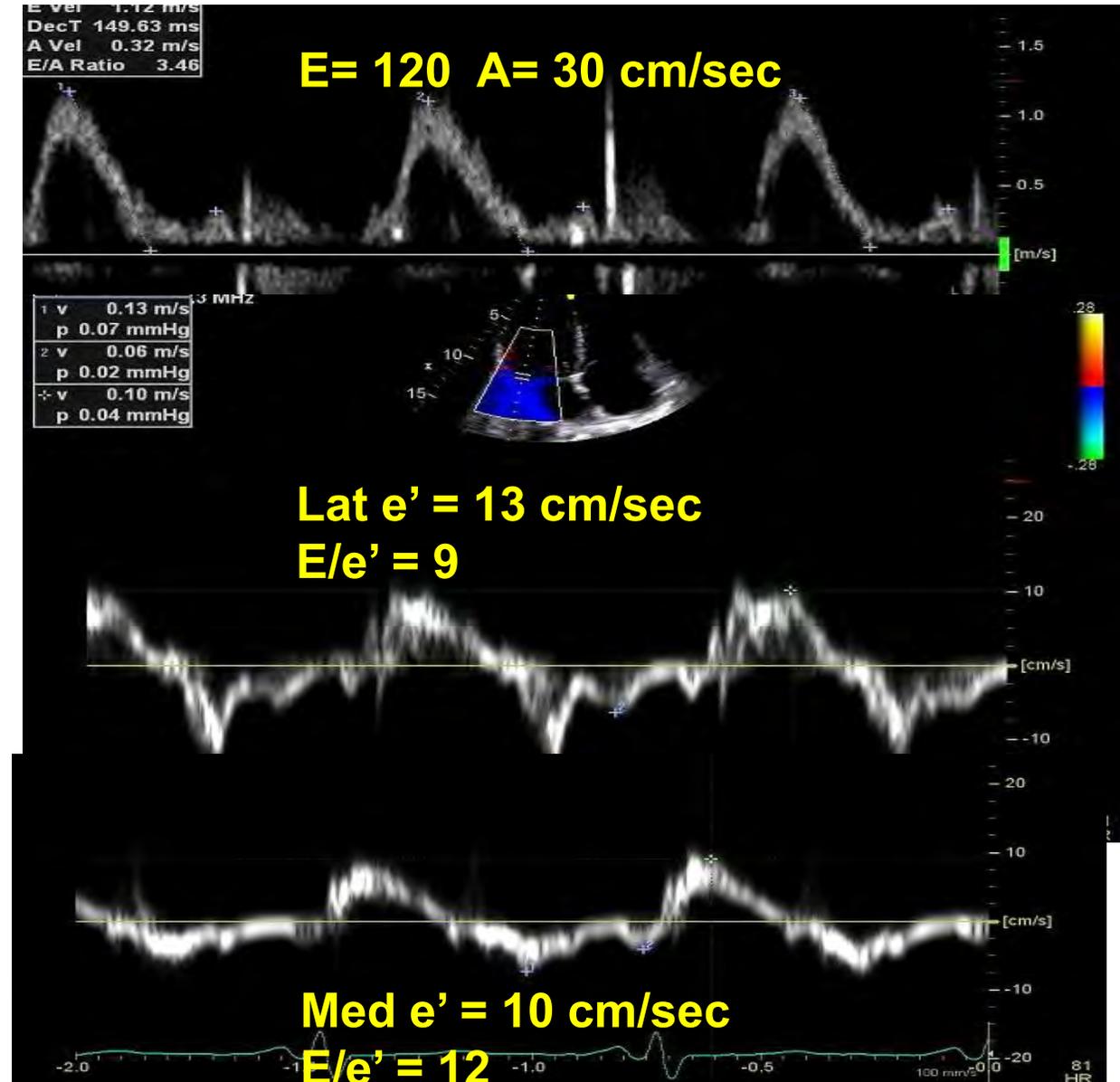
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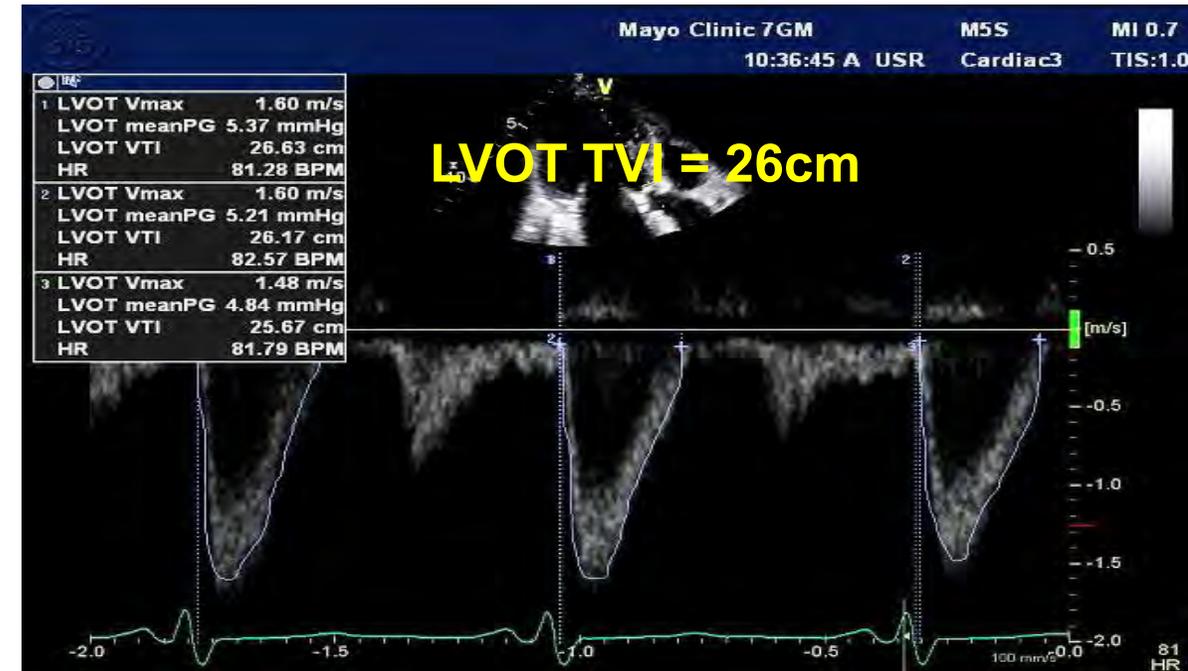
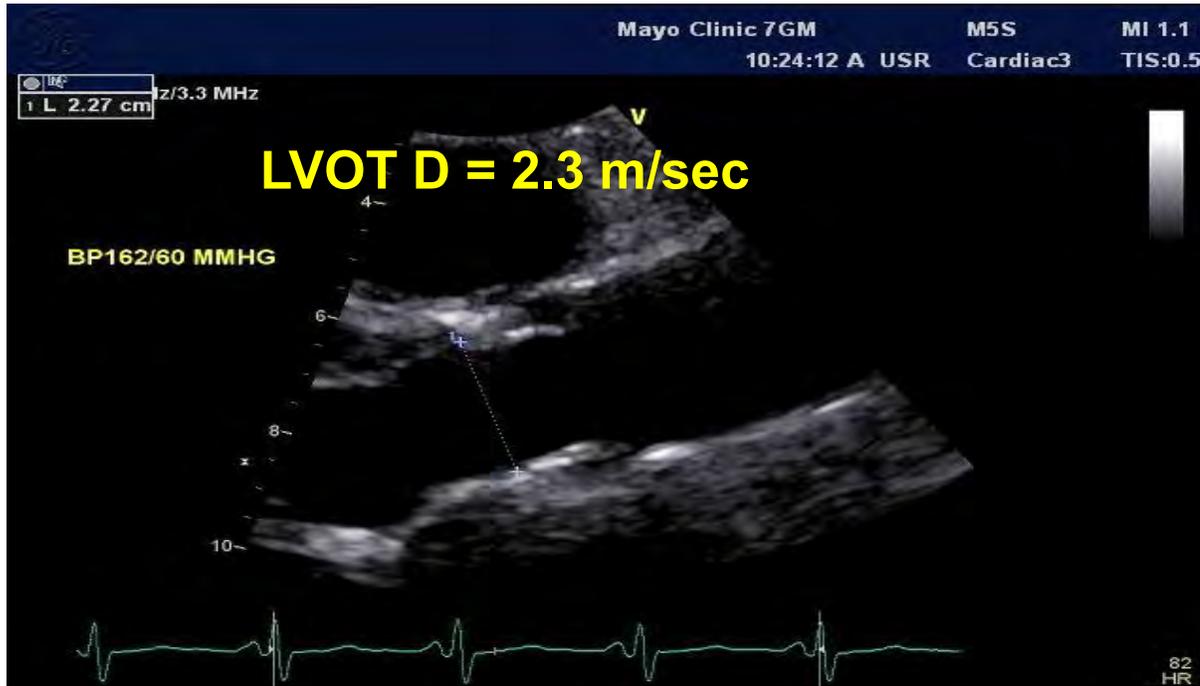
42 year old man with dyspnea
What is his diastolic function?



1. Grade 1
2. Grade 2
3. Grade 3
4. Normal
5. Constriction



42 year old man with dyspnea



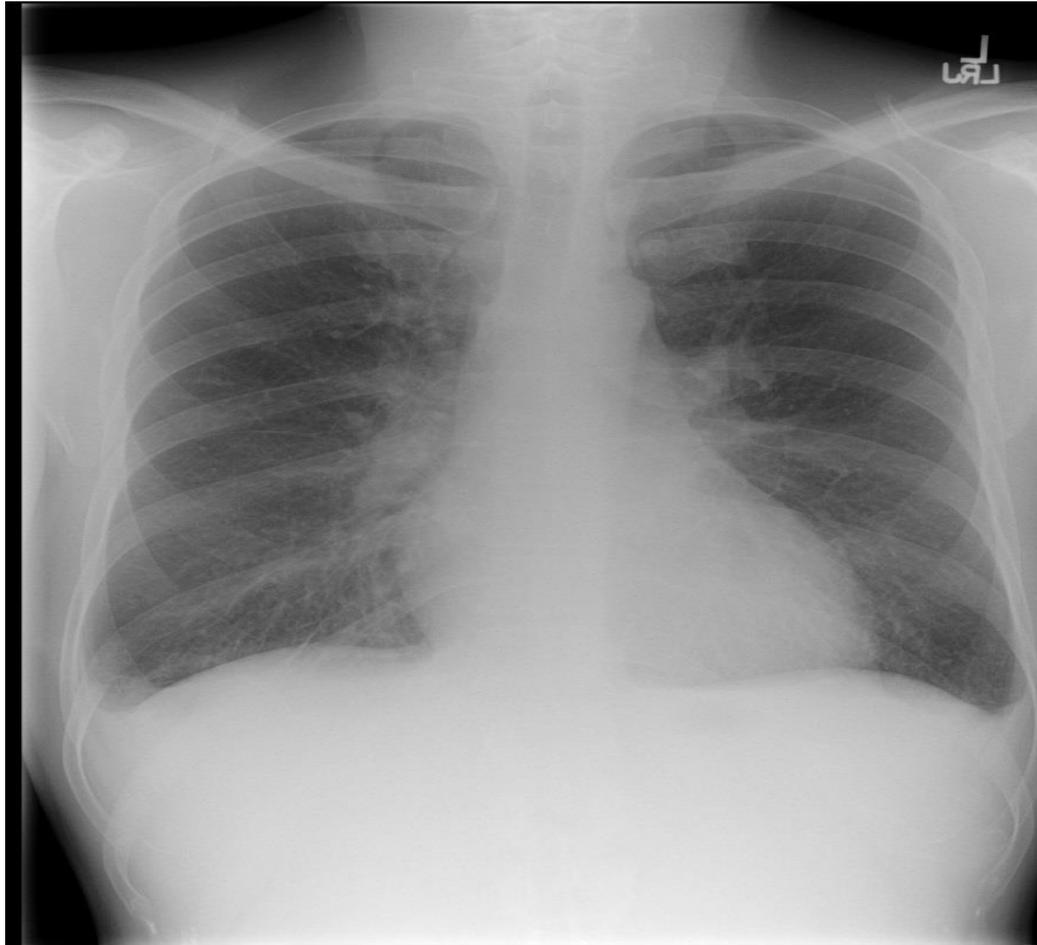
$SV = (2.3)^2 \times 0.785 \times 26 = 108 \text{ mL}$
 $CO = SV \times HR = 108 \times 80 = 8.6 \text{ L}$
 $CI = CO/BSA = 8.6 / 1.93 = 4.48 \text{ L/m}^2$

What is the most common cause of HF seen in this 42 year old man?

$$\begin{aligned}SV &= (2.3)^2 \times 0.785 \times 26 = 108 \text{ mL} \\CO &= SV \times HR = 108 \times 80 = 8.6 \text{ L} \\CI &= CO/BSA = 8.6 / 1.93 = 4.48 \text{ L/m}^2\end{aligned}$$

1. Shunt
2. Obesity
3. Liver Disease
4. Pheochromocytoma

42 year old man with high output HF Before and after treatment (Thyrotoxicosis)



42 year old man with HF

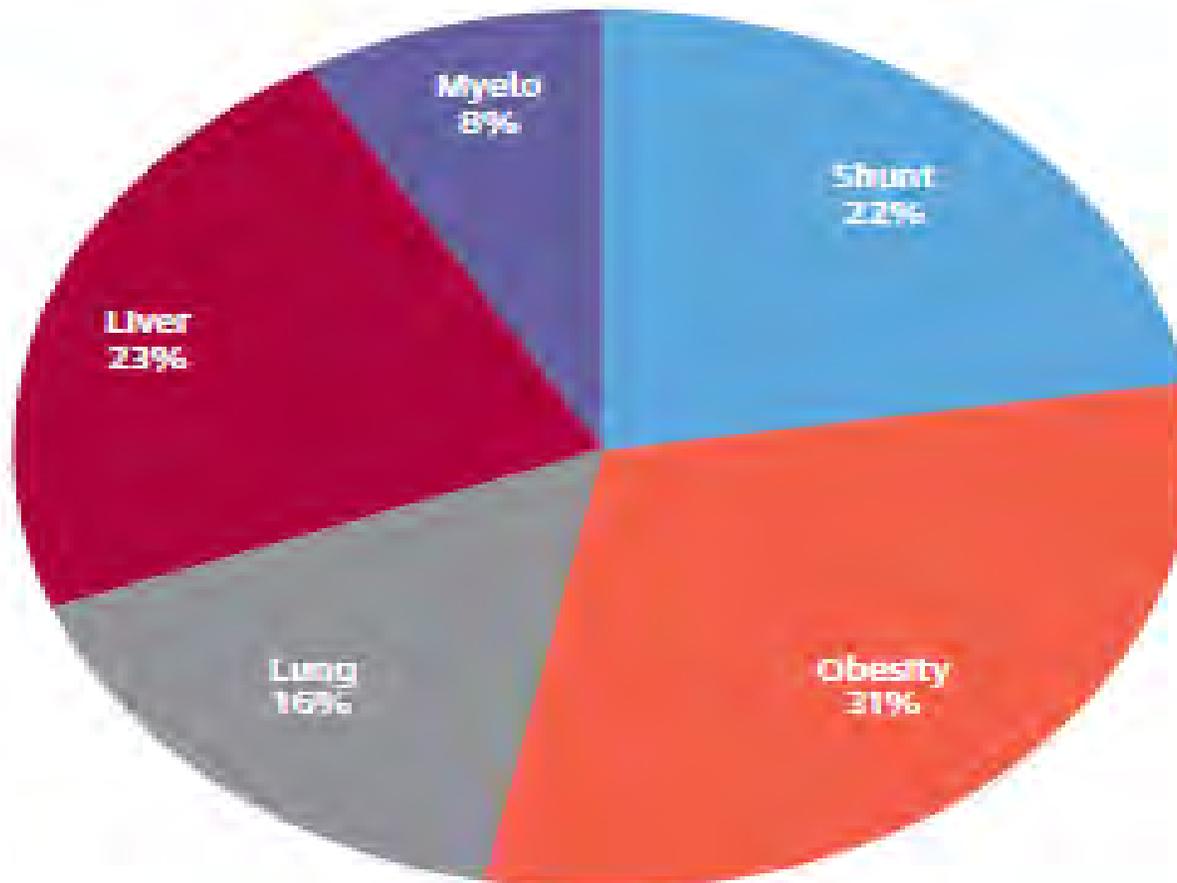
Summary

High-Output Heart Failure

A 15-Year Experience

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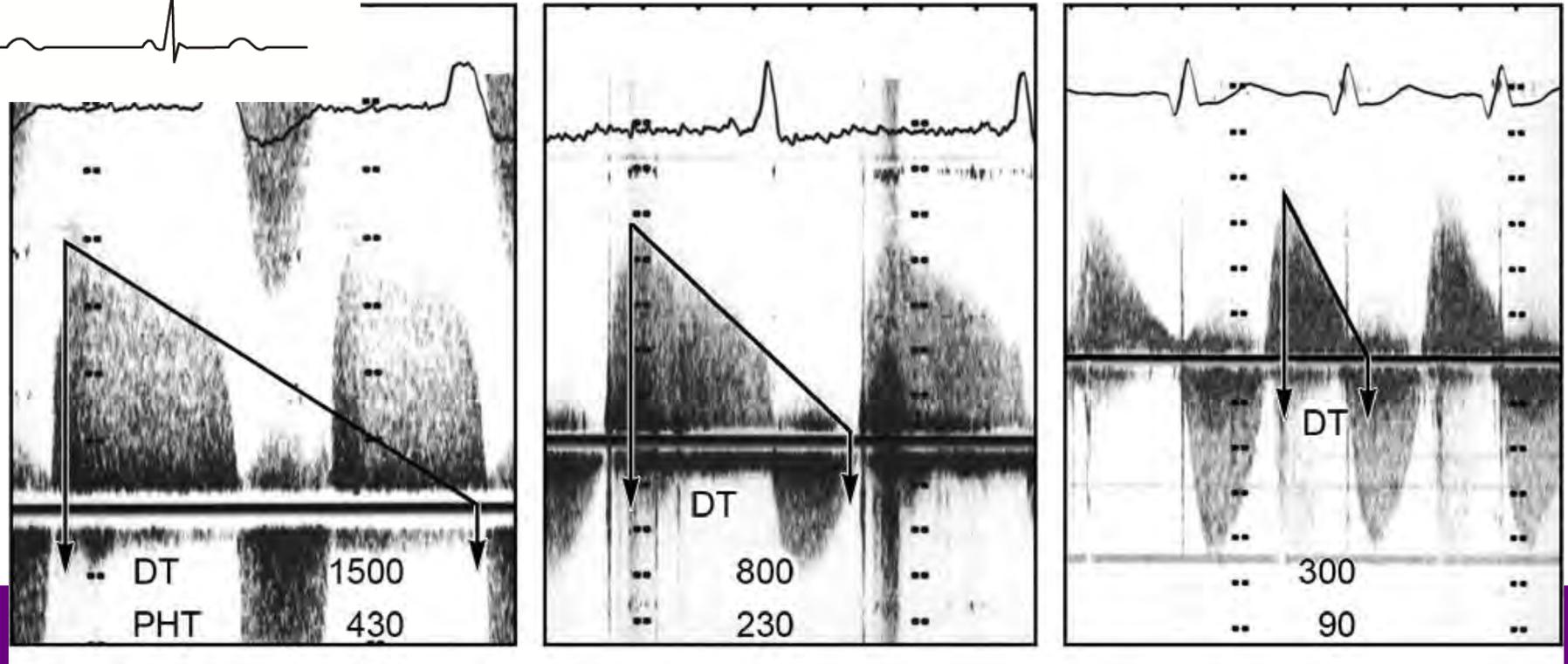
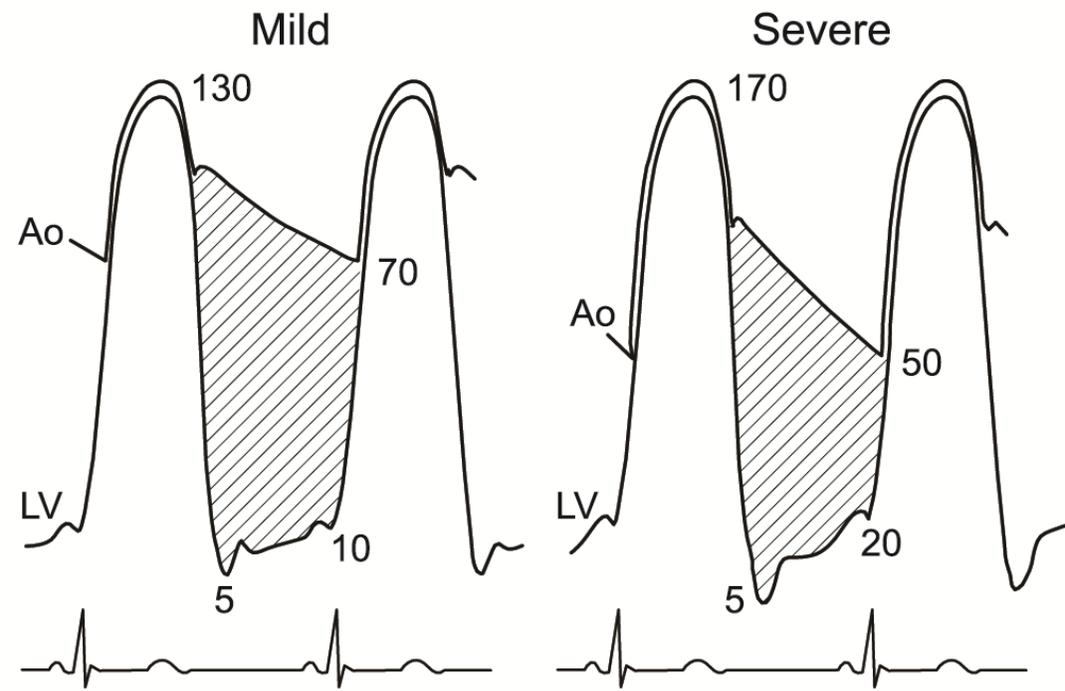


- CI > 4.0 L/m²
- Obesity
- Shunt
- Liver Disease
- Diastolic function can be normal

Use of Pressure Half-time

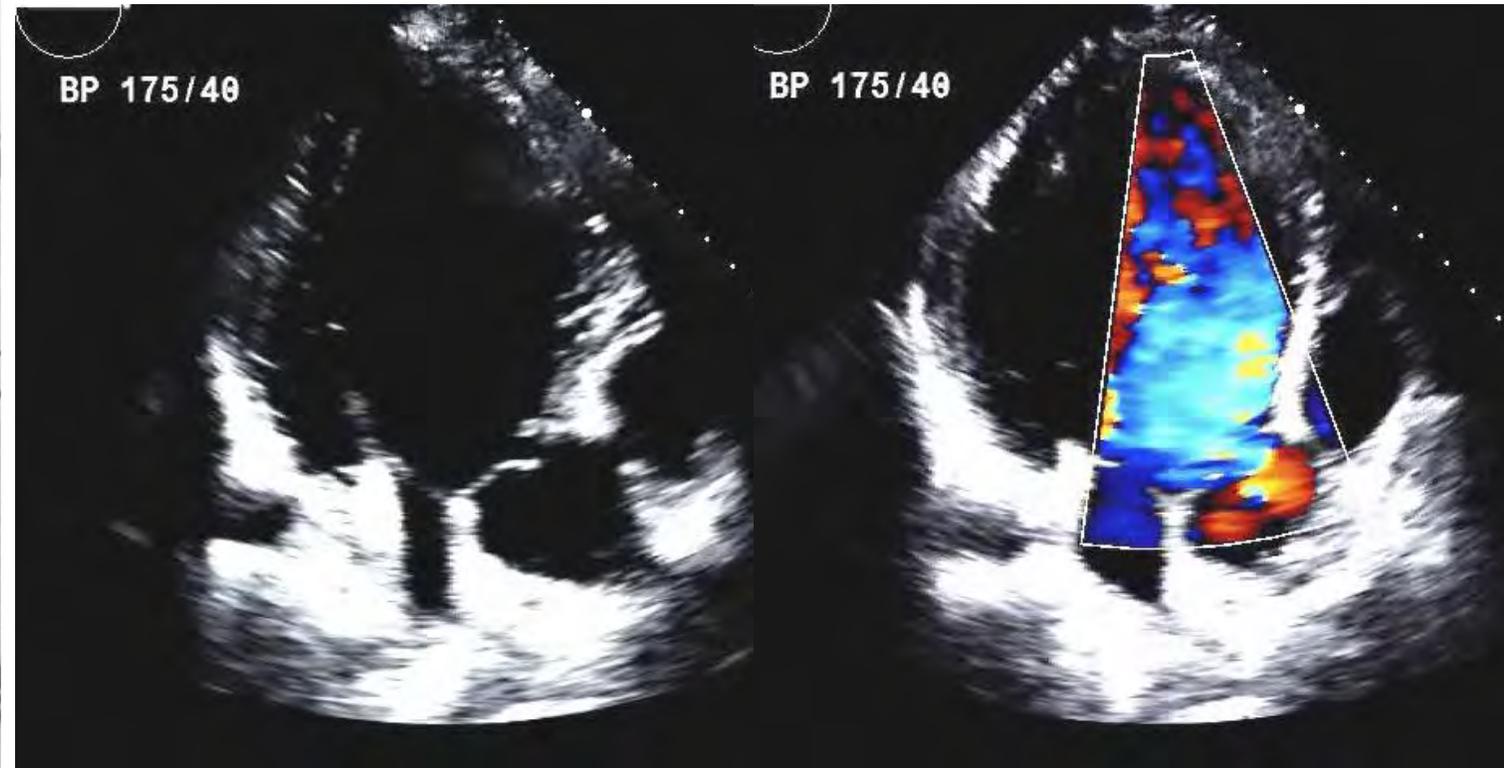
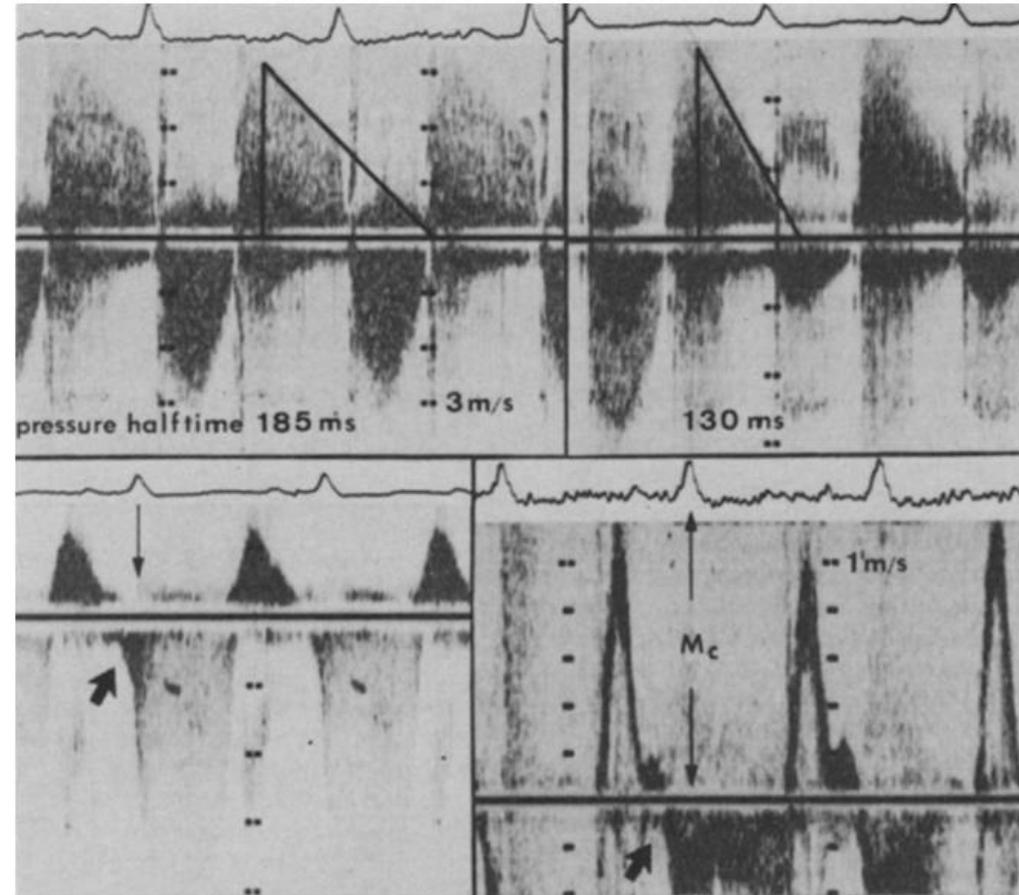
- **Mitral Valve Stenosis (Native Valve)**
 - Longer with more severe MS (MVA = 220 /PHT)
 - Indirect measure
- **Mitral Prosthetic Valve with Peak Velocity > 2 m/sec**
 - Severe MR or High Output with PHT < 130 msec
- **Aortic Valve Regurgitation**
 - Shorter with more severe AR (Not specific)
 - Indirect
- **RV diastolic pressure elevation (Severe PR/TR/Constriction)**
 - Shorter with higher and more rapid elevation
 - Indirect

Aortic Regurgitation Pressure Half-time Severe < 200 msec



Characteristic Doppler Echocardiographic Pattern of Mitral Inflow Velocity in Severe Aortic Regurgitation

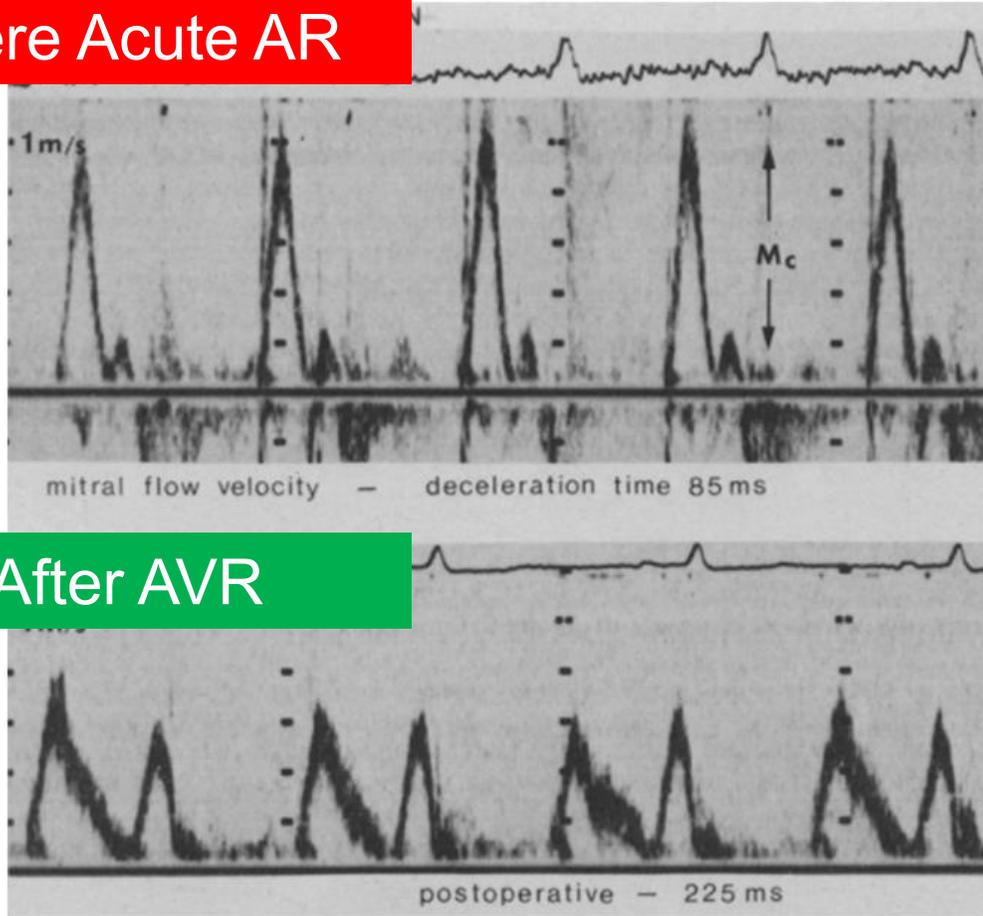
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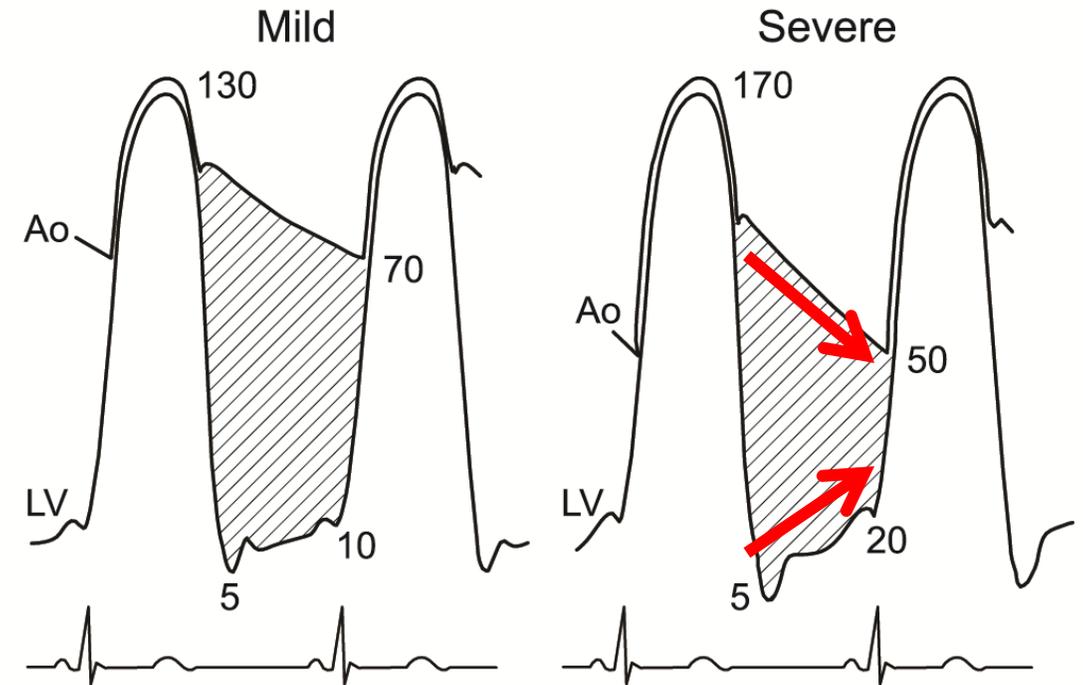
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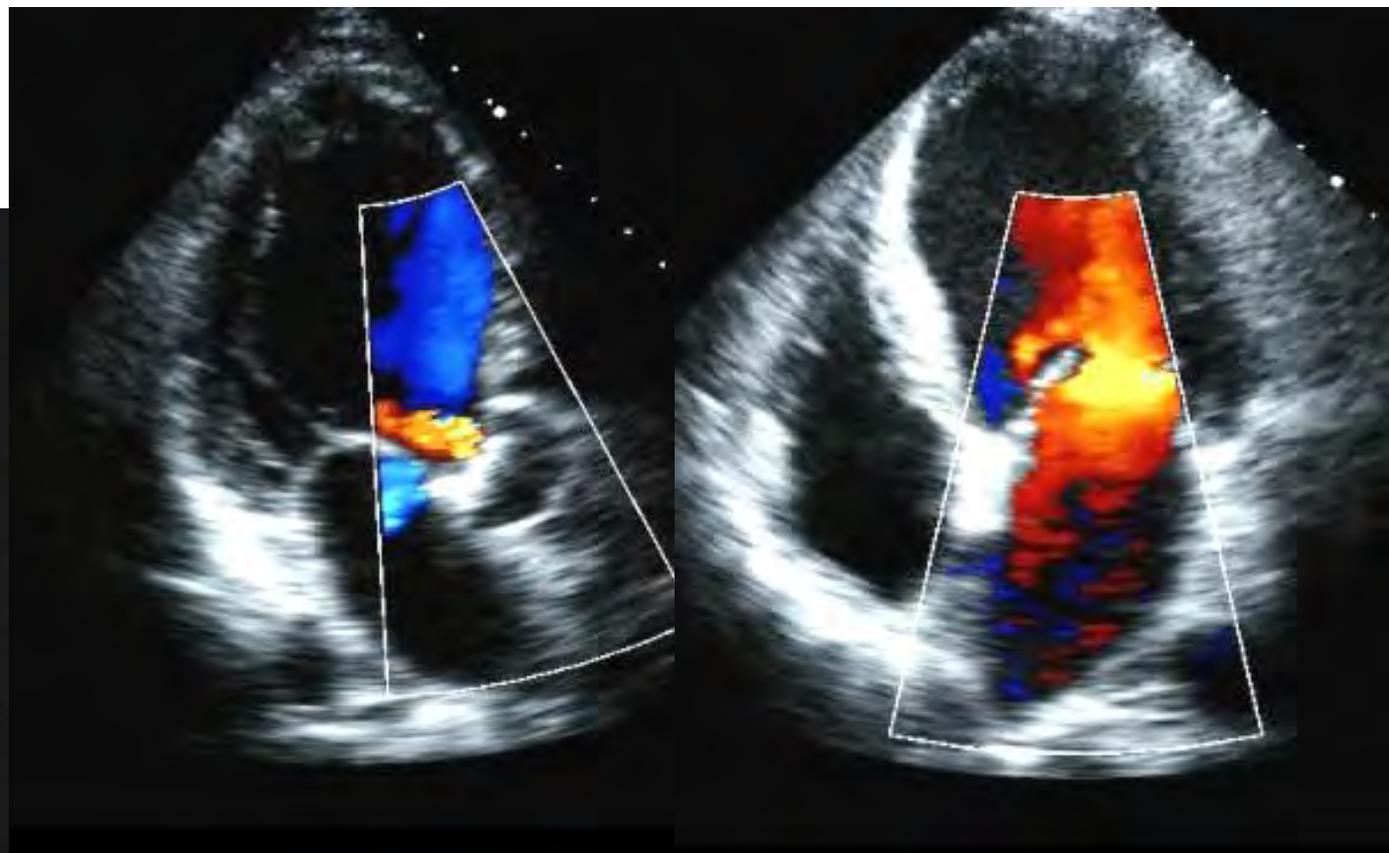
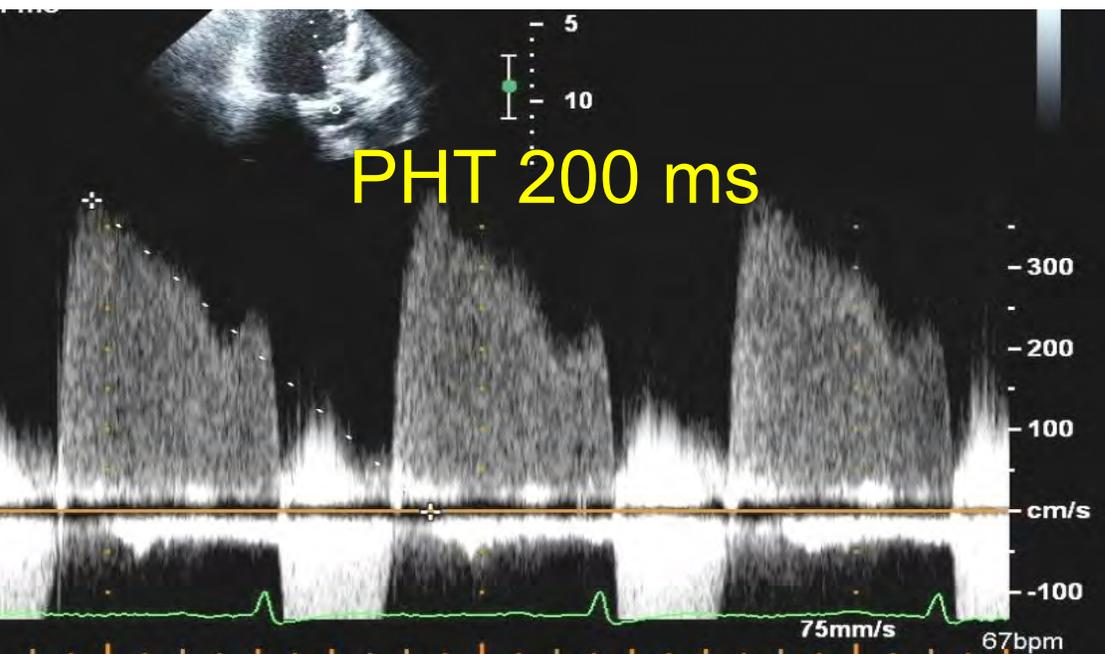
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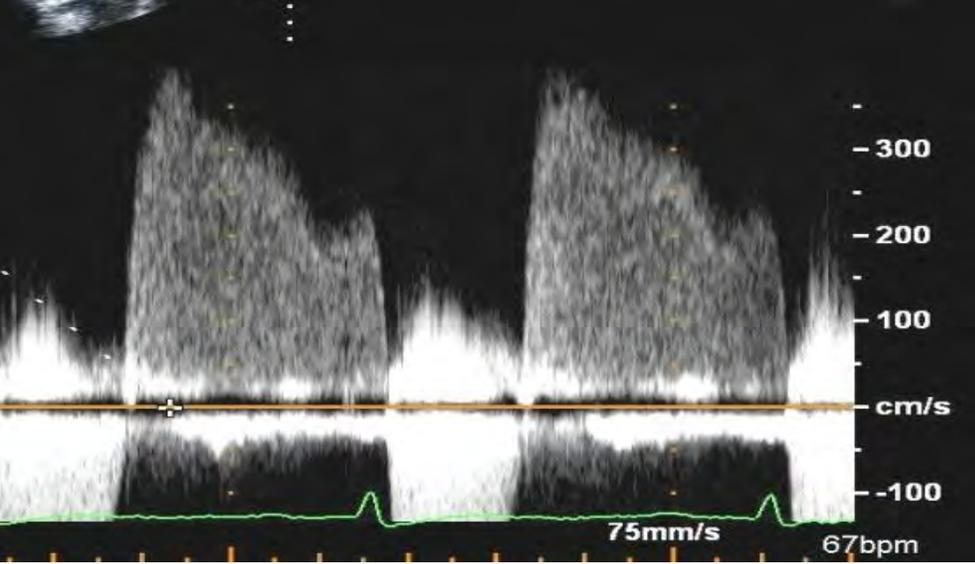
After AVR



How severe AR ?



1= Mild 2= Moderate 3= Severe 4=Mild to severe



Aortic Regurgitation

Pressure 1/2 time

Diastolic AO-LV pressure difference

Decrease in AO pressure

Degree of AR

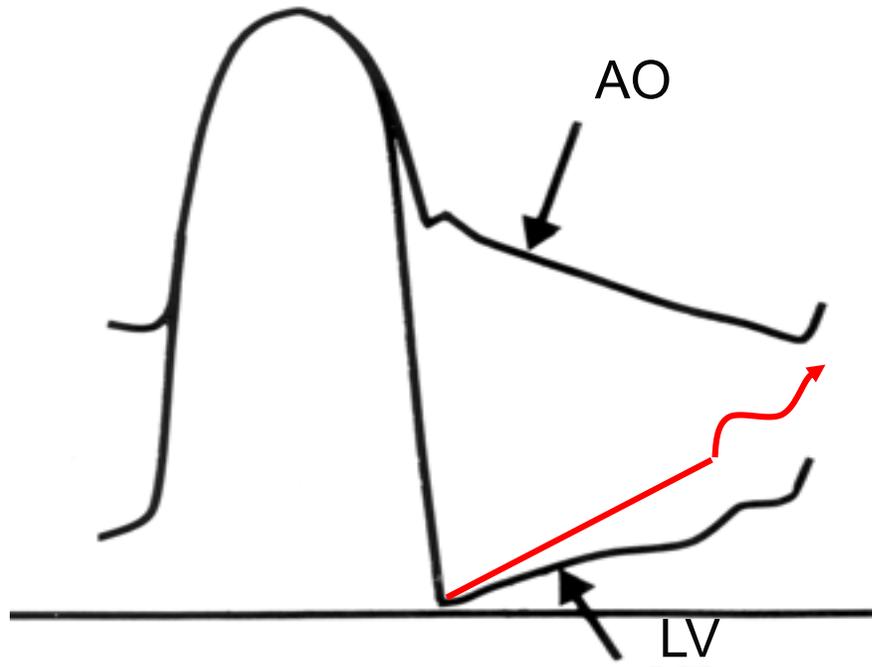
Systemic vasc. resist

Aortic compliance

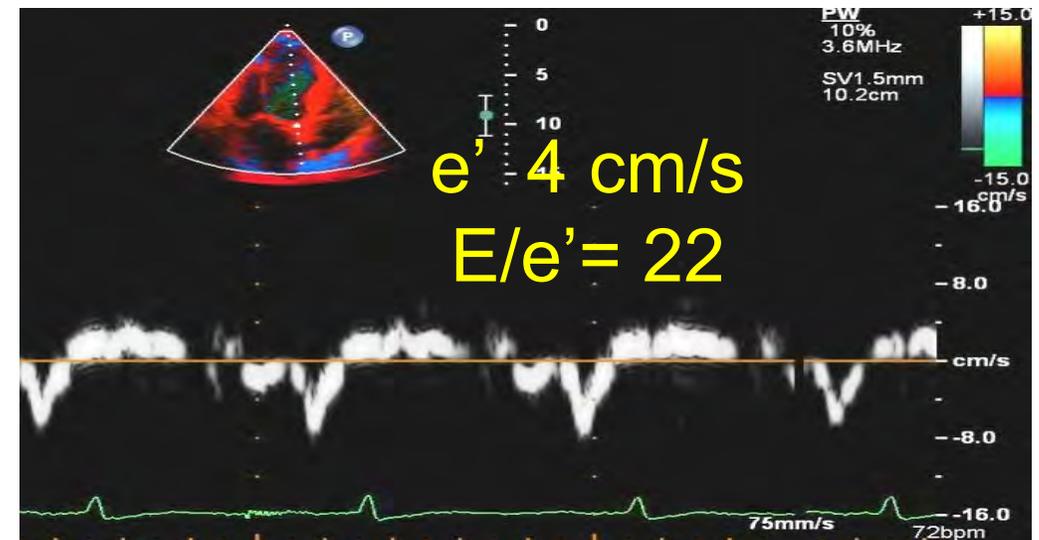
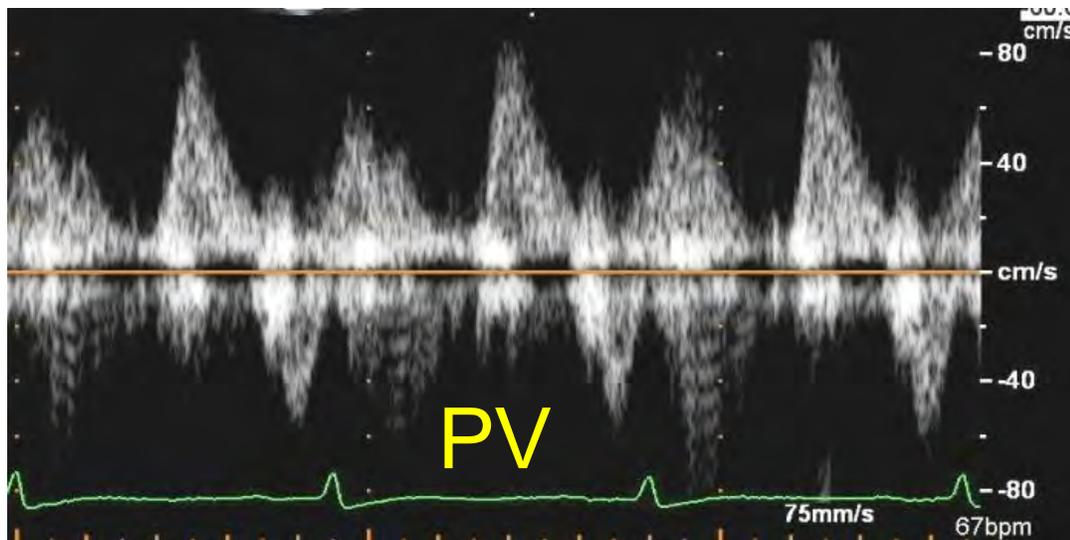
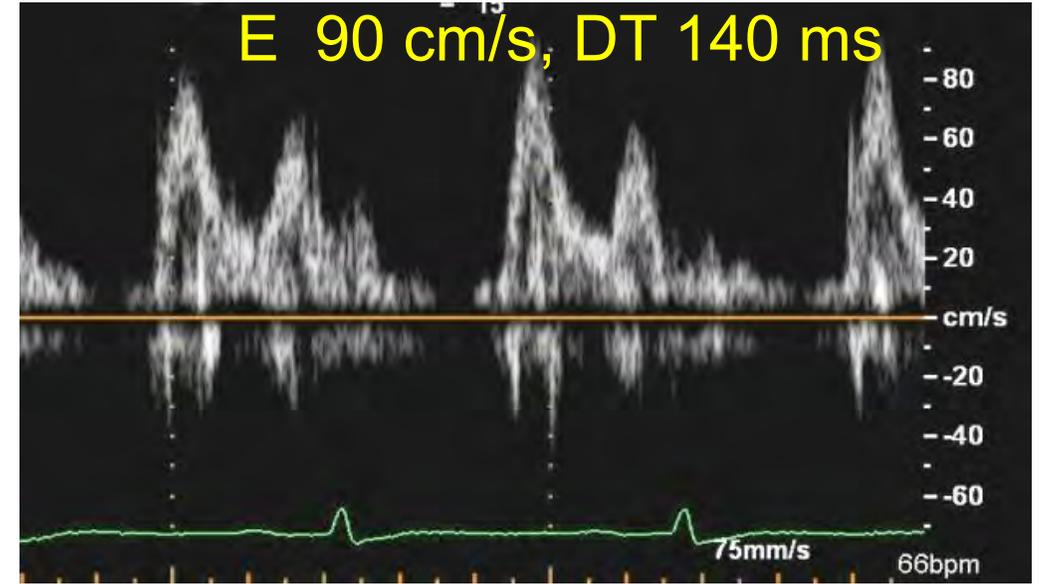
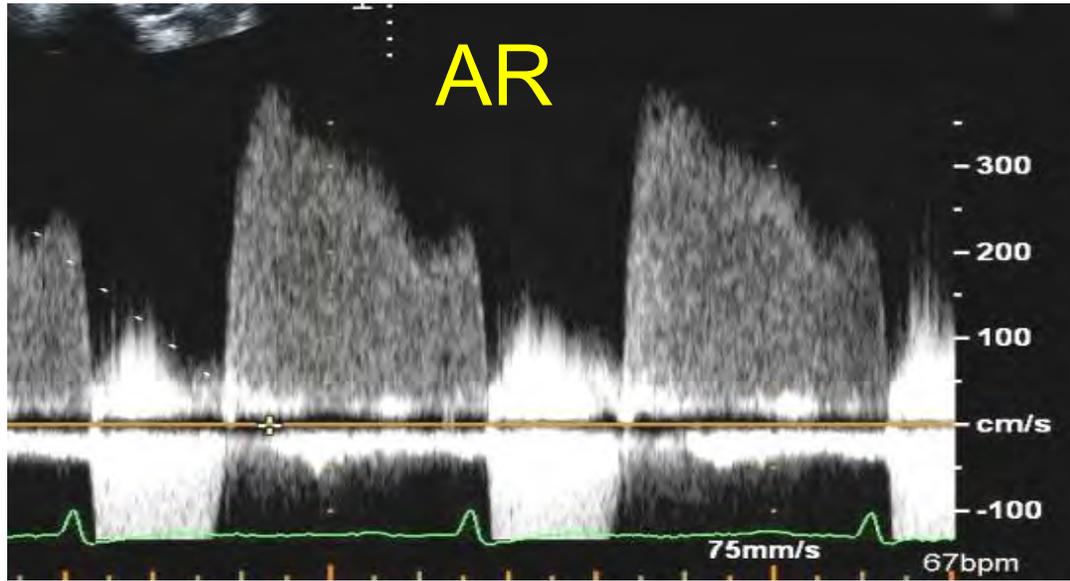
Increase in LV pressure

Degree of AR

LV compliance



Increased LV filling pressure



Mitral prosthetic valve dysfunction

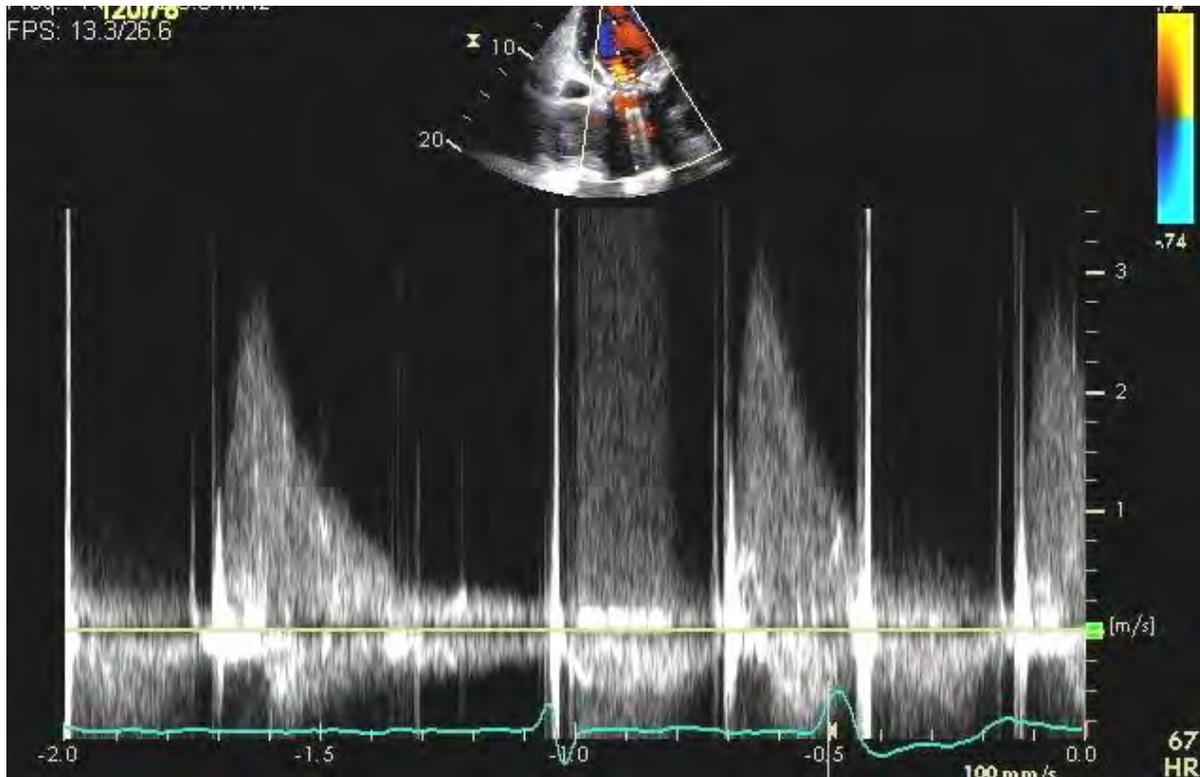
E velocity is usually > 2 m/sec

- Obstruction or stenosis
- Severe regurgitation
- Increased flow across the MV
 - High output
 - Shunt
- Diastolic dysfunction

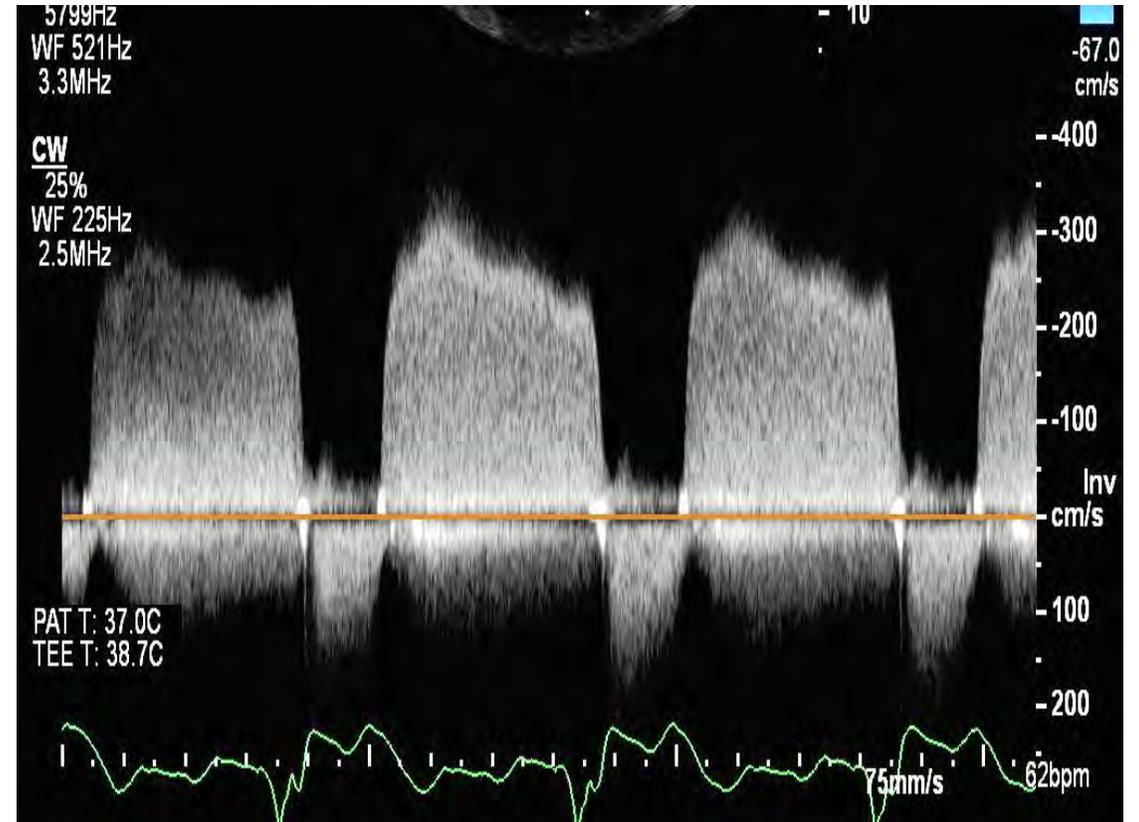
Increased mitral gradient is not always mitral stenosis

Increased E velocity in patients with MV prosthesis

E velocity = 3 m/sec



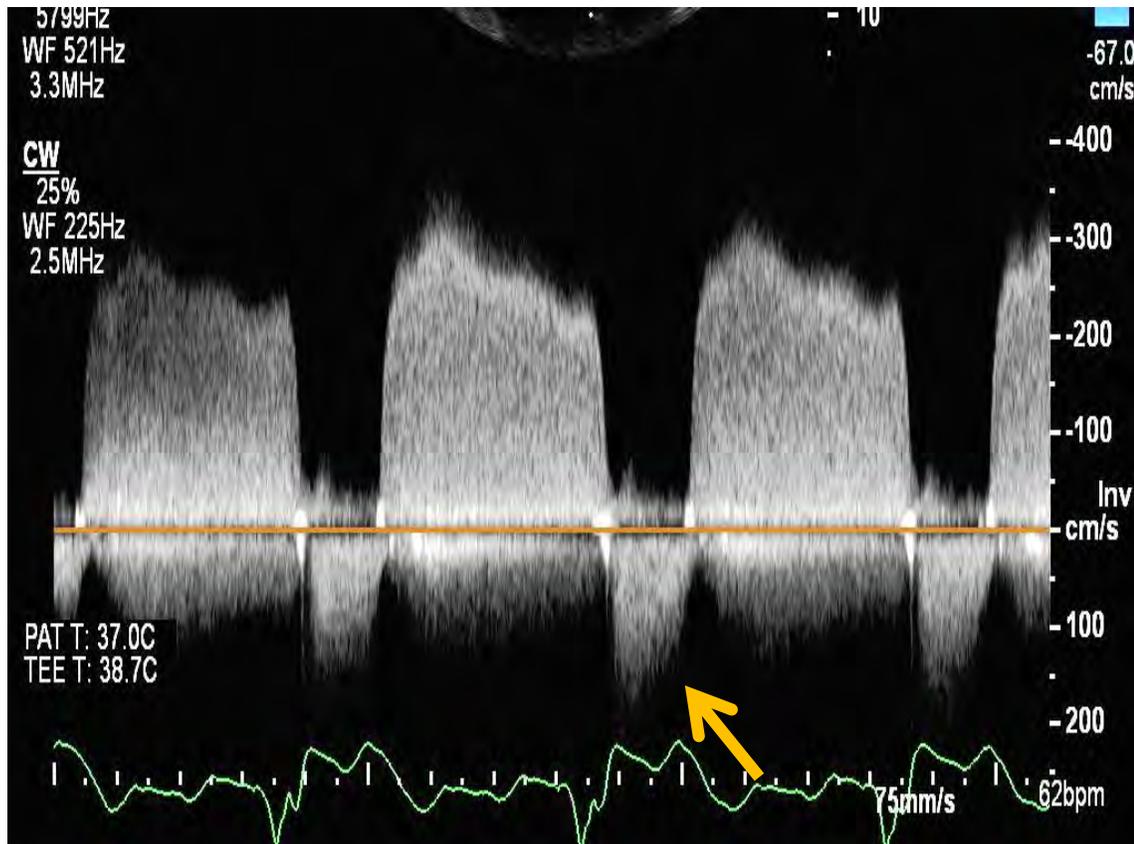
PHT 100 msec Severe MR



PHT 250 msec Severe obstruction

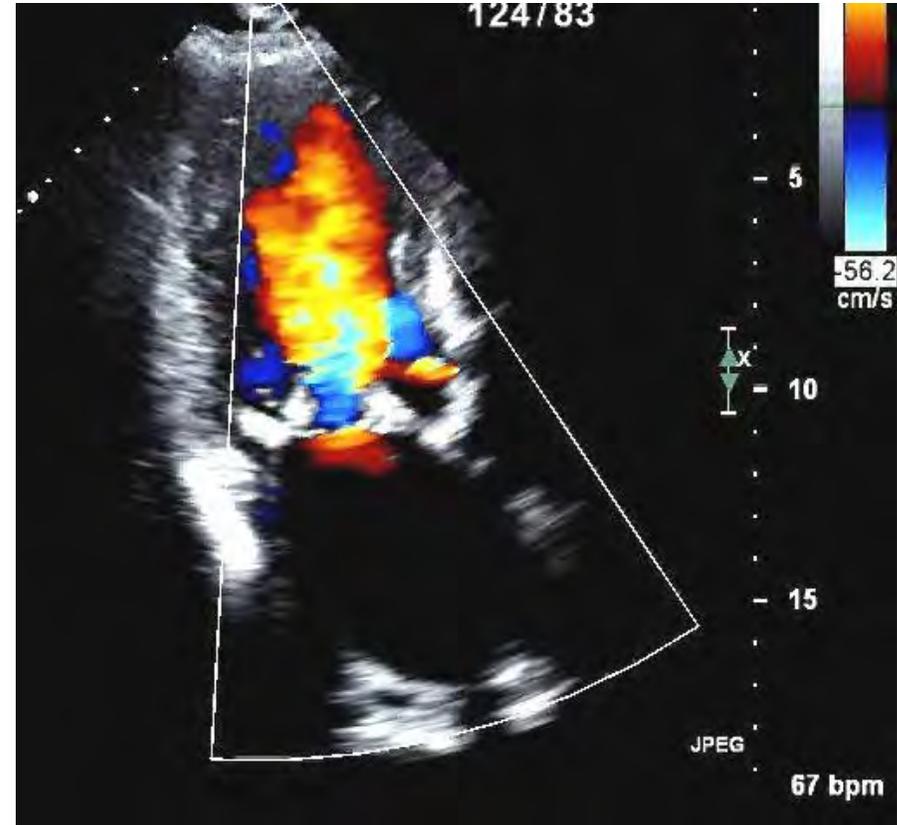
Case #10

30 year old female with mitral bio-prosthesis Presenting with heart failure

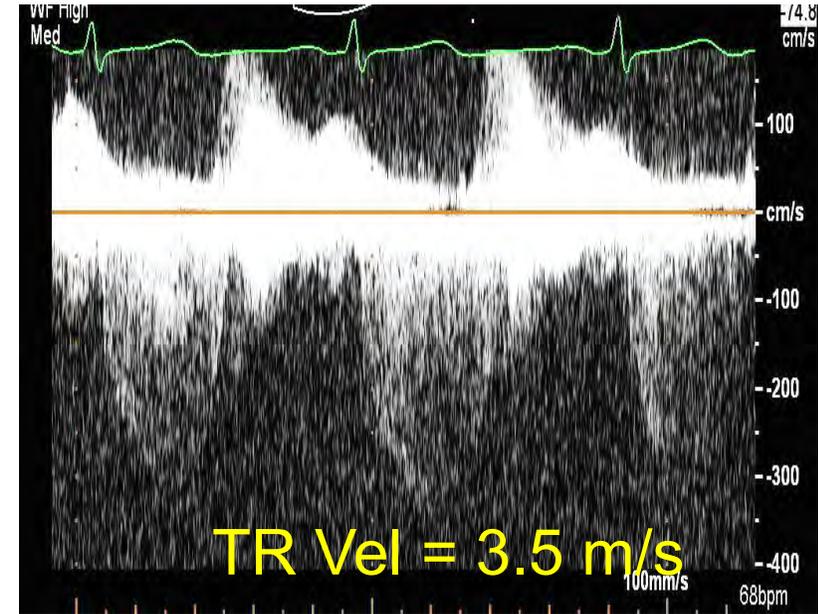
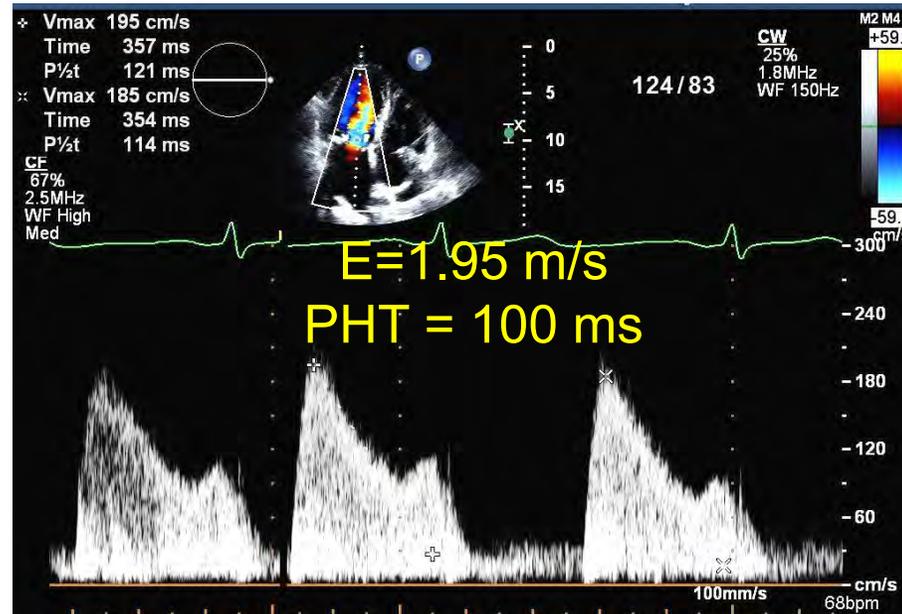
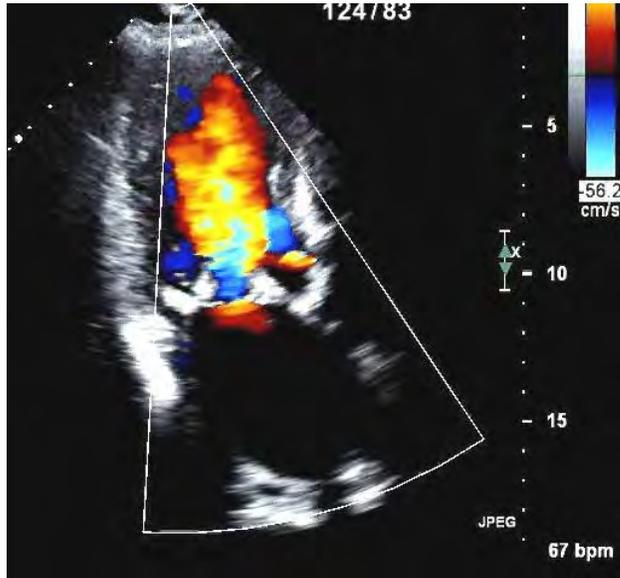


Case #11

78 yo man with MVR 9 months ago (NYC) Increasing Dyspnea

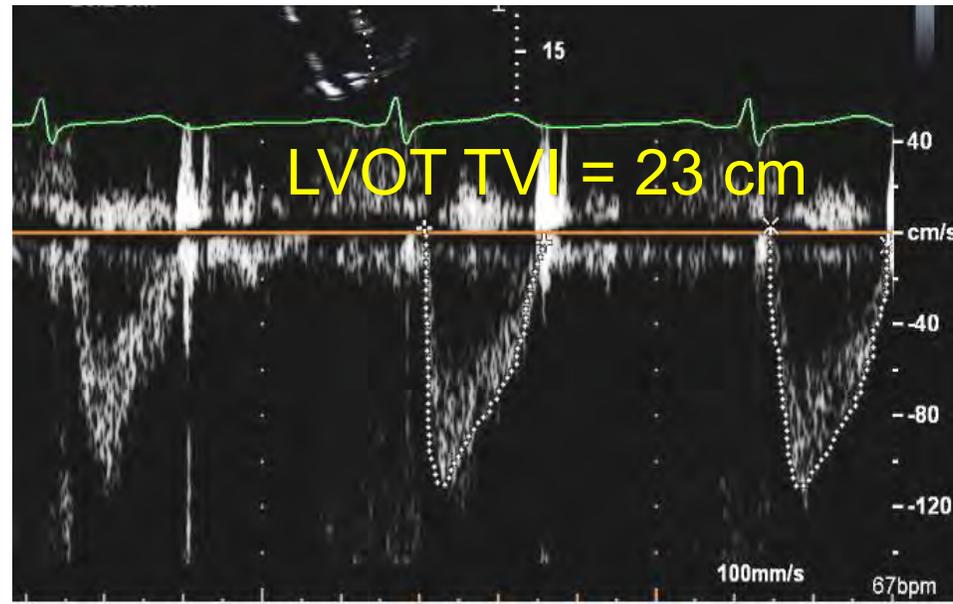
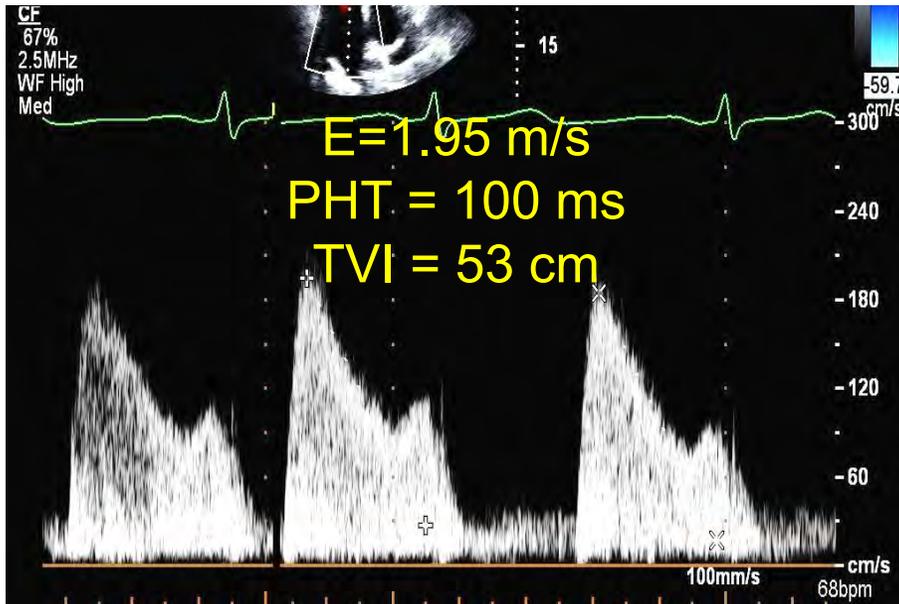


78 yo man with MVR 9 months ago (25 mm Hancock) Increasing Dyspnea



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- 2= Mitral prosthetic Obstruction. Exercise
- 3= Mitral Prosthetic Regurgitation. TEE
- 4= Normal Prosthesis. Lose weight.

78 yo man with MVR 9 months ago in NYC Increasing Dyspnea

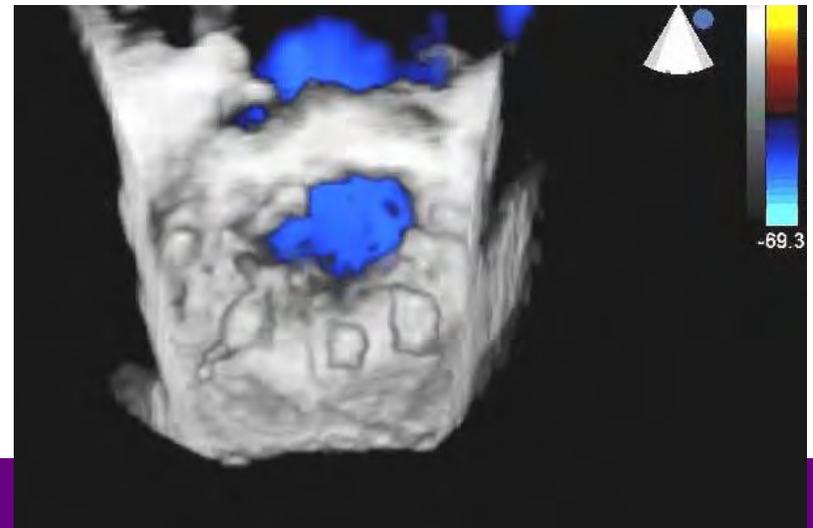
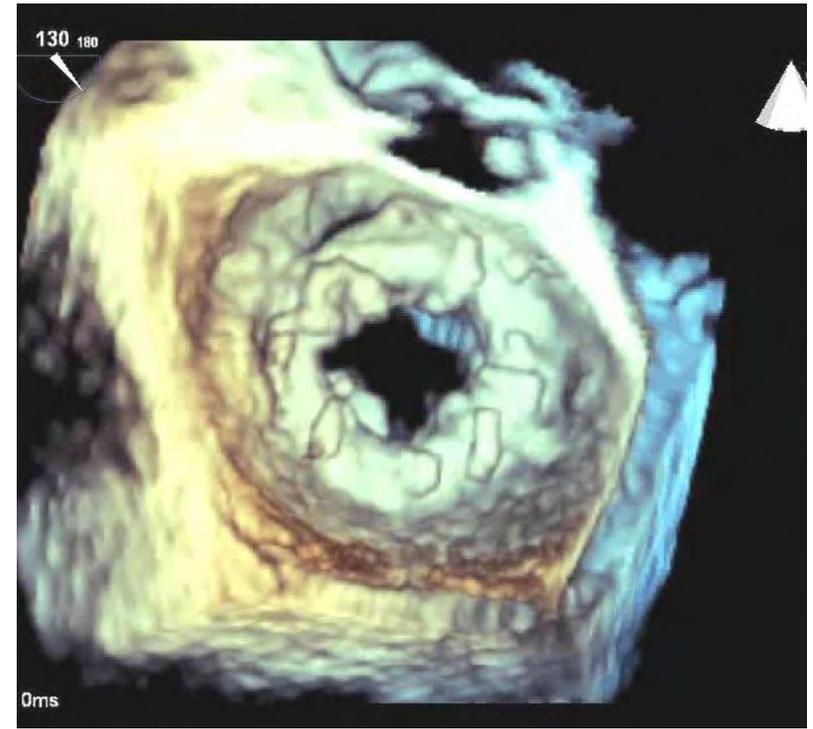
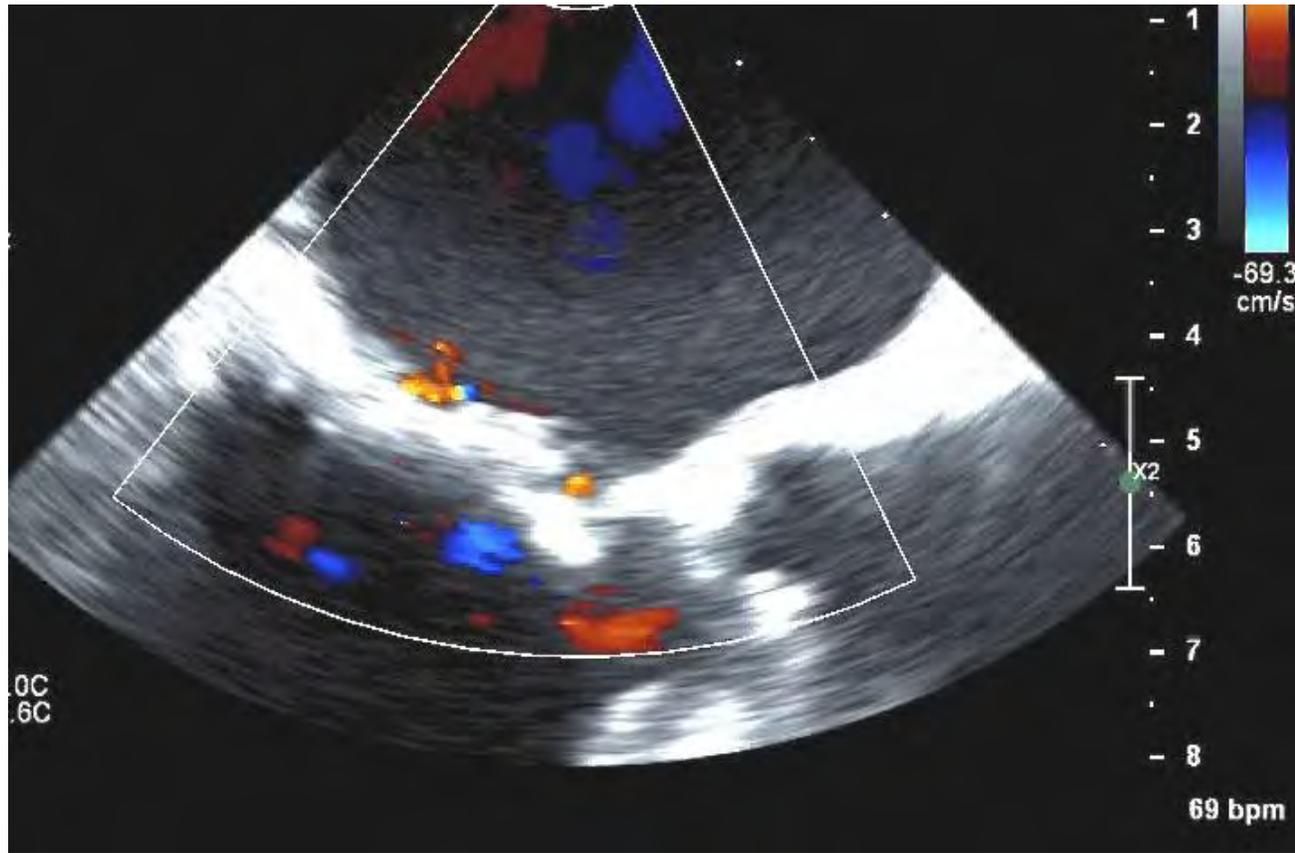


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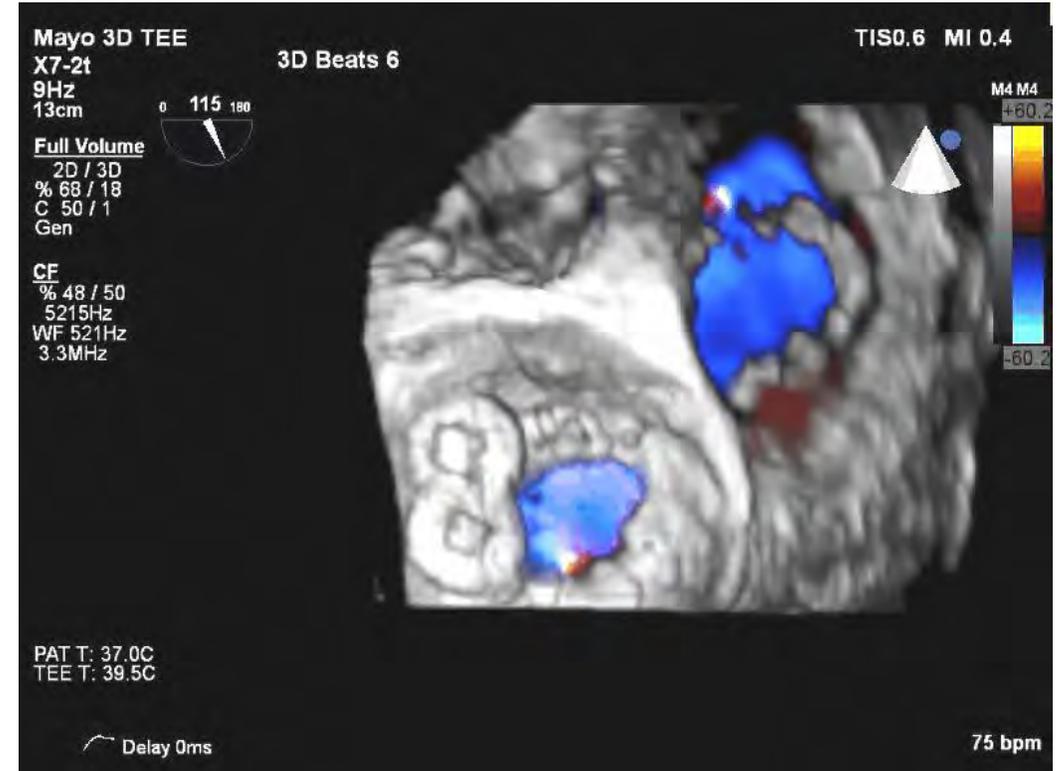
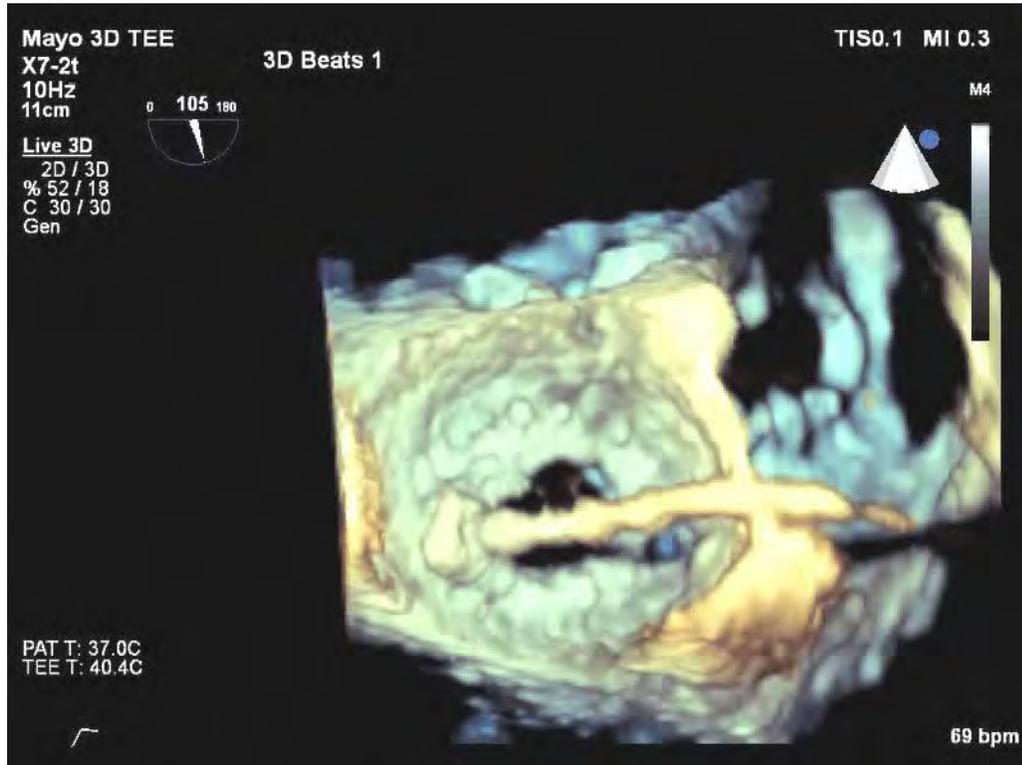
$$= 53/23$$
$$= 2.3$$

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2-D and 3-D TEE Paravalvular Leak



Mitral Prosthetic Paravalvular Leak Closure



Usefulness of Transthoracic Echocardiography in Detecting Significant Prosthetic Mitral Valve Regurgitation

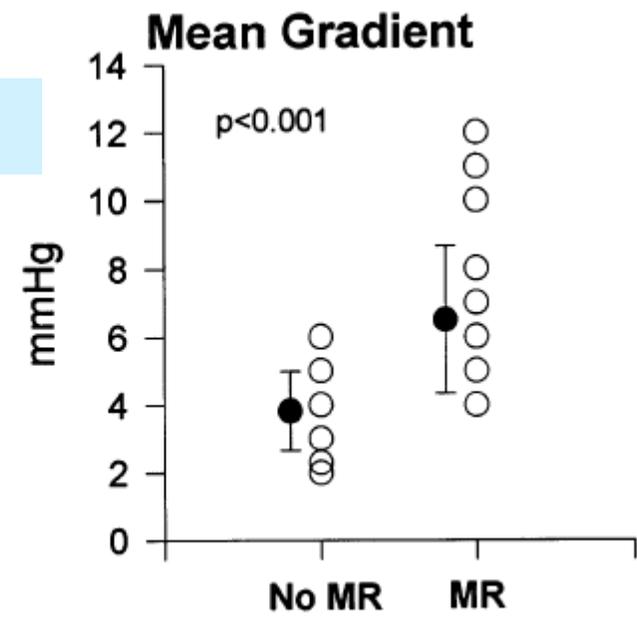
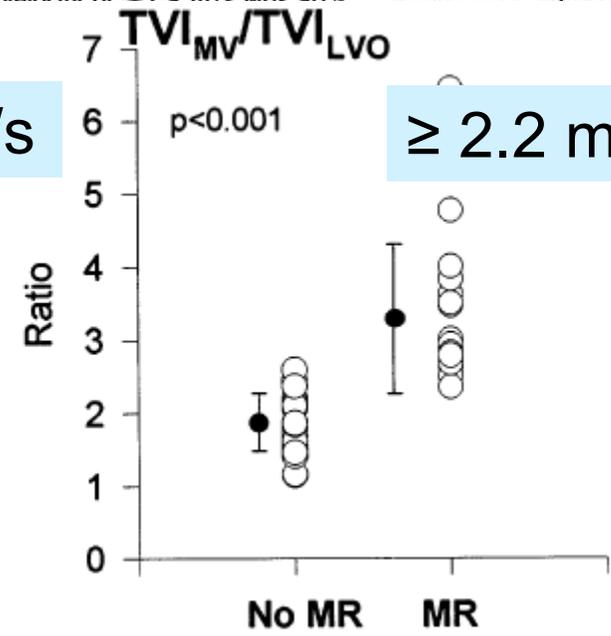
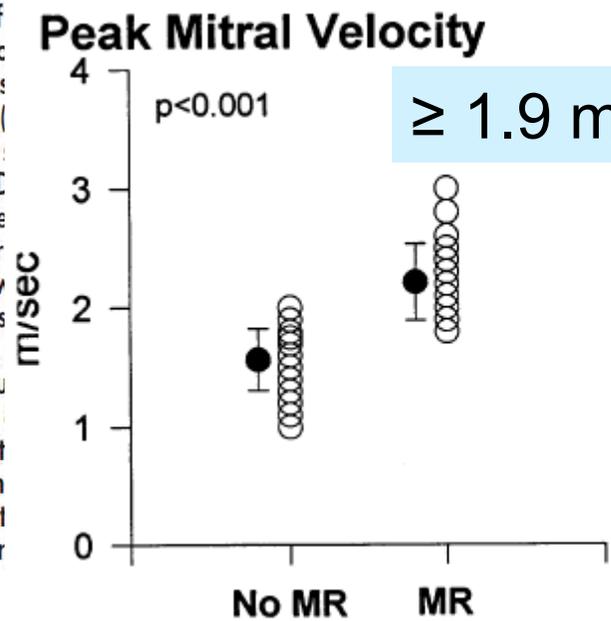
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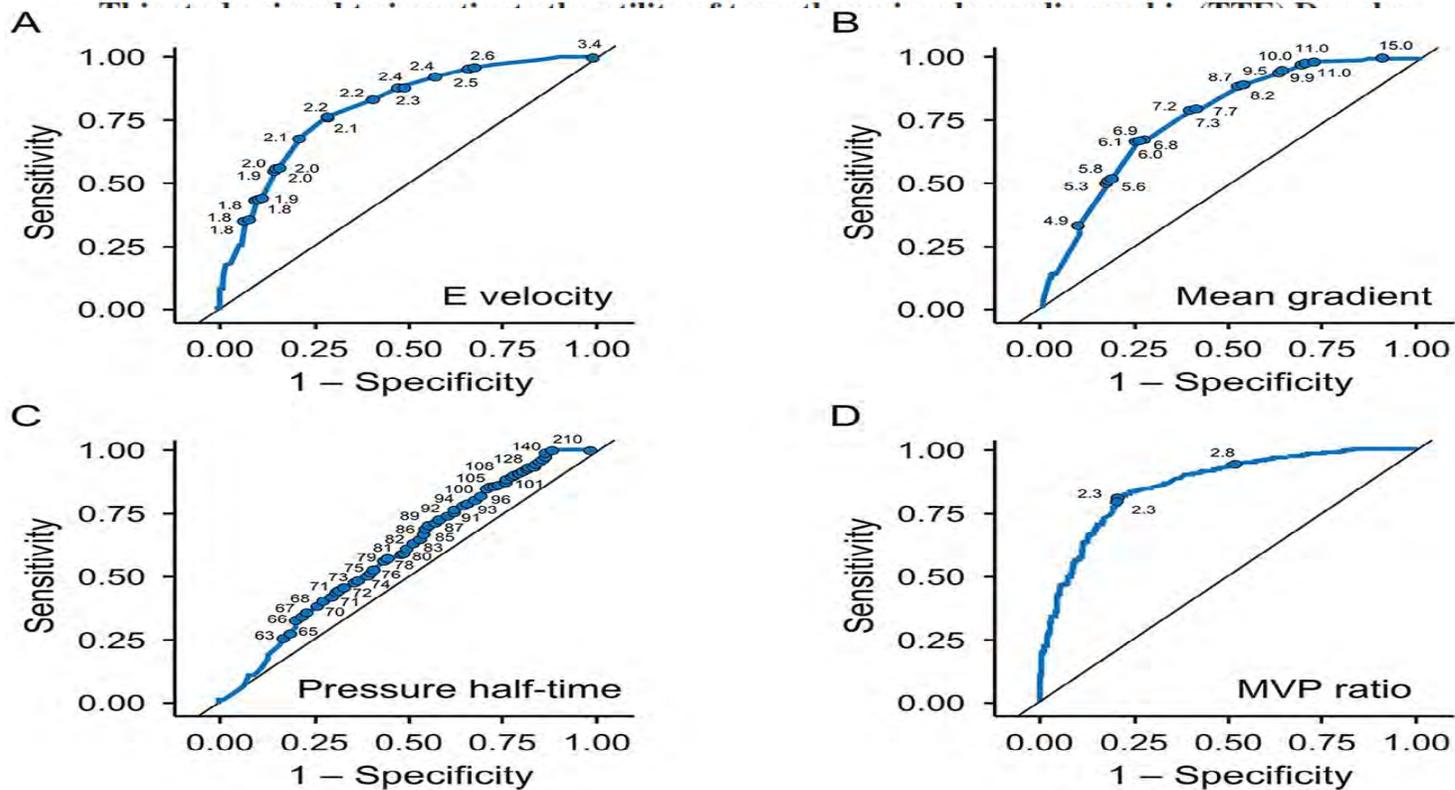
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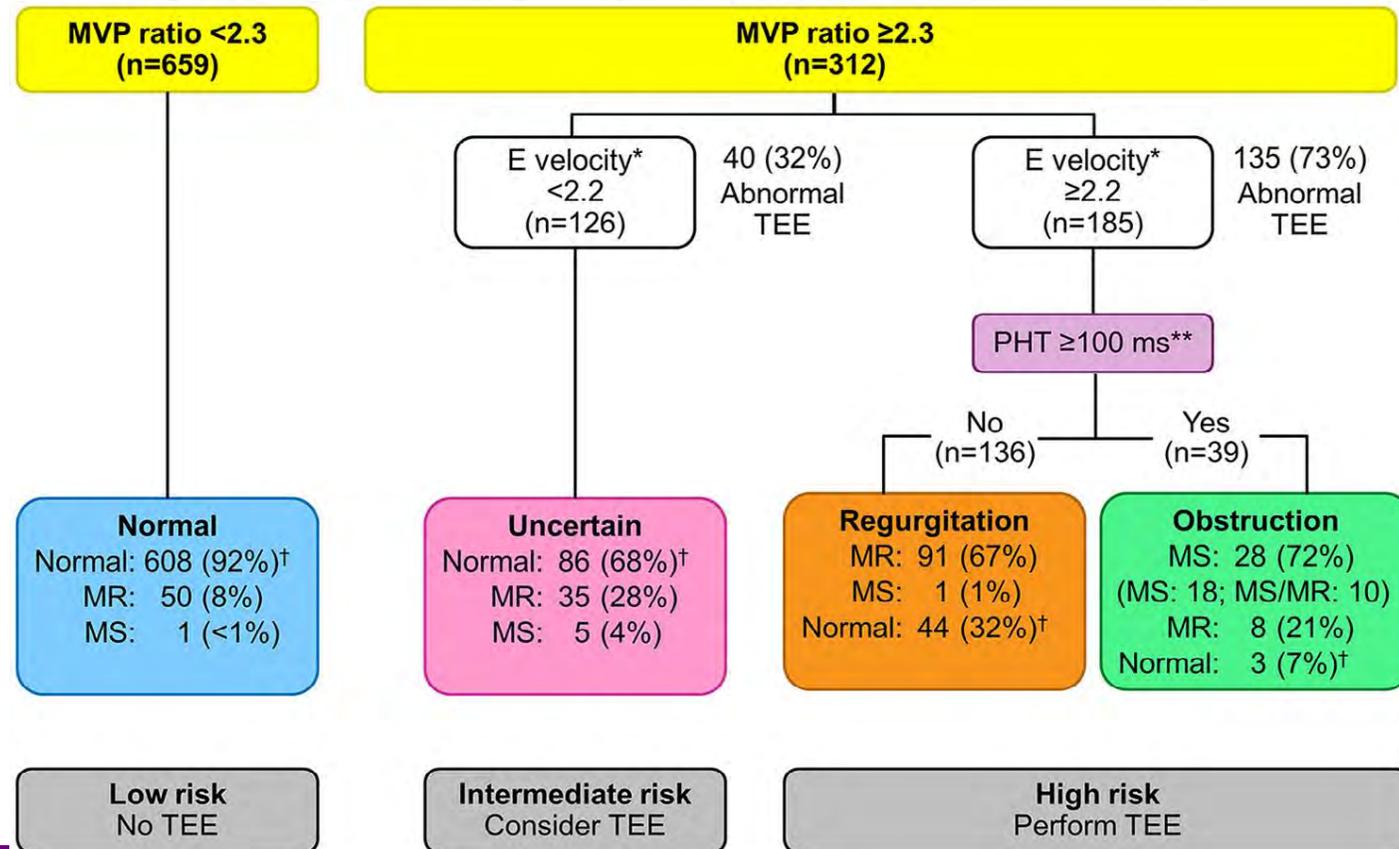
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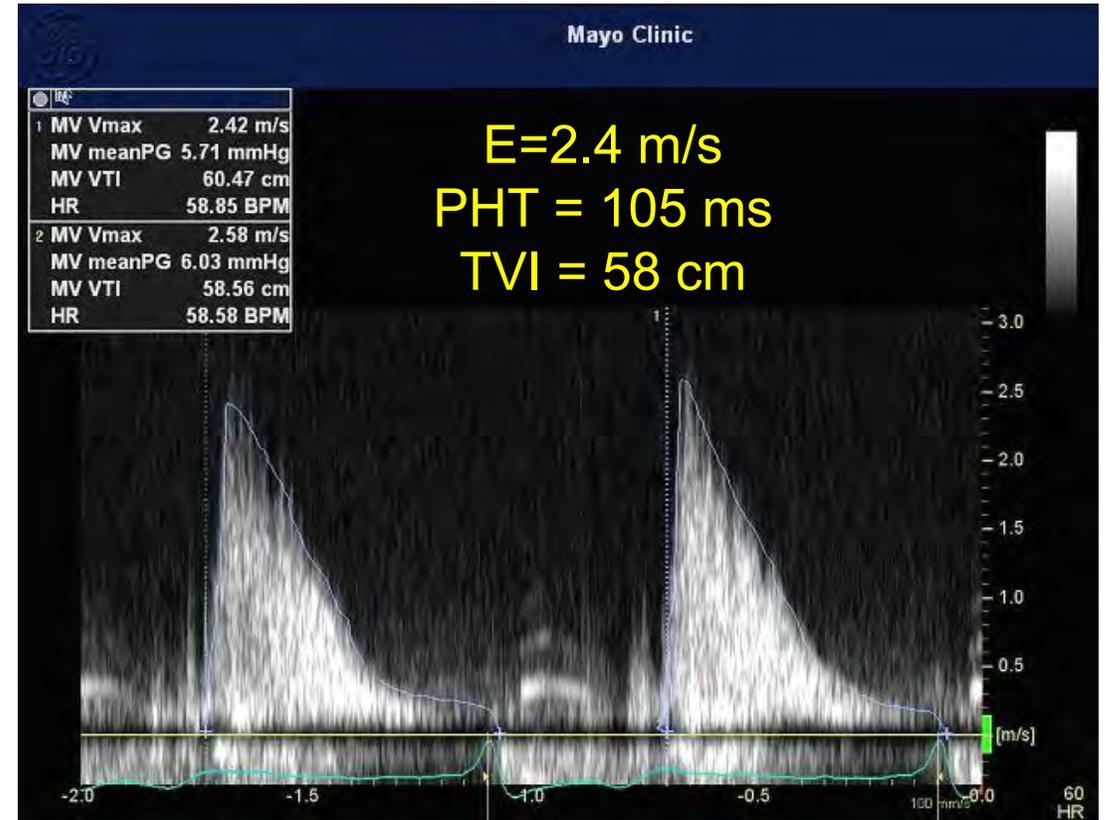
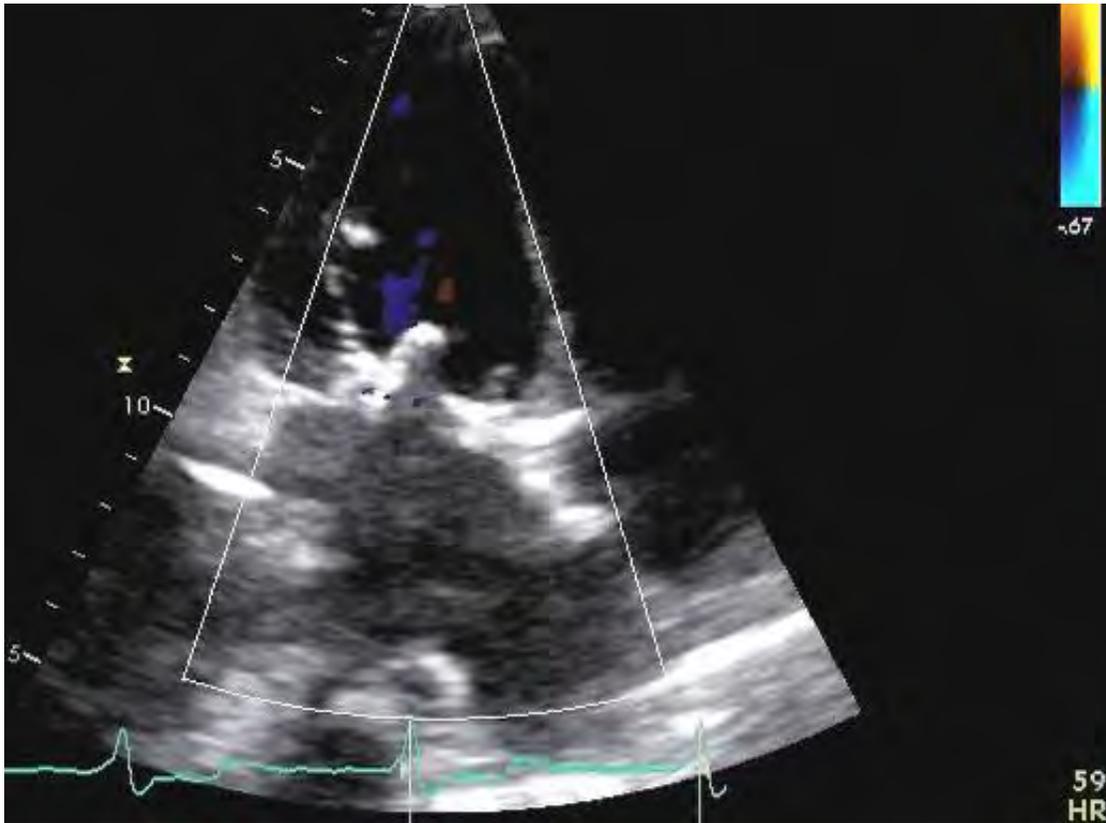
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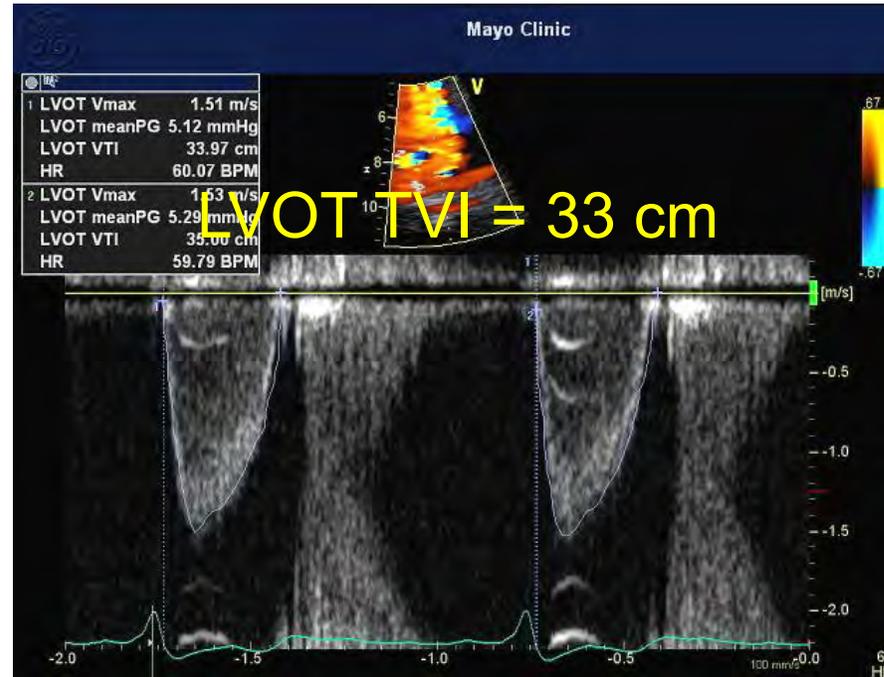
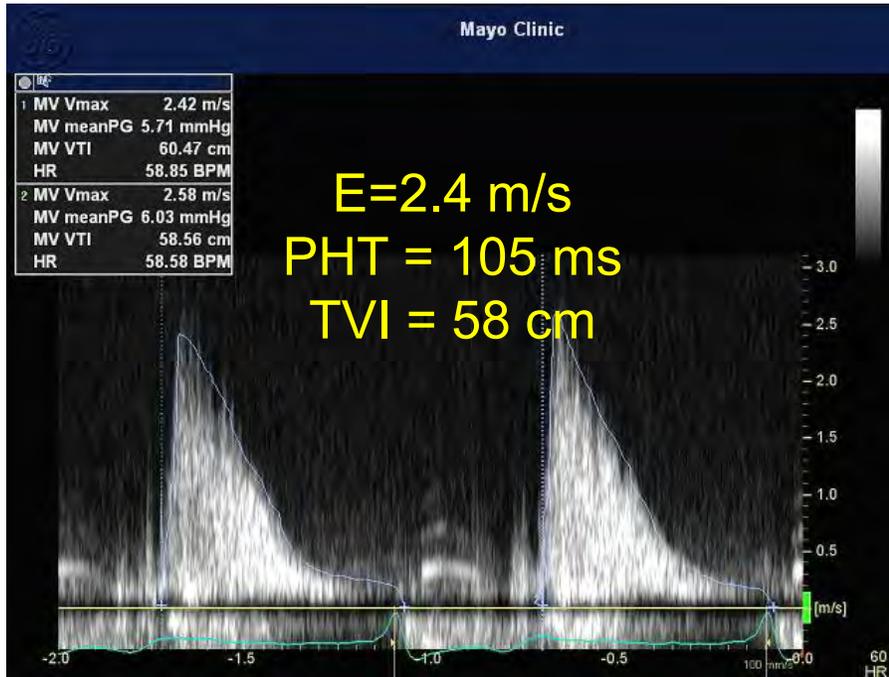


Case #12

79 yo woman with 25 mm Hancock MV Prosthesis Post-op Discharge Echocardiography



79 yo woman with 25 mm Hancock MVR Hbg 8 gm%



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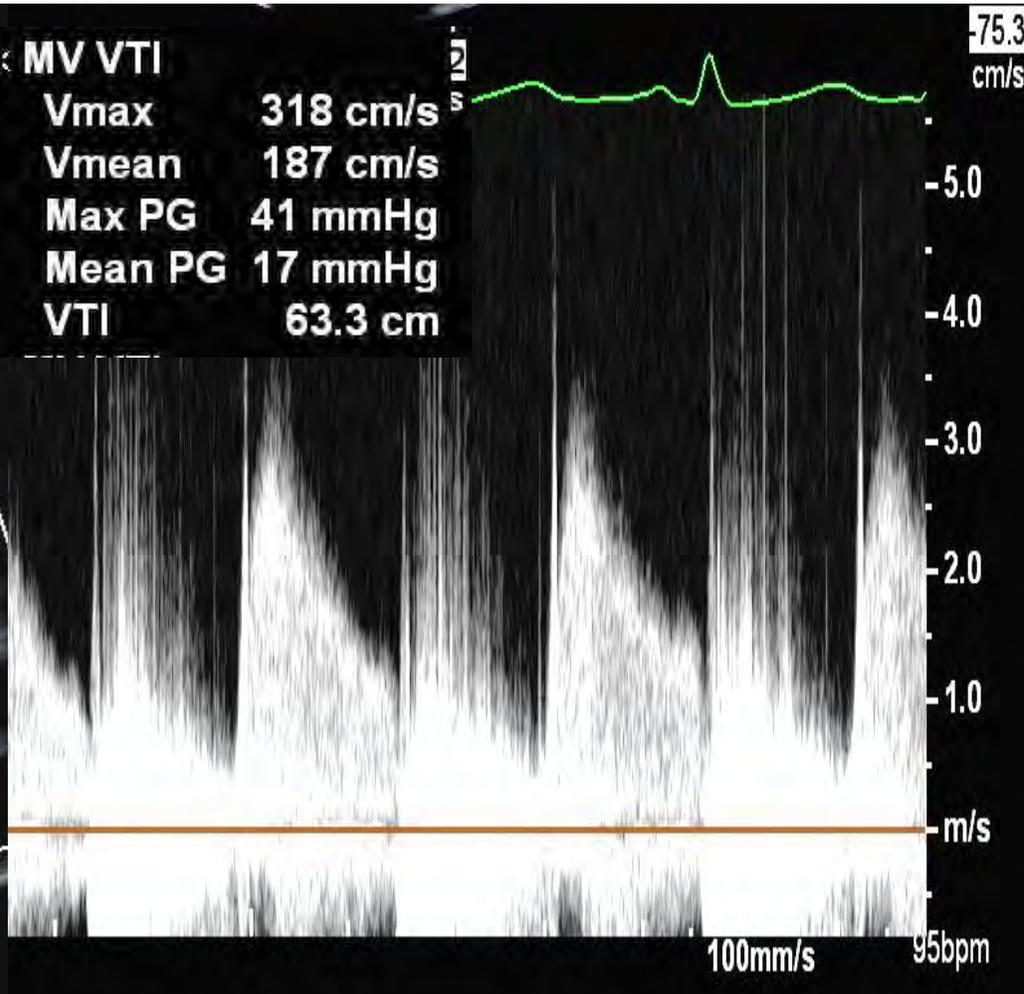
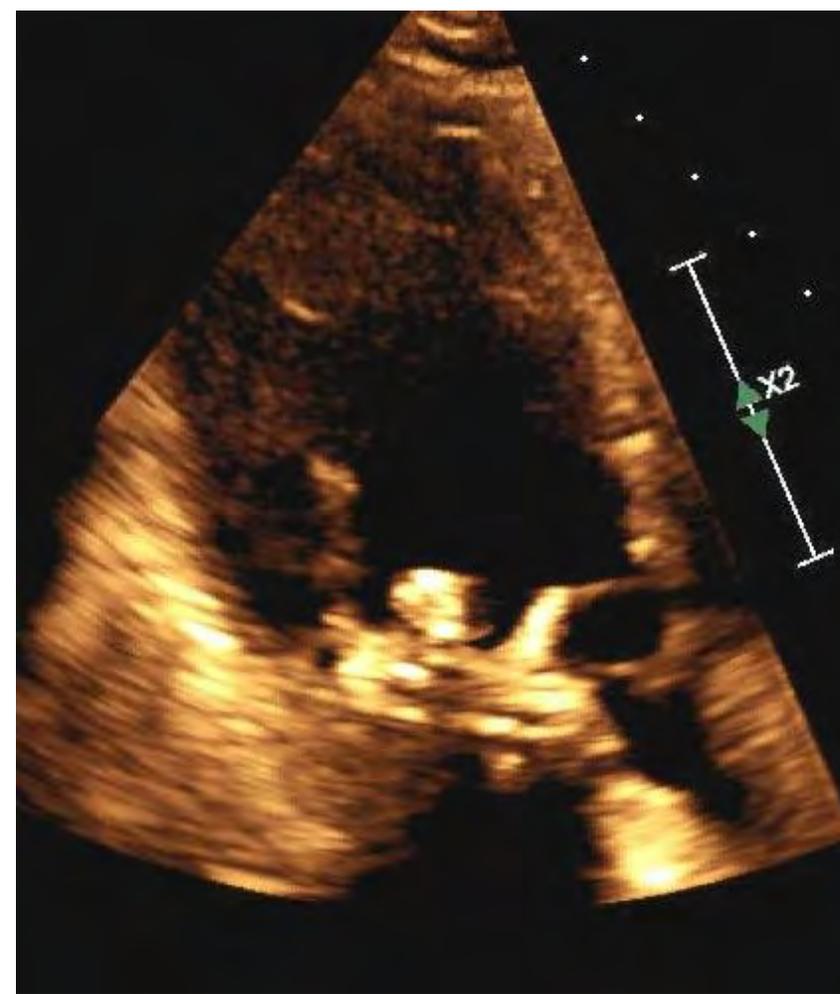
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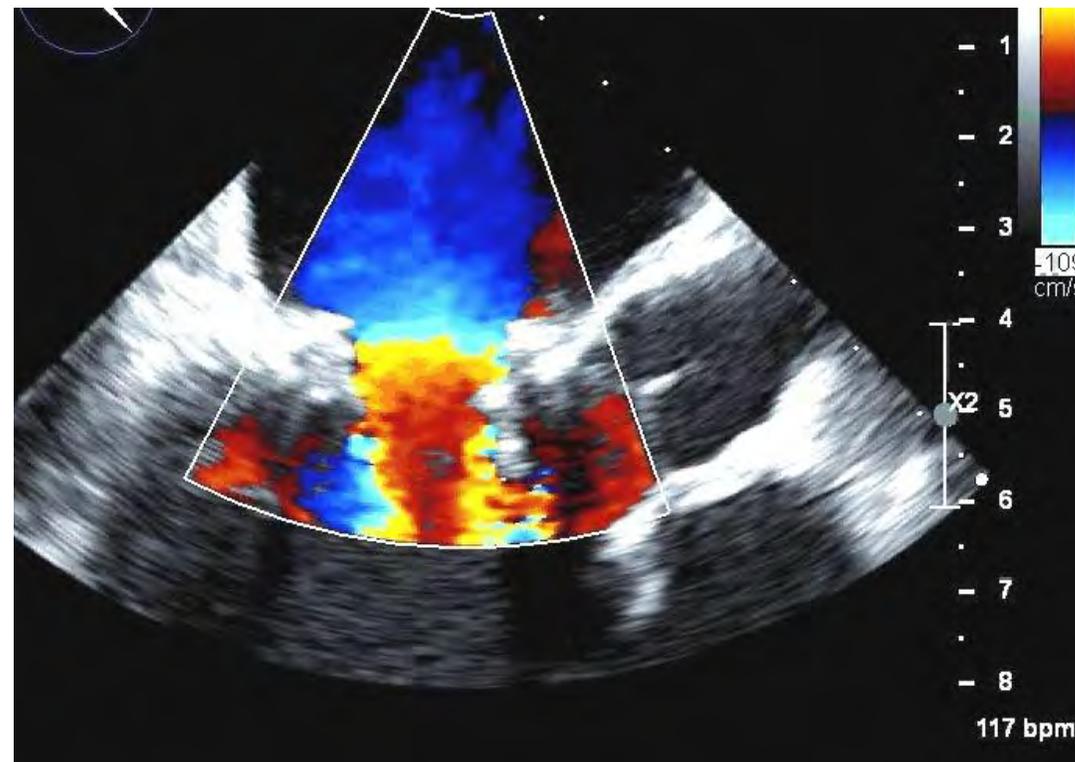
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Case #13

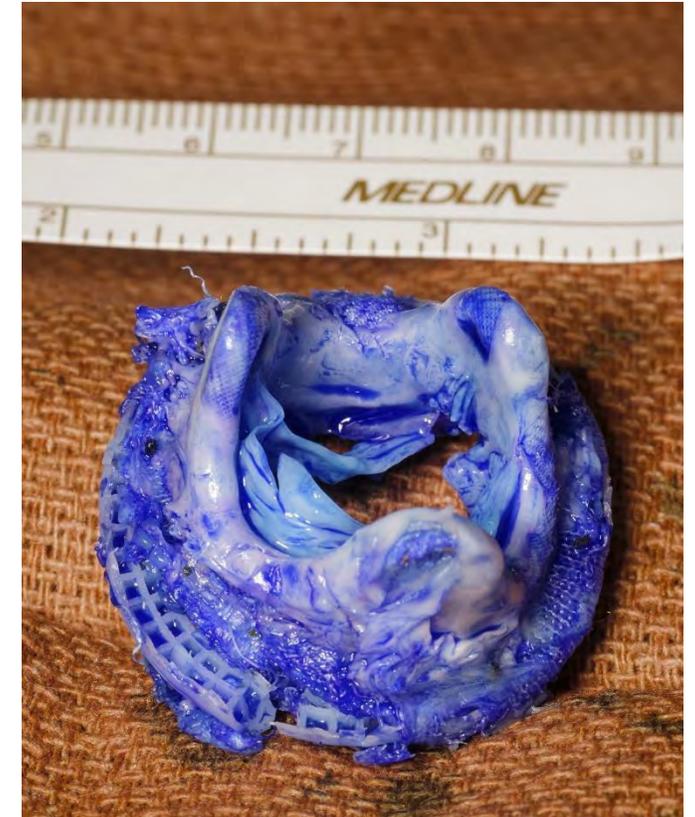
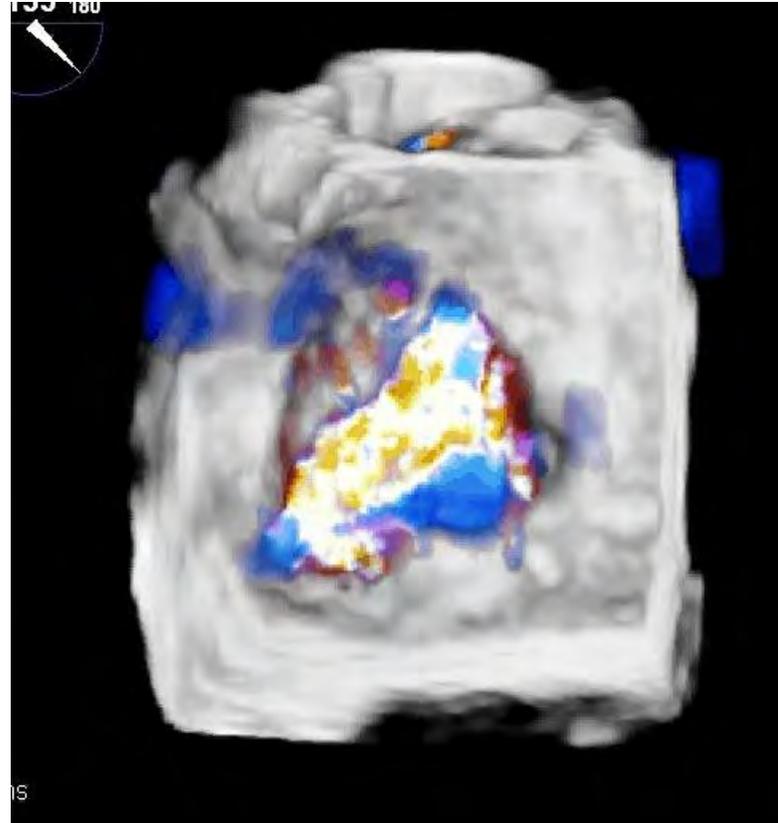
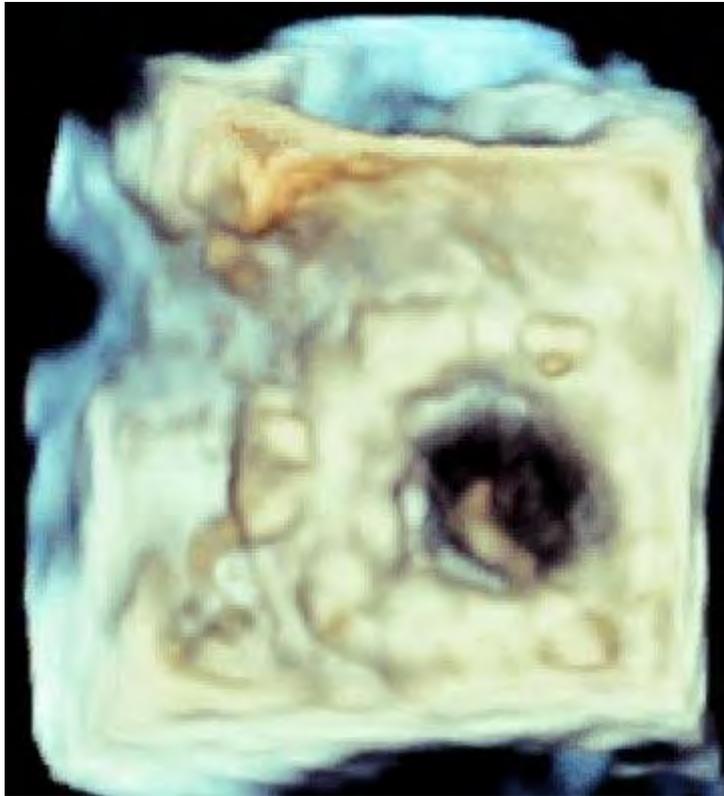
43 yo Female from South America with MVR
Progressive dyspnea



TEE

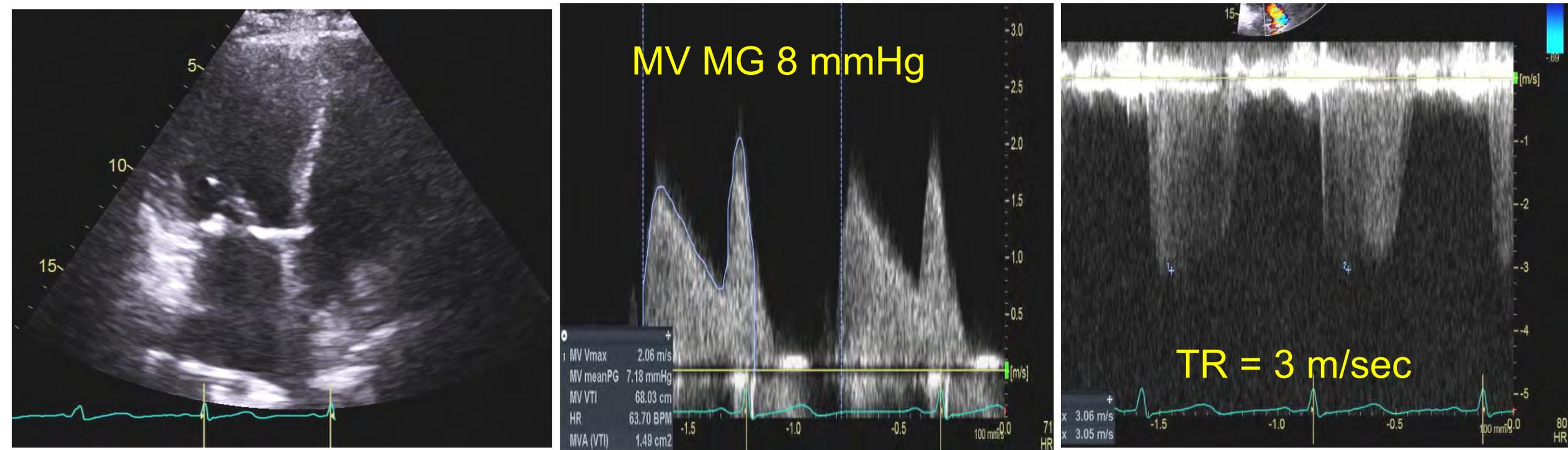


Bio-prosthetic MV Degeneration



Case #15

70 year old woman with hypertension and NYHA III
Mitral annulus calcification and increased gradient

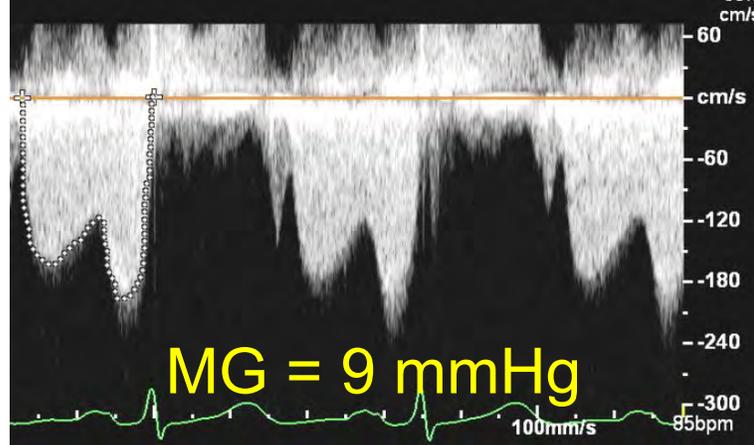


1= Severe mitral stenosis

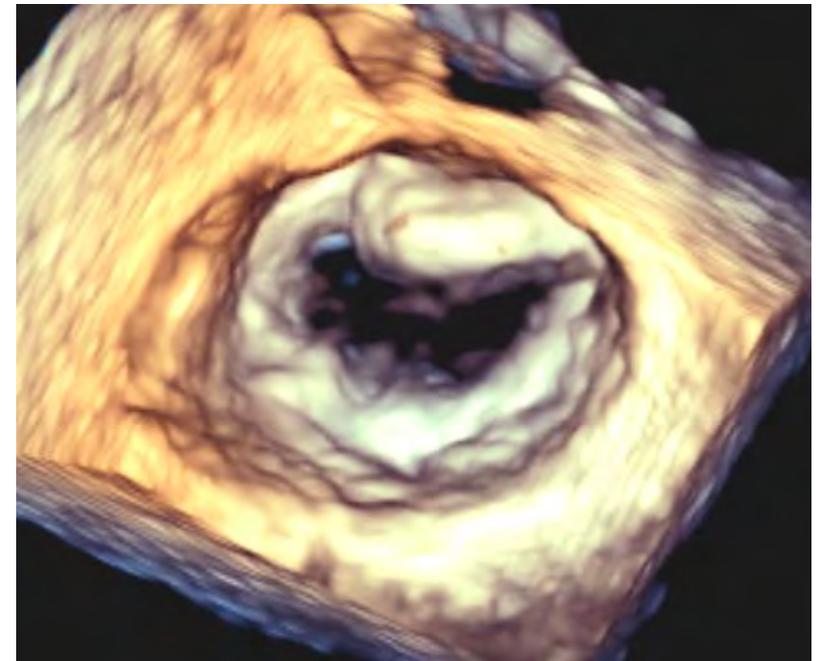
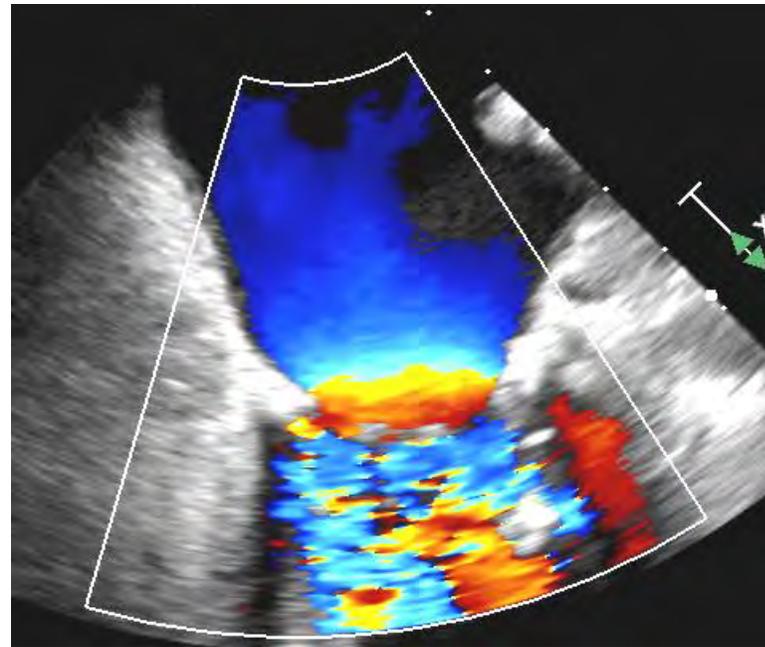
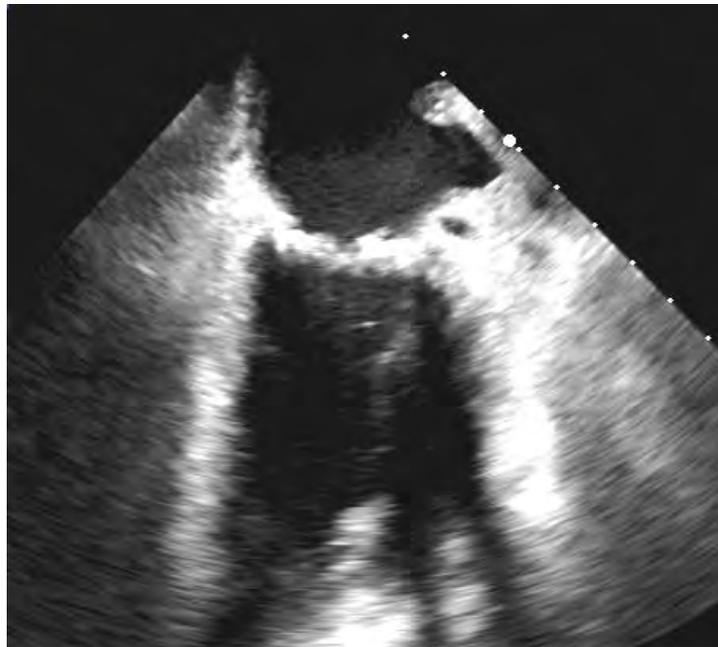
2= Mitral annulus stenosis

3= Severe diastolic dysfunction

4= Mitral regurgitation



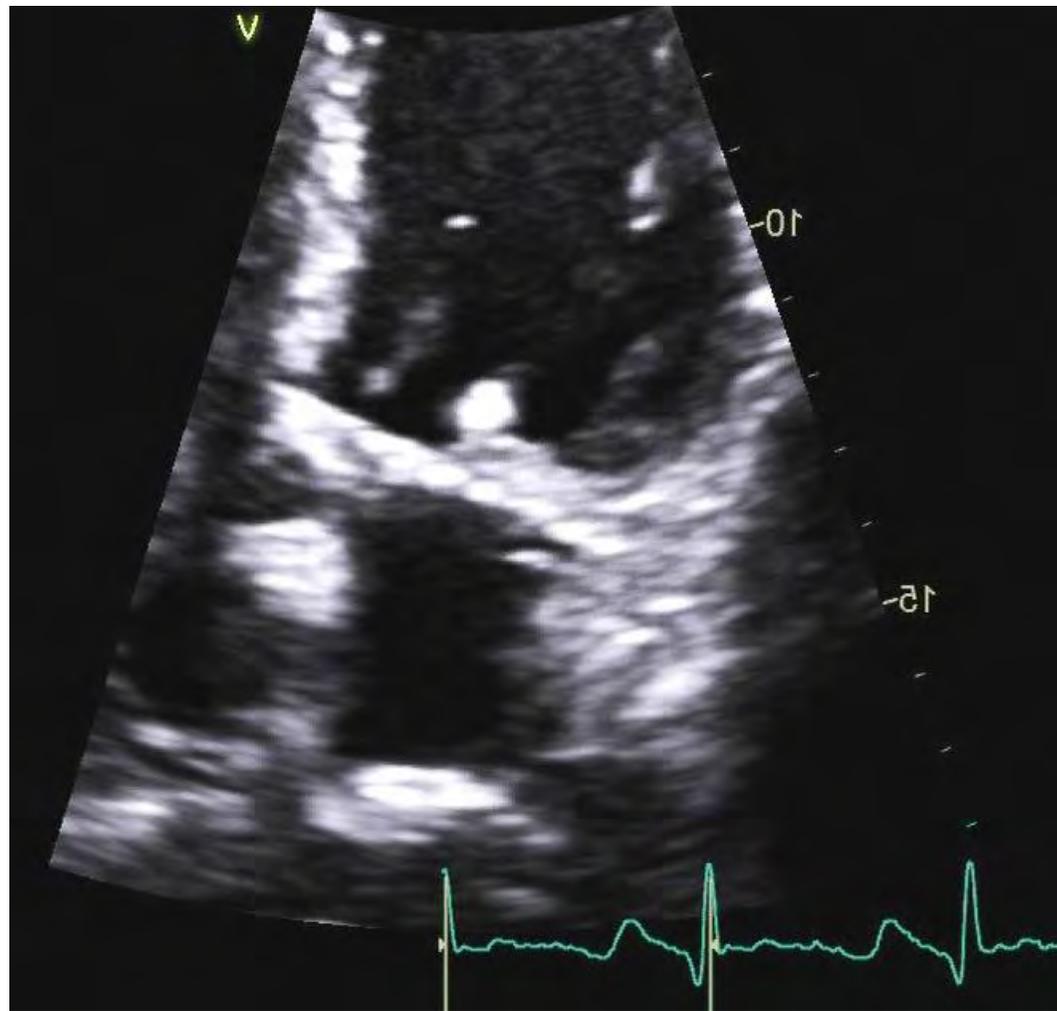
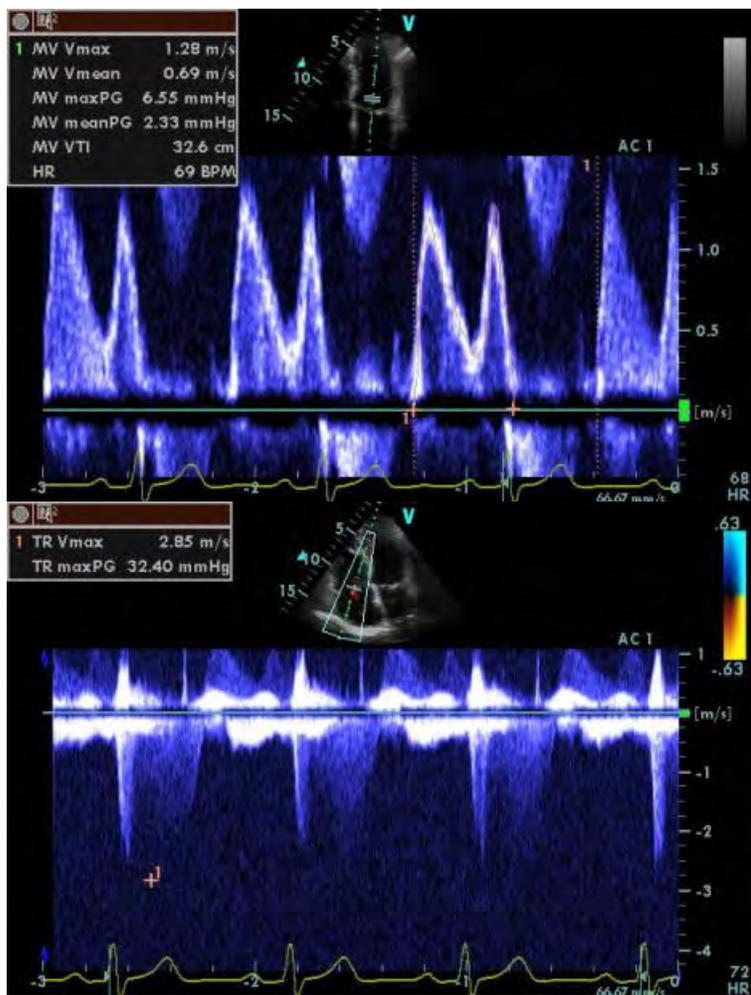
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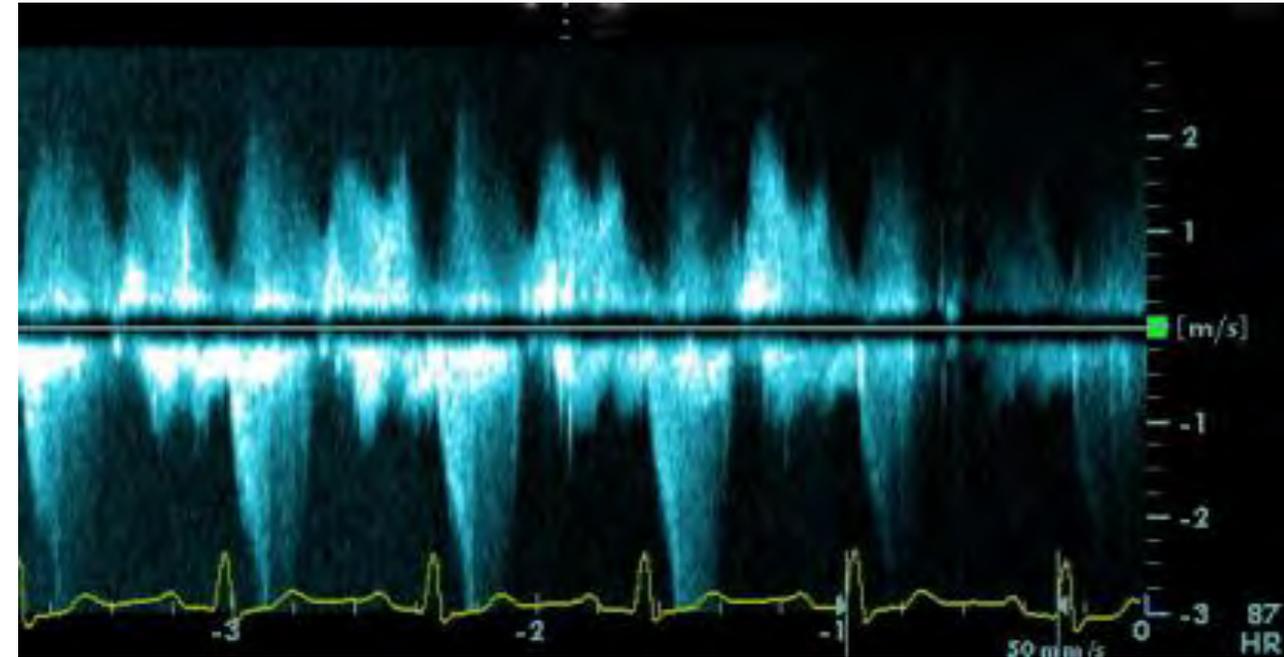
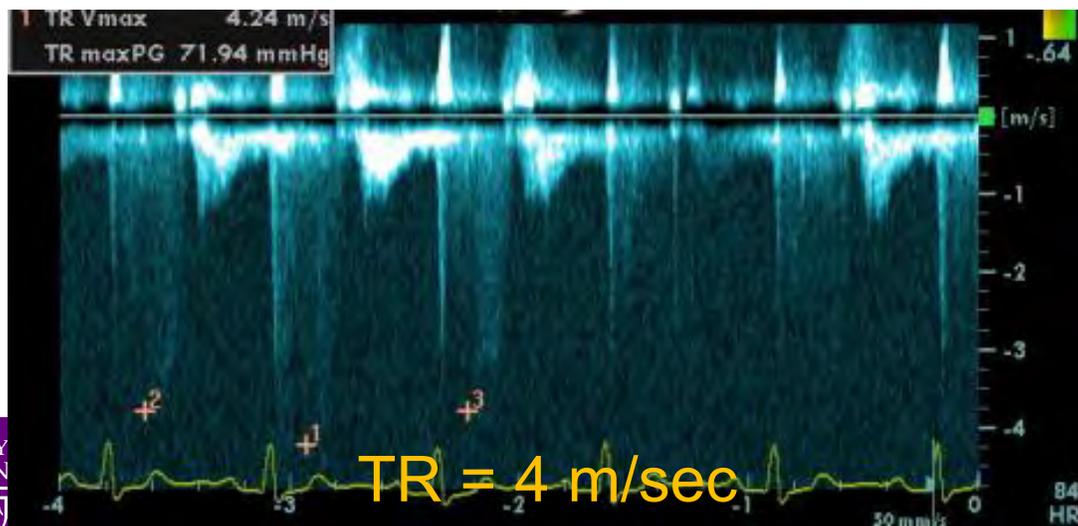
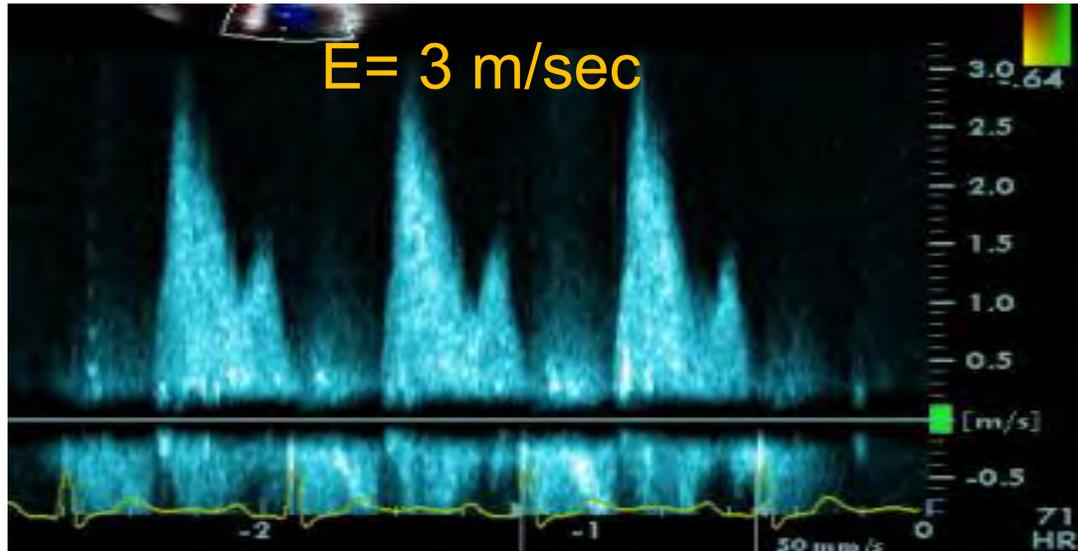


Case #16

55 yo avid cyclist came to Valve Clinic Stenotic repaired mitral valve (3 yrs ago)?



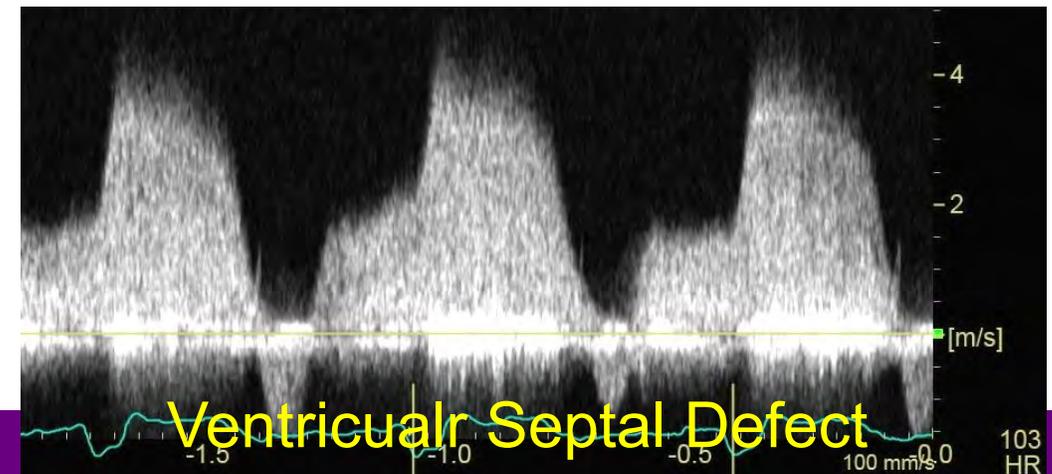
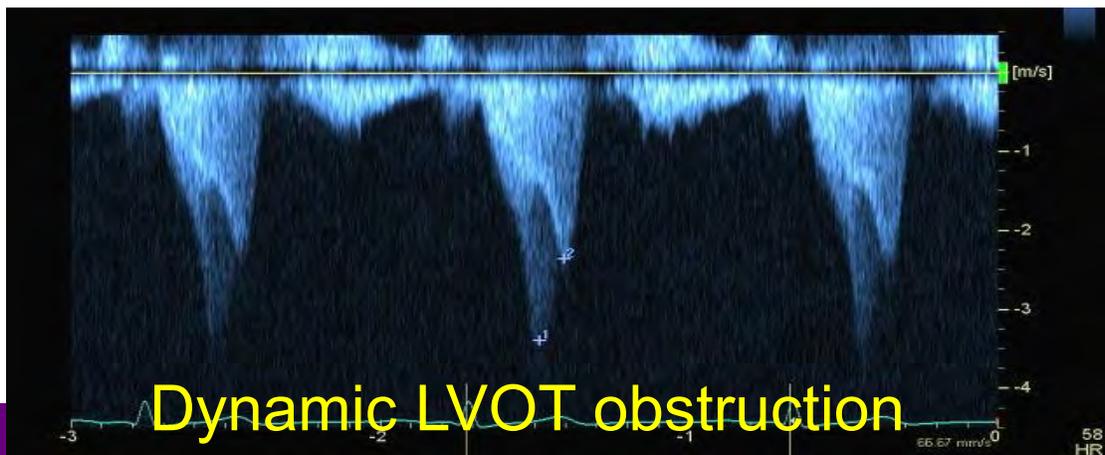
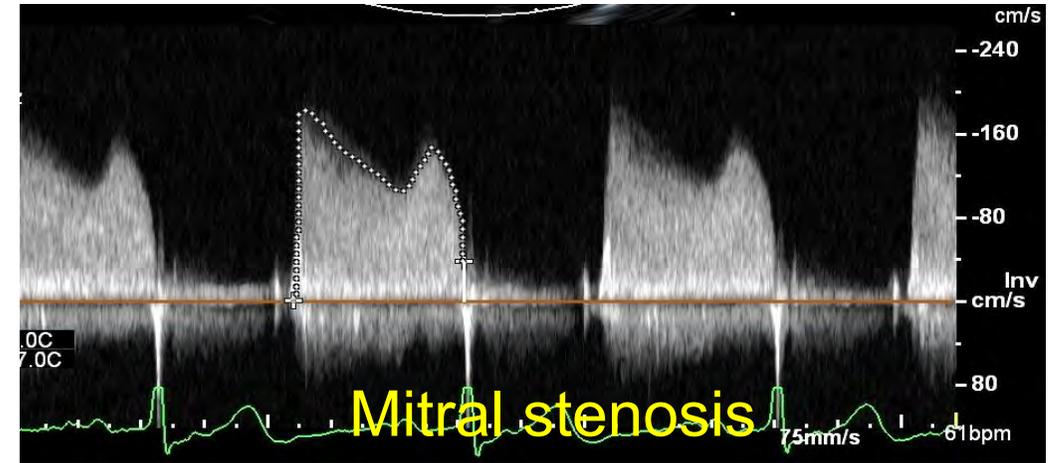
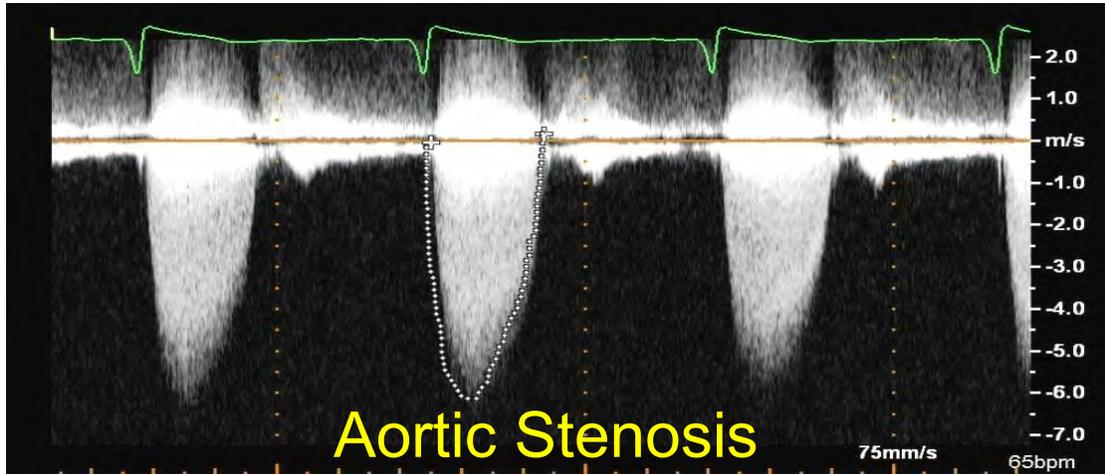
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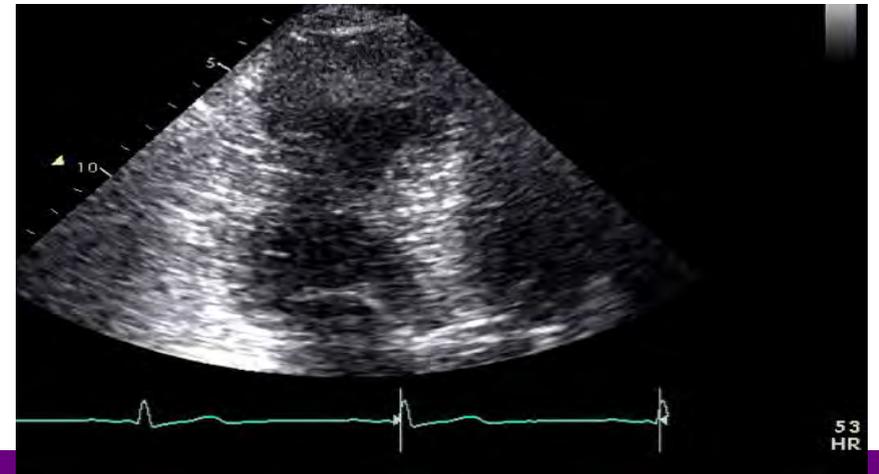
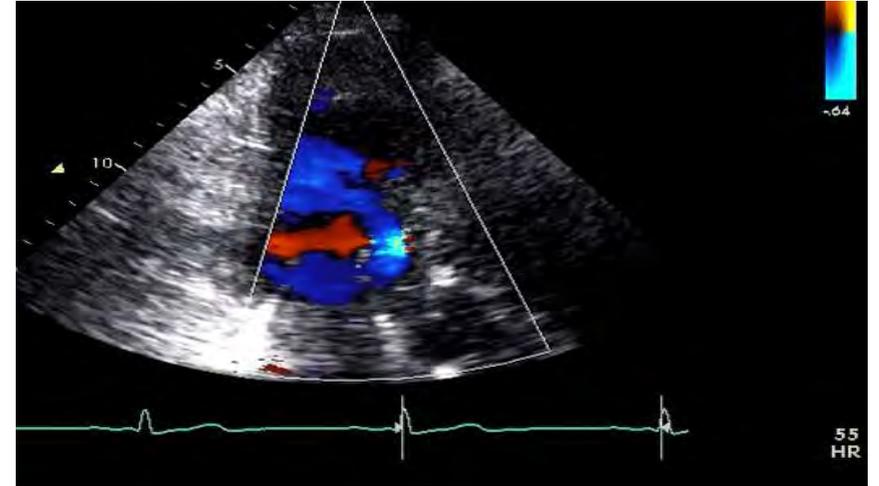
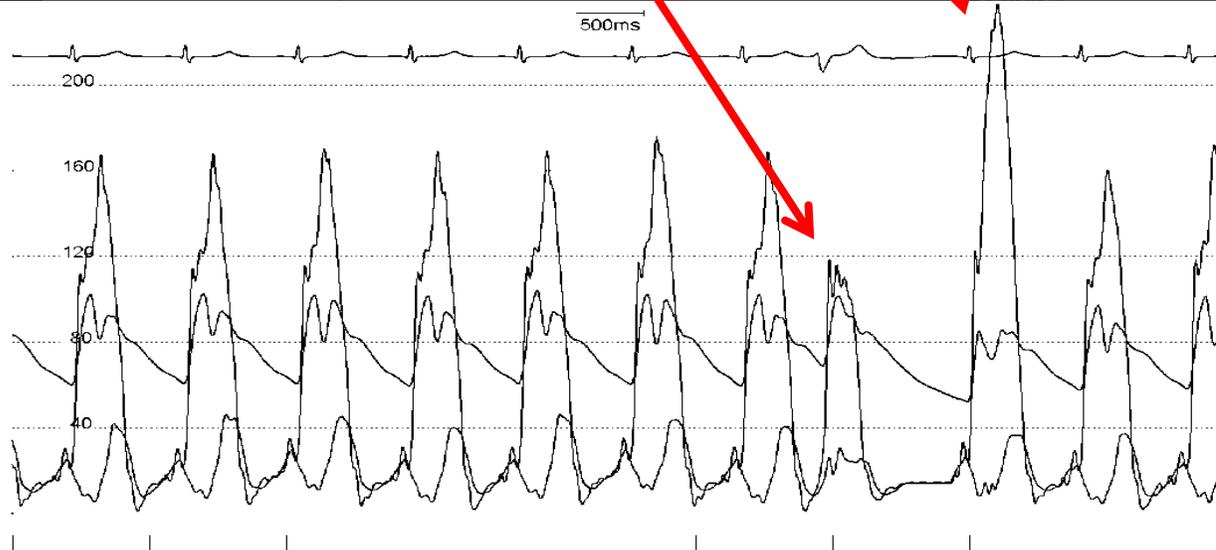
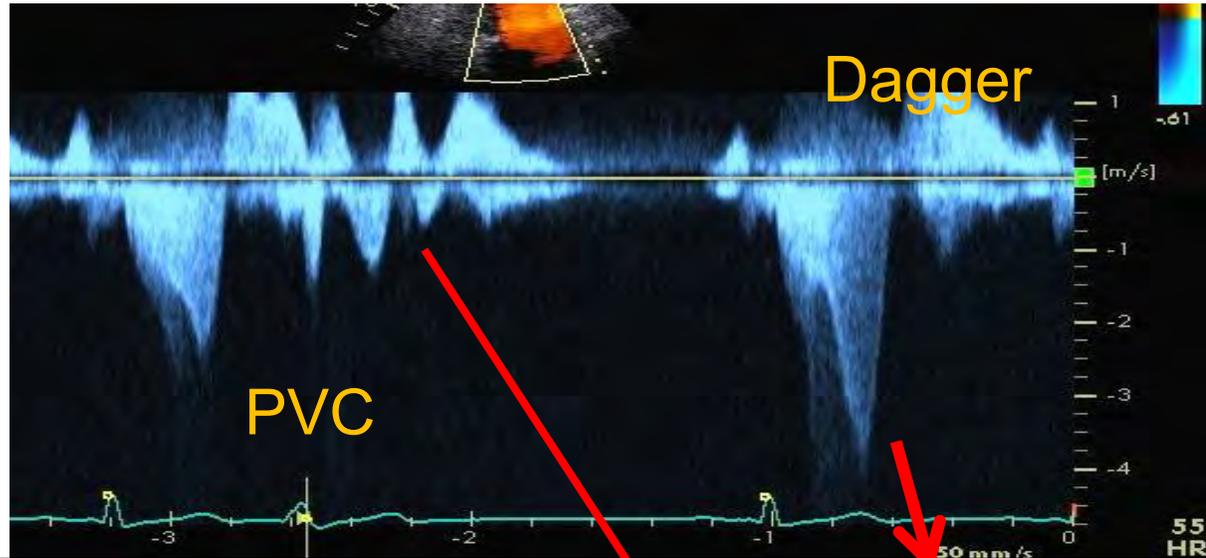
Recovery

Doppler Pattern Recognition

Intracardiac Hemodynamics



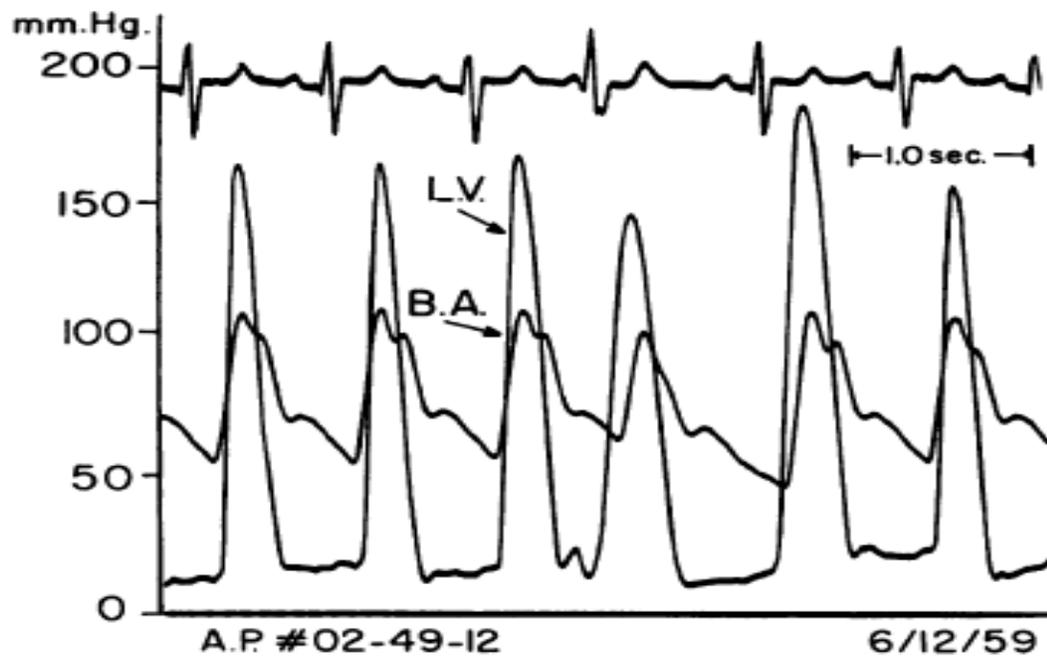
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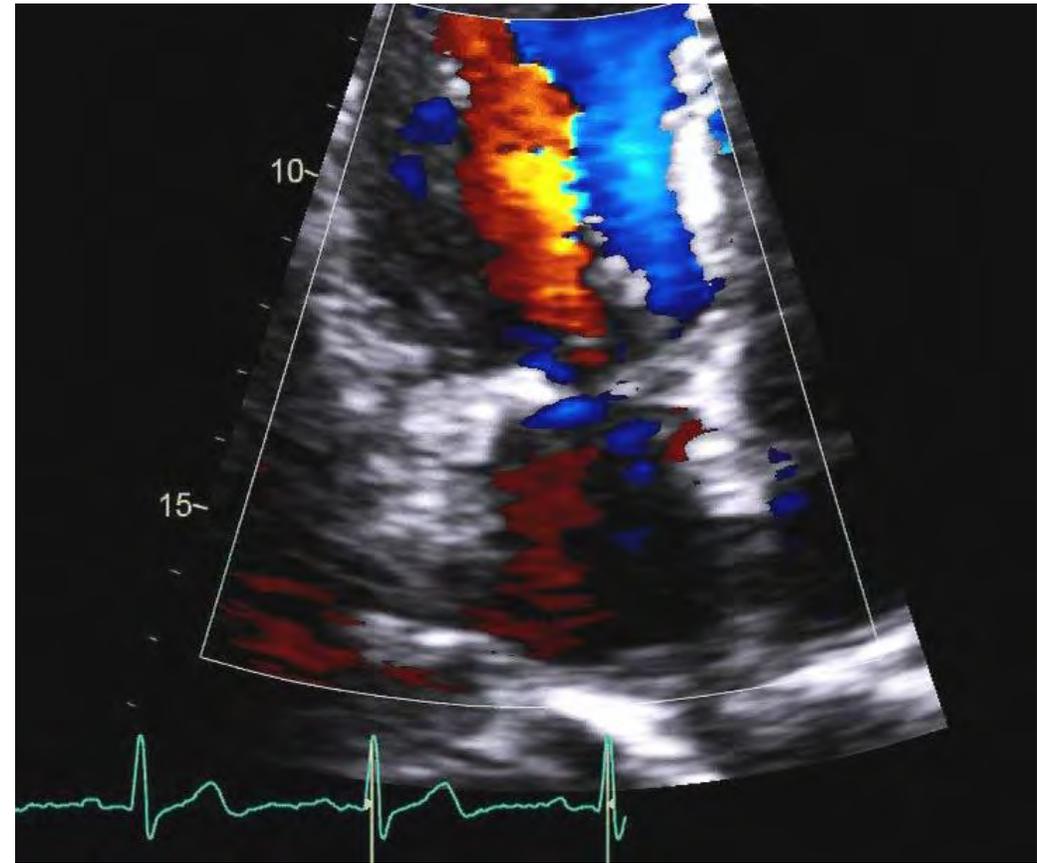
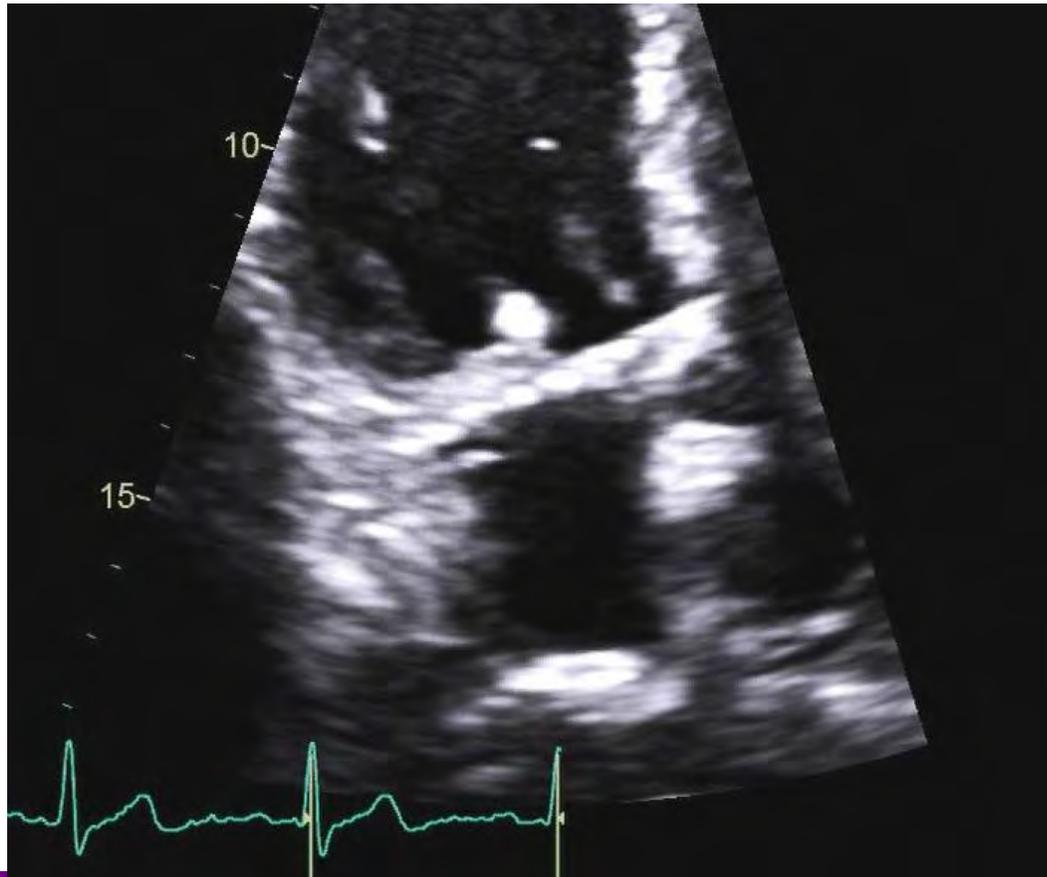
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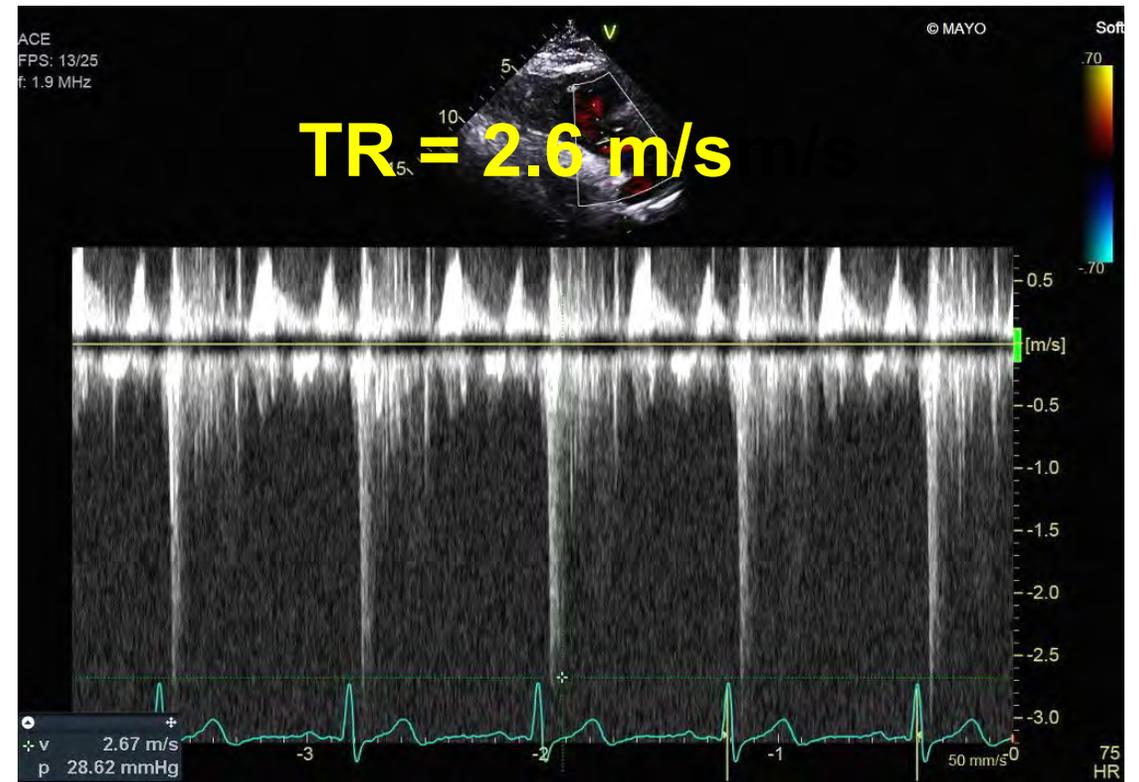
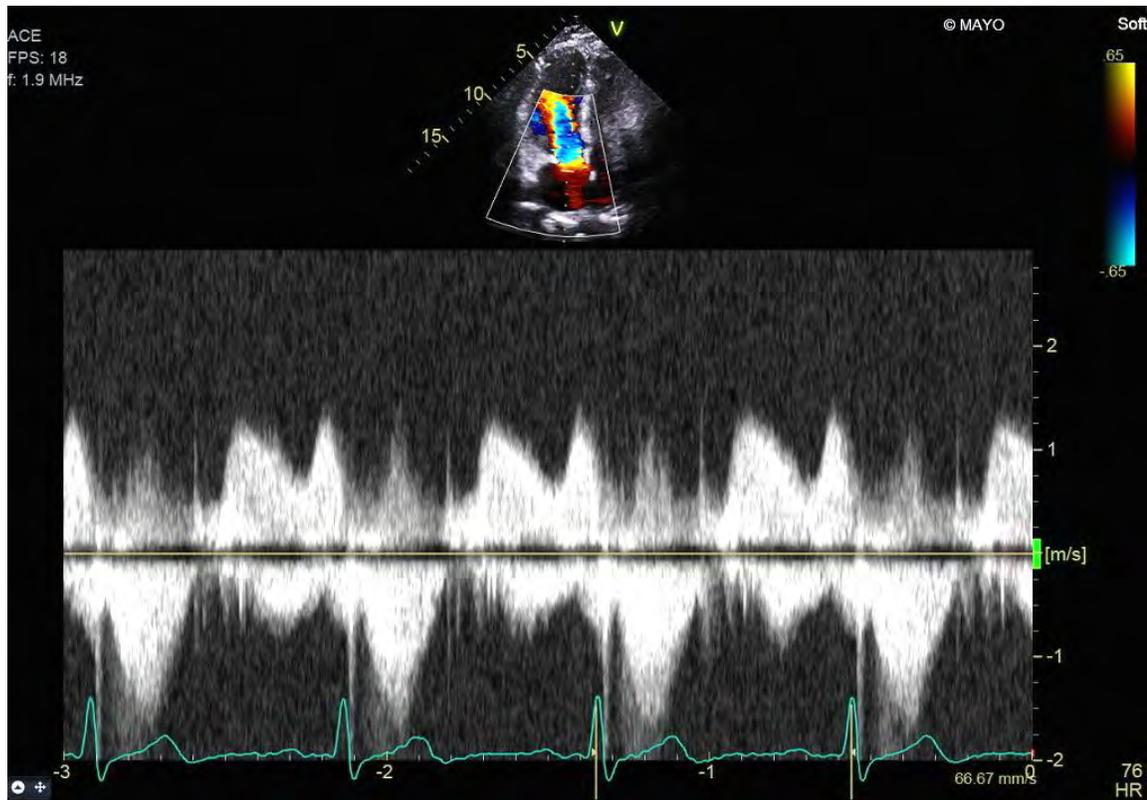


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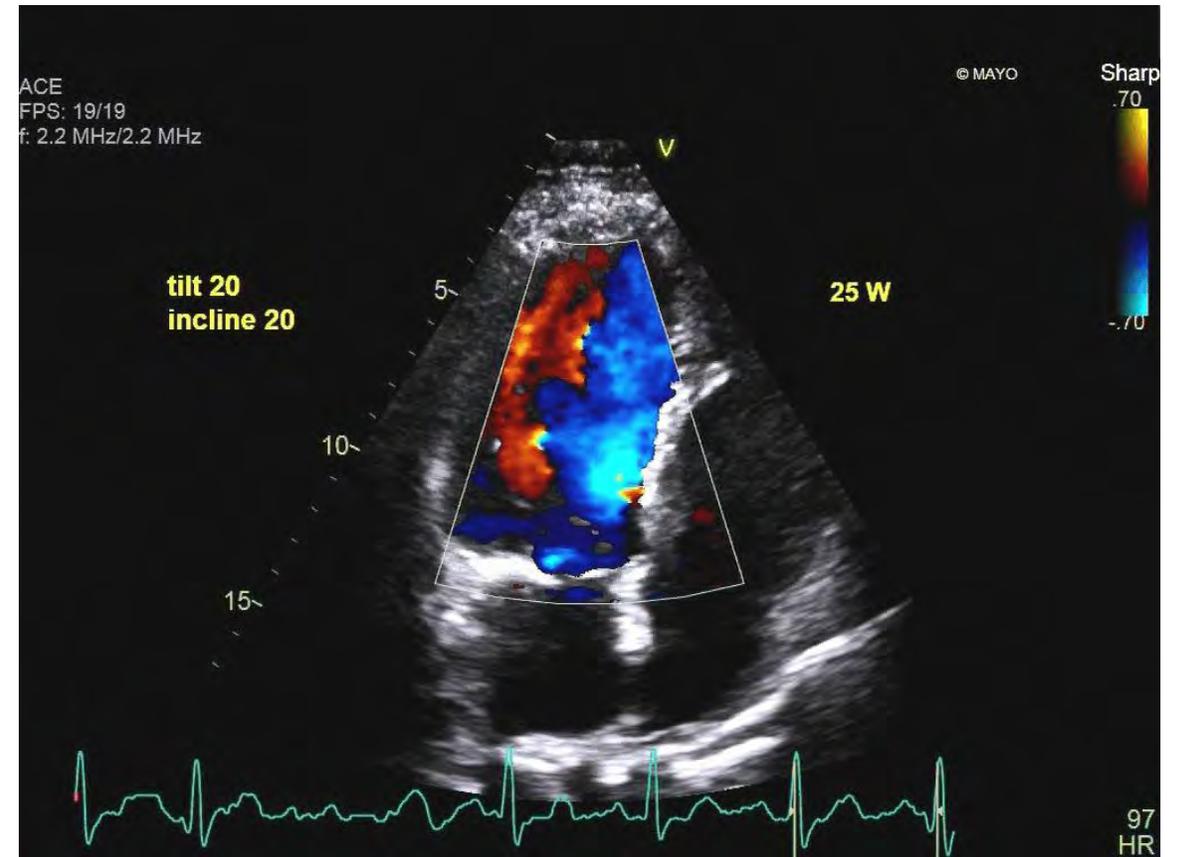
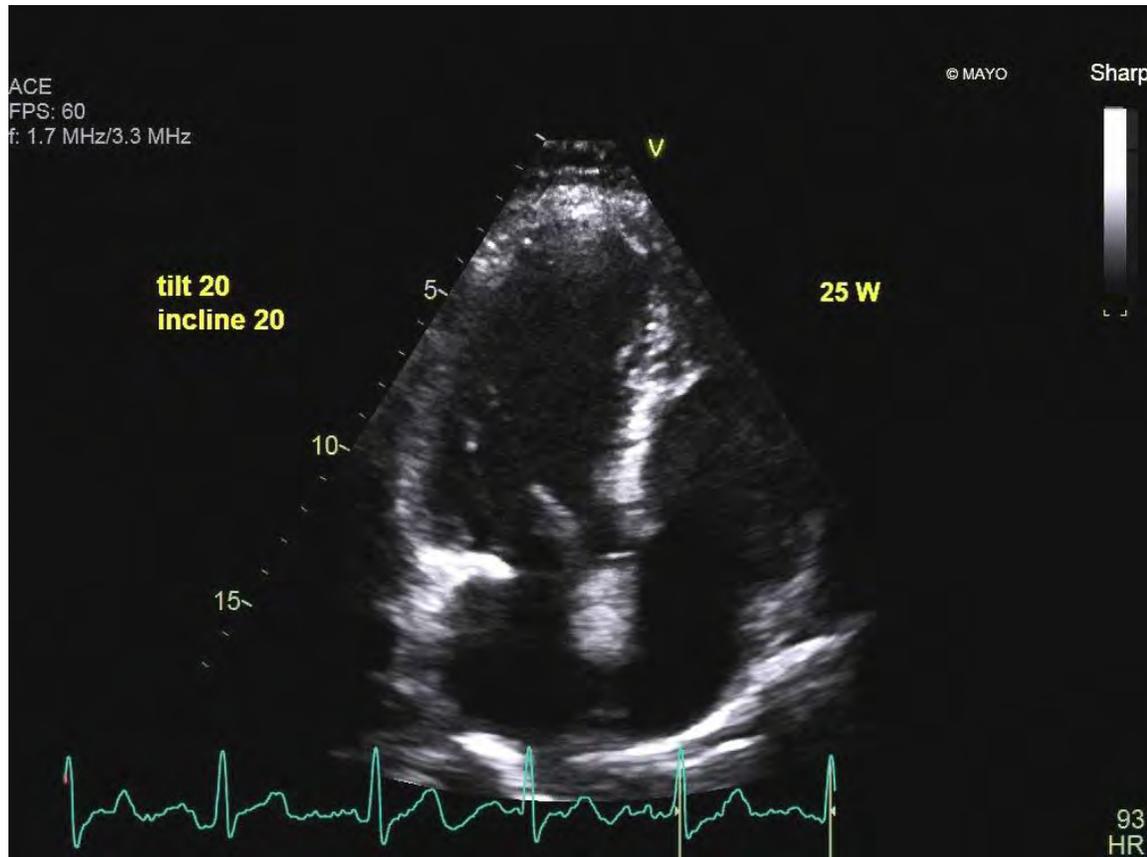
55 yo avid cyclist with exertional dyspnea after MV Repair Repeat Resting Echo



55 yo avid cyclist came to Valve Clinic Exertional Dyspnea after MV Repair in 2015

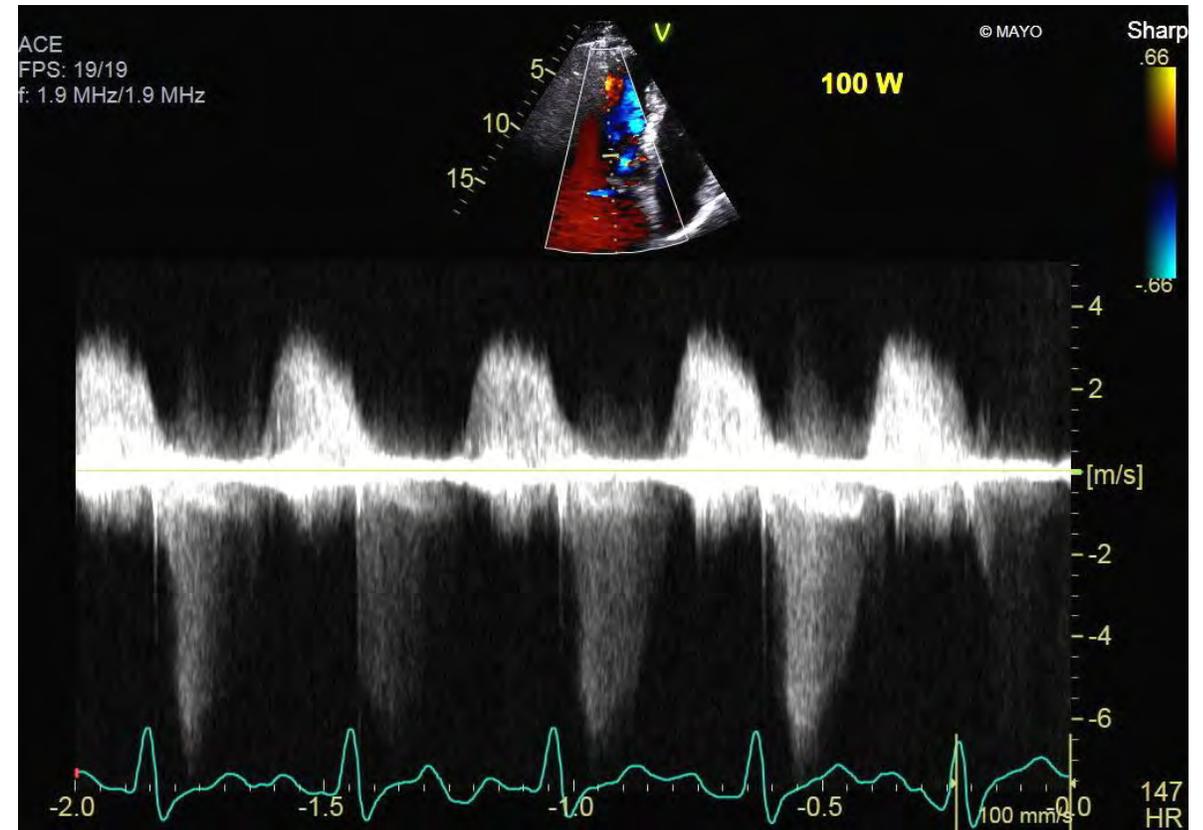
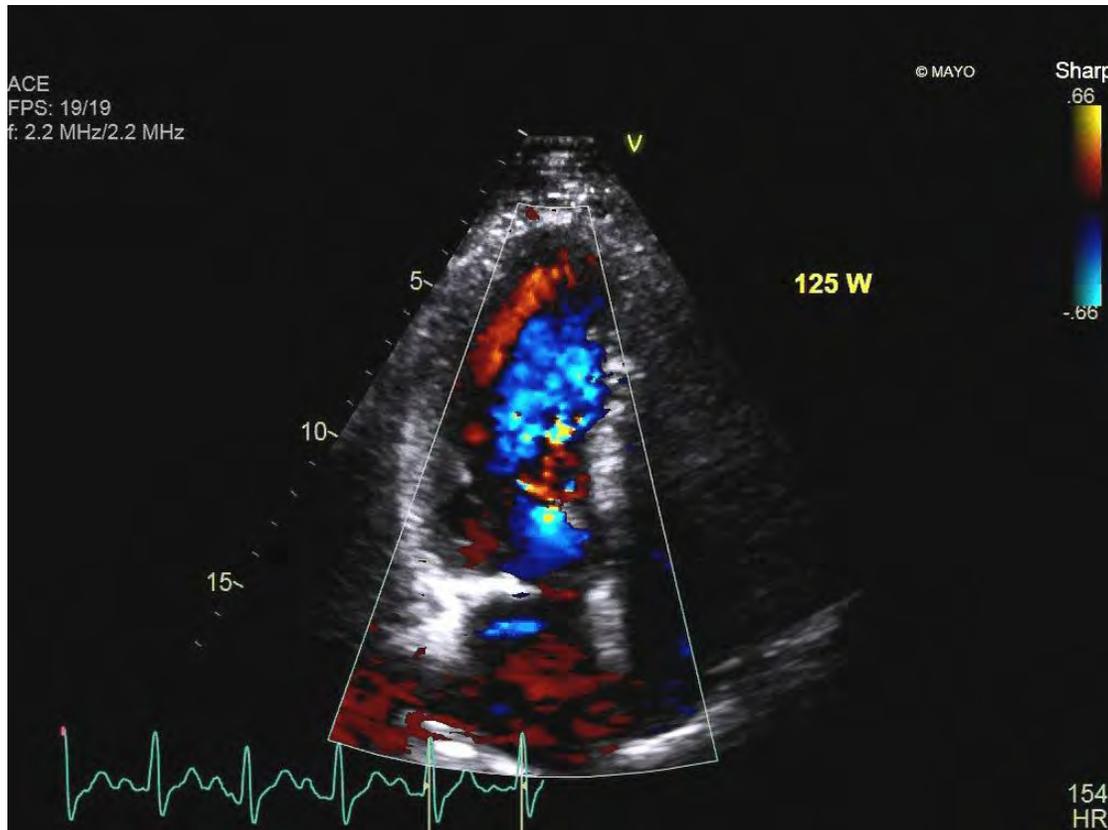


Supine Bike Exercise Echo 25W



55 yo avid cyclist with exertional dyspnea Mitral Valve Repair

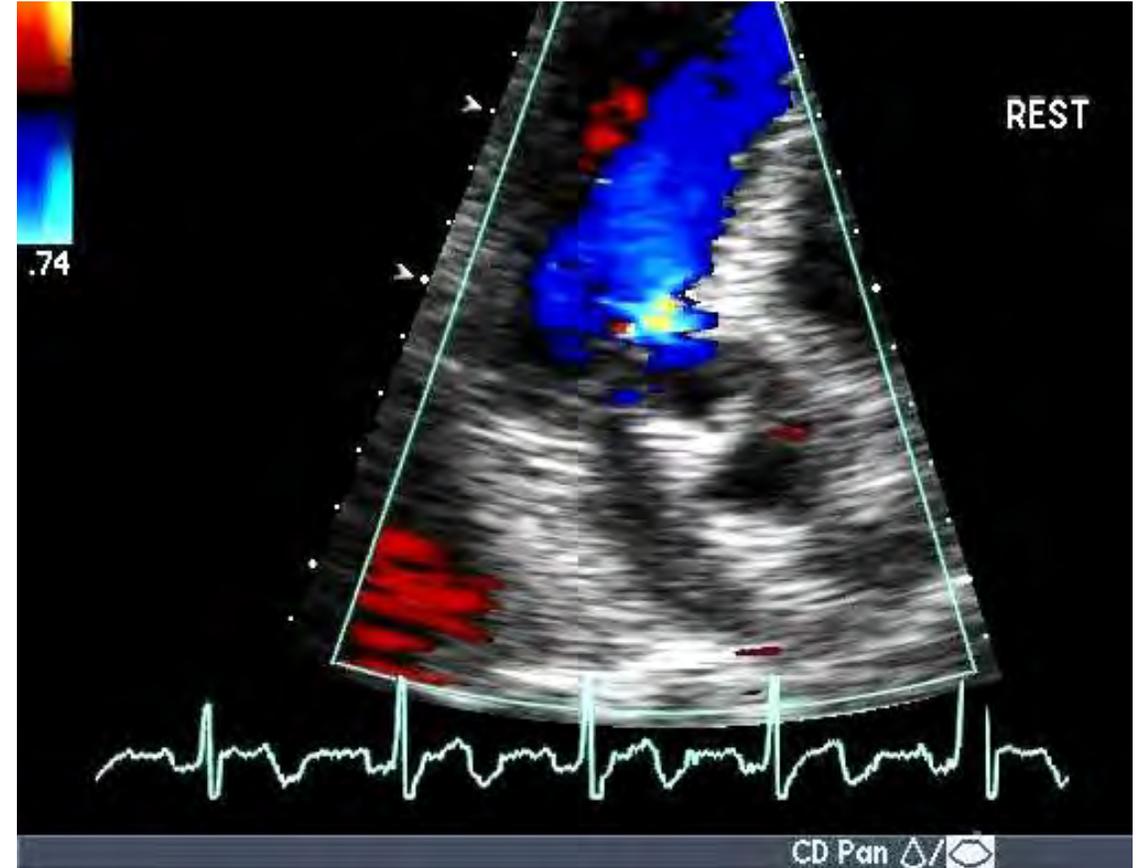
Blood Pressure = 160/80 mmHg



MR Velocity = 7 m/sec (200 mmHg)
How severe is LVOT obstruction?

82 year old man with dyspnea

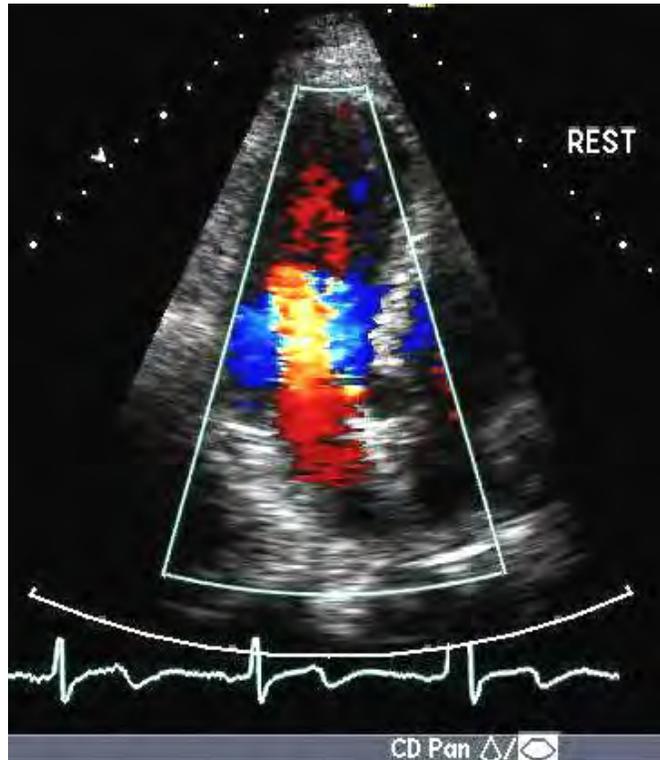
Soon after treated for hypertension



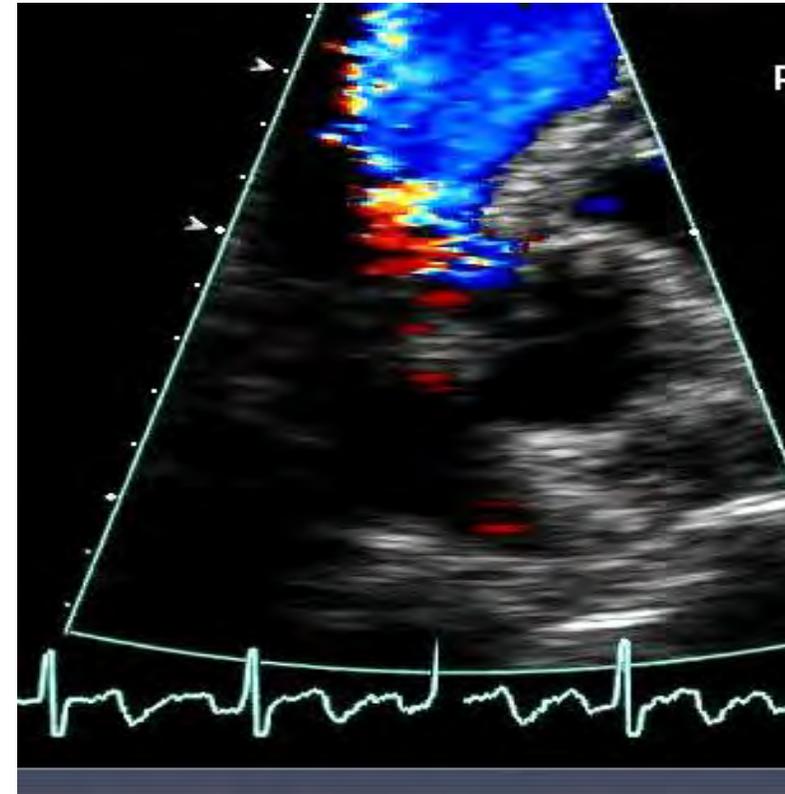
Normal coronary angiogram and stress test

Before and After Exercise

Resting

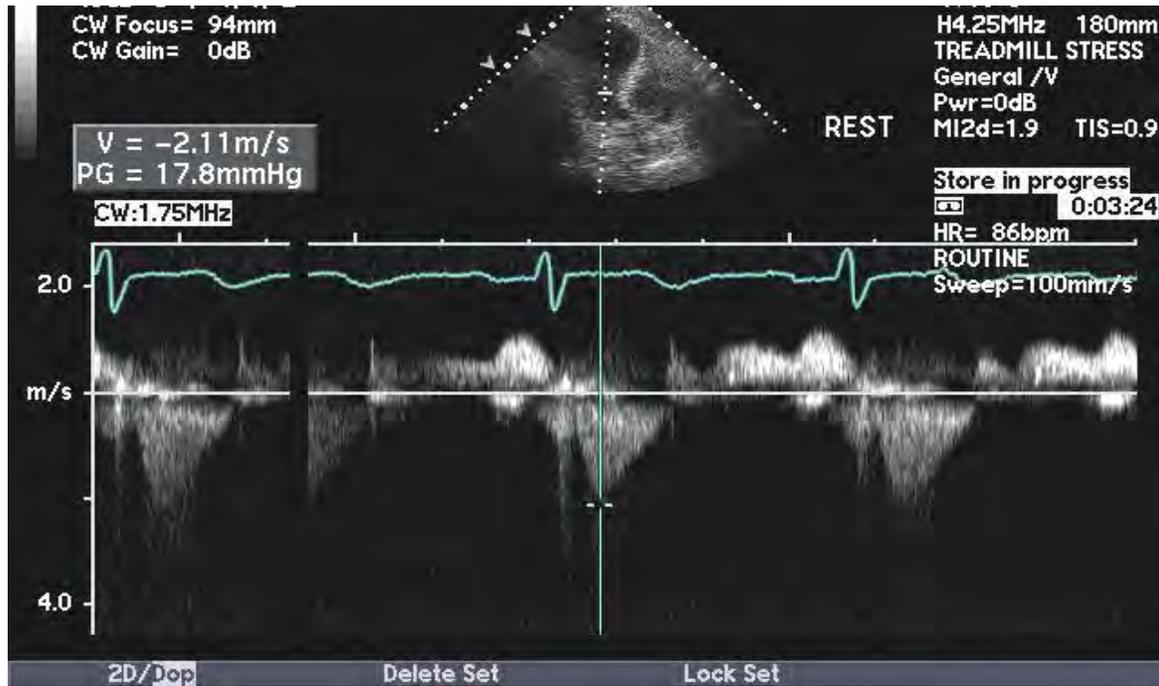


Exercise

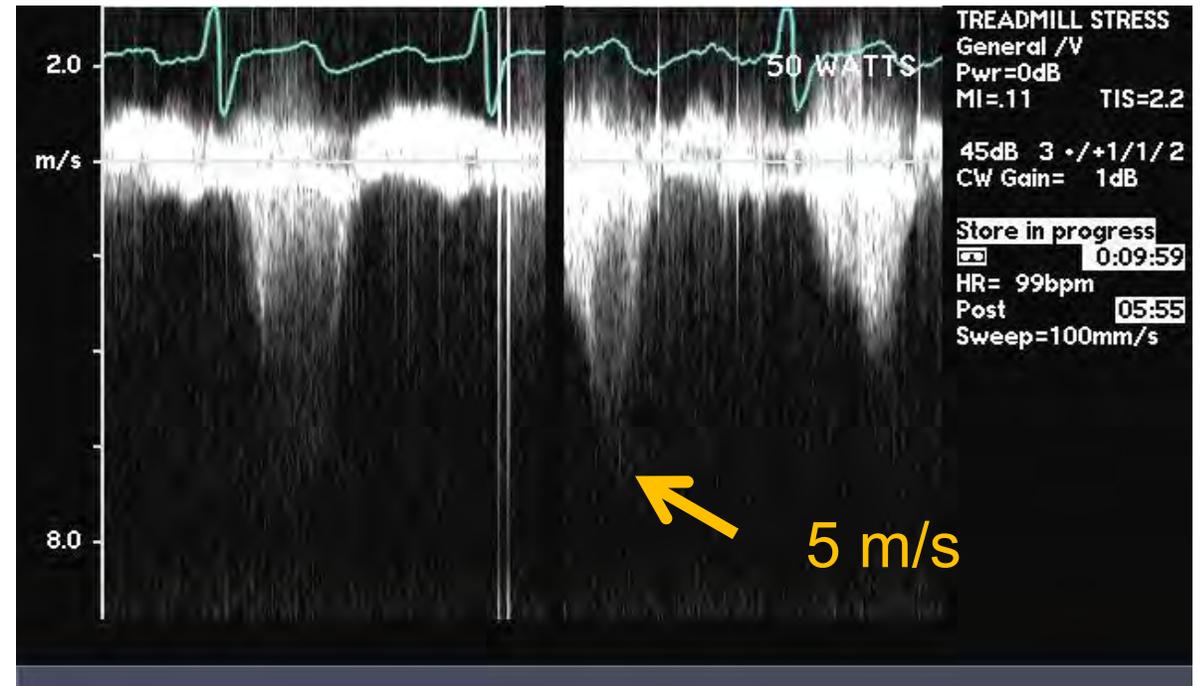


What is the mechanism ?

LVOT gradient before and after exercise

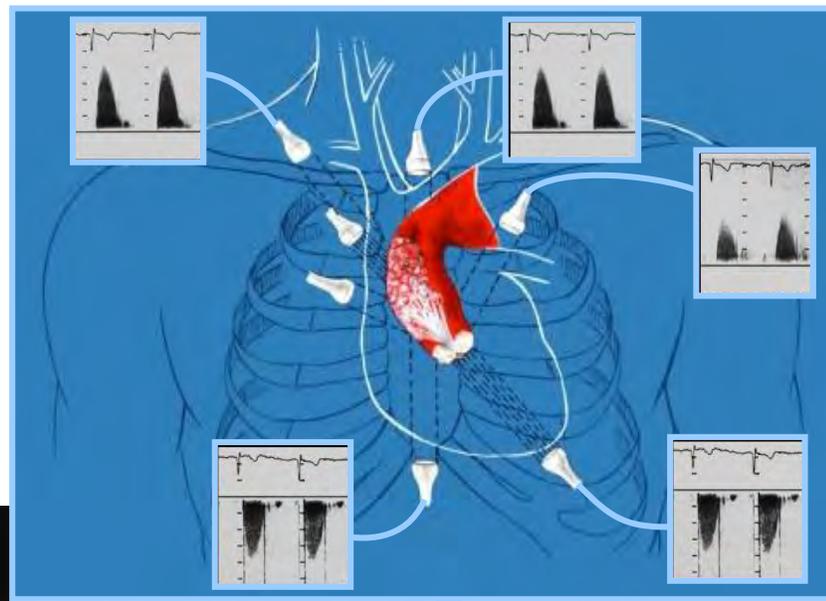
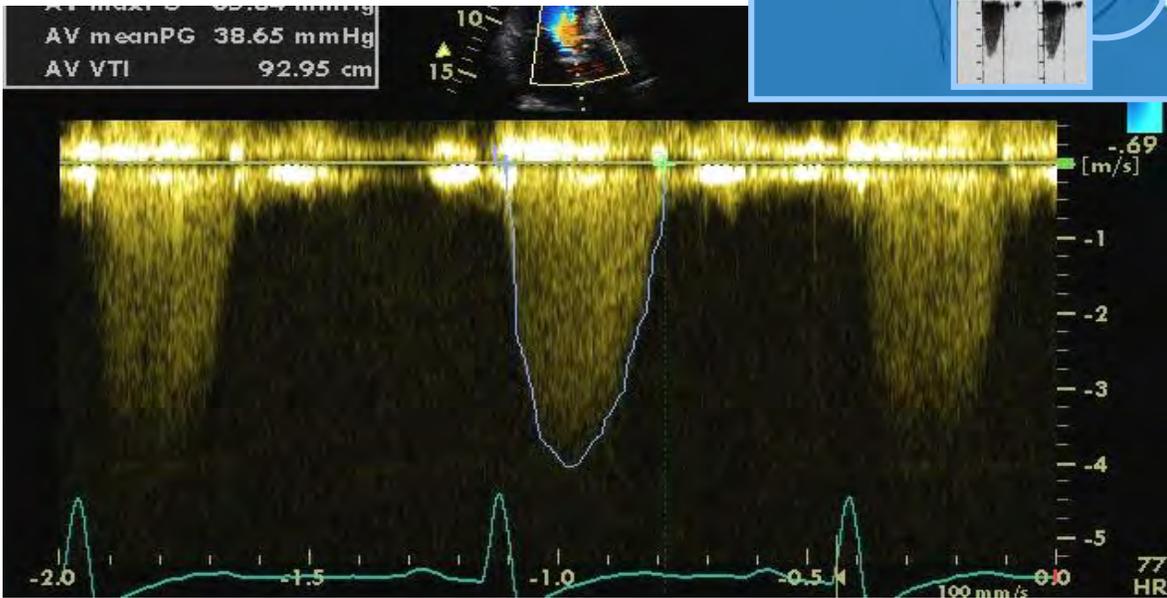


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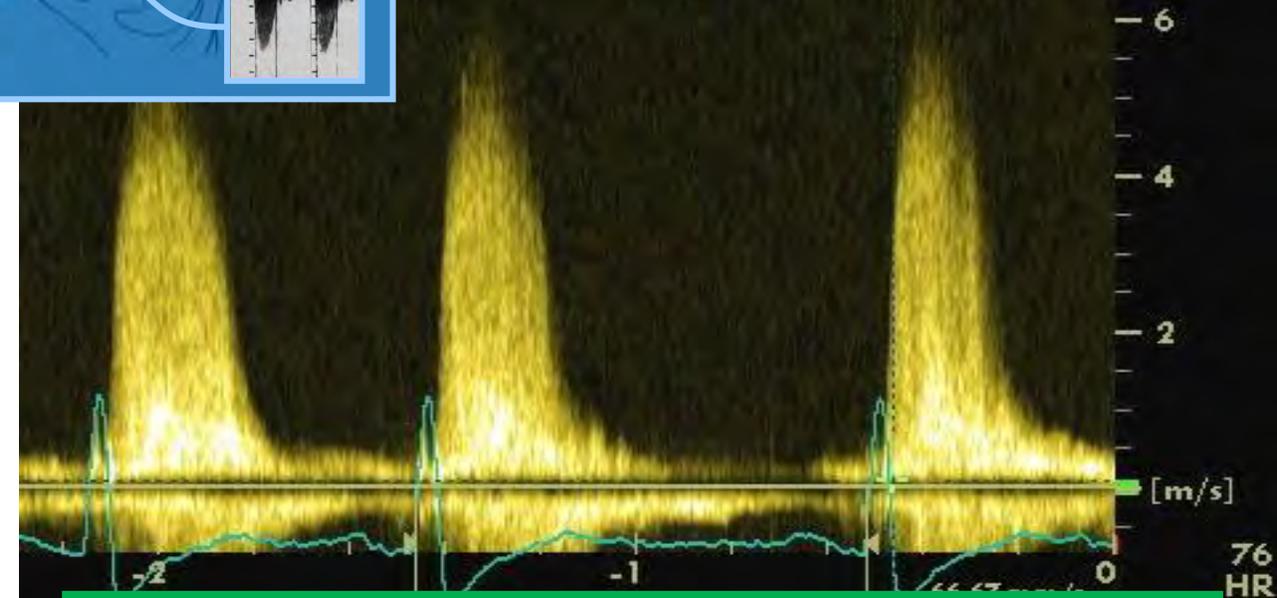


Exercise

Apical Window



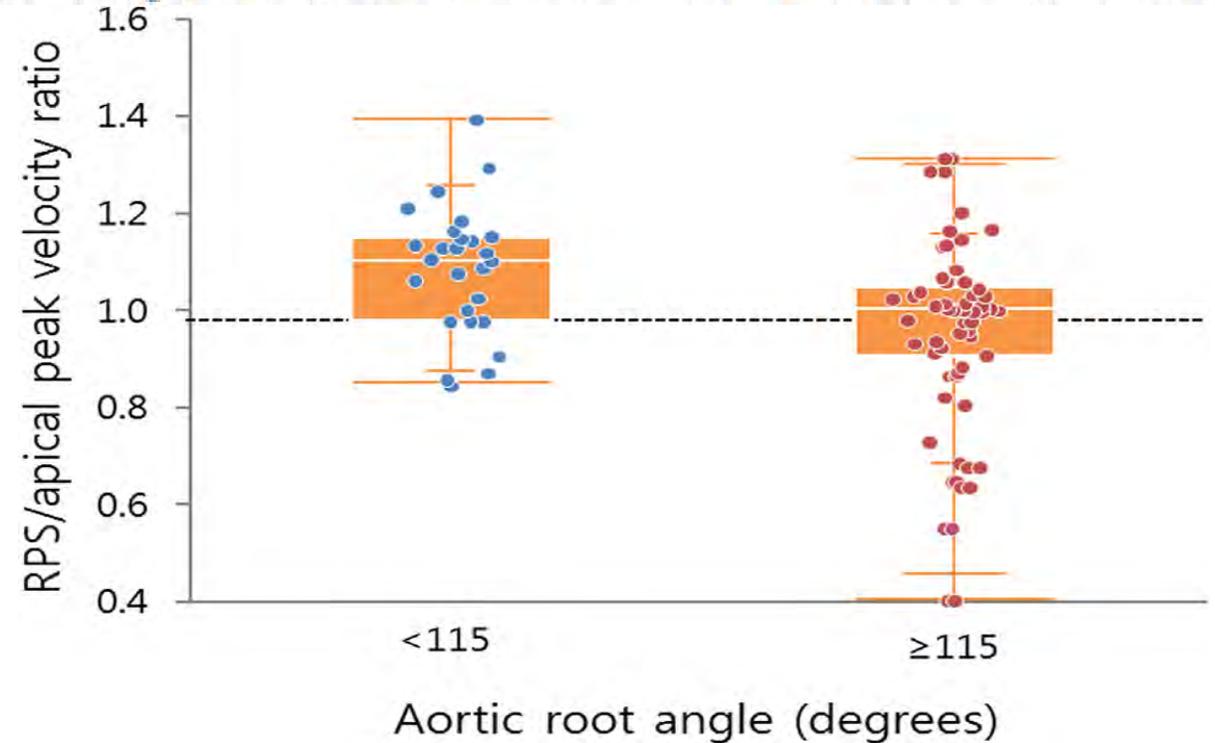
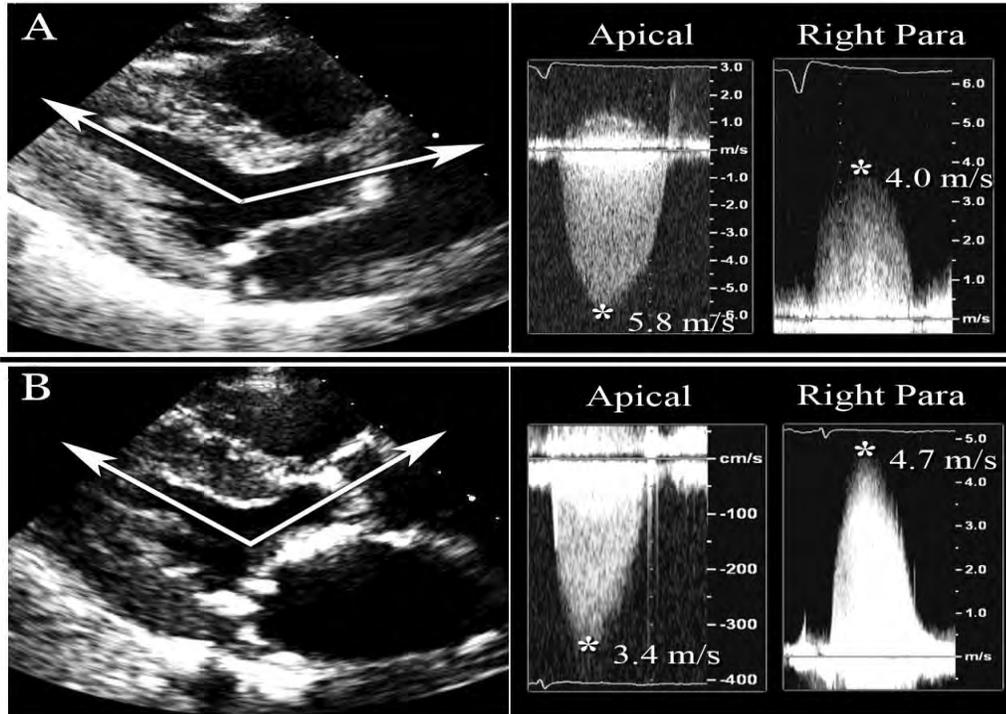
Right Parasternal



Doppler Imaging in Aortic Stenosis: The Importance of the Nonapical Imaging Windows to Determine Severity in a Contemporary Cohort

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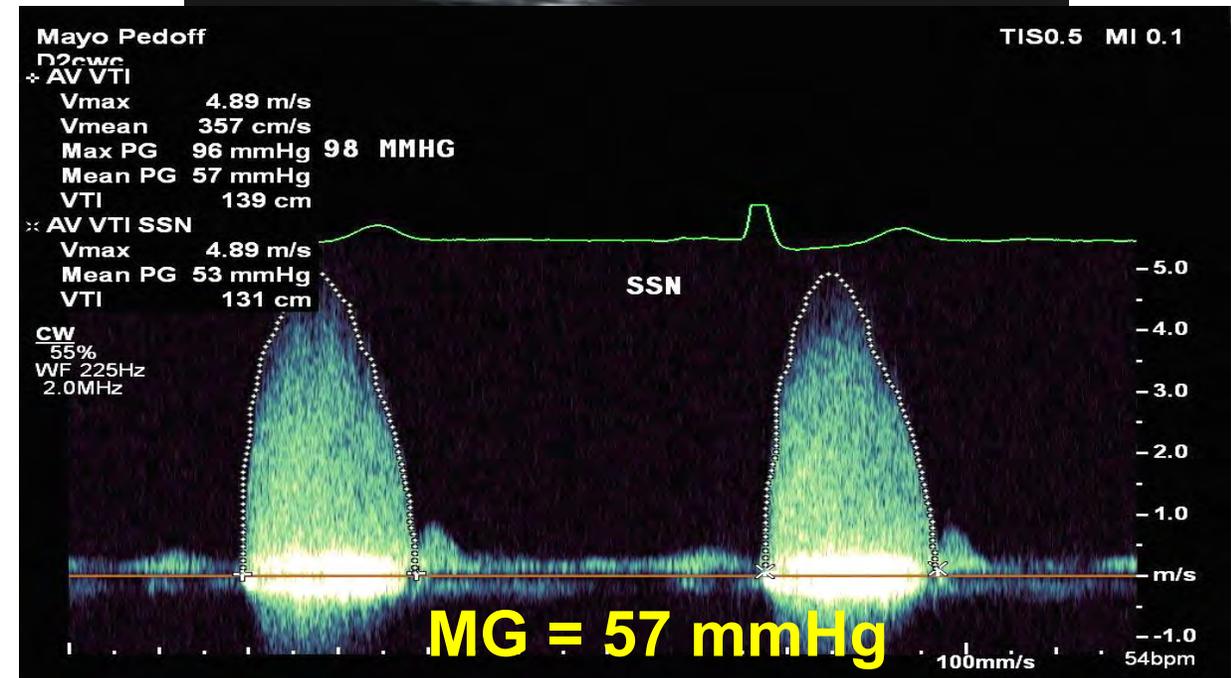
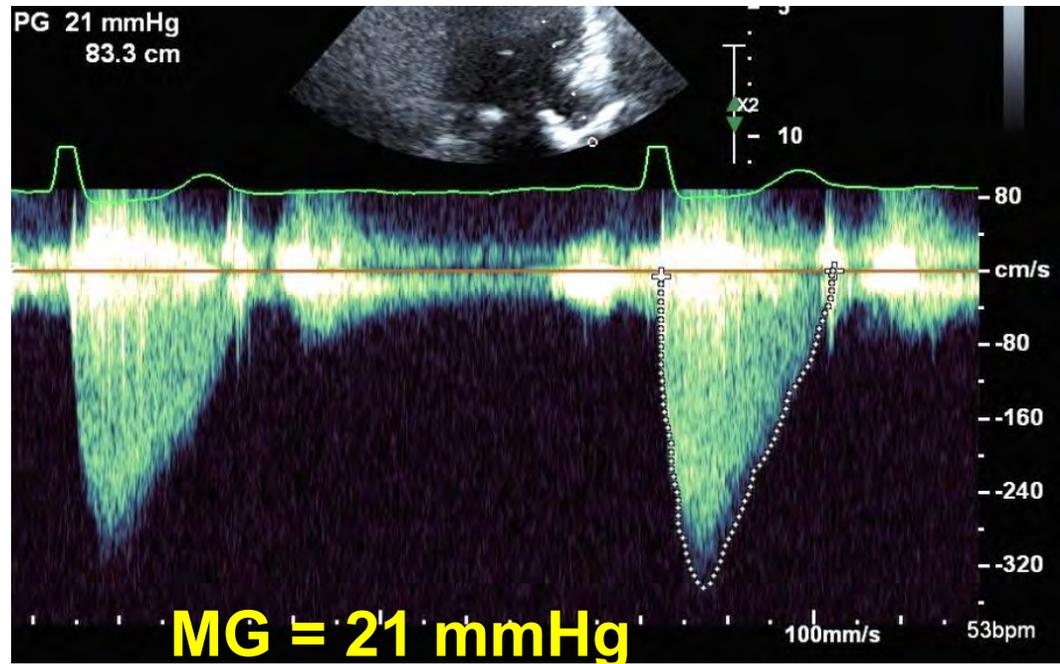
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- The highest AV velocity comes from RPS in 50%
- If the angle < 115 degree, it is from RPS in 67%
- AS is underestimated in 15% if only apex is used

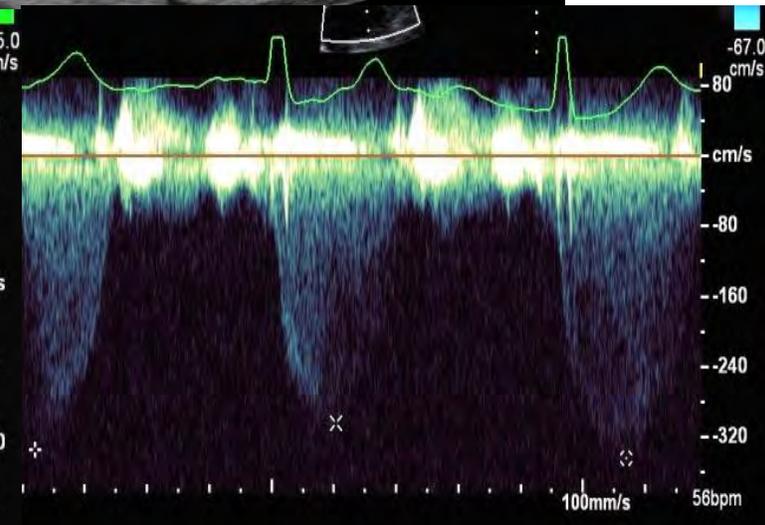
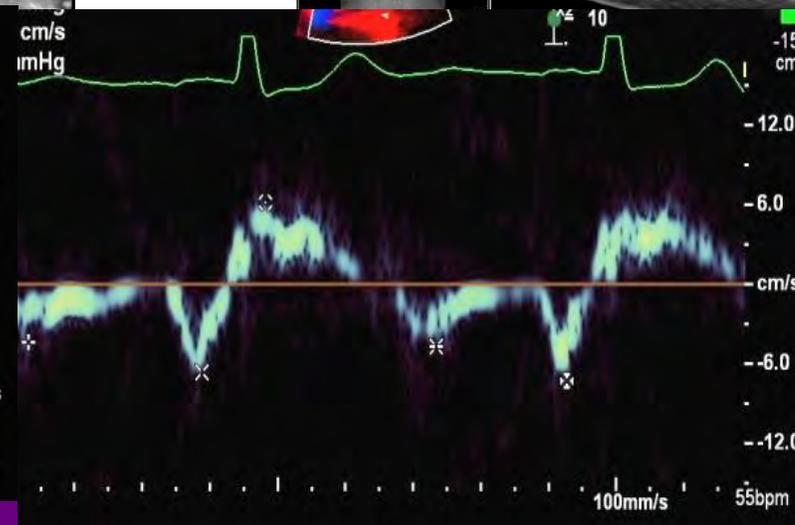
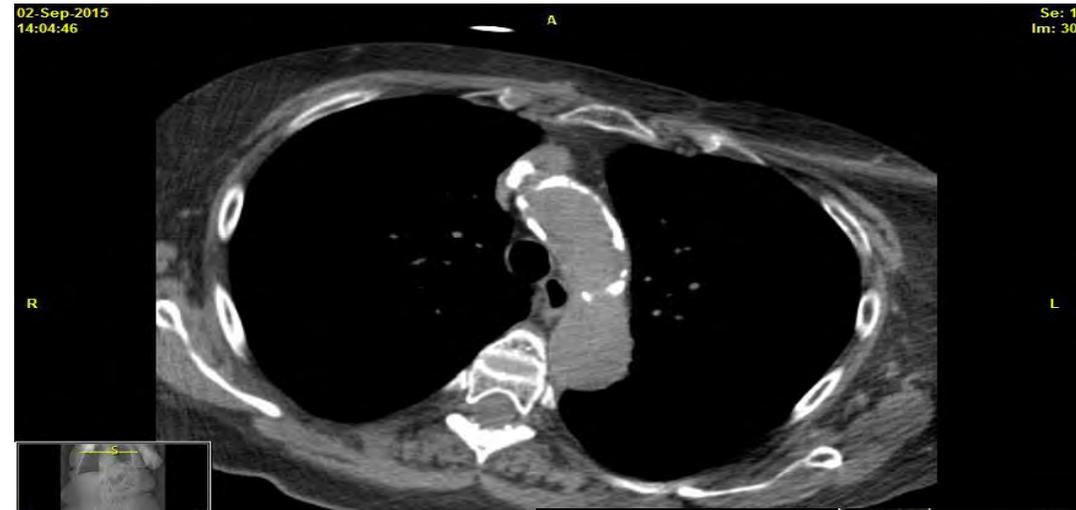
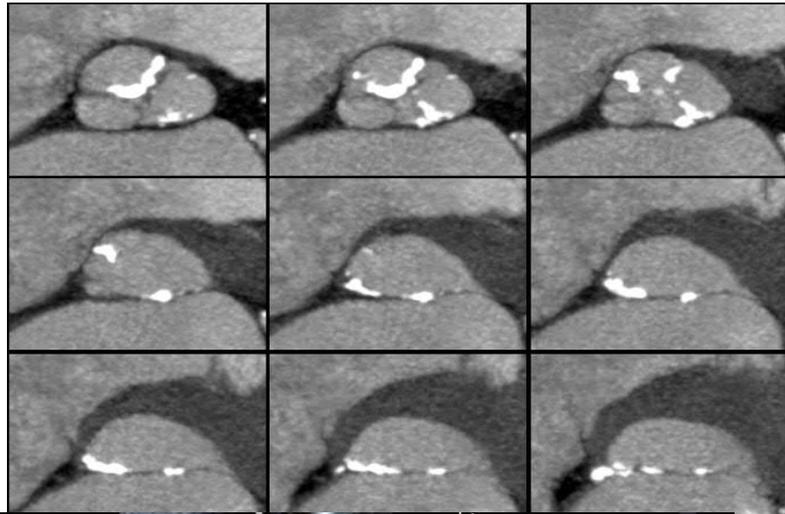
Case #19

A caution ! 76 year old man with dyspnea and murmur

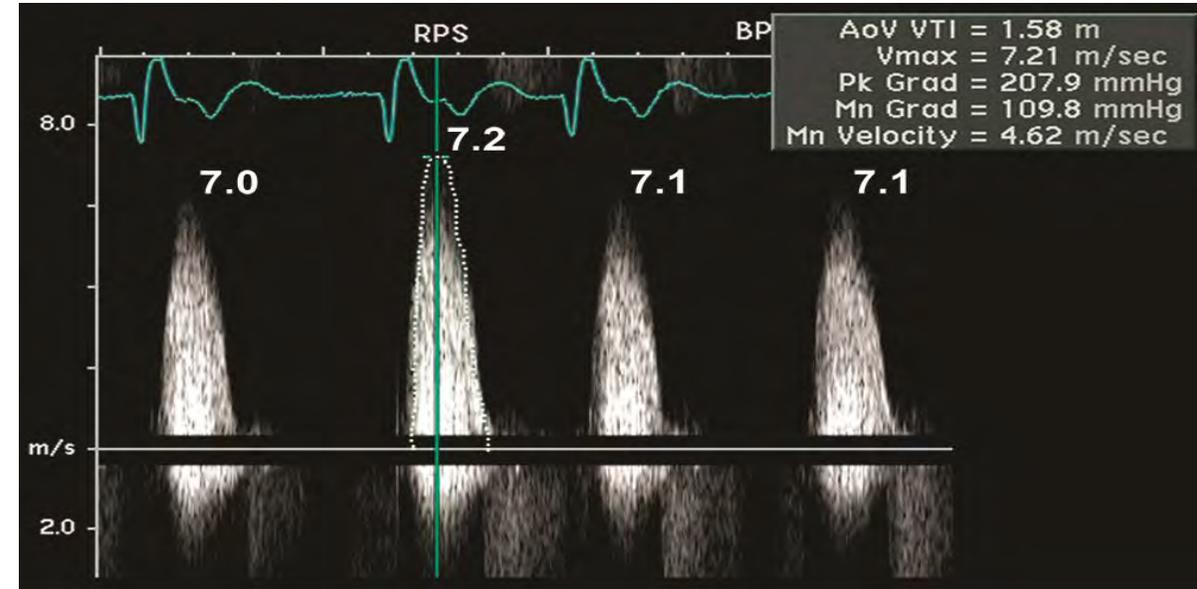
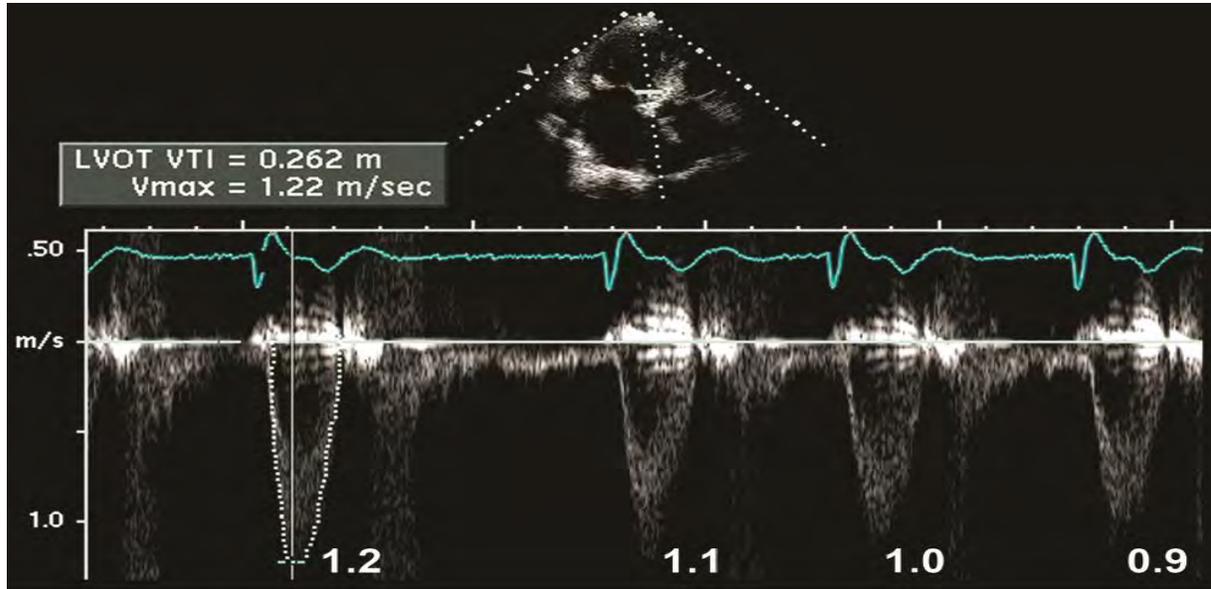


Cath MG = 20 mmHg

76 yo woman with dyspnea and hypertension. Moderate AS, Subclavian Art Stenosis Diastolic Dysfunction



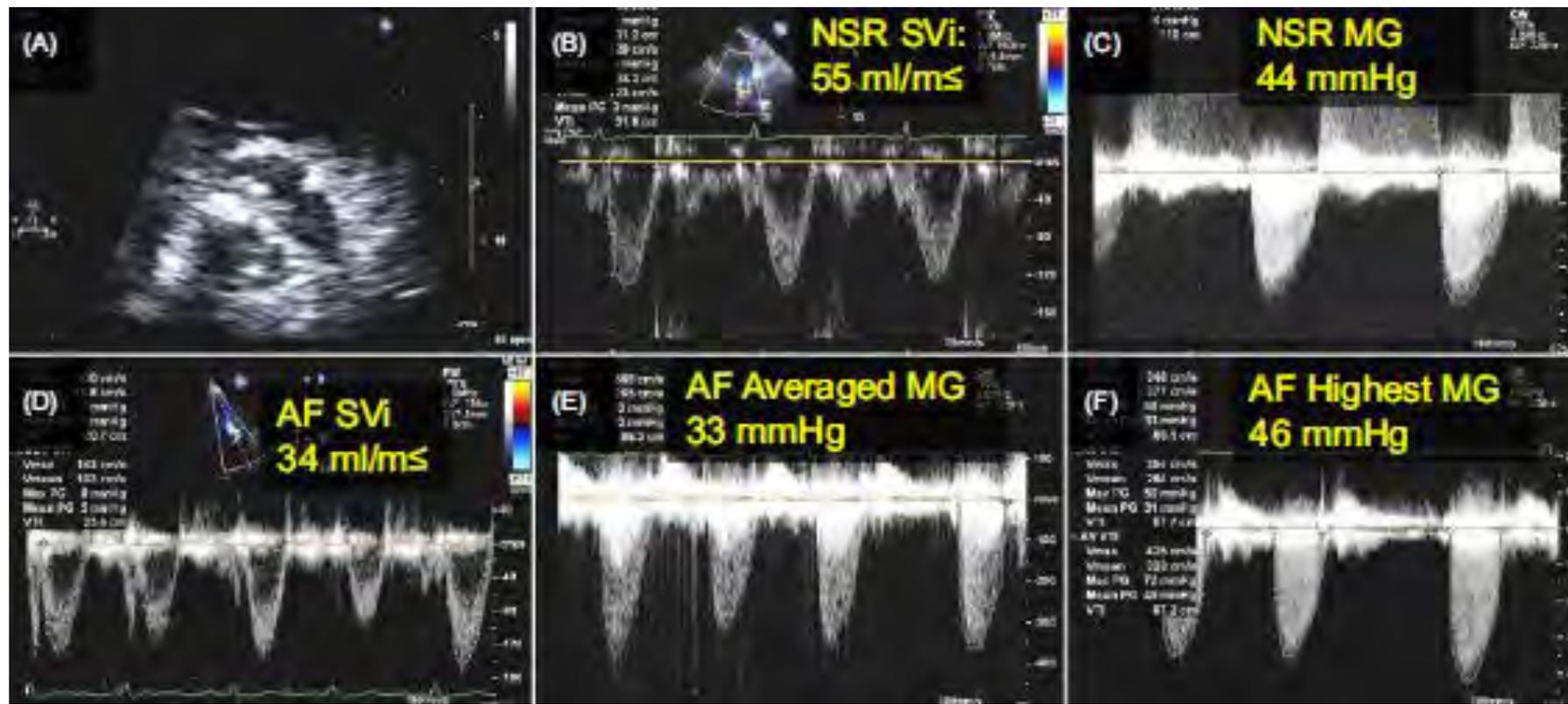
Atrial Fibrillation and Aortic Stenosis



- Average 3-5 cycles for LVOT and AV
- Match up
- Just pick the highest LVOT and AV velocity

Aortic valve hemodynamics in atrial fibrillation: Should the highest Doppler signal be used to estimate severity of aortic stenosis?

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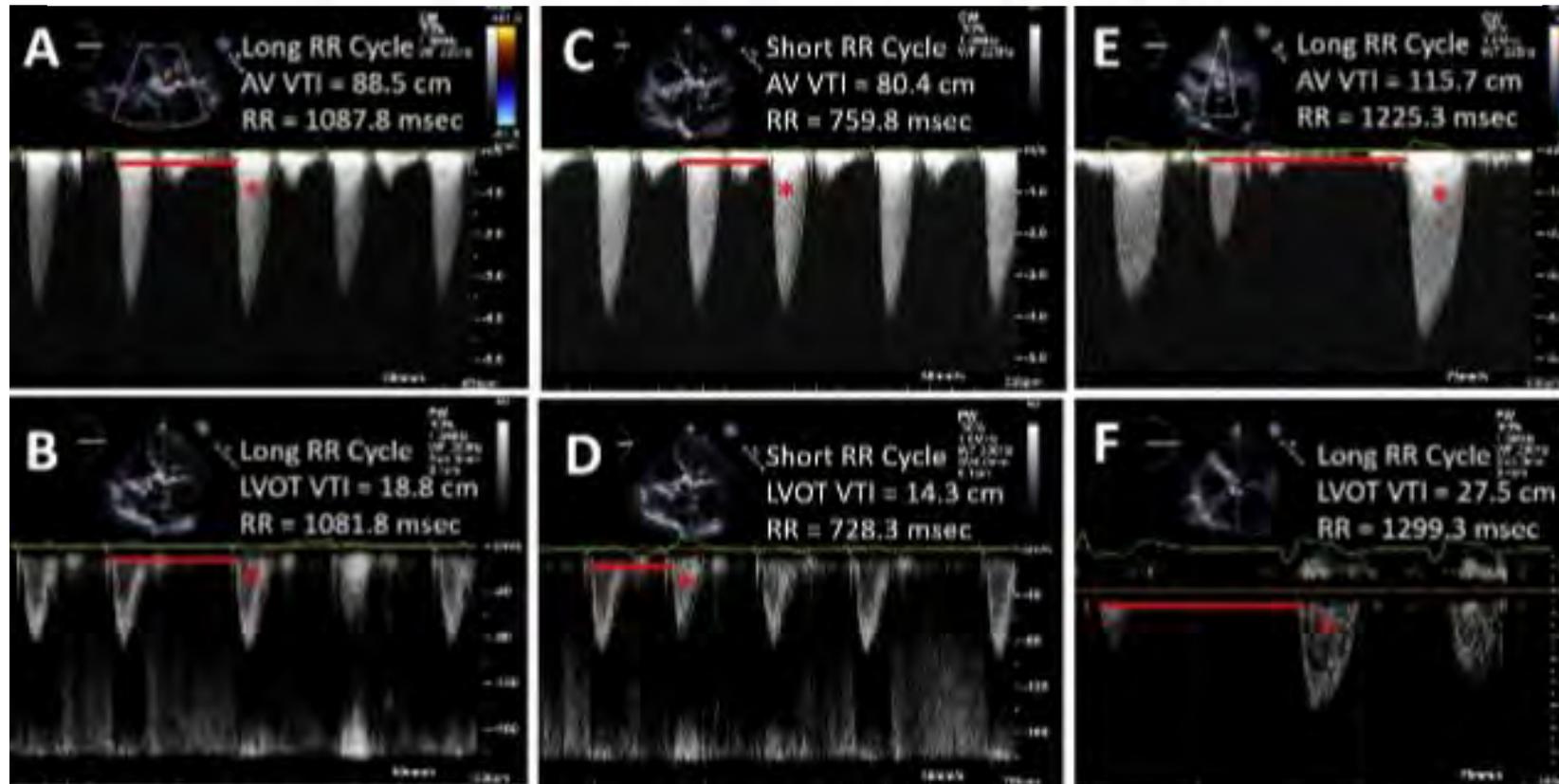


AORTIC STENOSIS

Accuracy of the Single Cycle Length Method for Calculation of Aortic Effective Orifice Area in Irregular Heart Rhythms

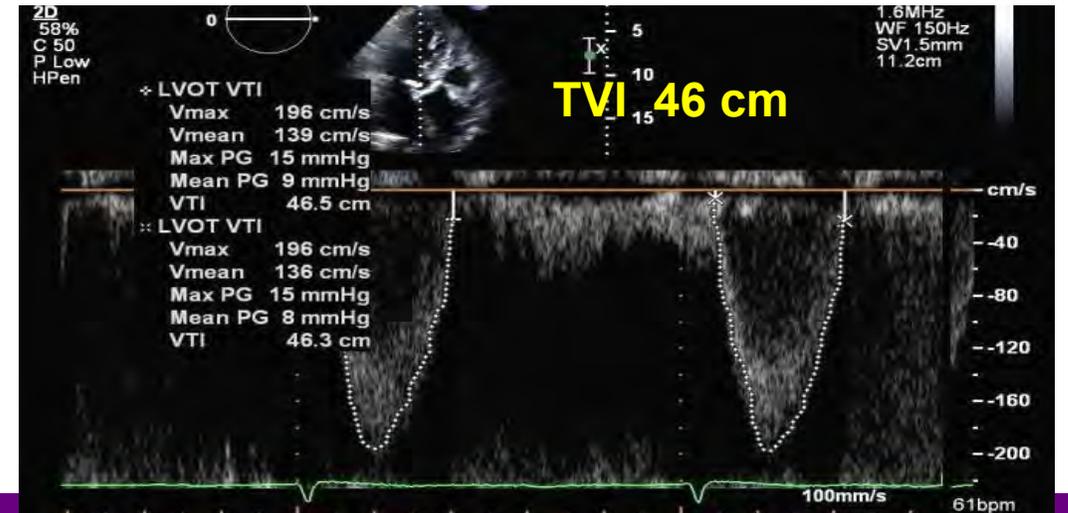
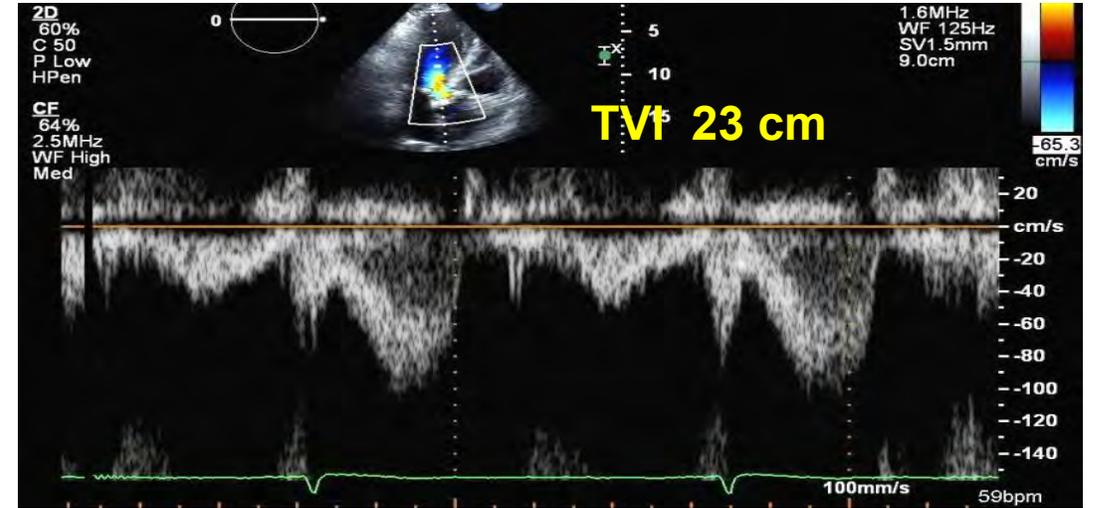


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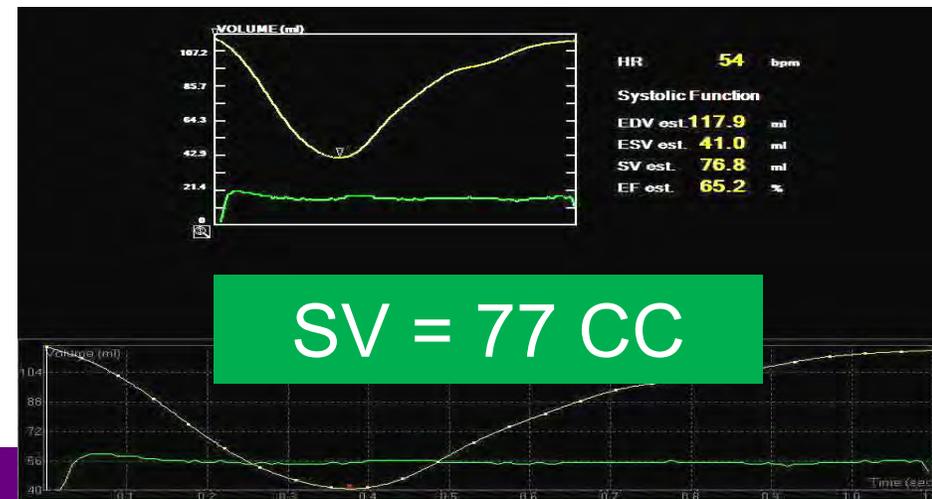
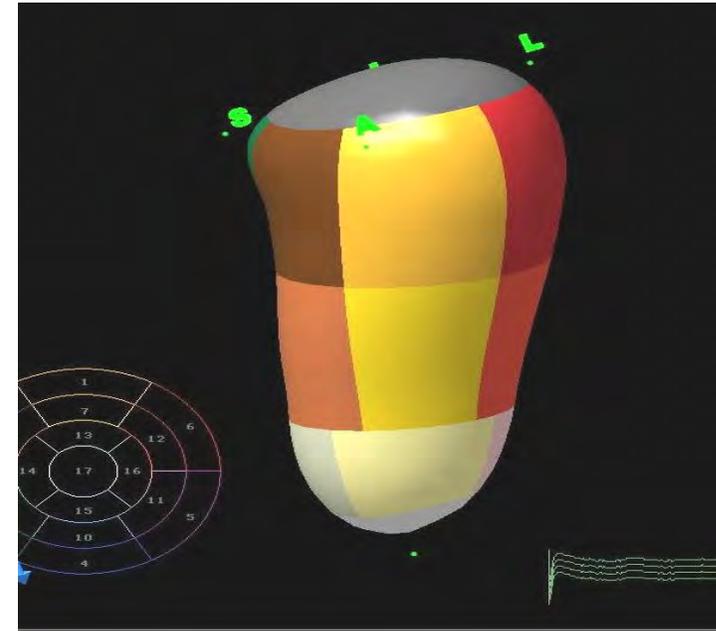
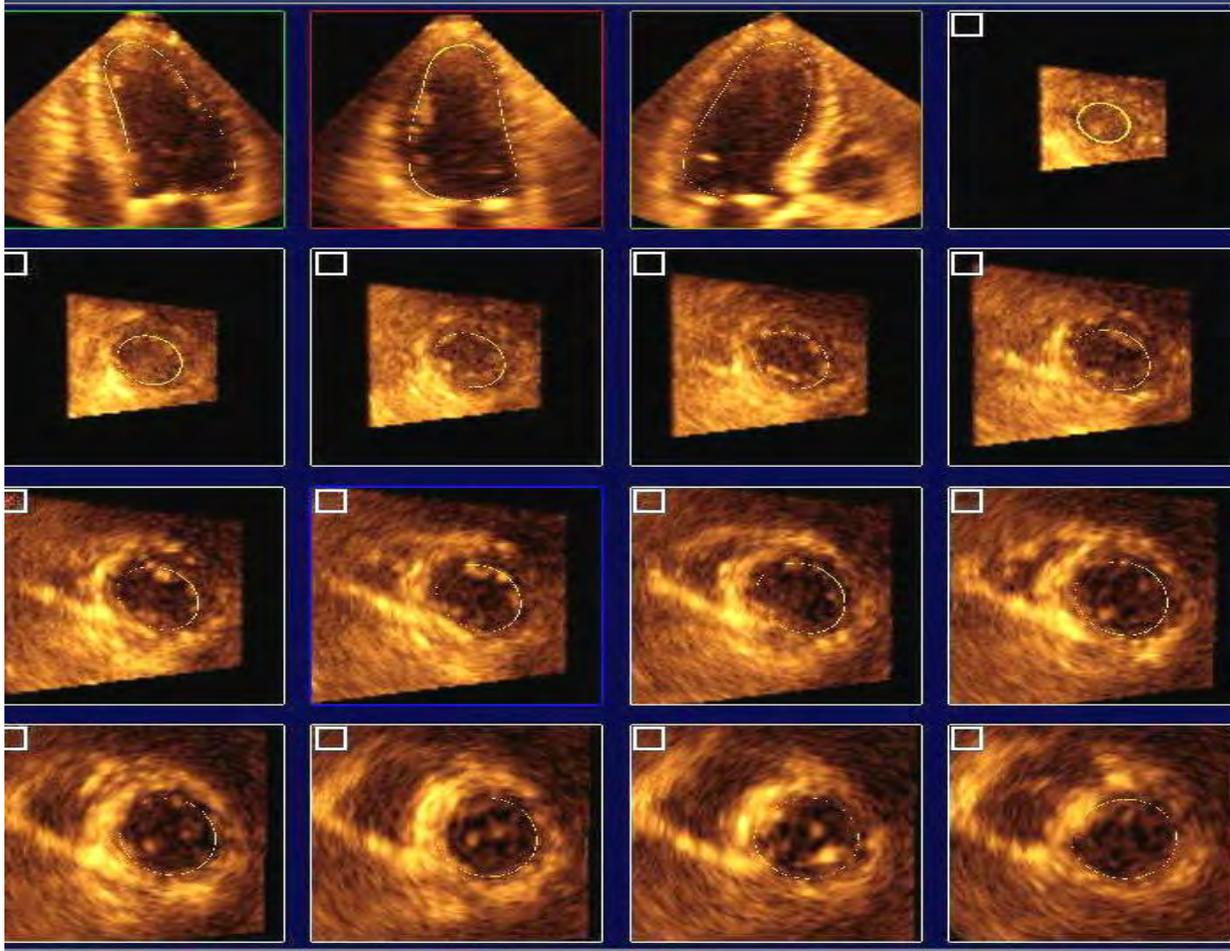


Case #21 14 yo man with dyspnea and murmur

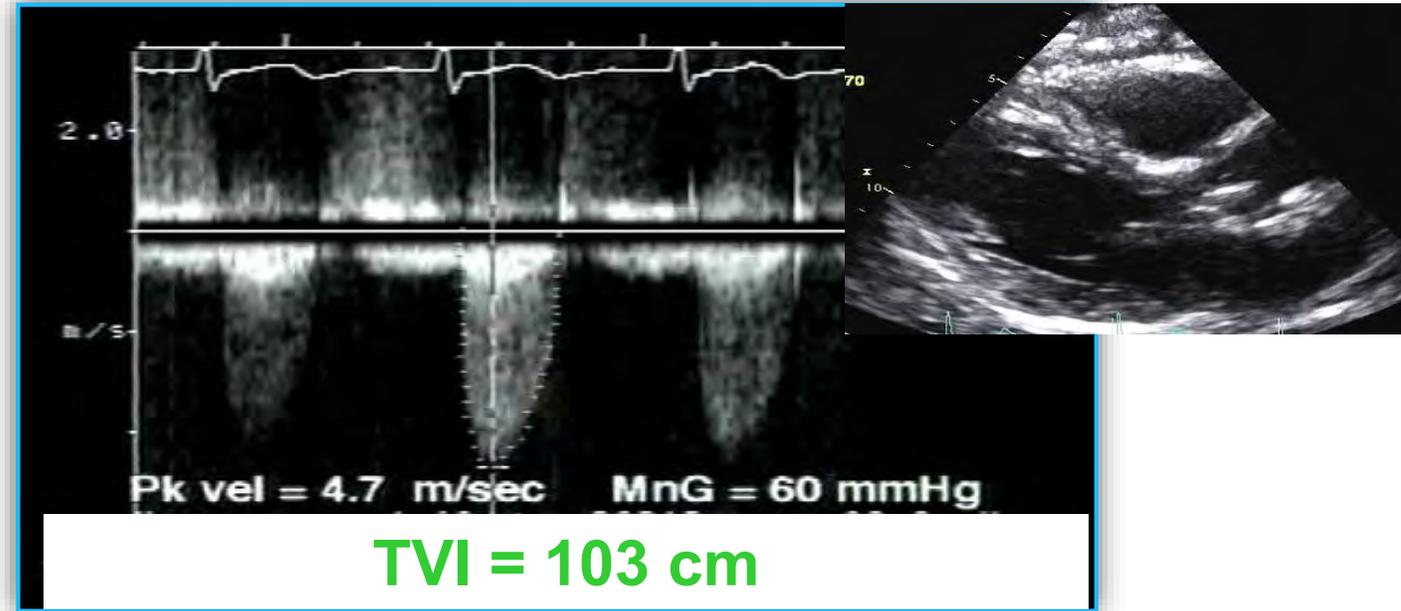
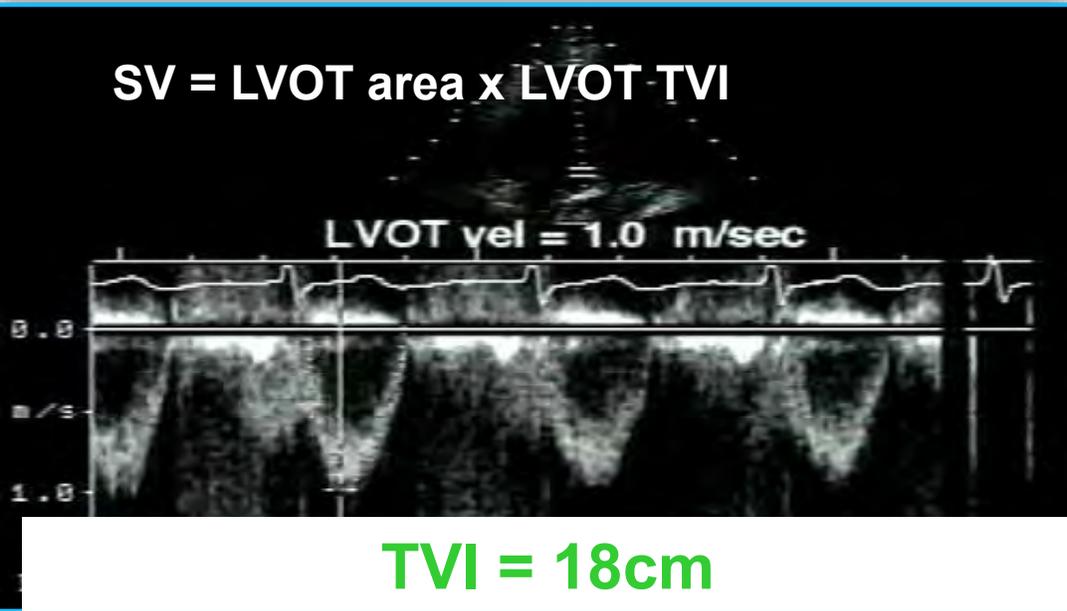
Aortic stenosis and SAM



RT3DE: Stroke Volume and Aortic Stenosis



67-Year-Old Completely Asymptomatic Man

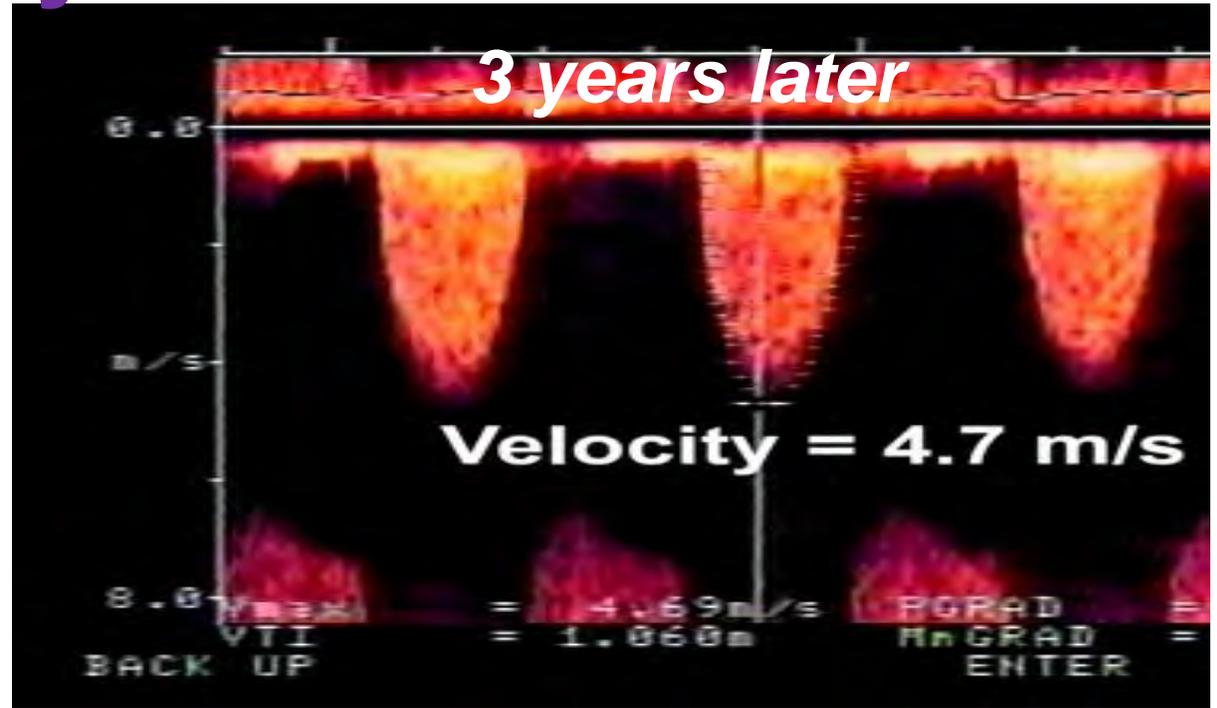
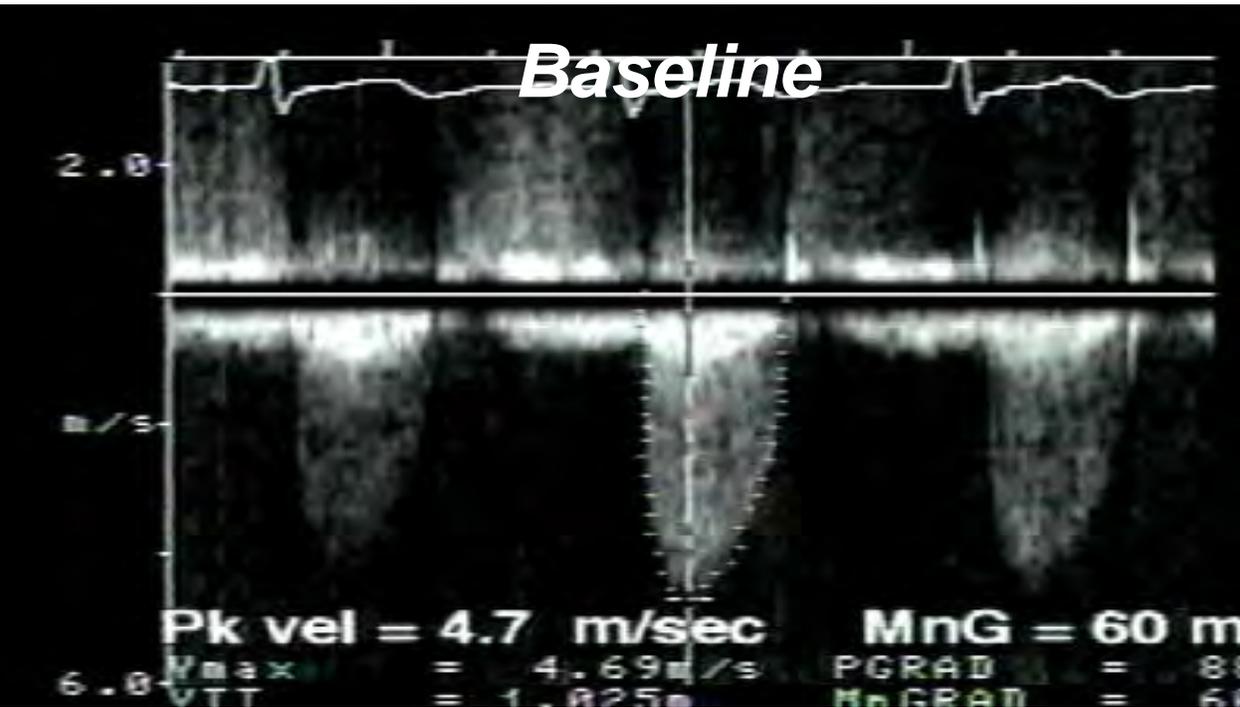


- a. **Follow-up in 6 months**
- b. **Cardiac catheterization**
- c. **Exercise test**
- d. **AVR**

LVOT diameter 2.1 cm
AV vel = 4.7 m/sec
Mean gradient 60 mm Hg
LVOT TVI/ AV TVI = 0.21 AVA = 0.6 cm²

$$AVA = \text{Stroke Volume} / \text{AV TVI}$$

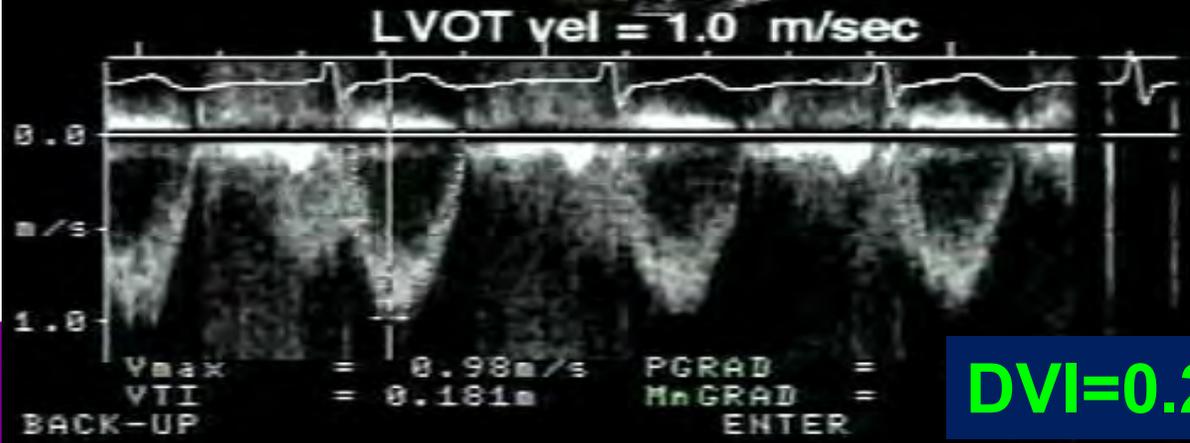
He returns 3 years later



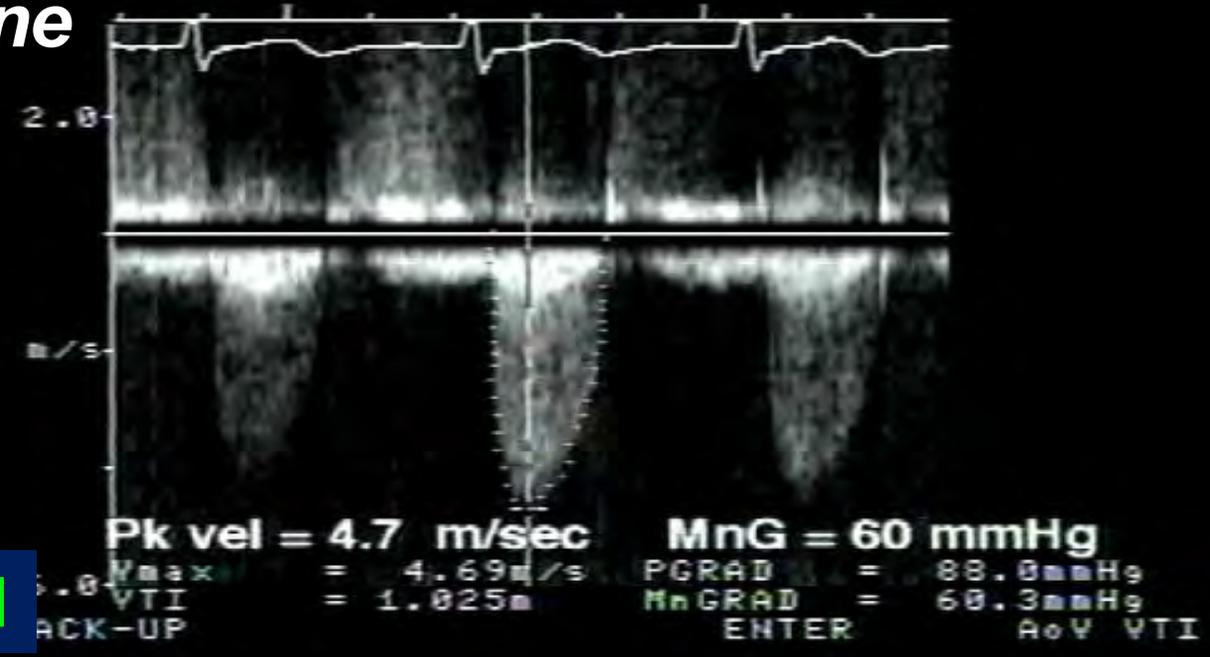
1. **Follow up in 3 yrs**
2. **Exercise**
3. **Cath**
4. **AVR**

Baseline

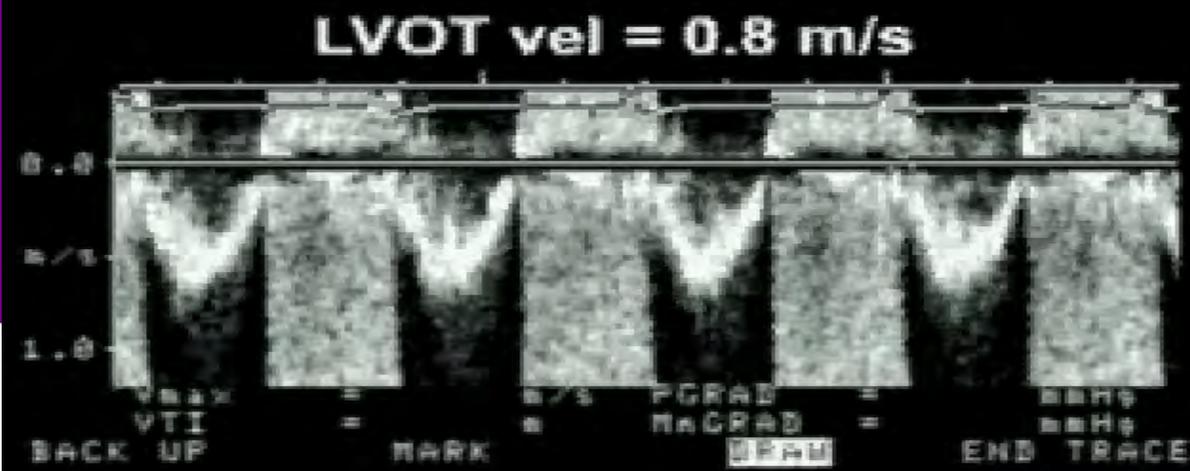
$$A_{AV} = A_{LVOT} \times TVI_{LVOT} / TVI_{AV}$$



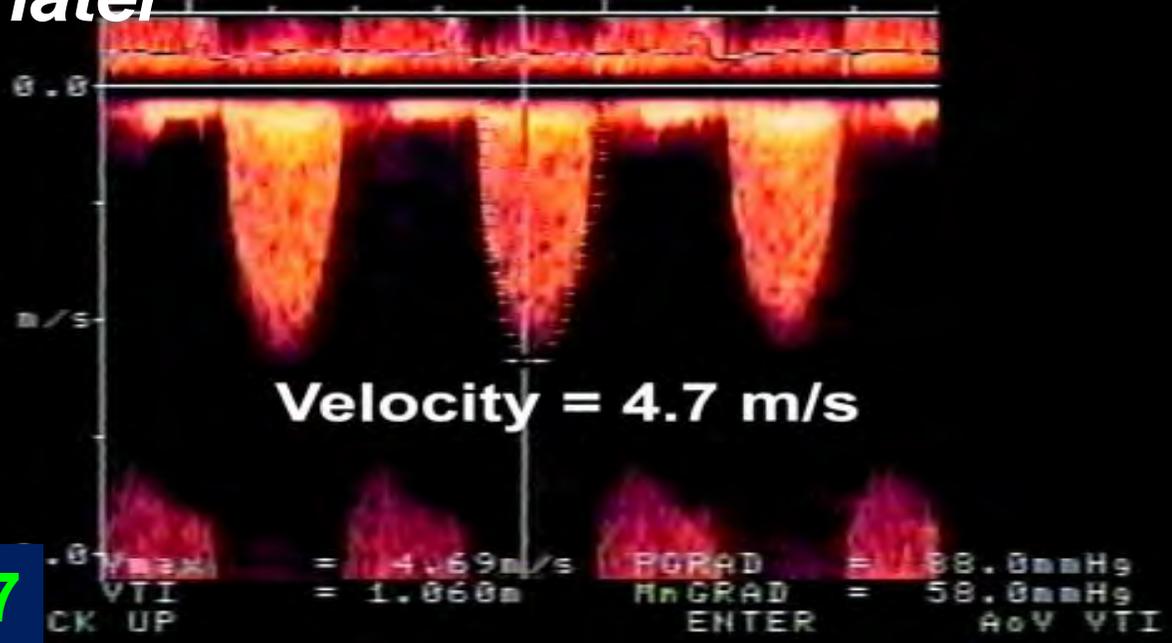
DVI=0.21



3 years later



DVI=0.17

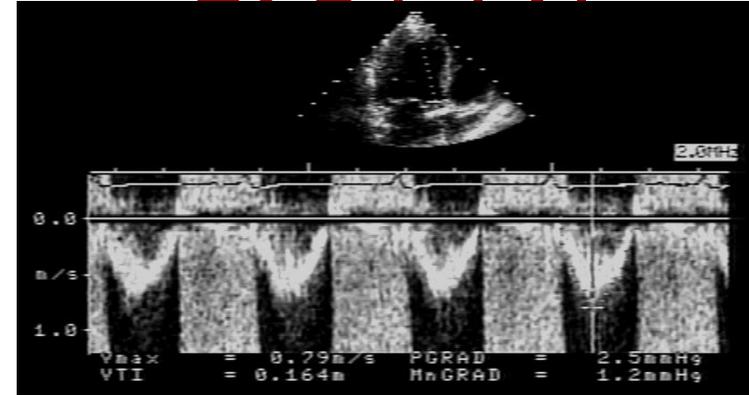


Dimensionless Velocity Index (DVI)

AV area

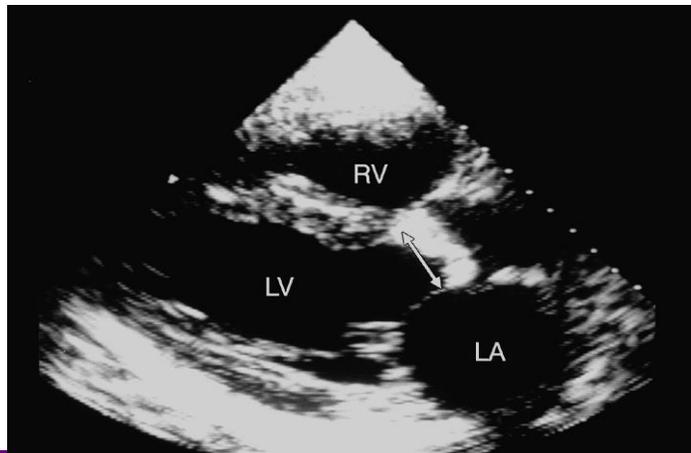


LVOT TVI

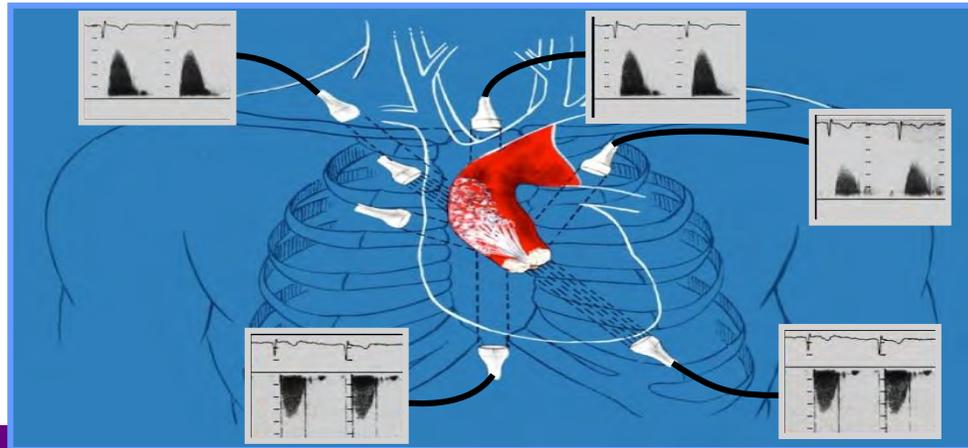


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LVOT area



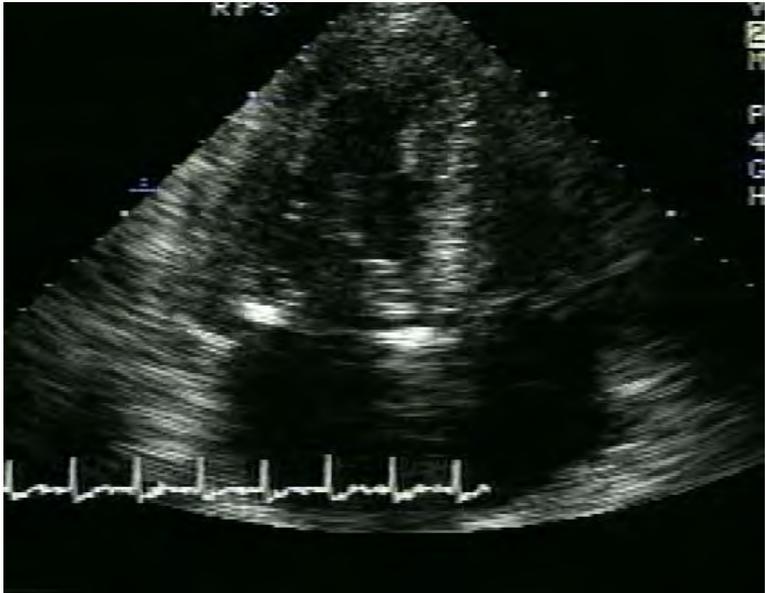
AV TVI



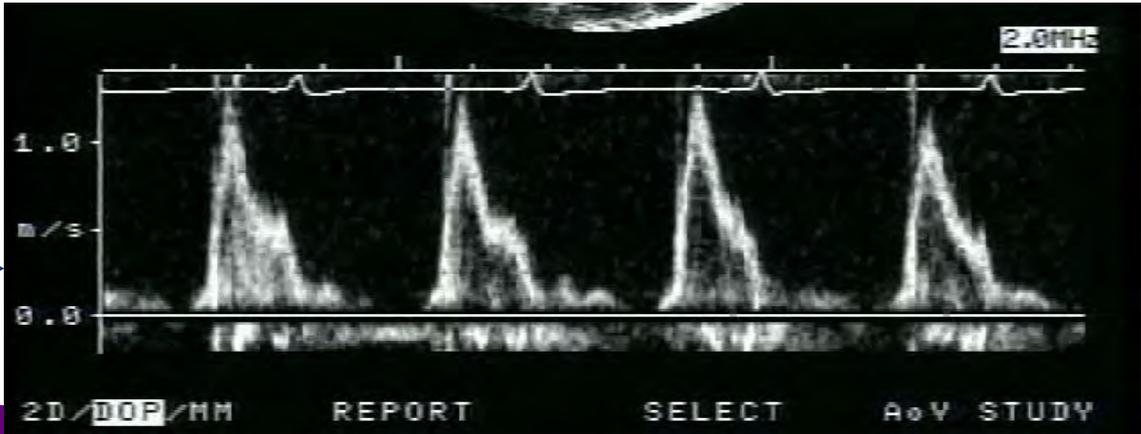
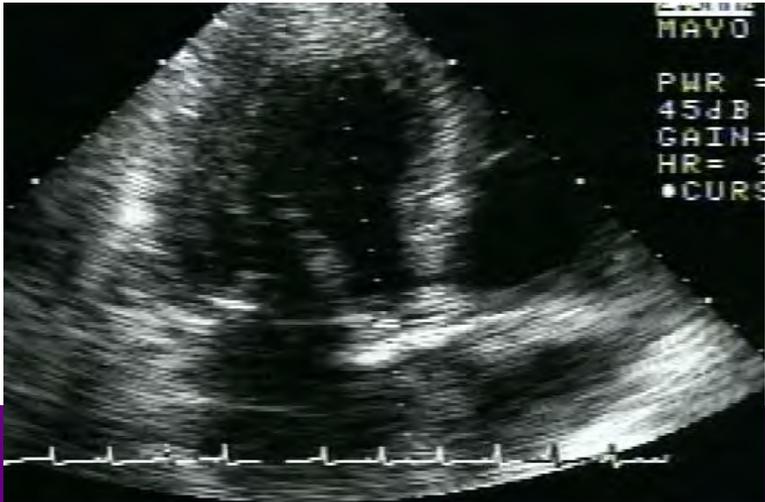
NL 3.5 – 4.0 cm²

LVEF and Diastolic Function

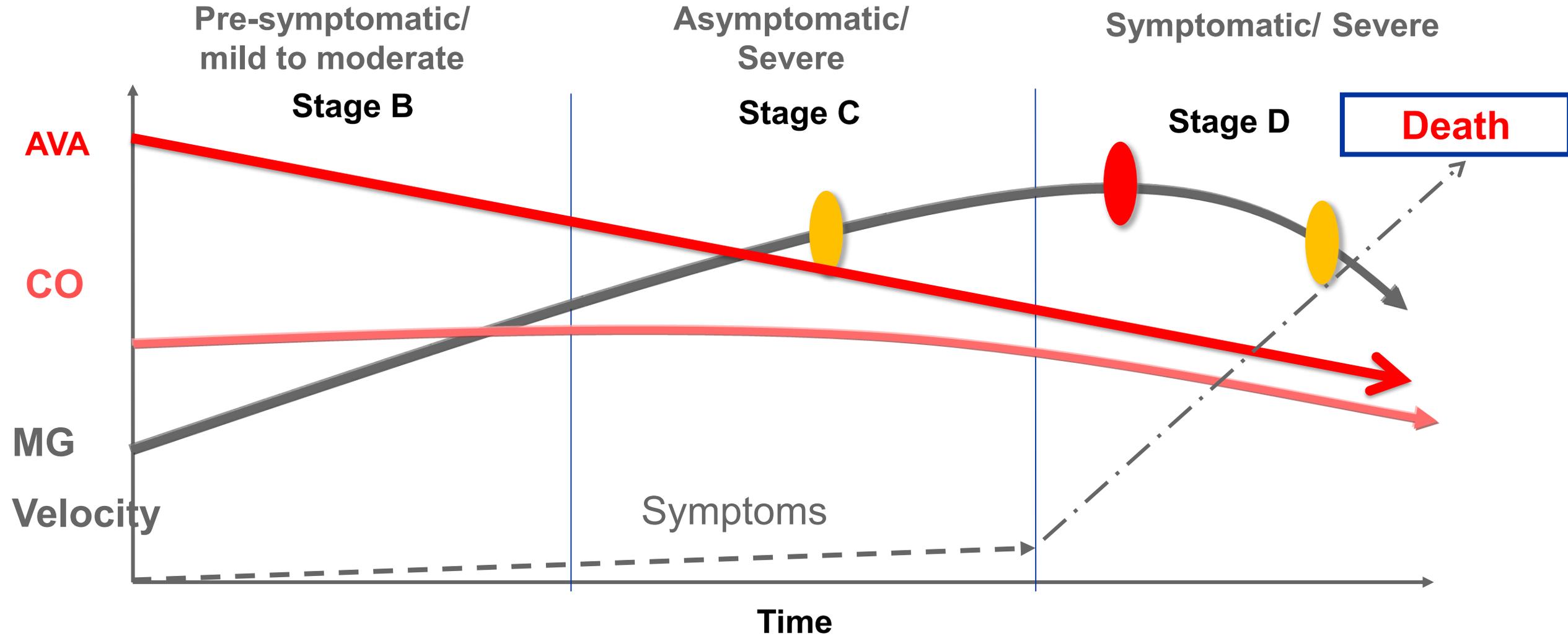
Baseline



3 Years Later

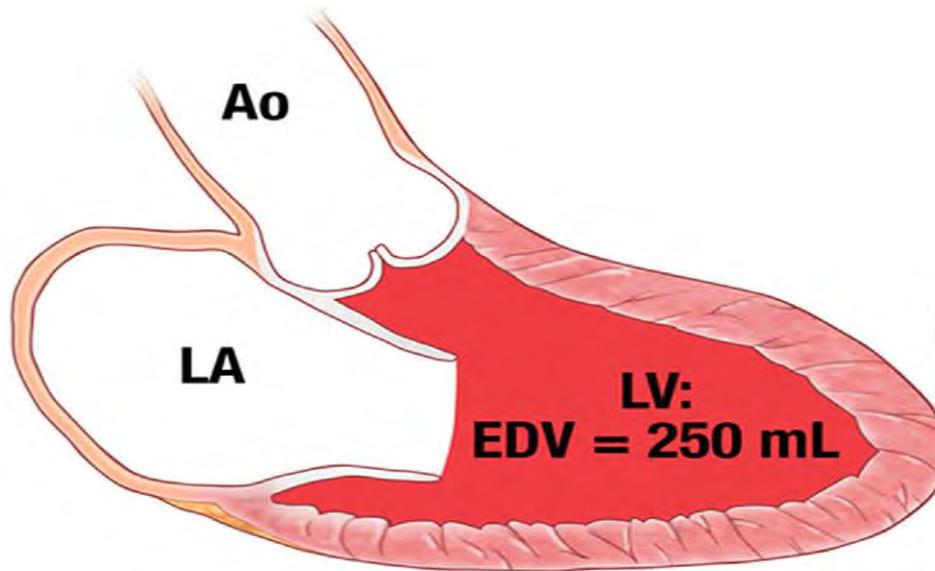


Natural History of Aortic Stenosis



LV Stroke Volume – LVOT Stroke Volume = MR Vol

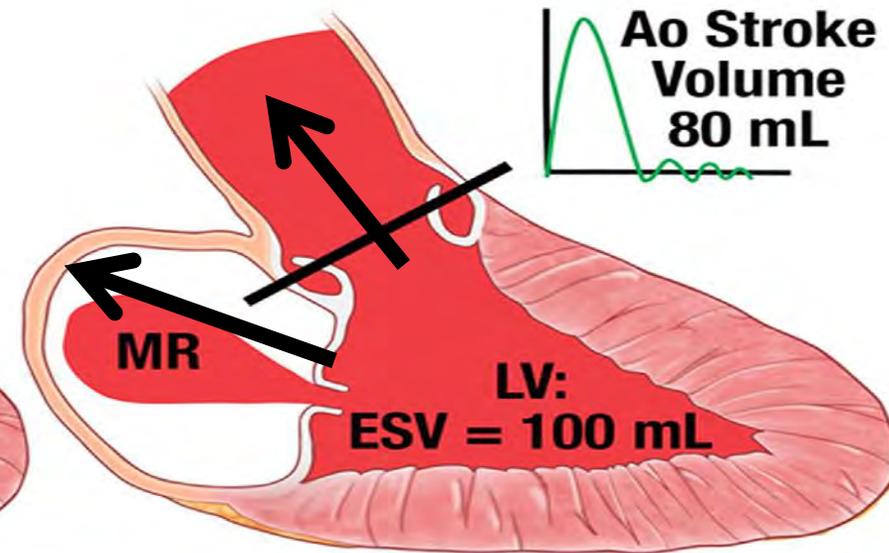
Diastole



LV Stroke Volume (LVSV):

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LVSV} &= \text{LVEDV} - \text{LVESV} \\ \text{LVSV} &= 250 \text{ mL} - 100 \text{ mL} \\ \text{LVSV} &= 150 \text{ mL} \end{aligned}$$

Systole

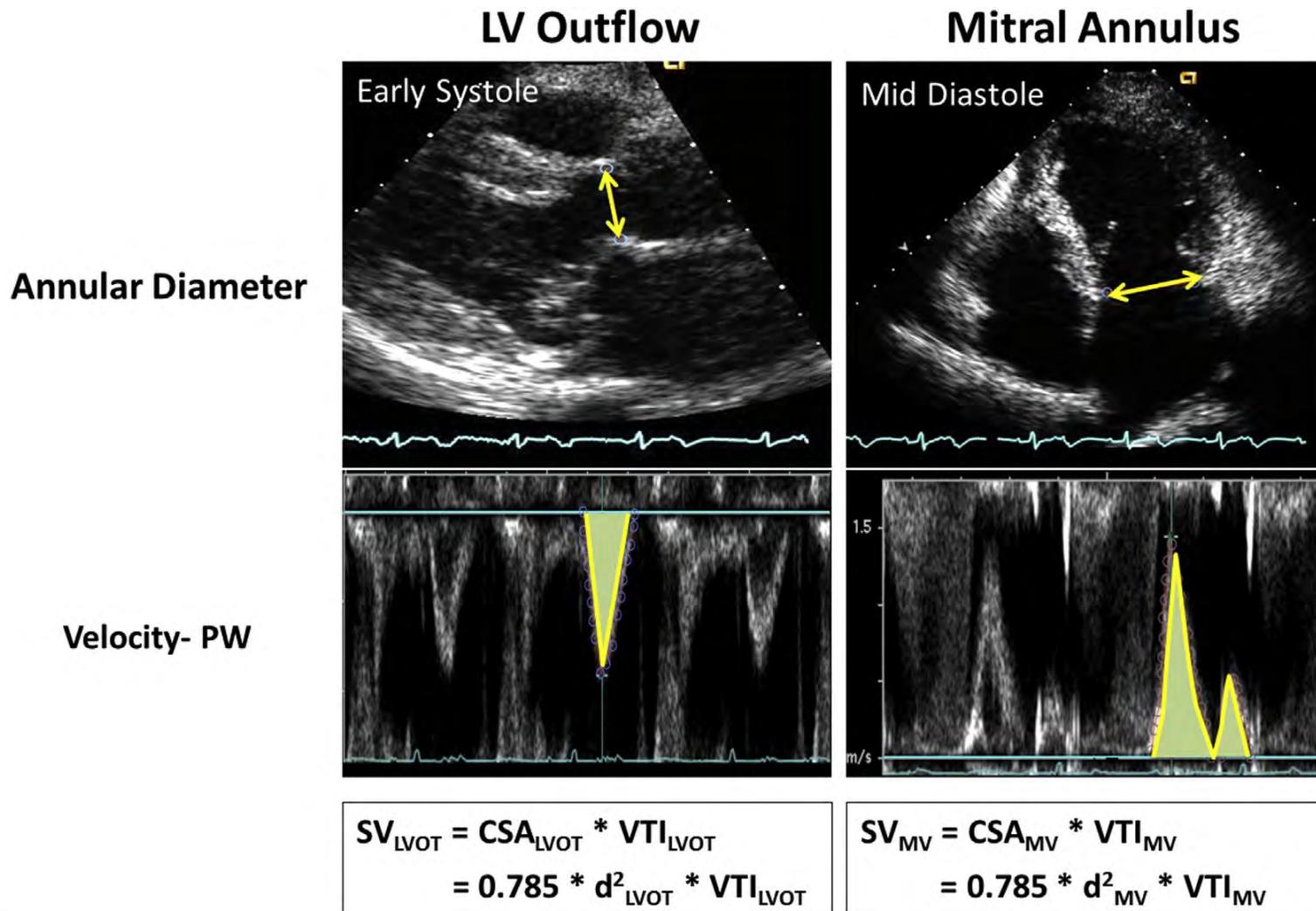


Mitral Regurgitant Volume (M RVol):

$$\begin{aligned} \text{M RVol} &= \text{LVSV} - \text{Ao Stroke Volume} \\ \text{M RVol} &= 150 \text{ mL} - 80 \text{ mL} \\ \text{M RVol} &= 70 \text{ mL} \end{aligned}$$

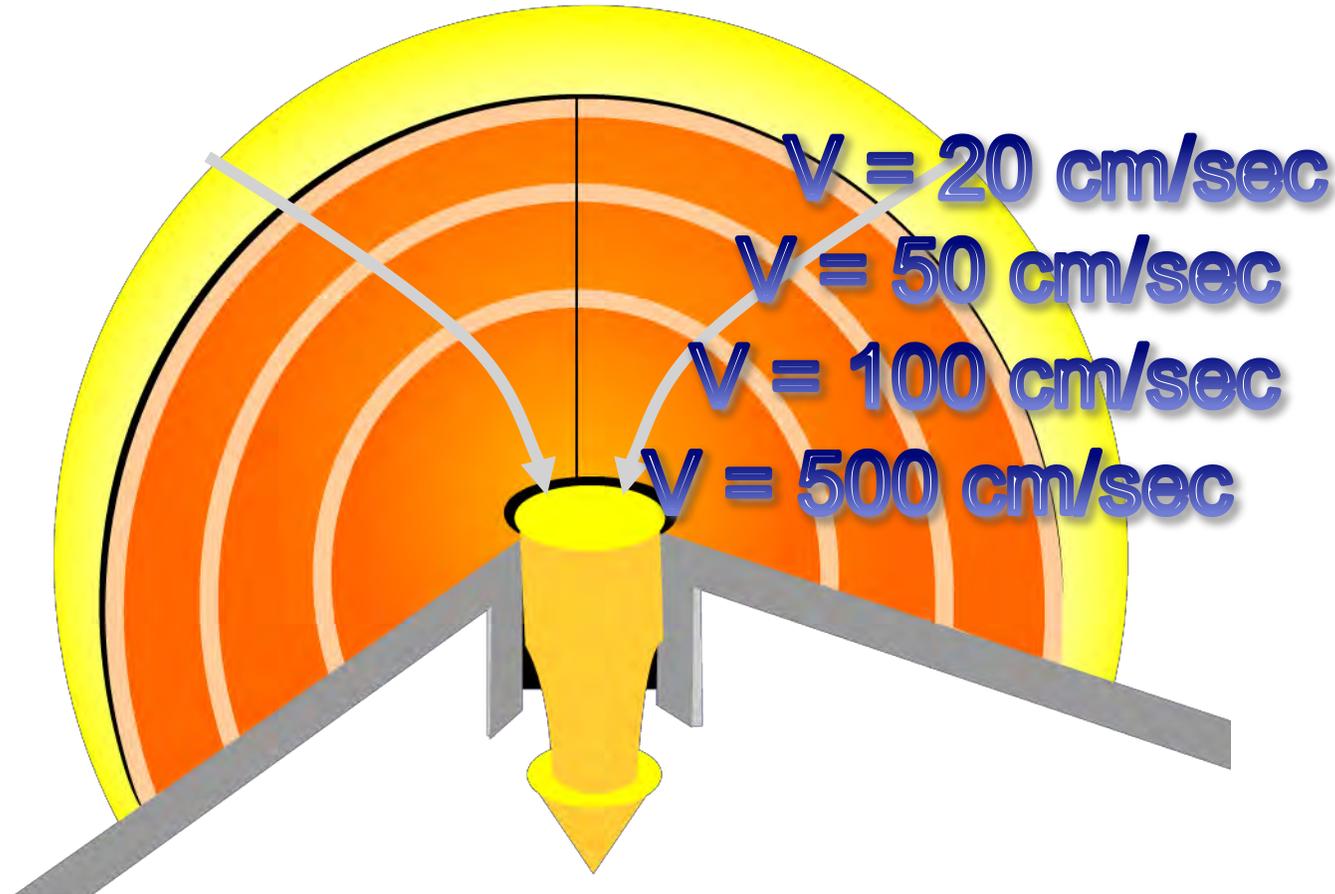
MR Vol = Mitral Inflow Volume – LVOT SV Volume

Volume = (Diameter)² x 0.785 x VTI



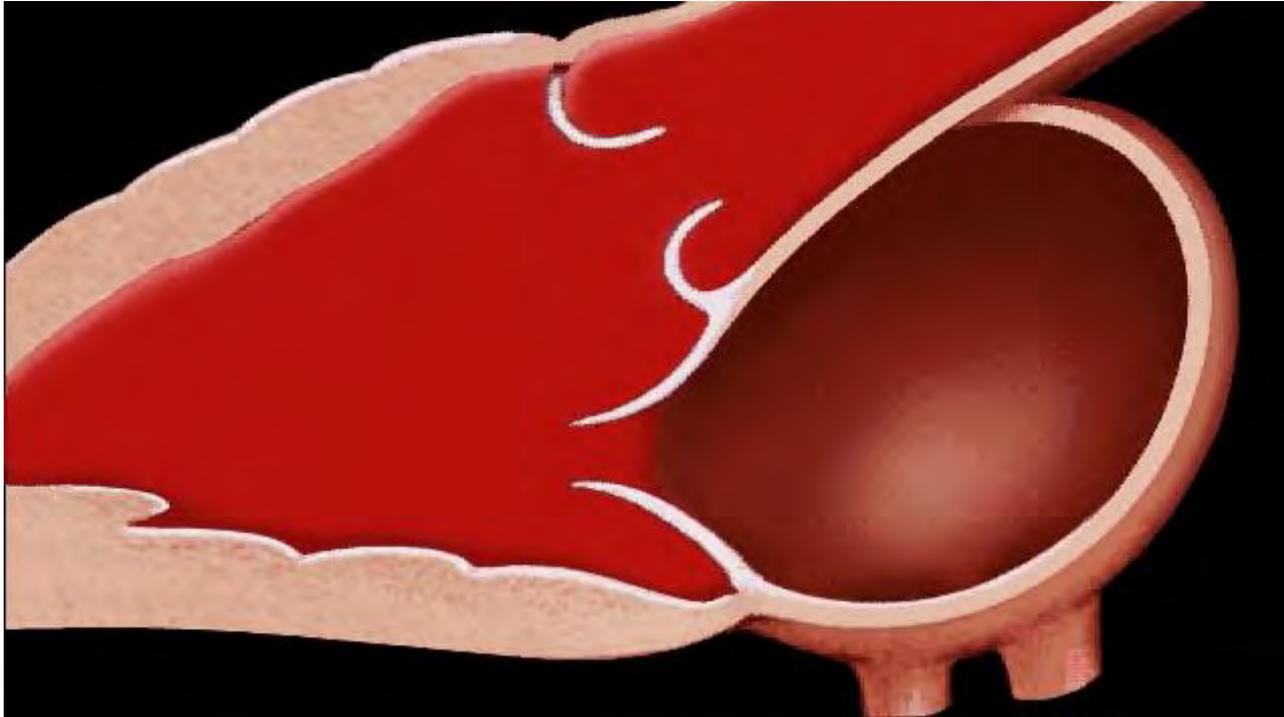
PISA (Proximal Isovelocity Surface Area)

Fluid Acceleration



Flow rate = $6.28 \times (\text{PISA radius})^2 \times \text{Aliasing Velocity}$

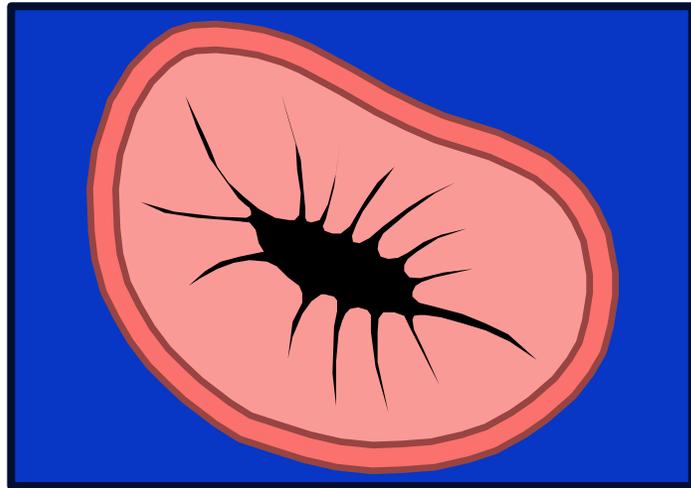
Quantification of MR – PISA Effective Regurgitant Orifice (ERO)



$$\begin{aligned}\text{Flow @ PISA} &= \text{Flow @ ERO} \\ \text{Area x Velocity of PISA} \\ &= \text{ERO x Velocity of MR}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Flow Rate} = \text{Area x Flow Velocity}$$

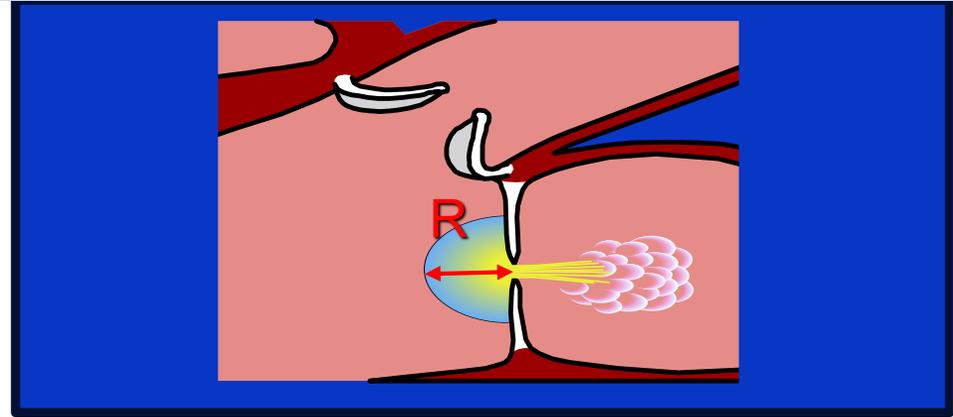
ERO by PISA Method



ERO

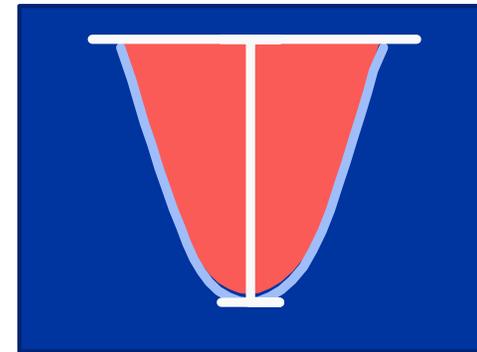
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Flow rate at PISA in cm^3/sec

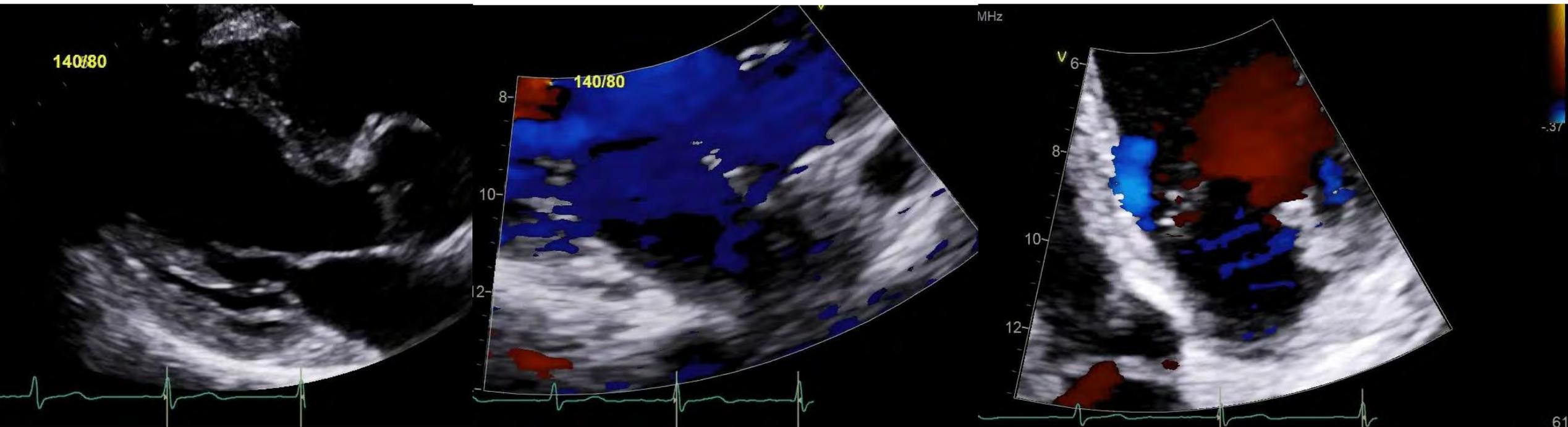


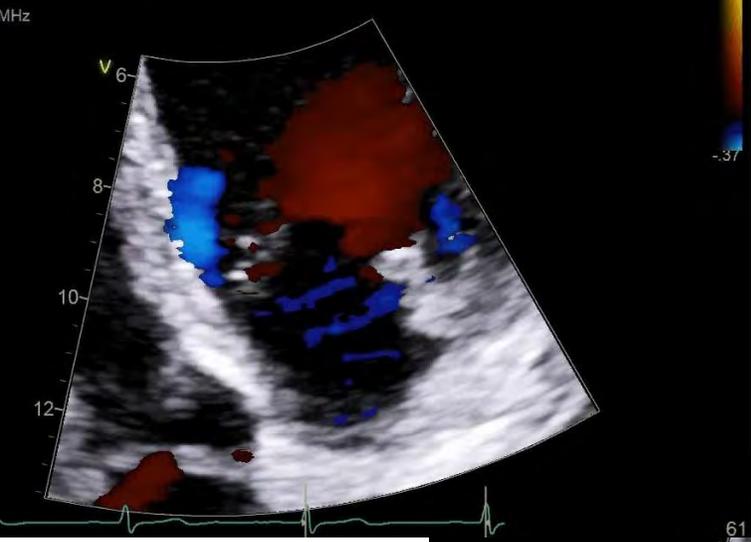
$$6.28 \times (R)^2 \times \text{PISA vel}$$

MR velocity in cm/sec

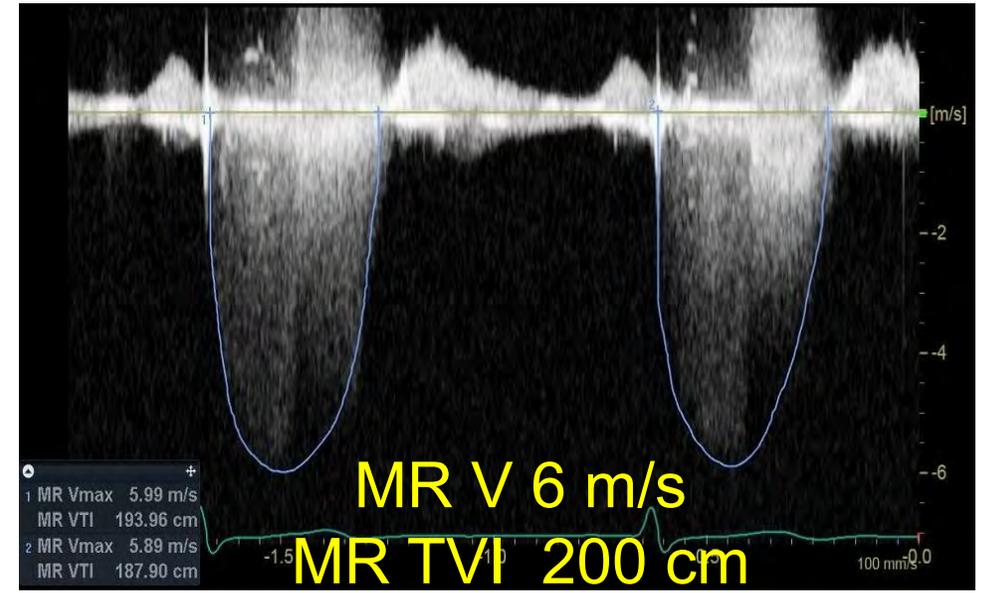
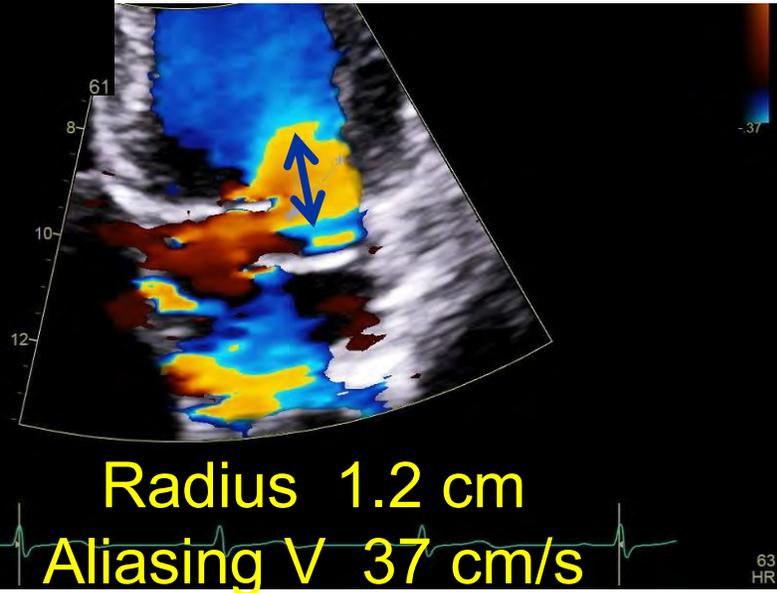


MR Assessment by CFI and PISA Eccentric MR due to Flail





PISA Method for MR Assessment

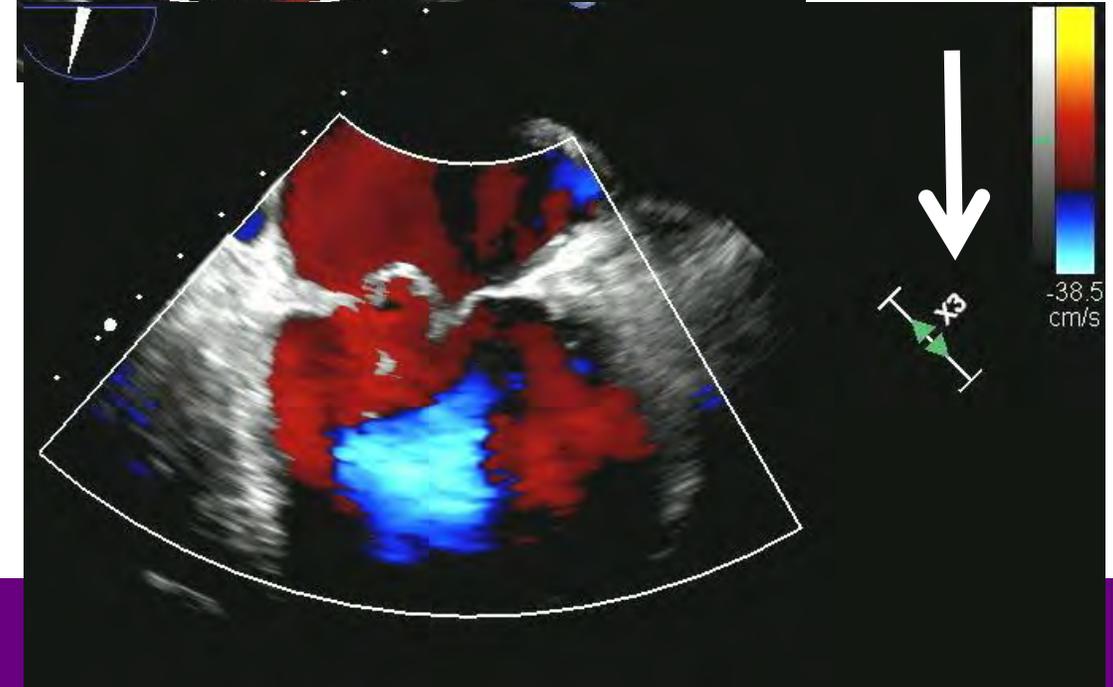
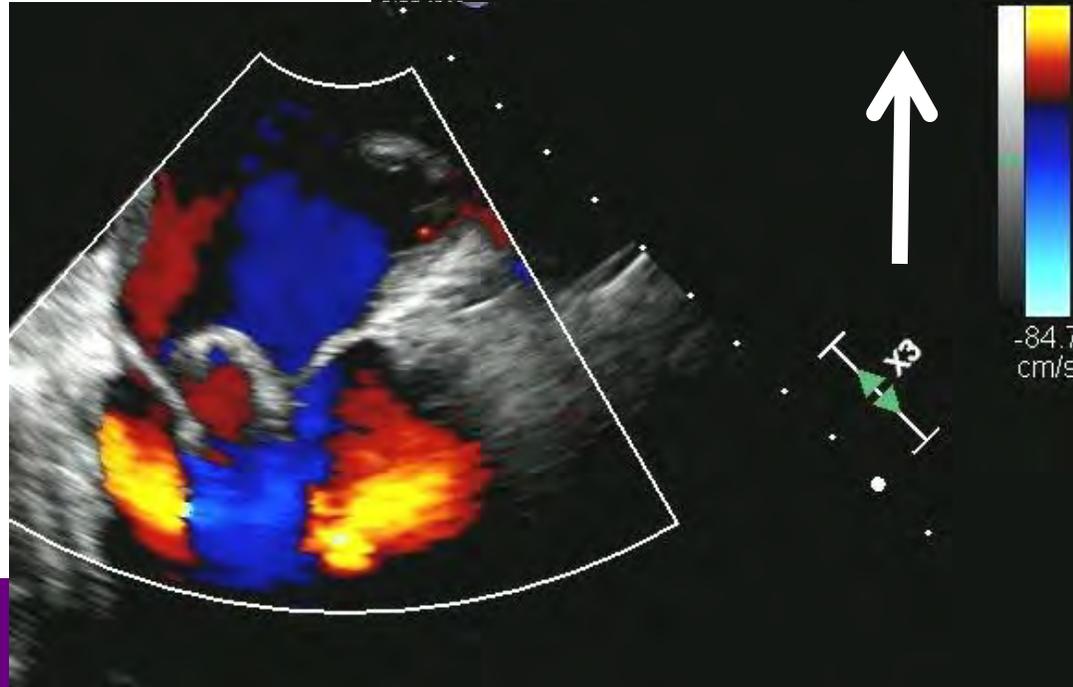
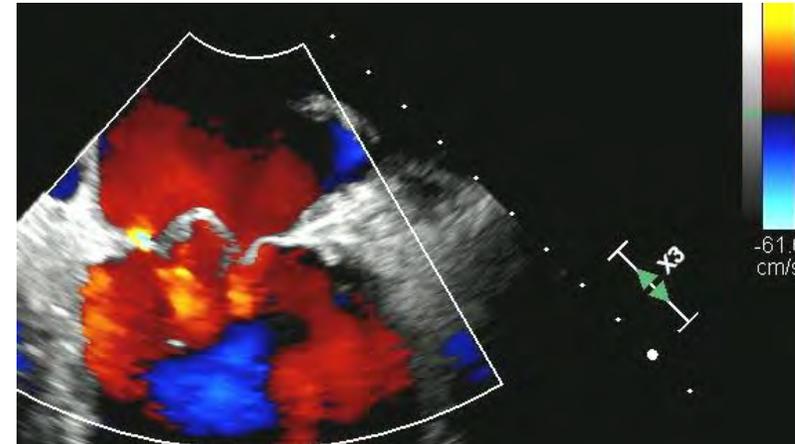
$$ERO = 6.28 \times (R)^2 \times PISA \text{ vel} / MR \text{ vel}$$


$$ERO = 6.28 \times 1.2^2 \times 37 / 600 = 0.56 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$\text{Reg volume} = 0.56 \times 200 = 112 \text{ mL}$$

PISA

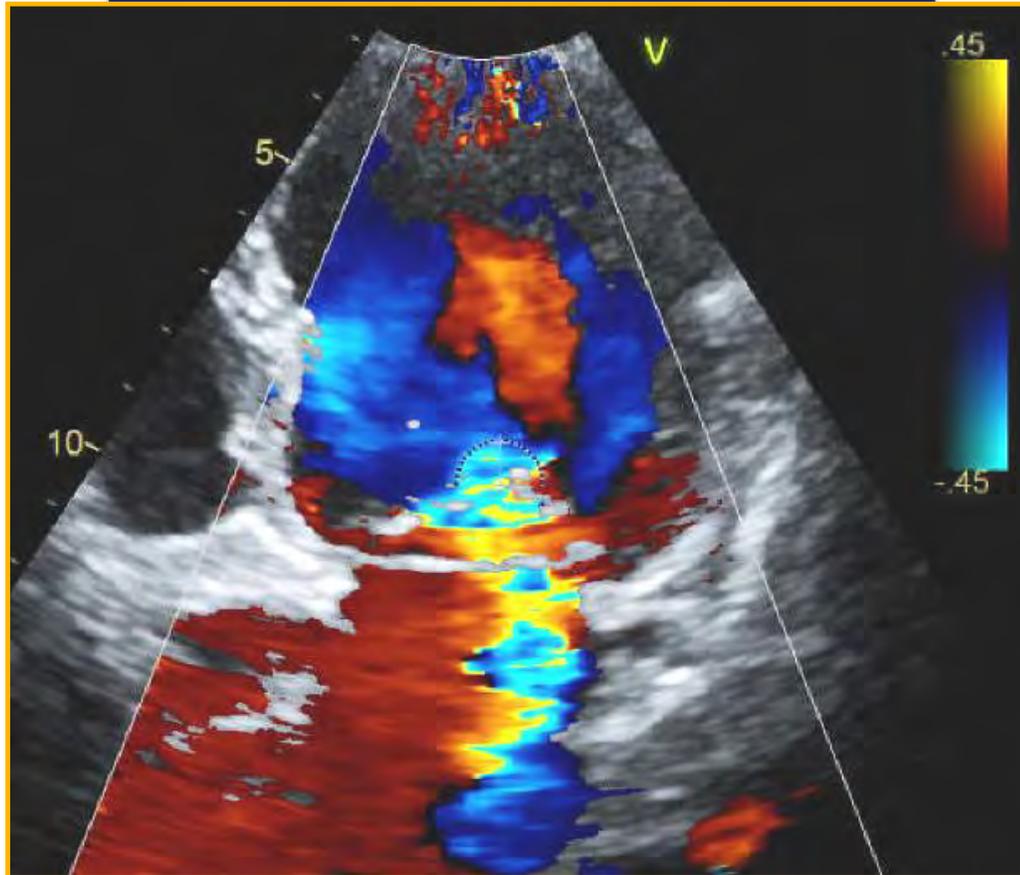
Baseline shift to the same direction of flow



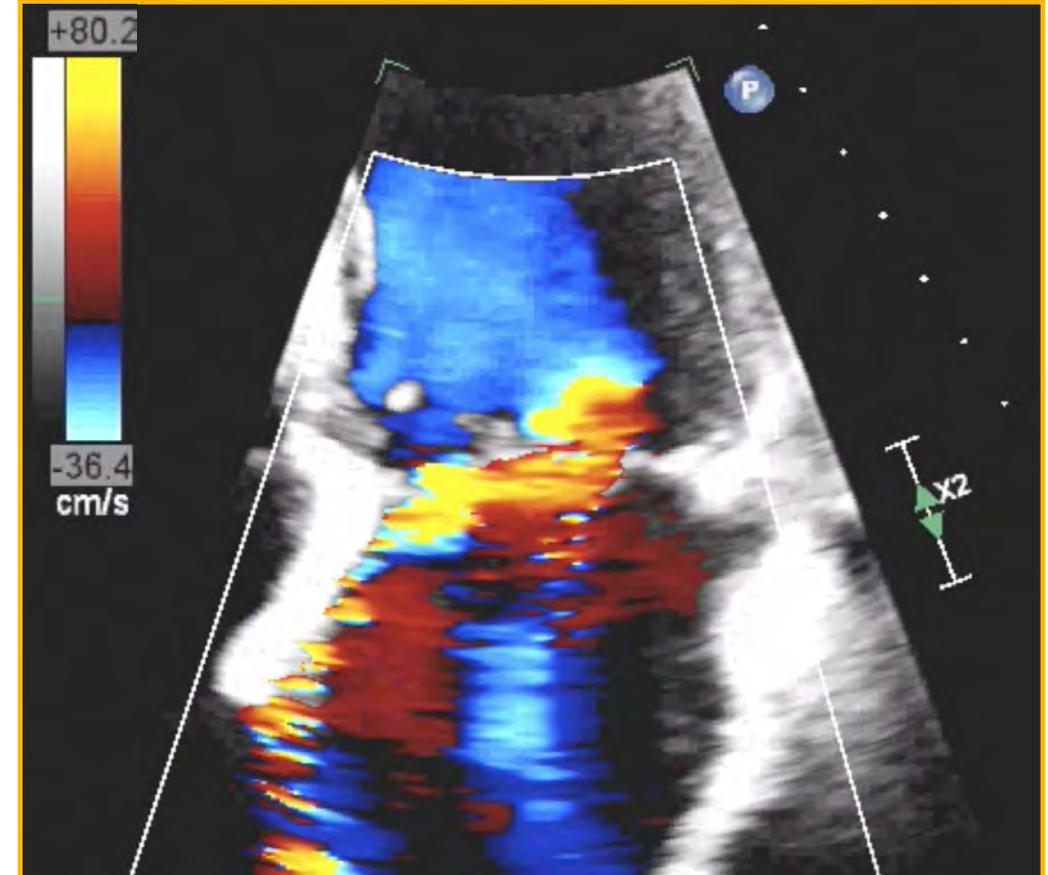
PISA Method

Shift color scale in the direction of flow

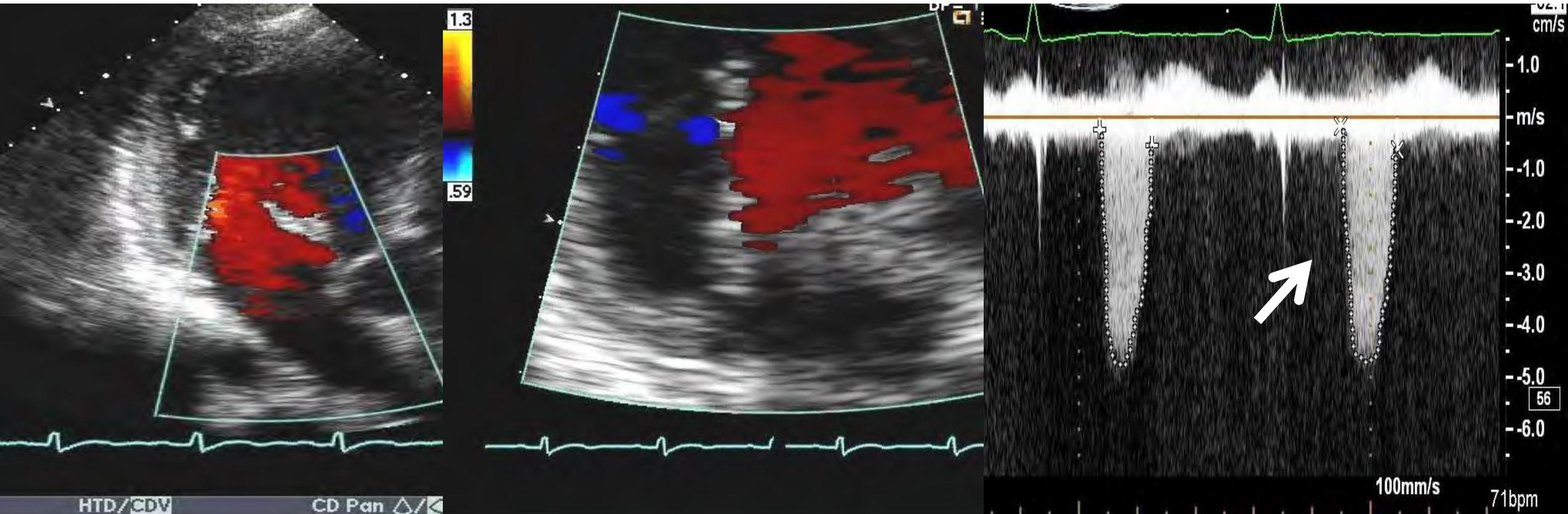
Color Scale Decreased



Color Scale Shifted

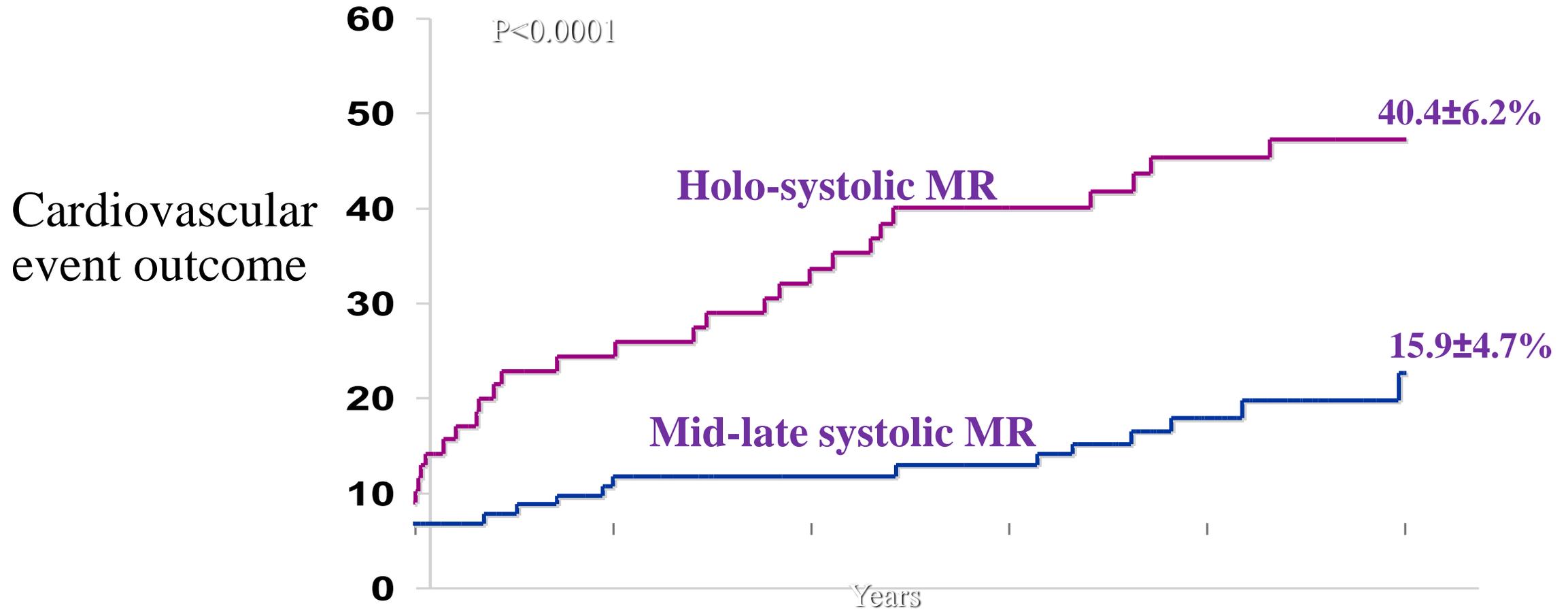


Mid-to-Late Systolic MR in MV prolapse ERO overestimates MR severity



Clinical Outcome

Mid-Late vs. Holosystolic MR



Chronic Mitral Regurgitation by Doppler Echocardiography

Severe MR Definition USA vs ESC

• Primary MR

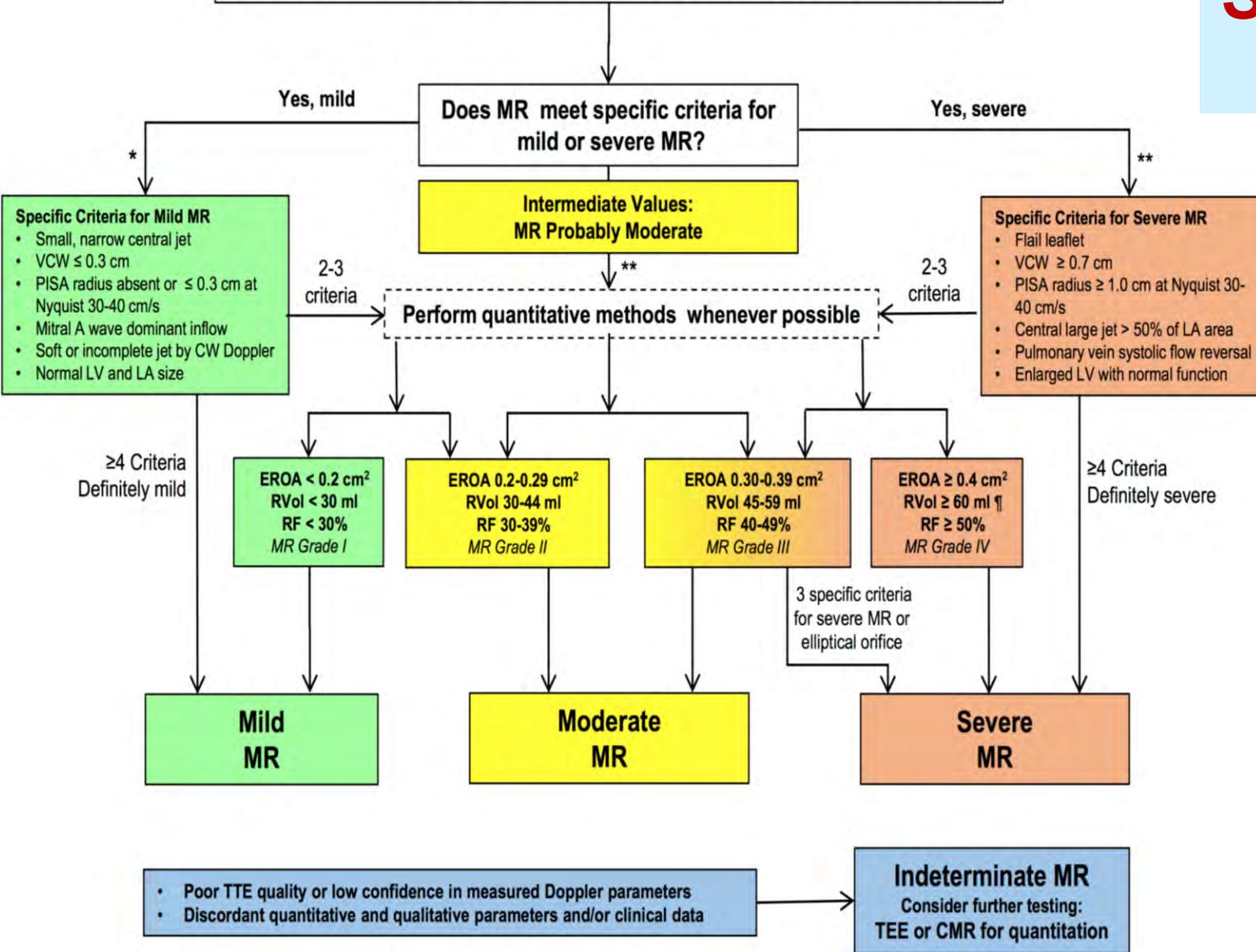
- $ERO \geq 0.4 \text{ cm}^2$
- $Rvol \geq 60 \text{ mL}$

• Secondary MR

- $ERO \geq 0.2 \text{ cm}^2$
- $Rvol \geq 30 \text{ mL}$

• Semi-Quantitative

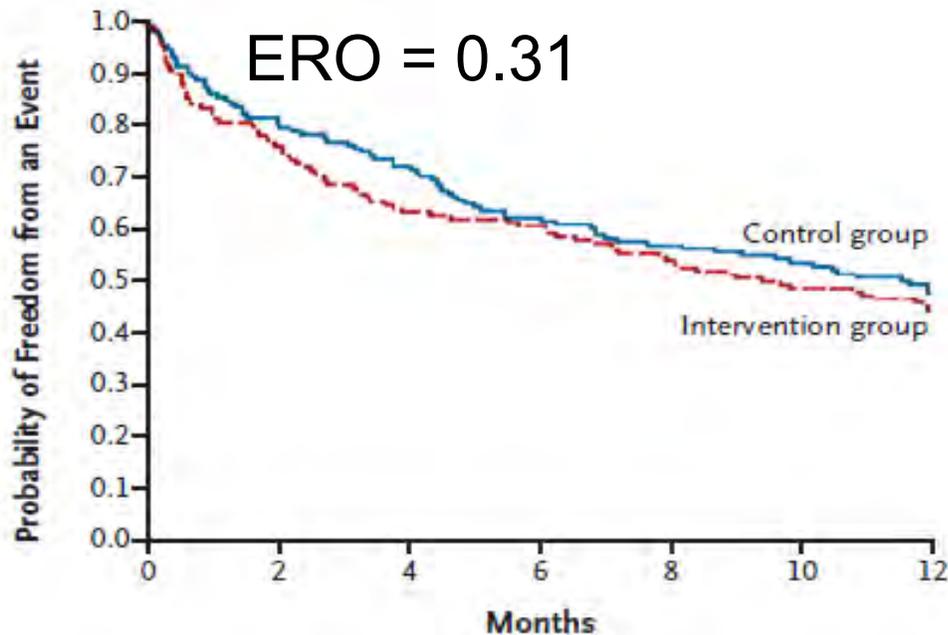
• PV, VC, MV E, Jet area



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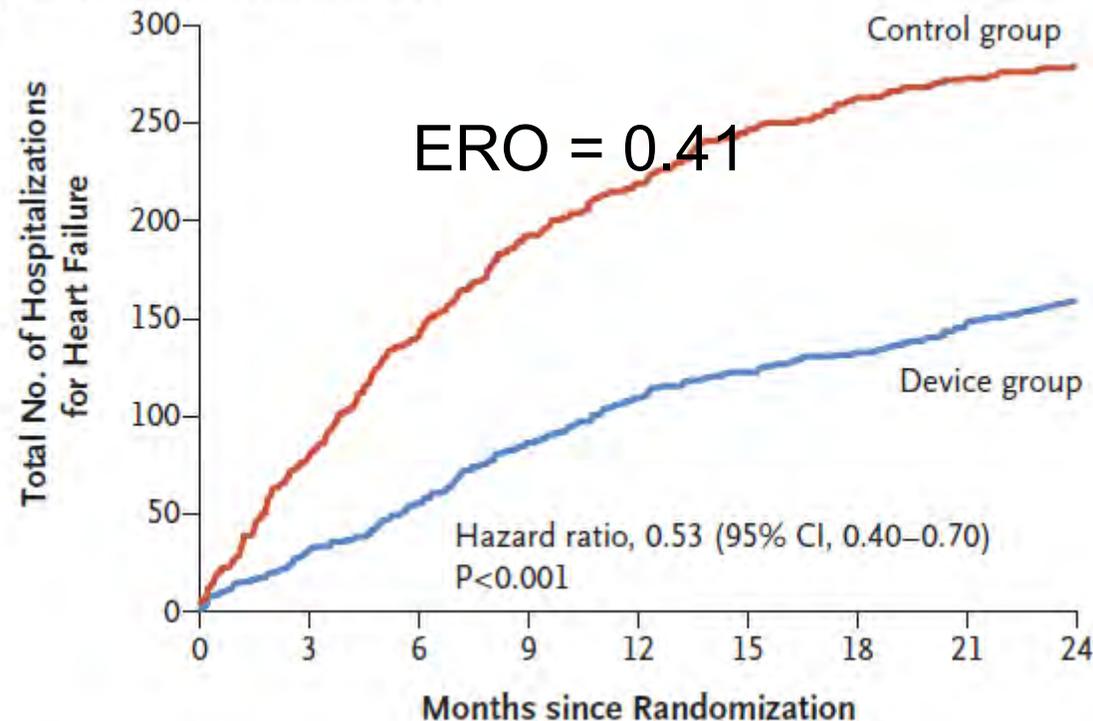


Transcatheter Mitral-Valve Repair in Patients with Heart Failure

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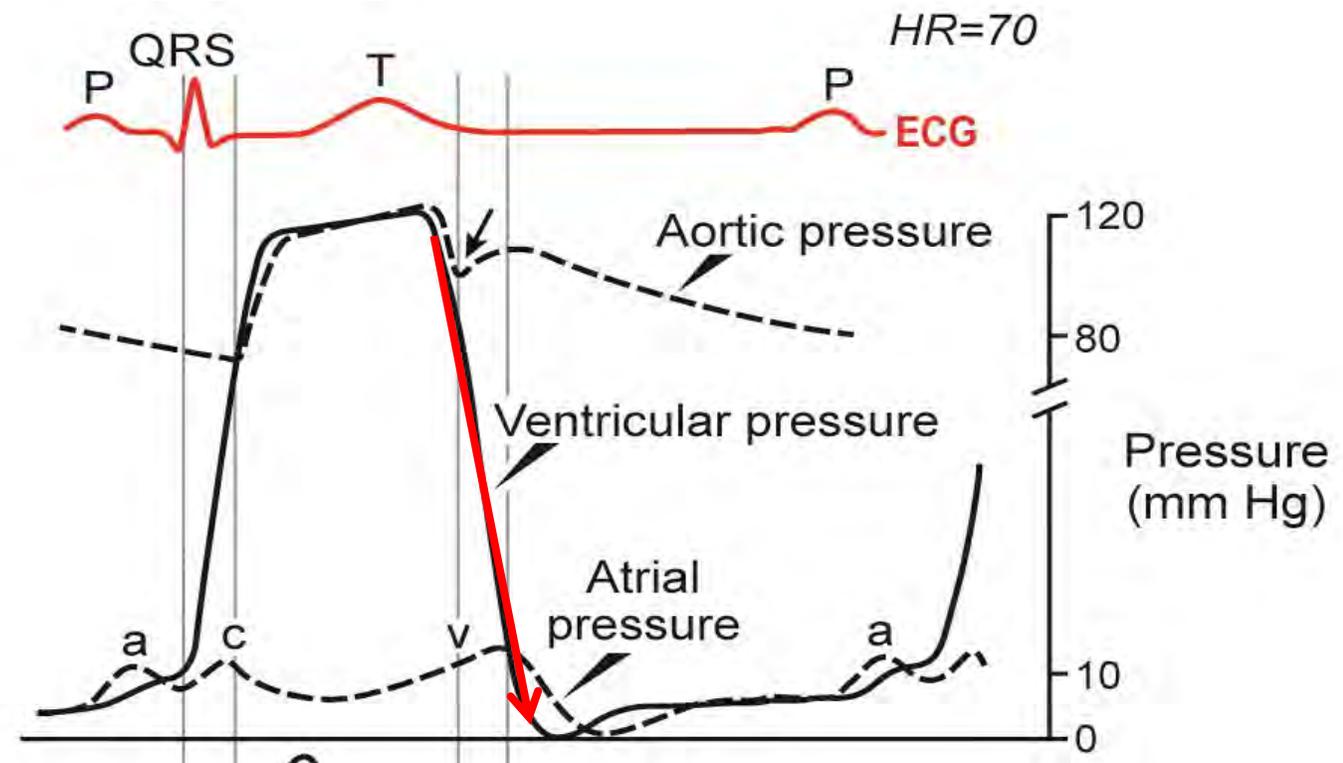
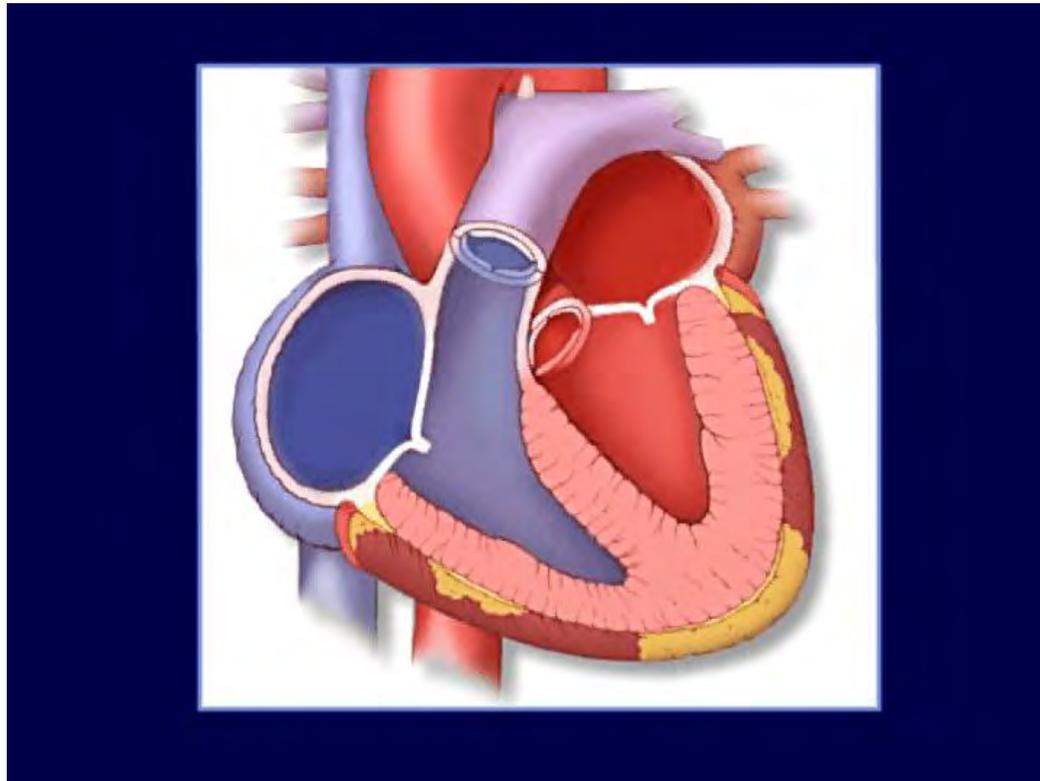
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Hospitalization for Heart Failure



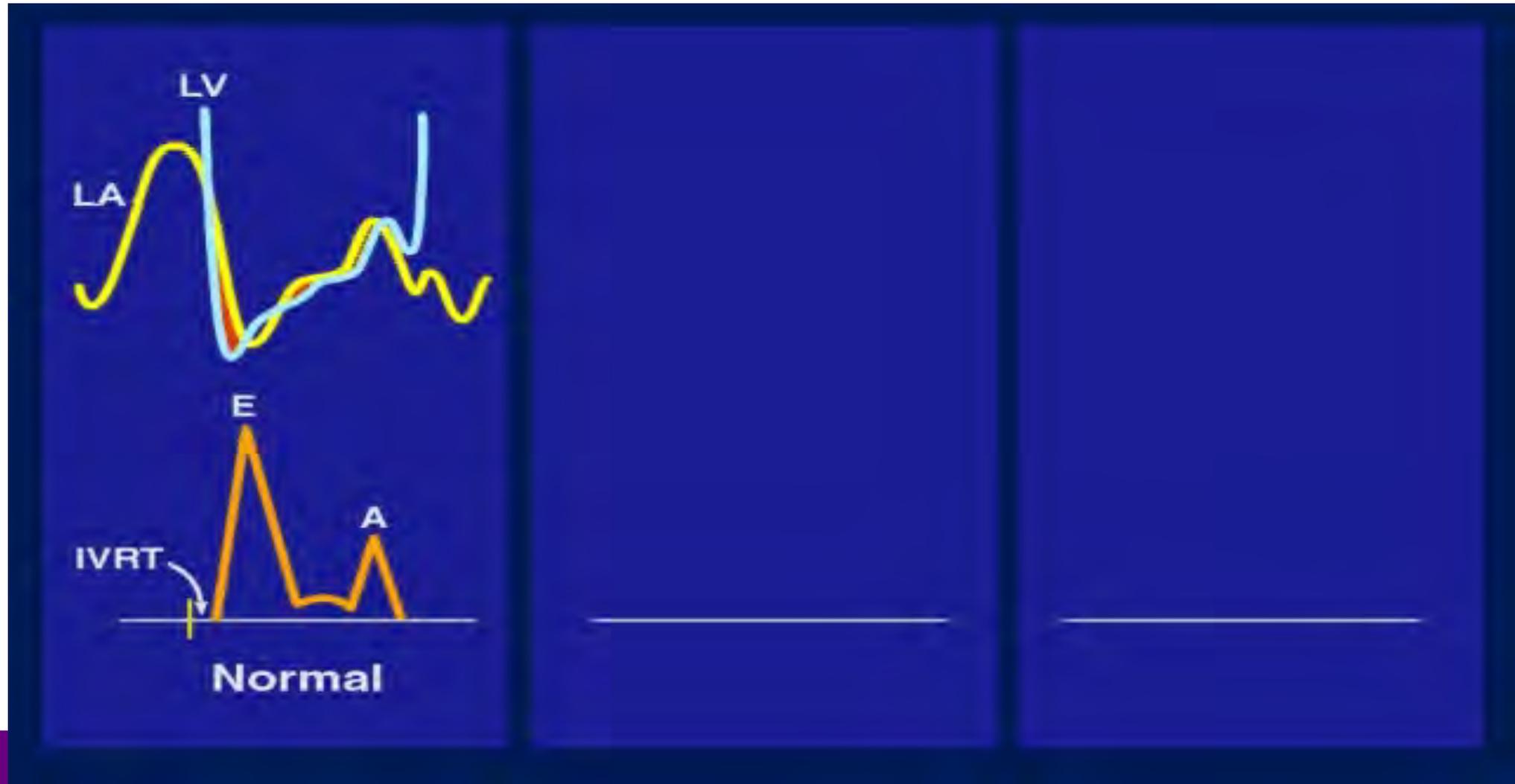
Diastolic Filling with Relaxation

διαστολή: Greek word for dilation



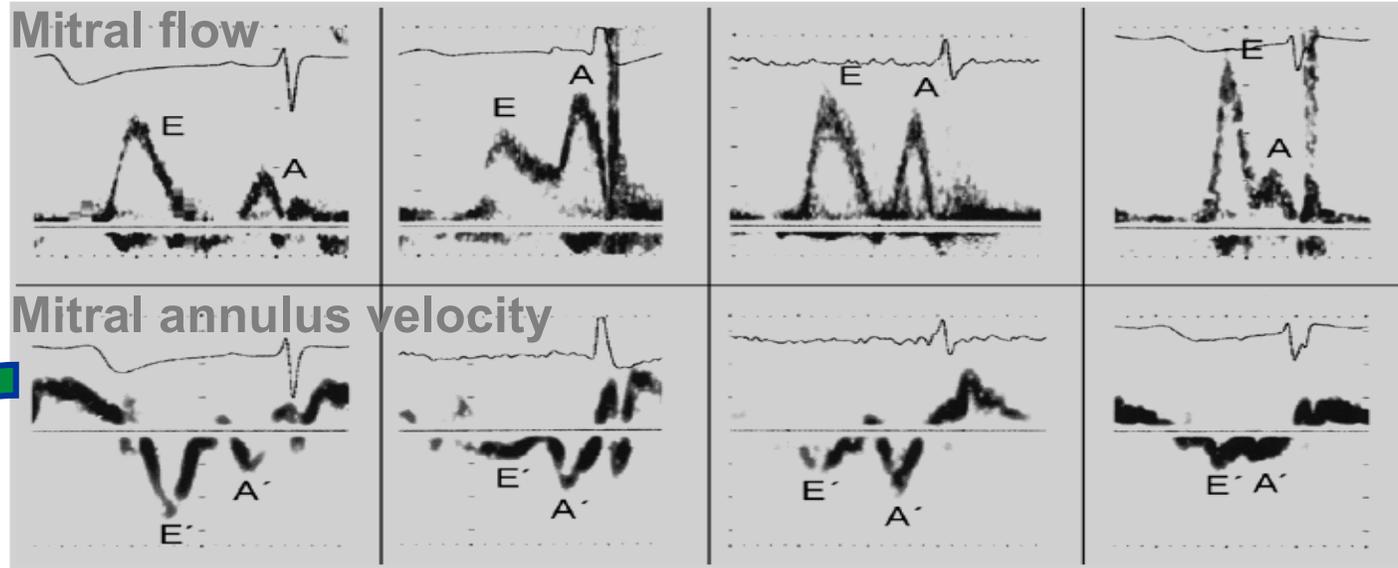
Echo evaluation of diastolic function

Trans-mitral inflow velocity



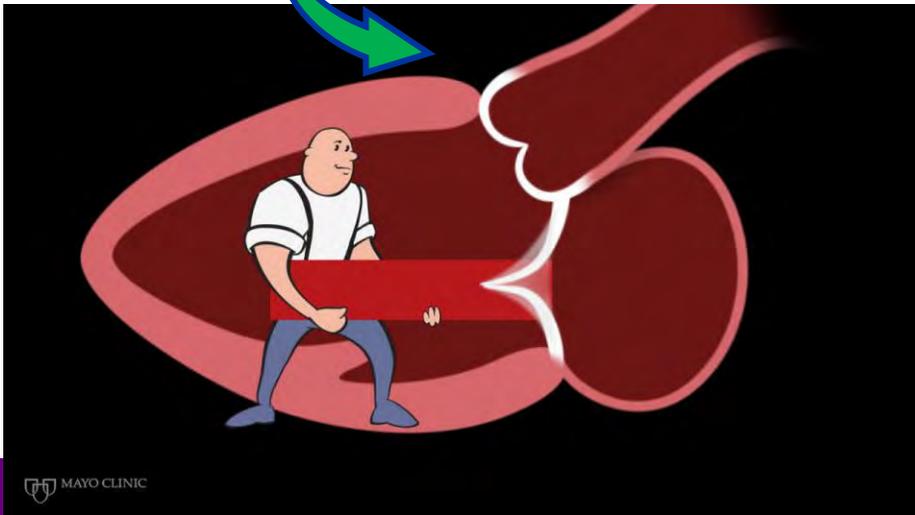
Diastolic Function

Pull or Push

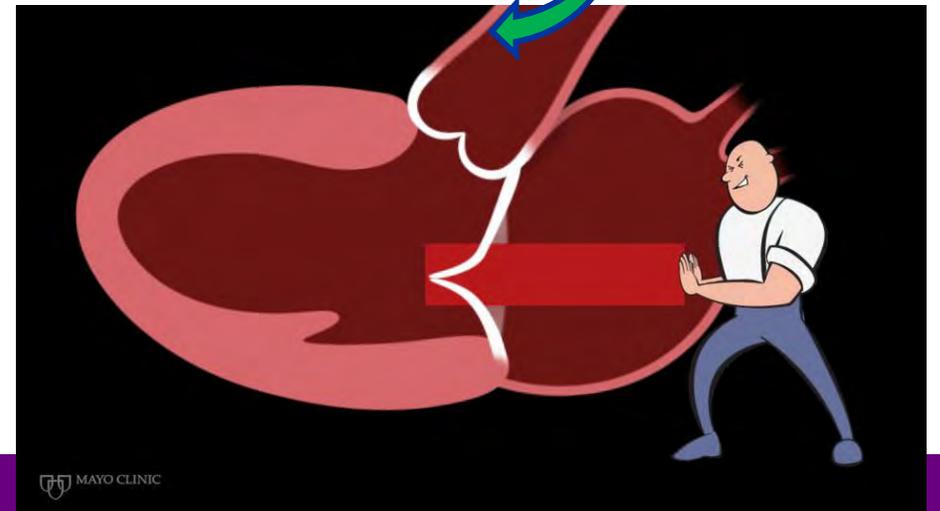


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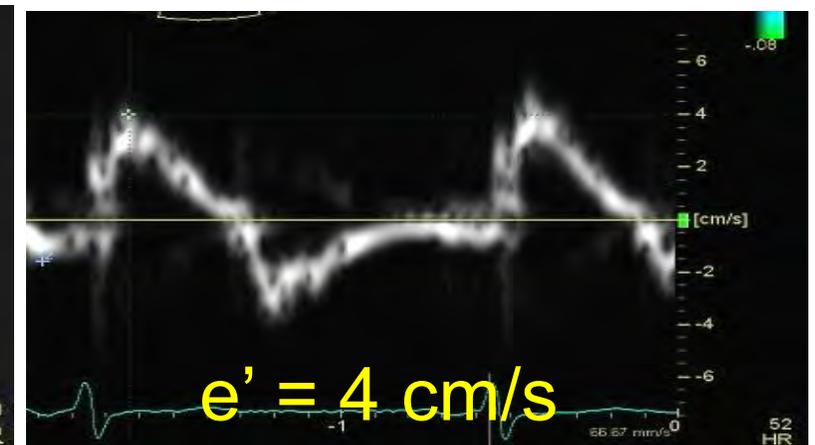
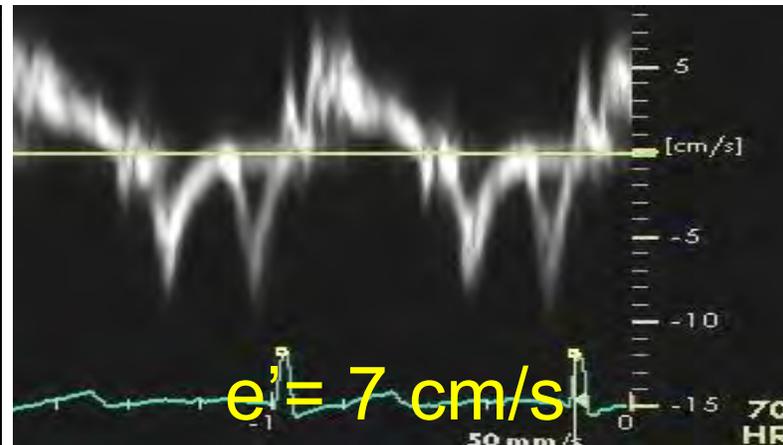
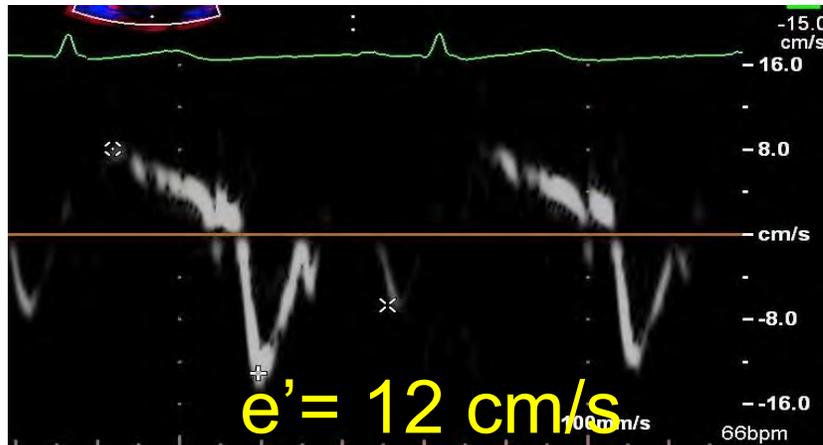
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Laborious Push

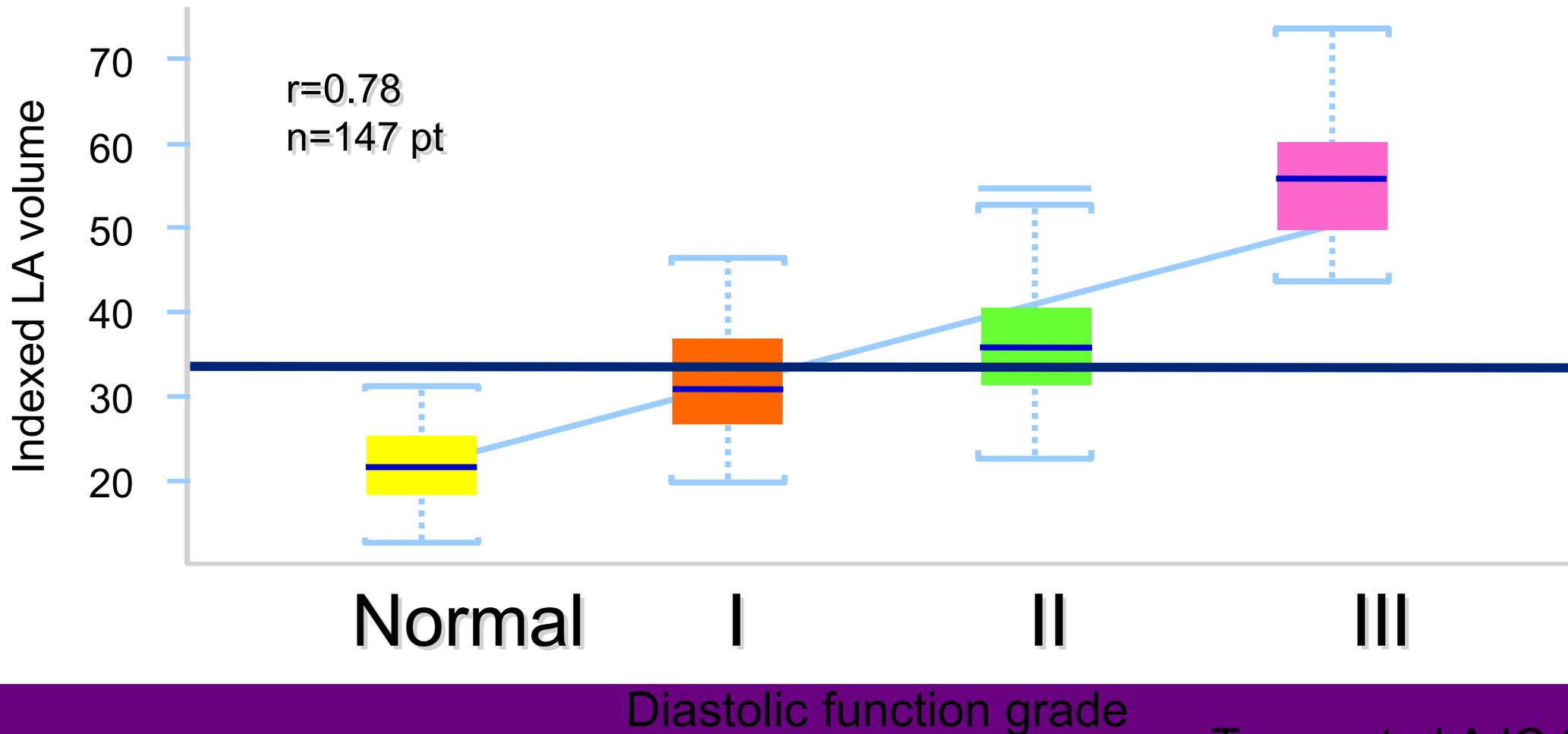
Myocardial Relaxation (e')

Normal $e' \geq 7 \text{ cm/s}$



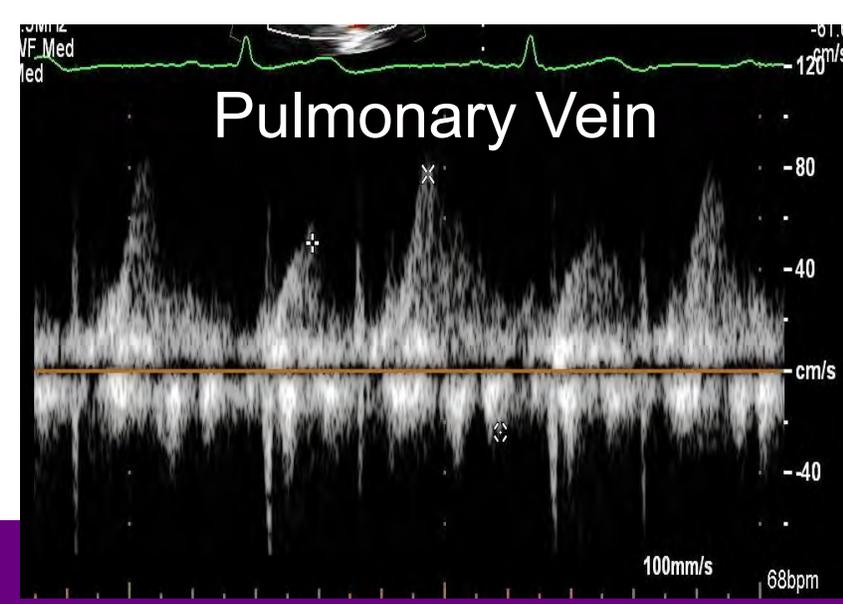
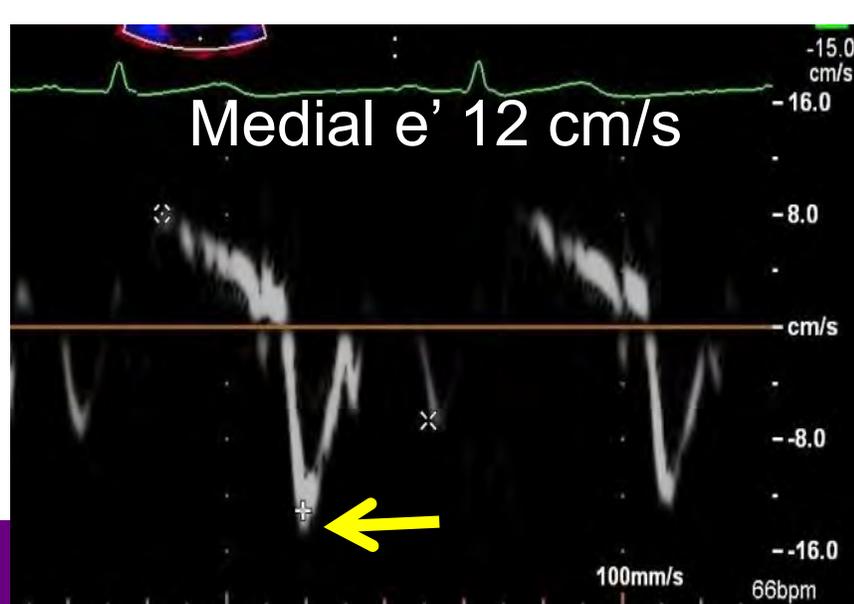
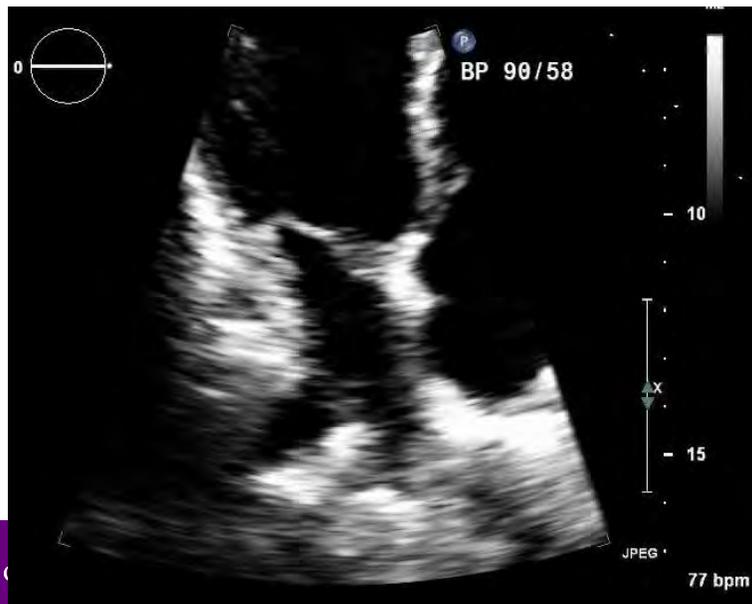
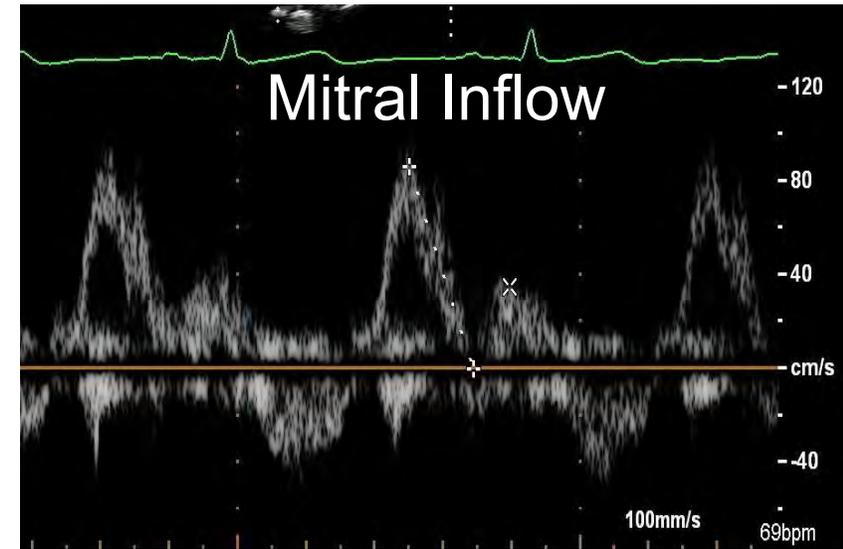
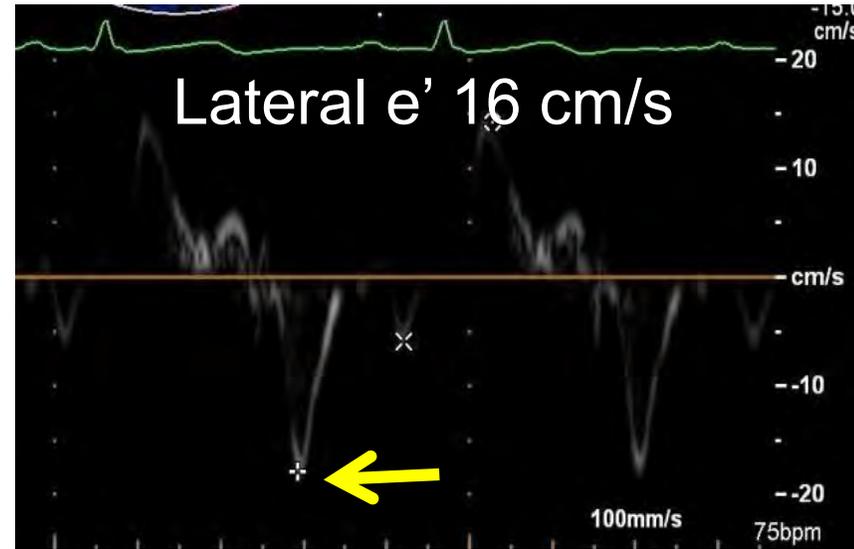


LA Volume Index vs Diastolic Dysfunction



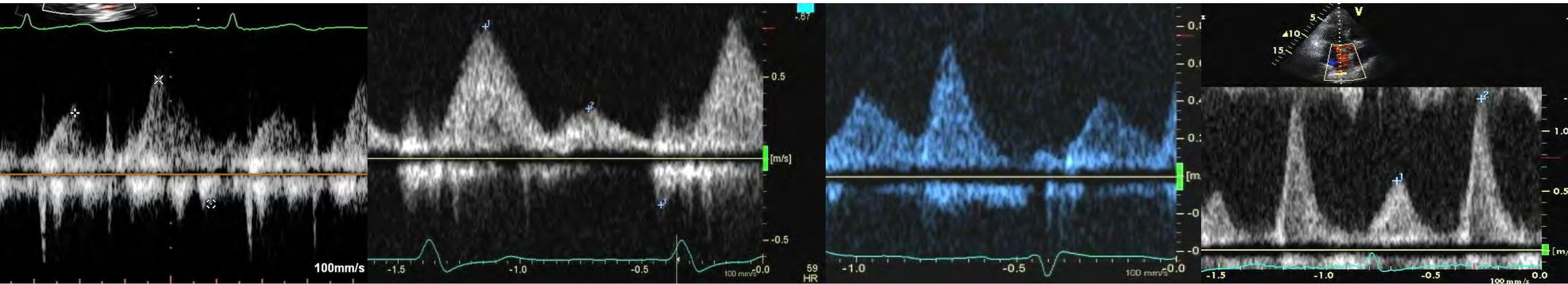
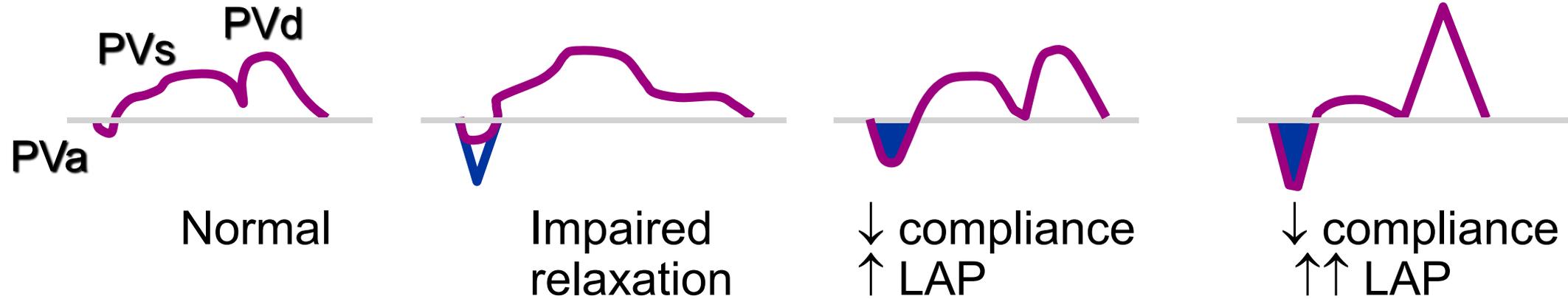
True Normal Diastolic Function

Normal Dilatation with Normal Relaxation (e')



Pulmonary Vein Velocity

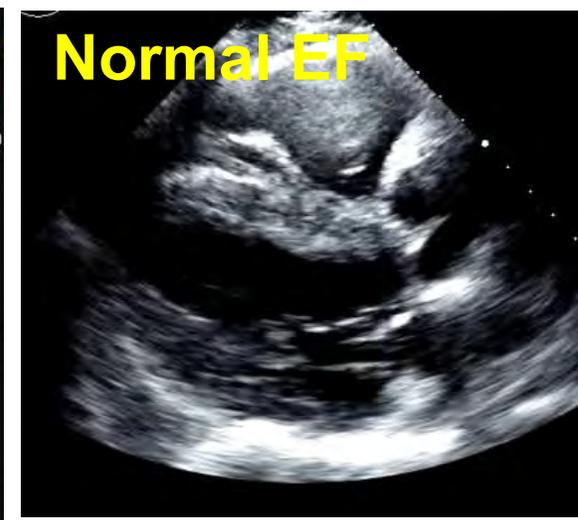
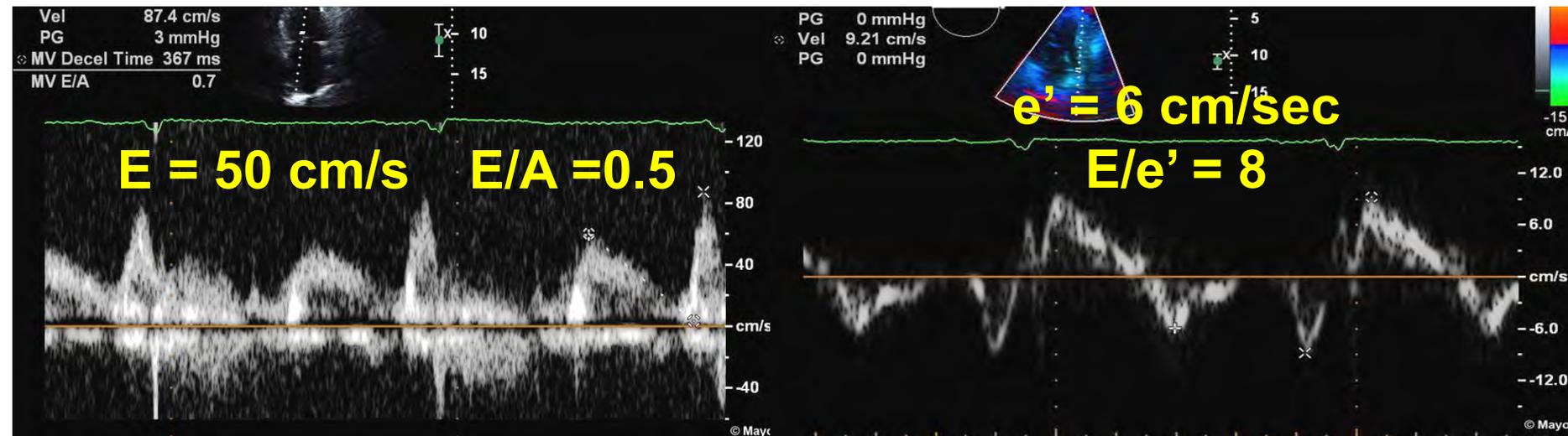
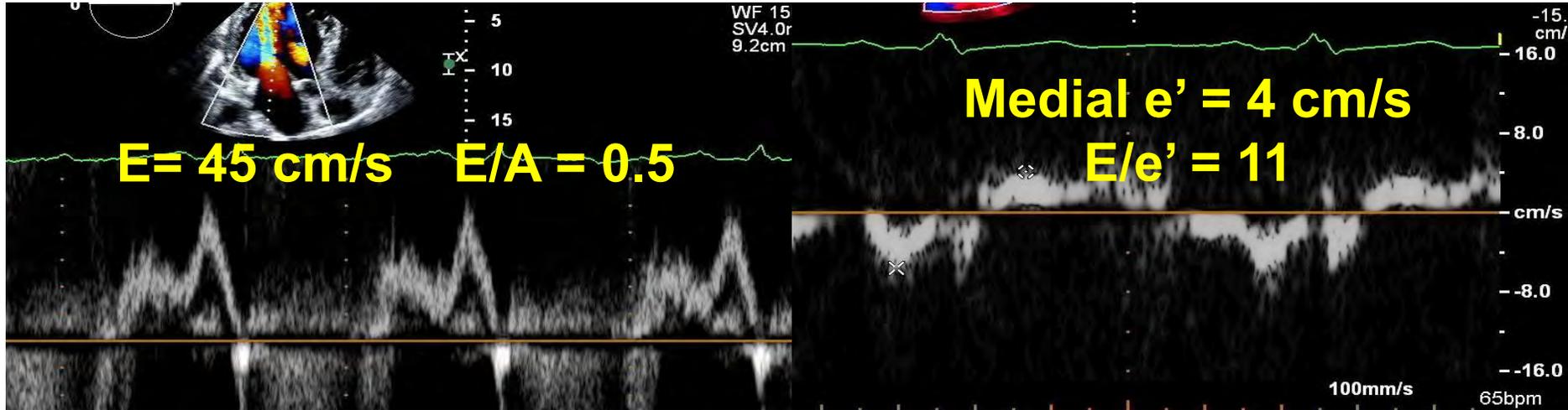
PVs decreases as filling pressure increases



Point to Emphasize

- If myocardial relaxation is normal, diastolic function is normal
- If myocardial relaxation is reduced, diastolic function is abnormal.
 - **Medial $e' < 7$ cm/sec**
 - **Lateral $e' < 10$ cm/sec**

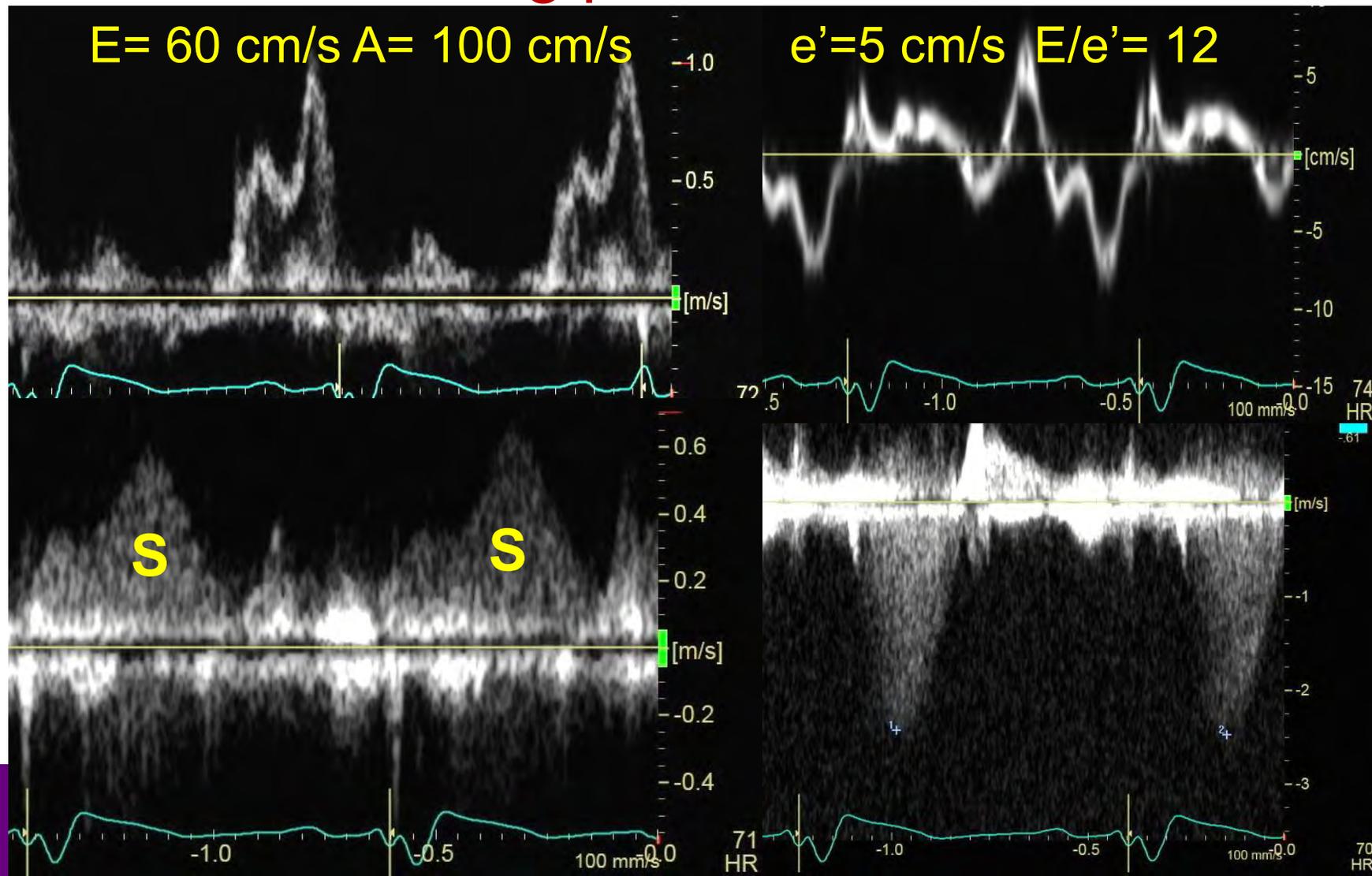
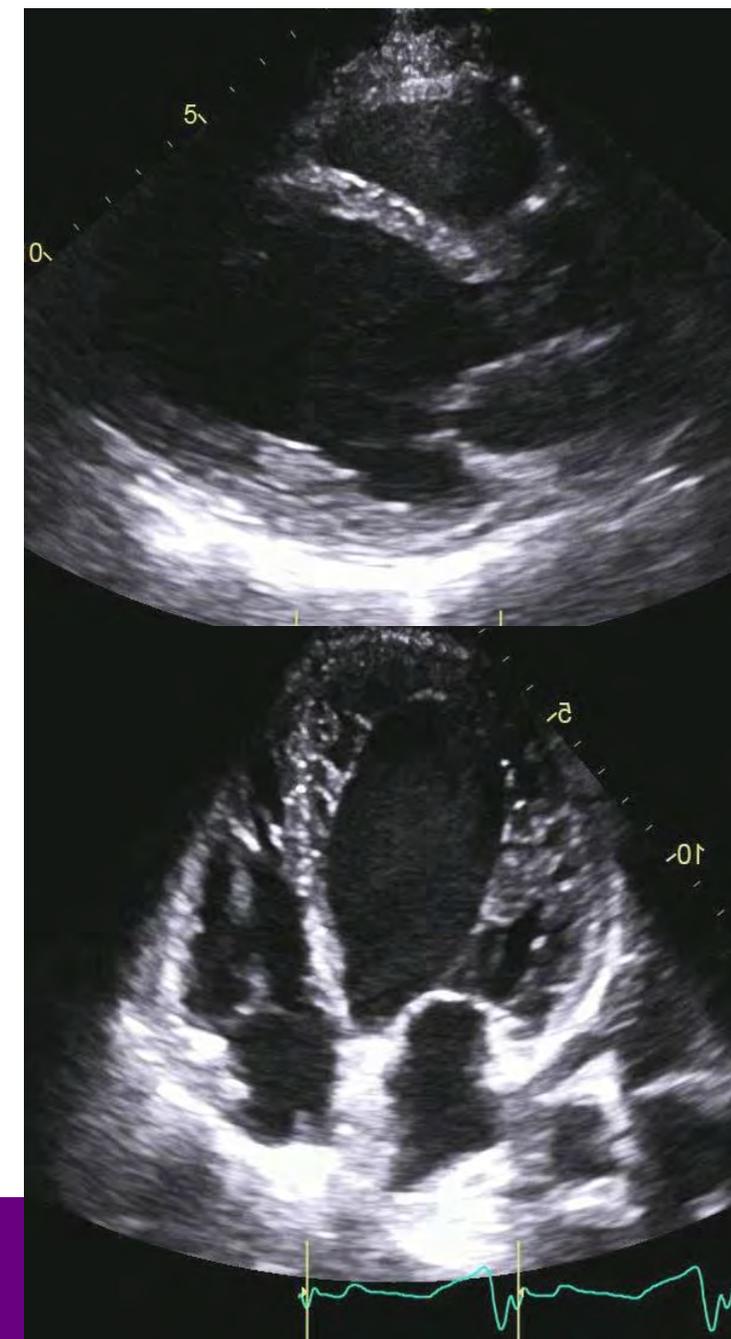
Grade 1 Diastolic Dysfunction ($E/A < 0.8$ & $E/e' < 15$)



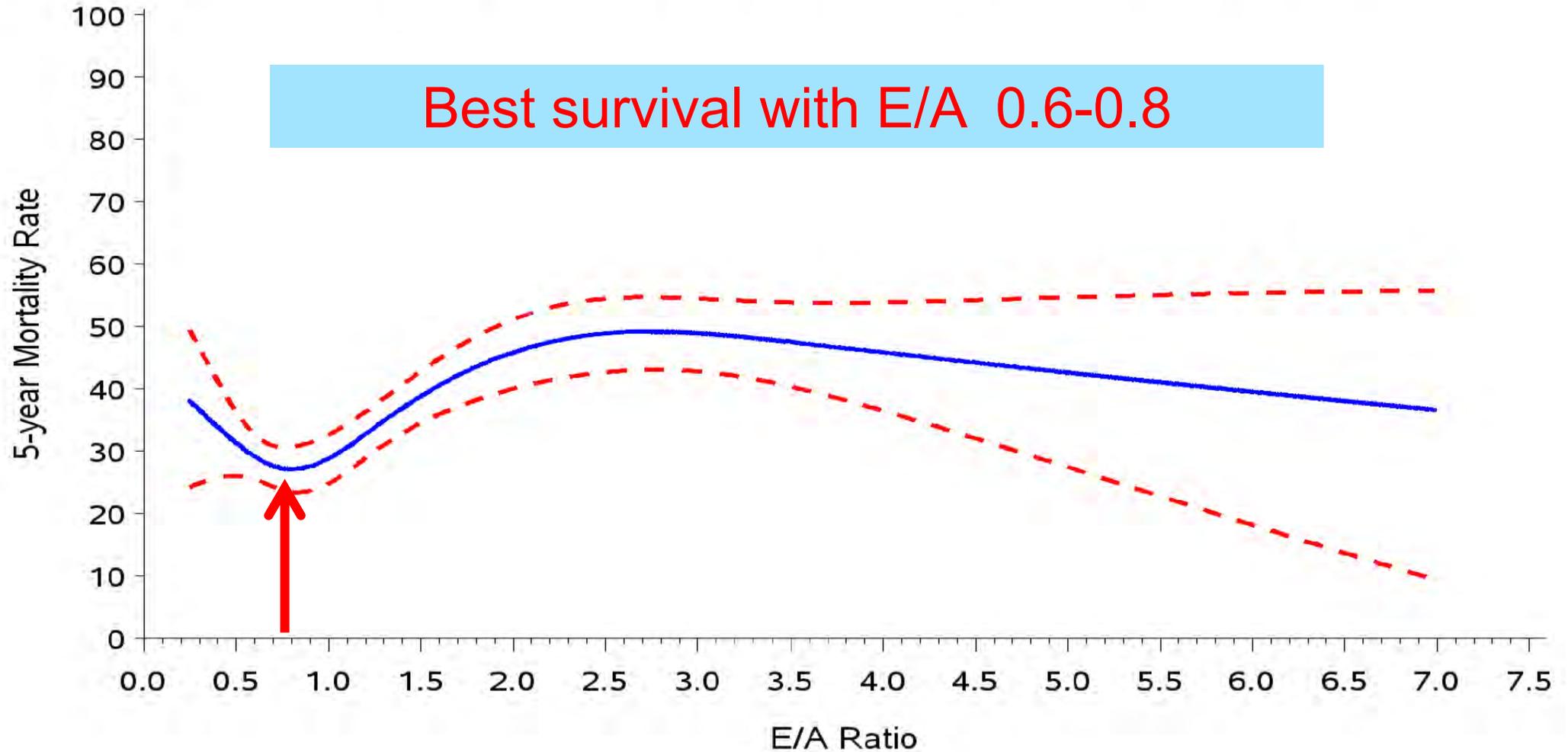
Grade 1 Diastolic Dysfunction

- Main abnormality is reduced relaxation
- Filling pressure is still normal as long as diastolic filling can be completed
- Filling pressure can go up with tachycardia or atrial fibrillation
- Common with aging
- Best diastolic filling in patients with known failure

Grade 1 Diastolic Dysfunction in EF 20% LV filling pressure is normal

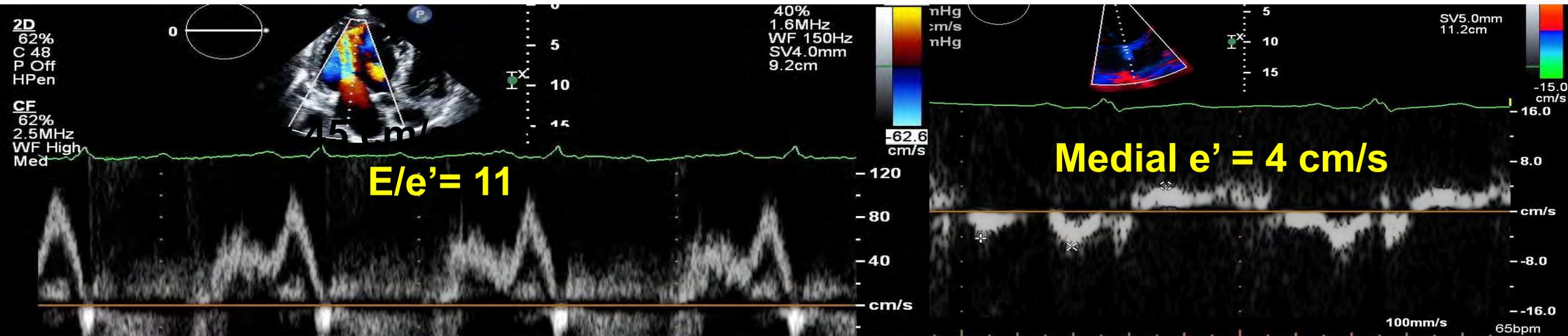


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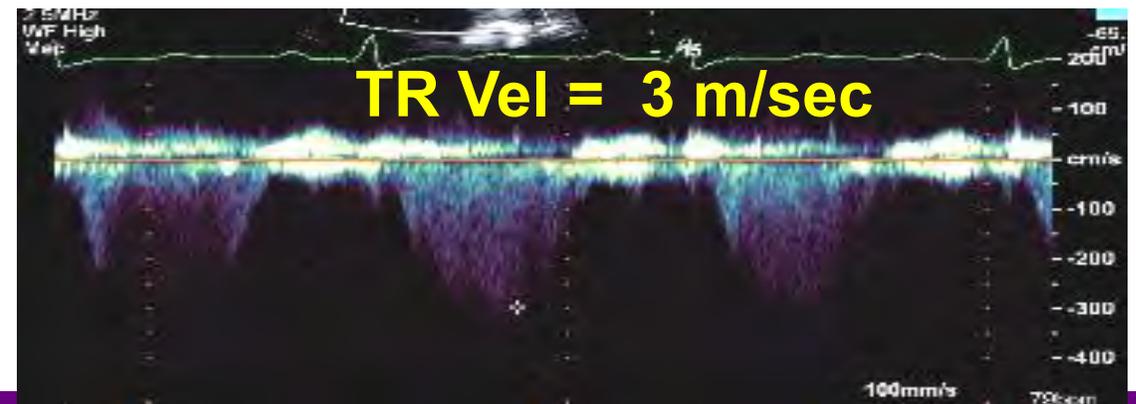
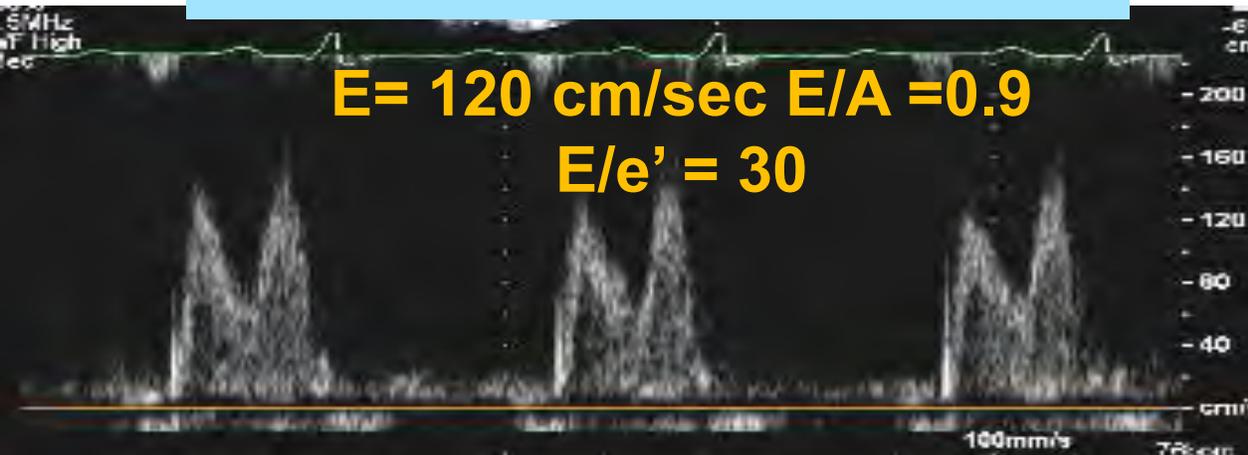




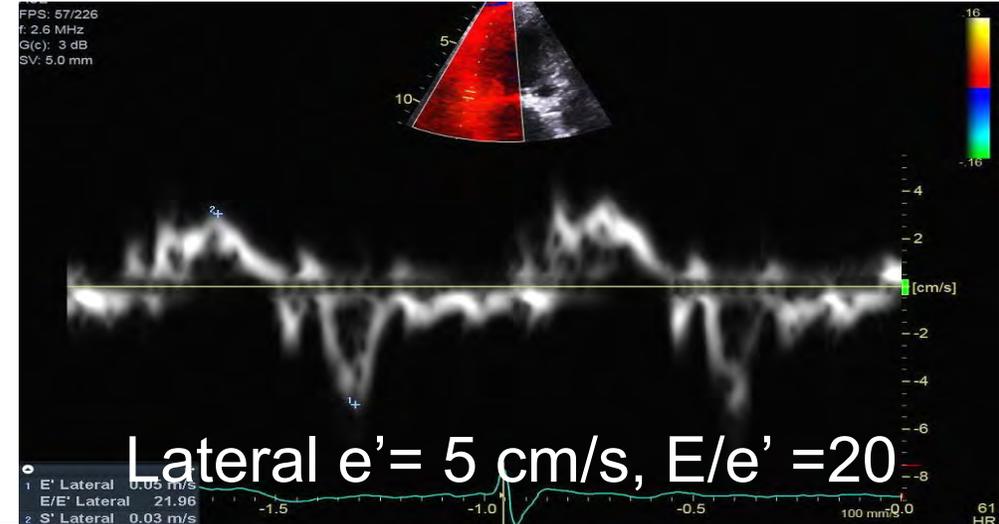
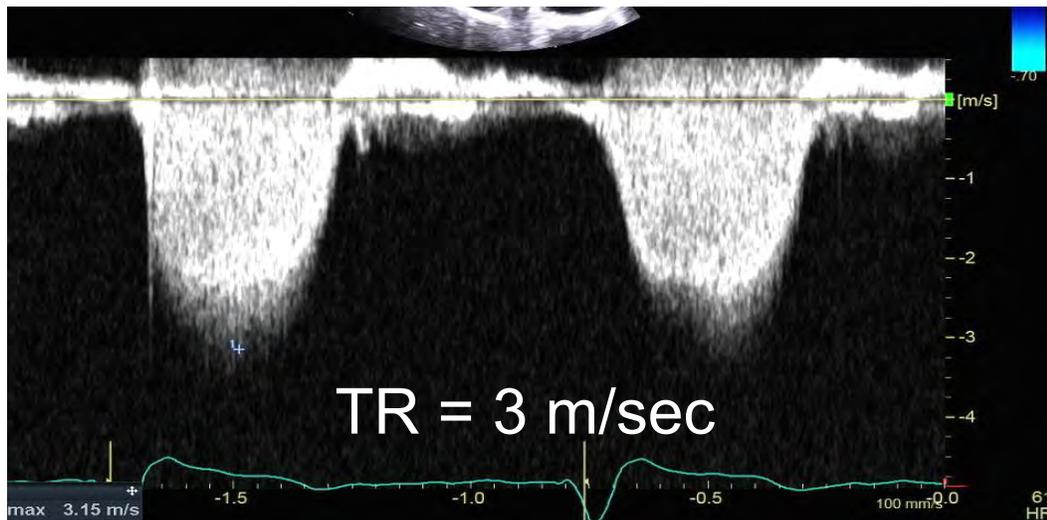
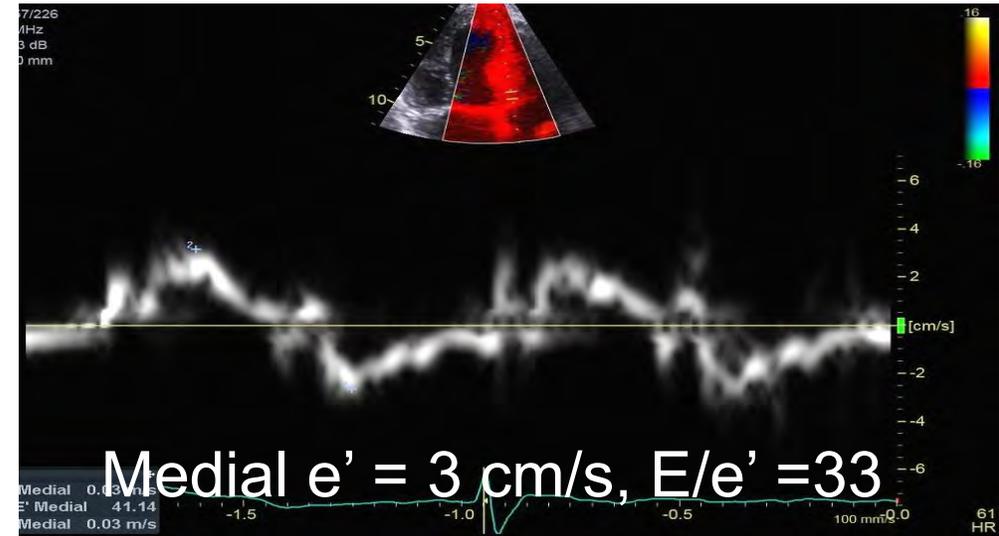
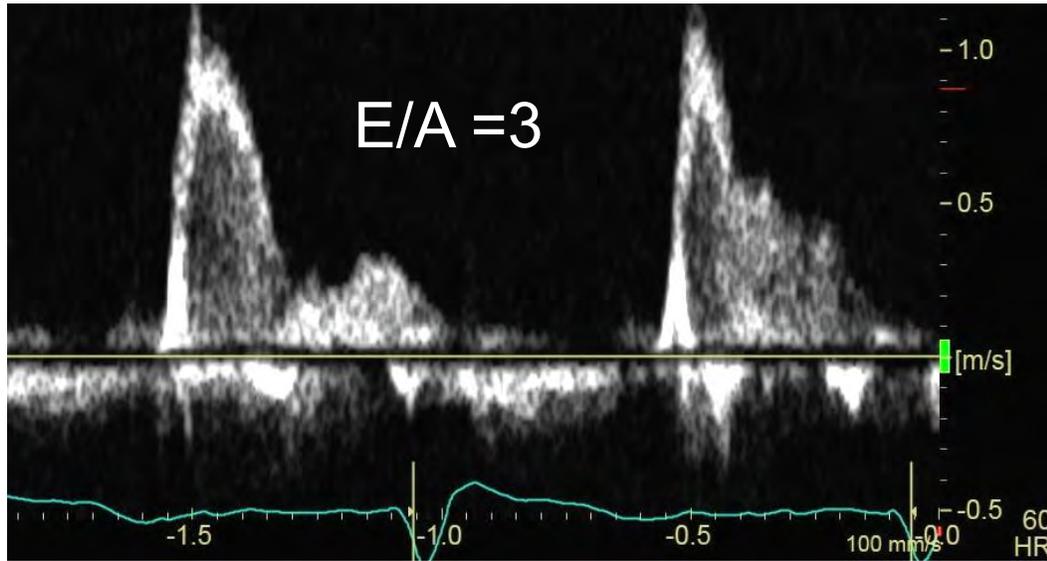
67 year old man with ischemic CM and HF



2 months before



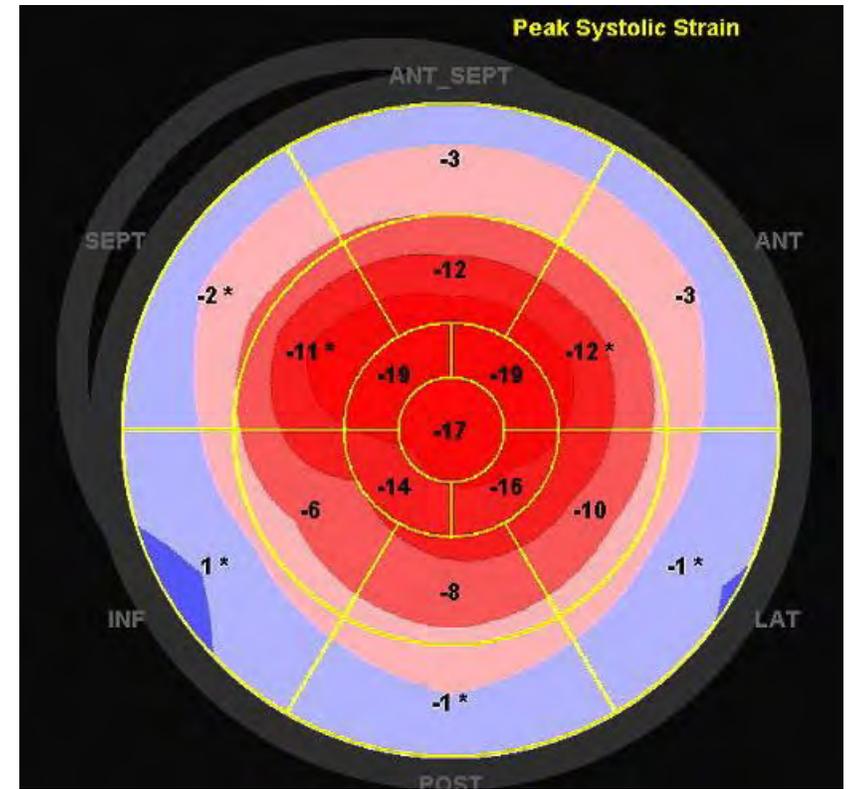
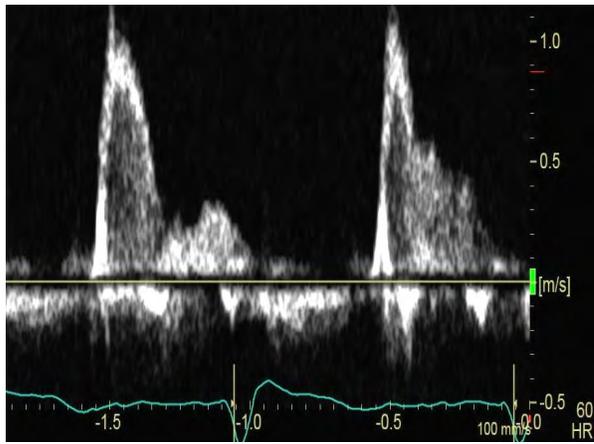
Grade 3 Diastolic Dysfunction (Restrictive Filling)



Grade 3 Restrictive Filling Pattern

- Relaxation is reduced and filling pressure is markedly elevated ($E/e' > 15$ and PCWP $> 15-20$ mmHg)
- Portends a poor prognosis in various CV diseases
- Stroke volume (or diastolic filling volume) is limited, hence bradycardia causes low cardiac output
- Consider amyloidosis or restrictive CM if EF is preserved
- Strain Imaging is MUST

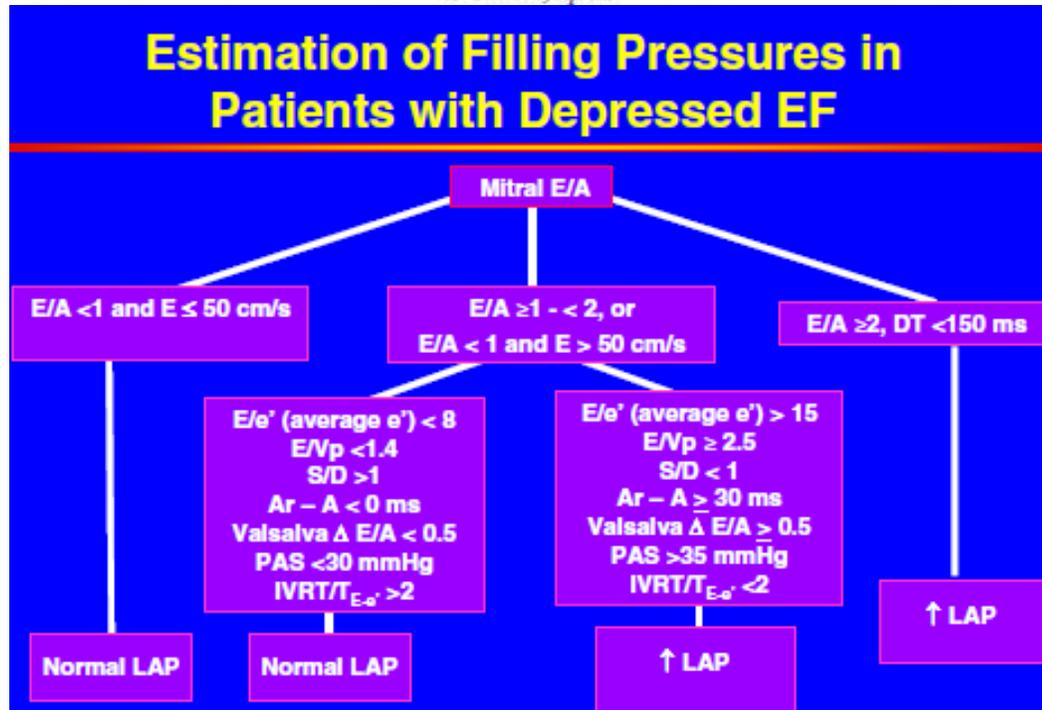
Grade 3 Diastolic Dysfunction



Recommendations for the Evaluation of Left Ventricular Diastolic Function by Echocardiography

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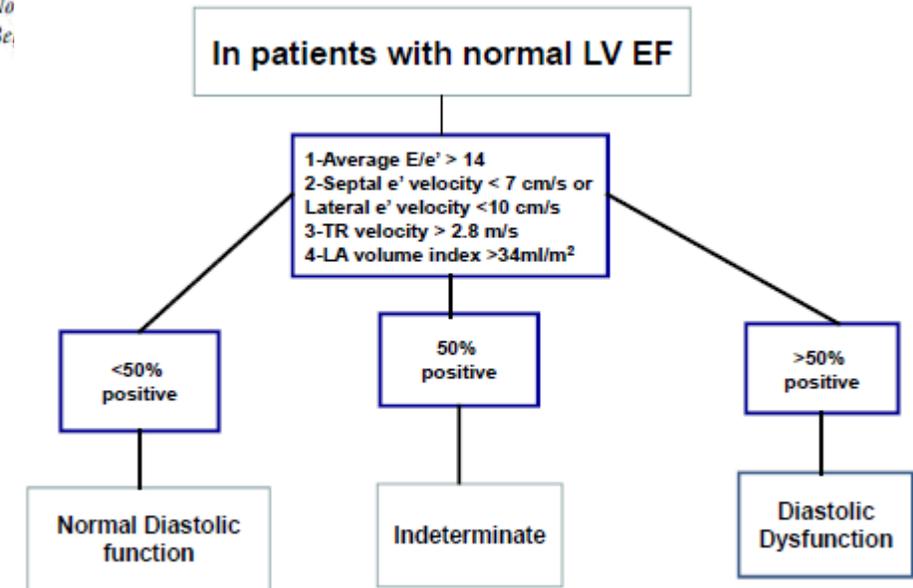
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9 Variables using 3 algorithms

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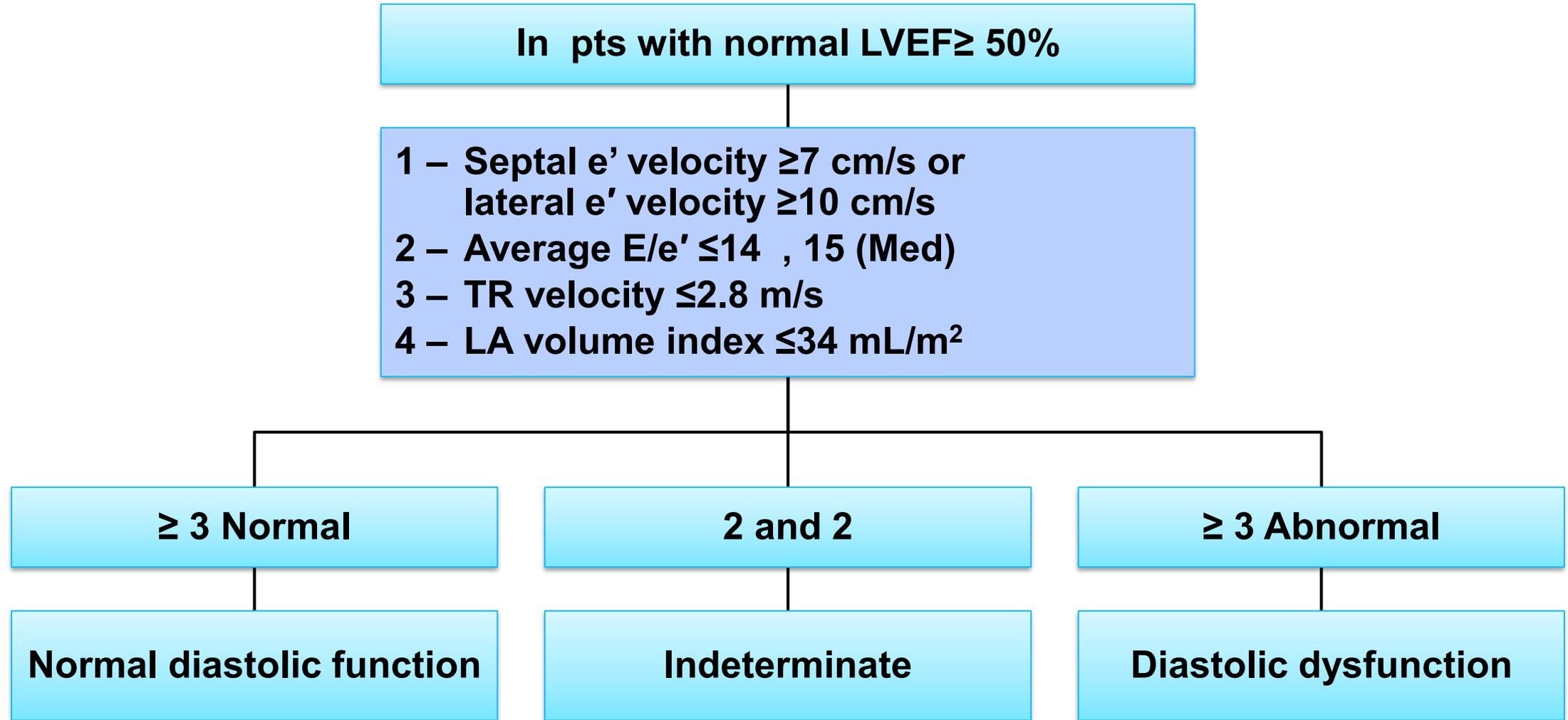
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4 Variables using 2 algorithms

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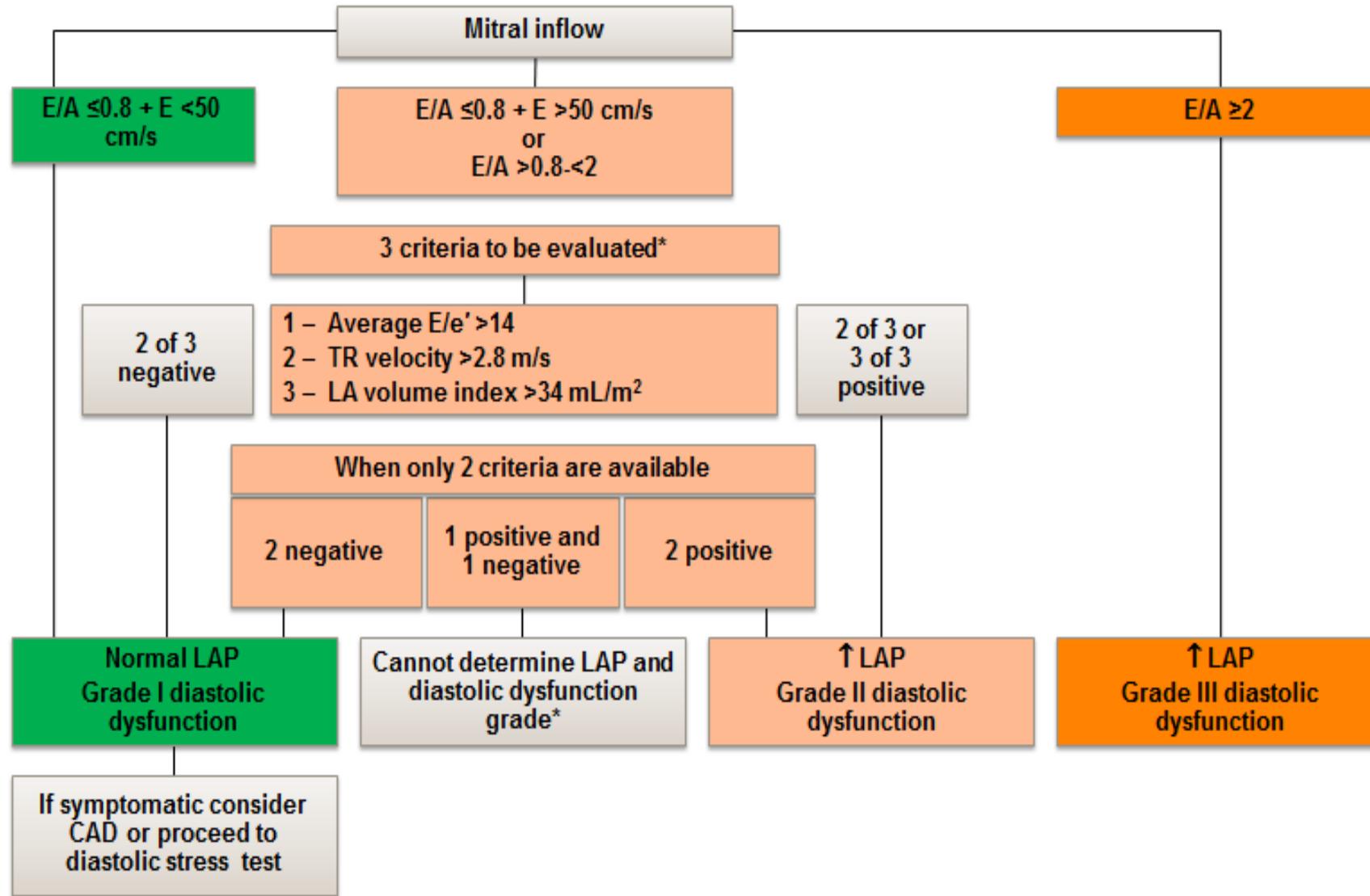
2016 ASE/EACVI #1 Algorithm for Diastolic Function Assessment



Criteria for diagnosis of LV diastolic dysfunction in patients with normal LVEF in JASE 2016

The 2016 Algorithm for Reduced EF (<50%) or Known (or Suspected) Diastolic Dysfunction/EF≥50%

(Hypertension, CAD, Diabetes, MI, History of HF, LVH, LAE)

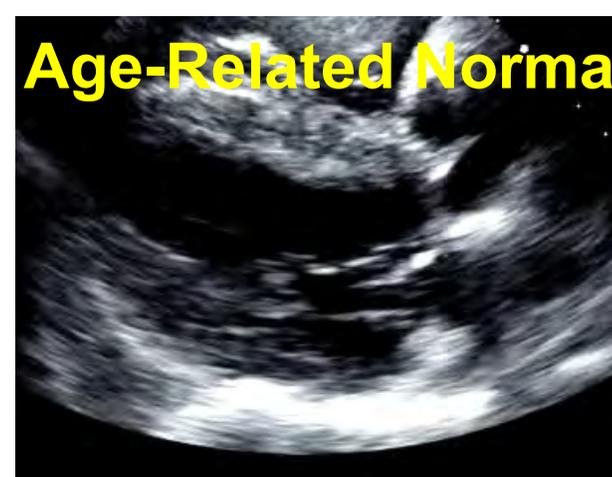
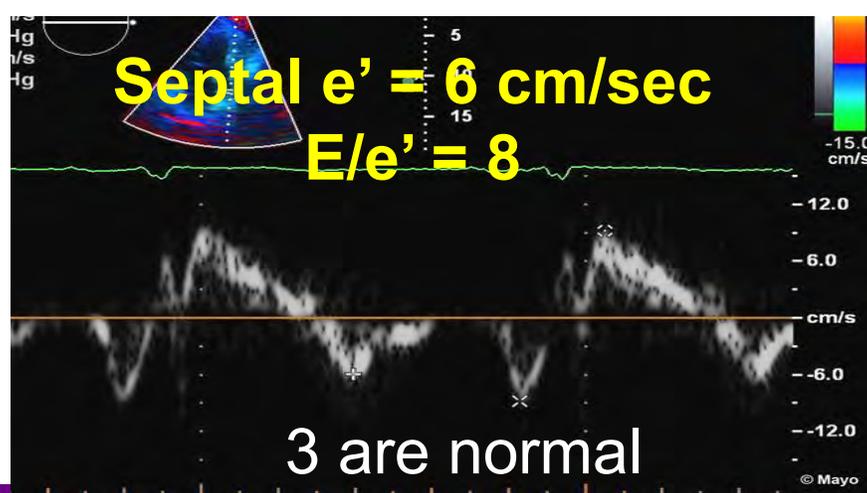
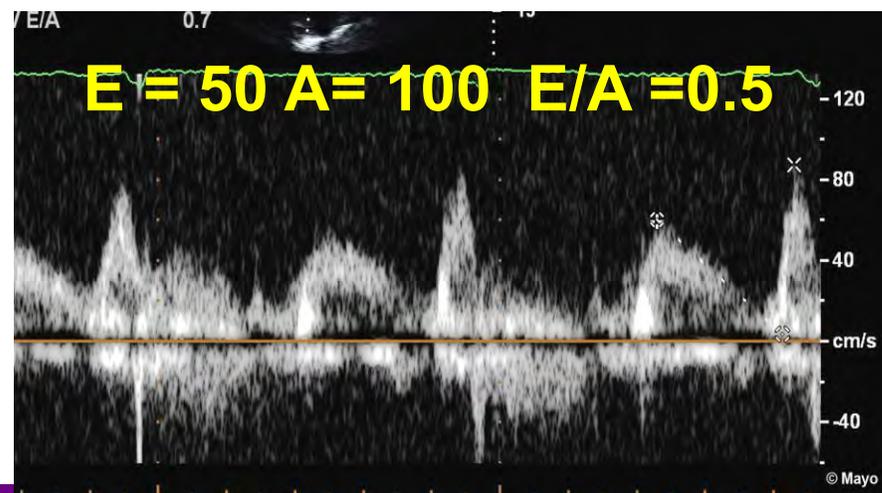
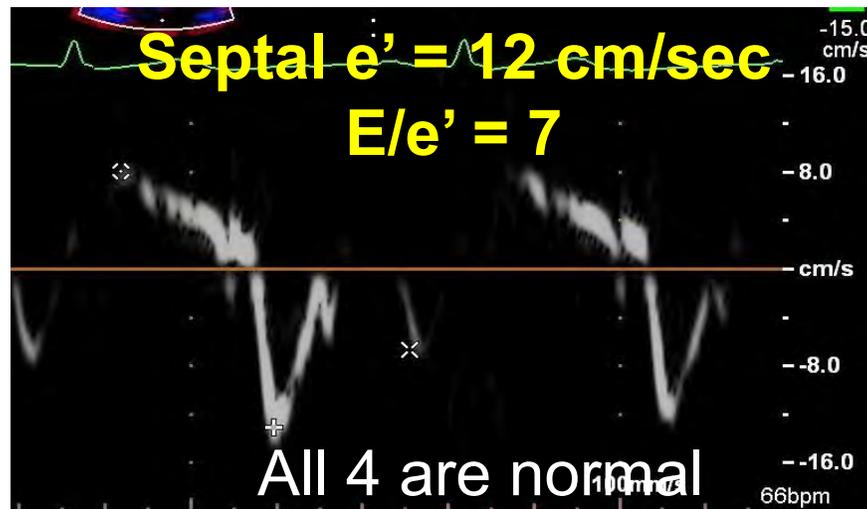
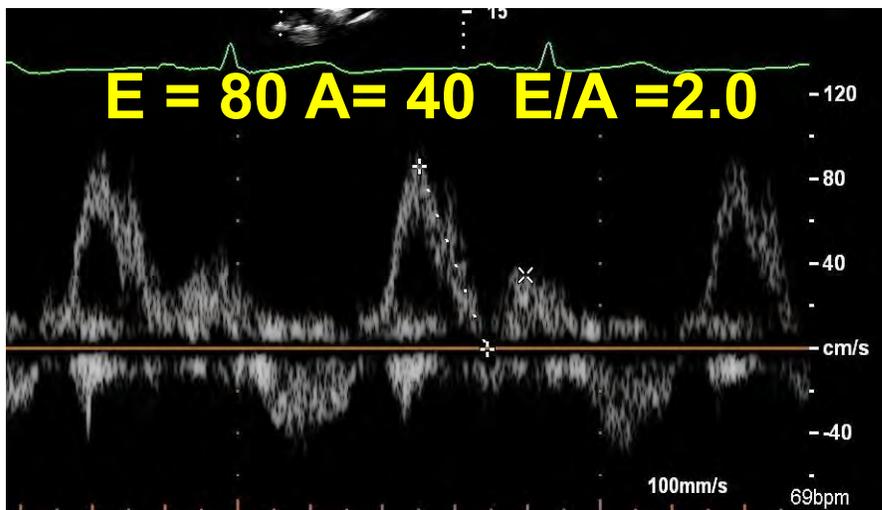




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Normal Diastolic Function According to 2016 Guideline

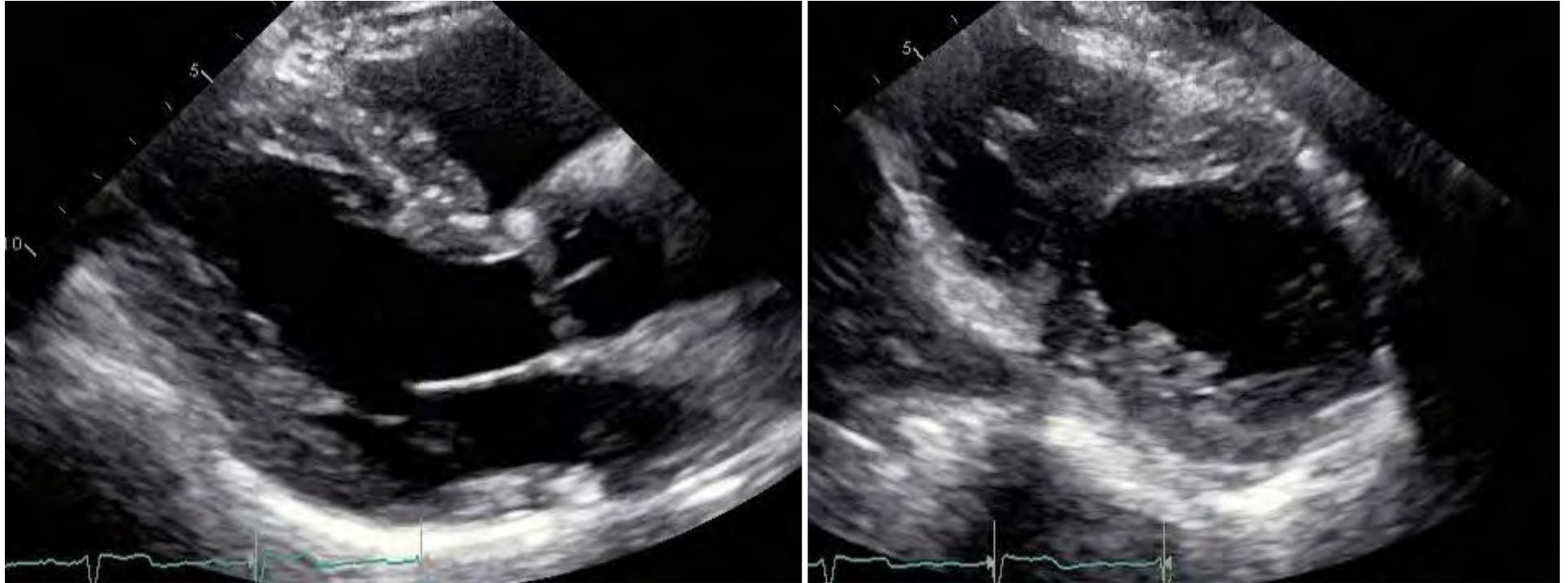
Both have LAVI < 34 mL/m² and TR < 2.8 m/sec



#25

59 year old male with multiple myeloma
No cardiac symptoms

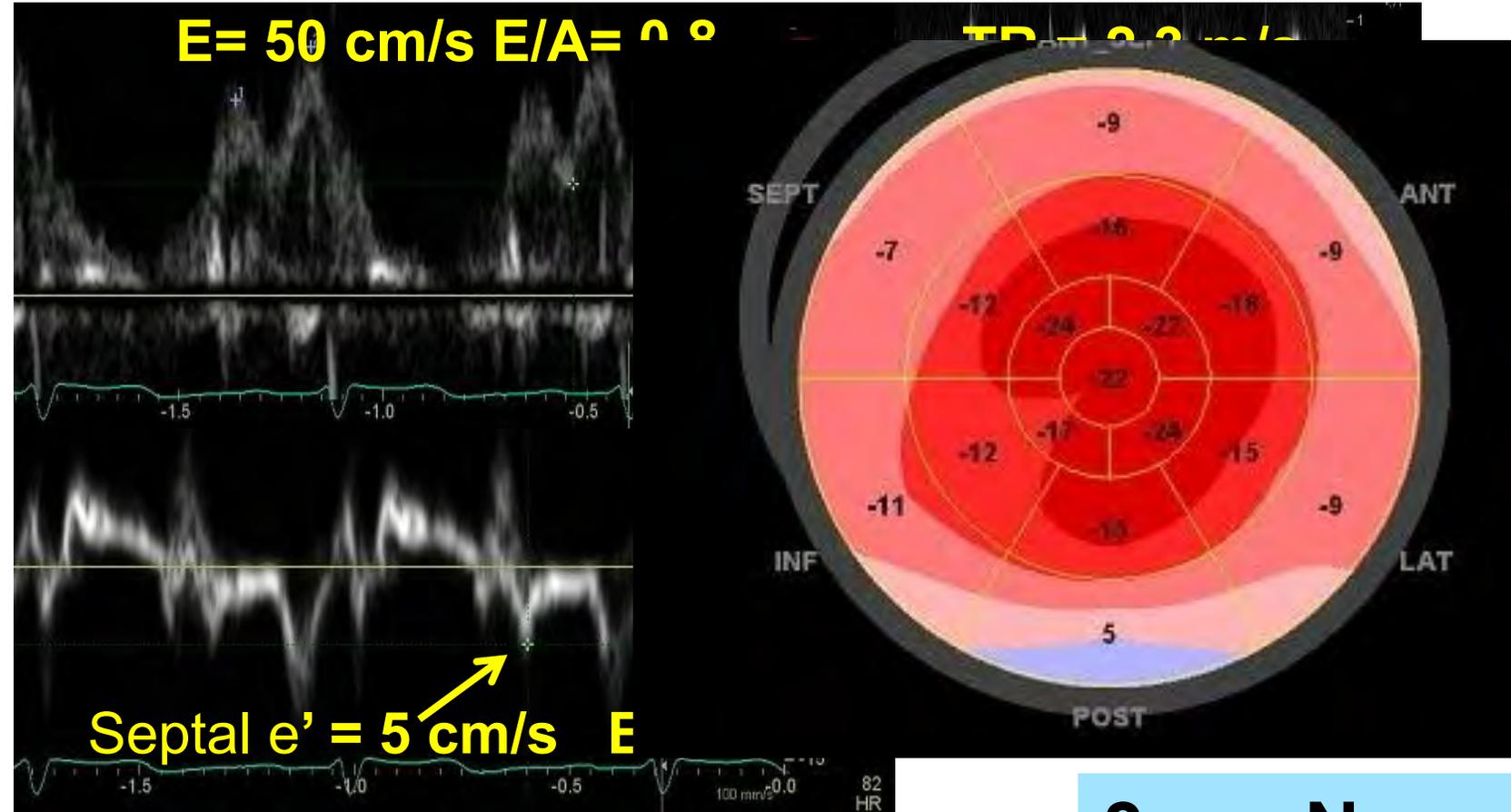
LAVI = 28 mL/m²



59 year old male with multiple myeloma No cardiac symptoms

E = 50 cm/s E/A = 0.9

TR = 2.8 m/s



pts with normal LVEF ≥ 50%

- Septal e' velocity ≥ 7 cm/s or lateral e' velocity ≥ 10 cm/s
- Average E/e' ≤ 14, 15 (Med)
- TR velocity ≤ 2.8 m/s
- LA volume index ≤ 34 mL/m²

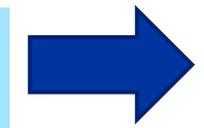
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≥ 3 Abnormal

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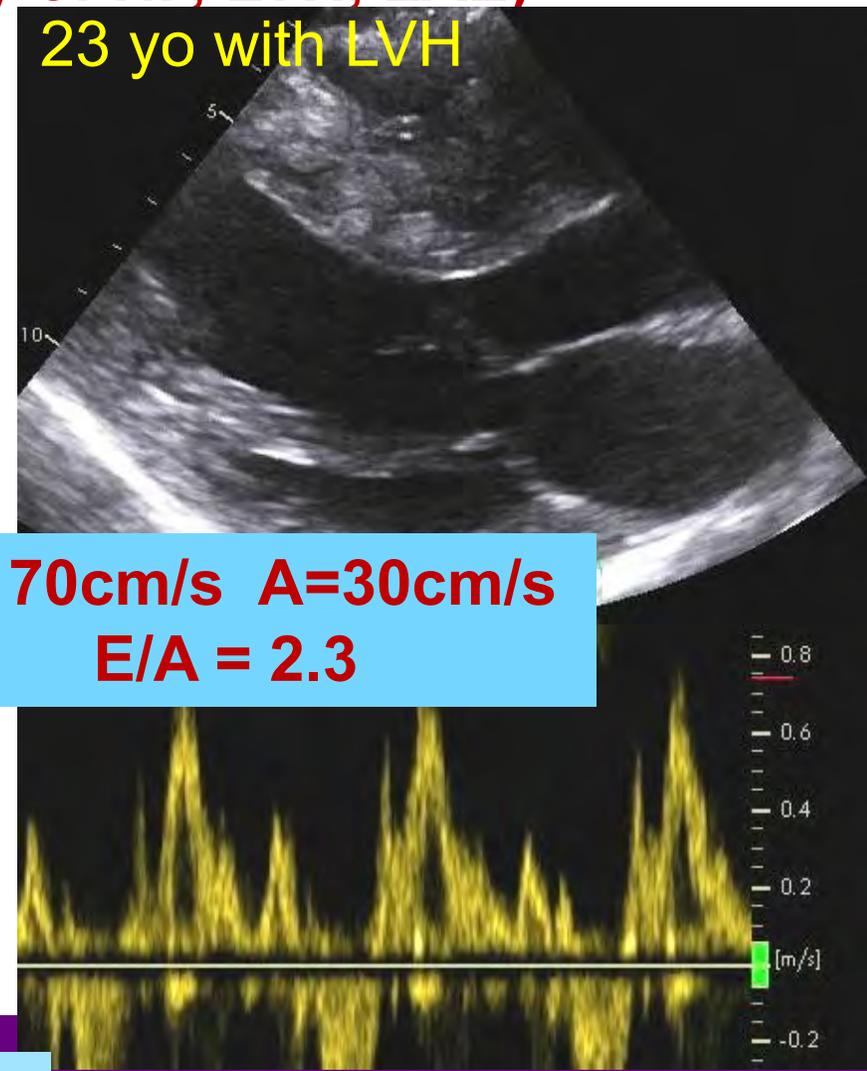
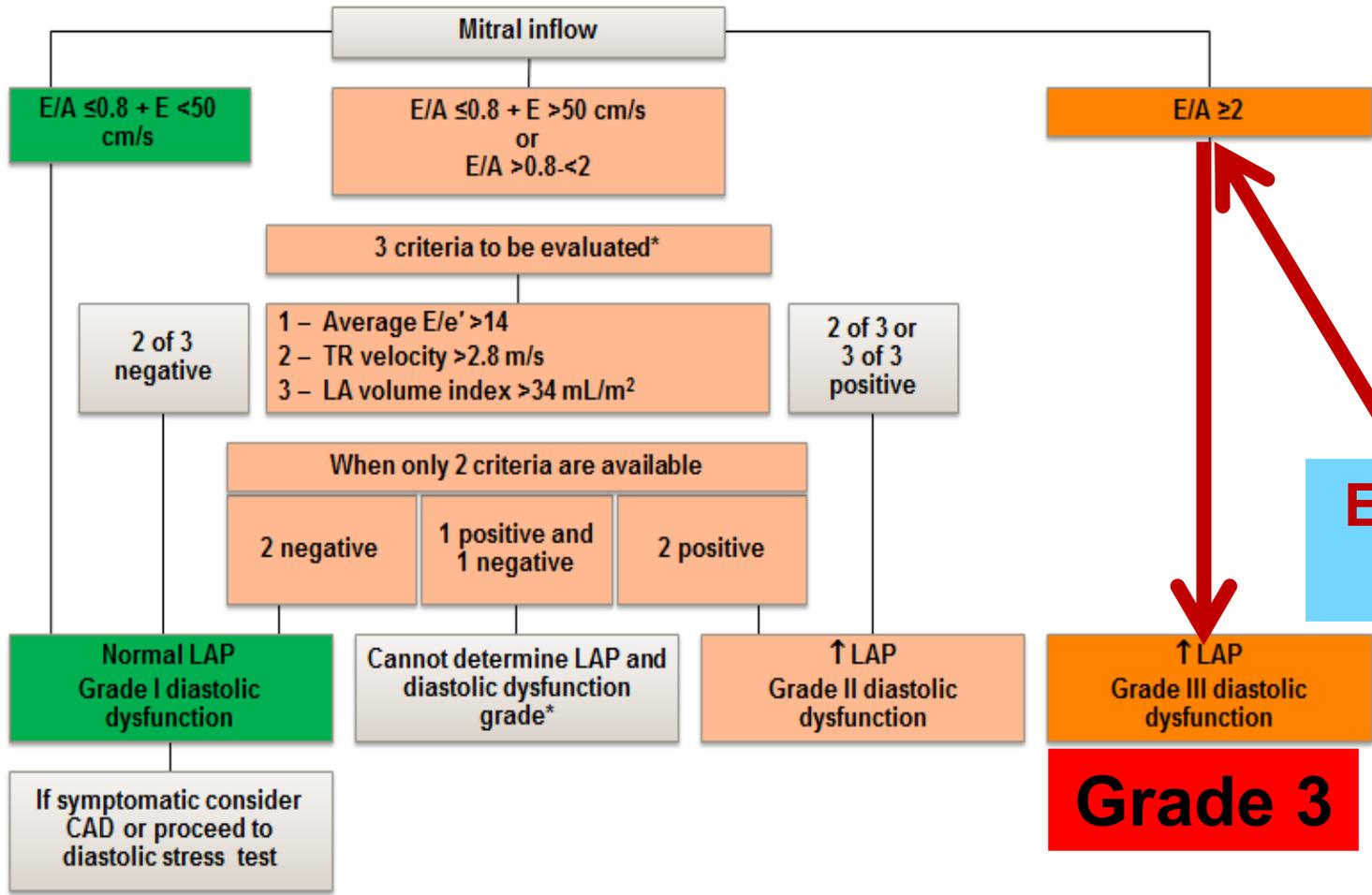
Diastolic dysfunction

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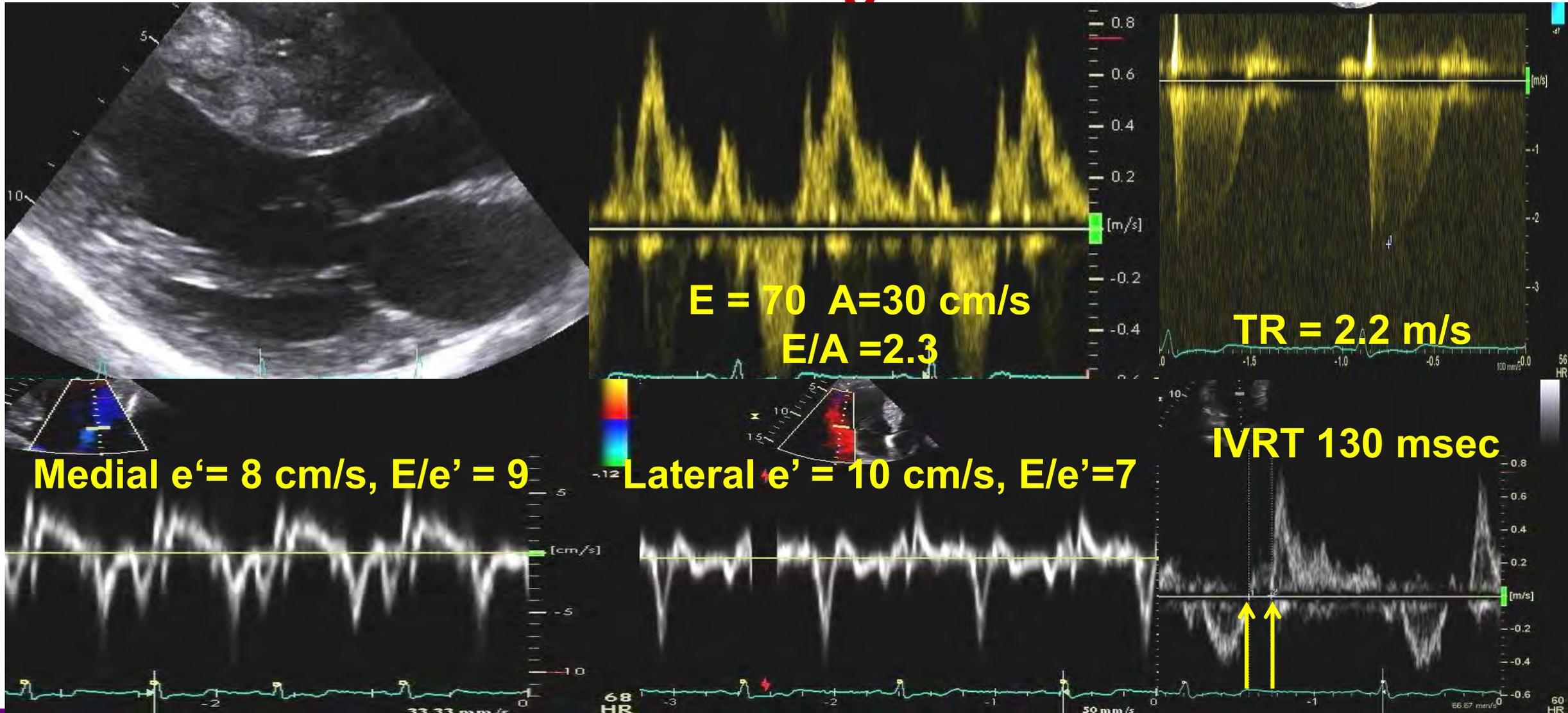
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23 year old male with LVH in ECG

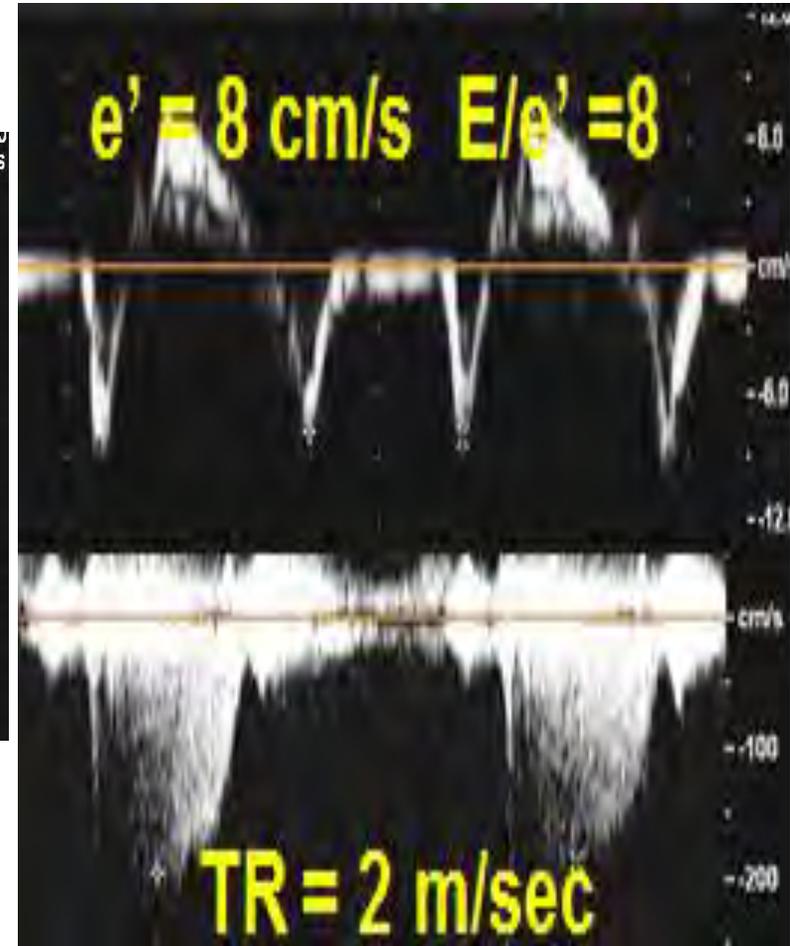
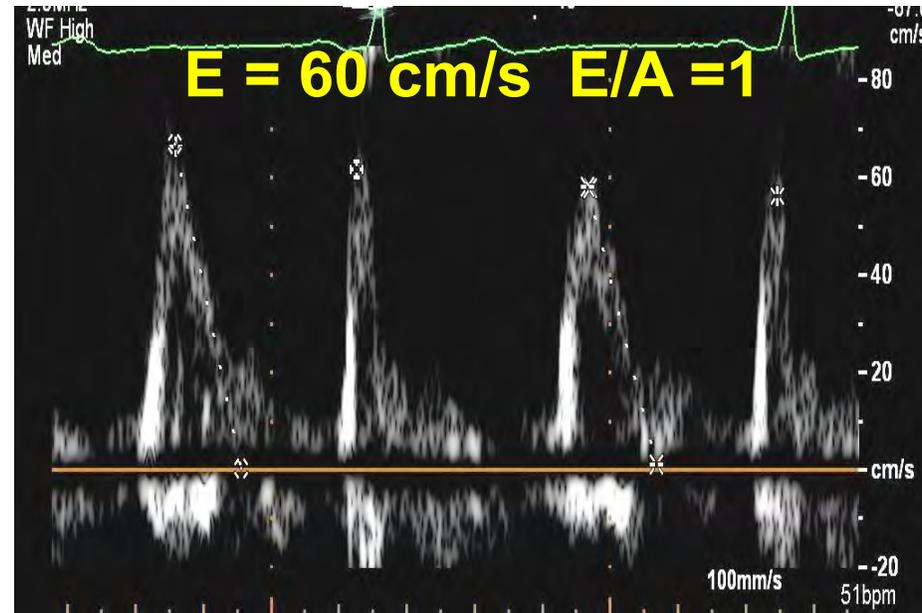
Normal Filling Pressure



Normal Filling Pressure although Diastolic Function is Reduced for Patient's Age

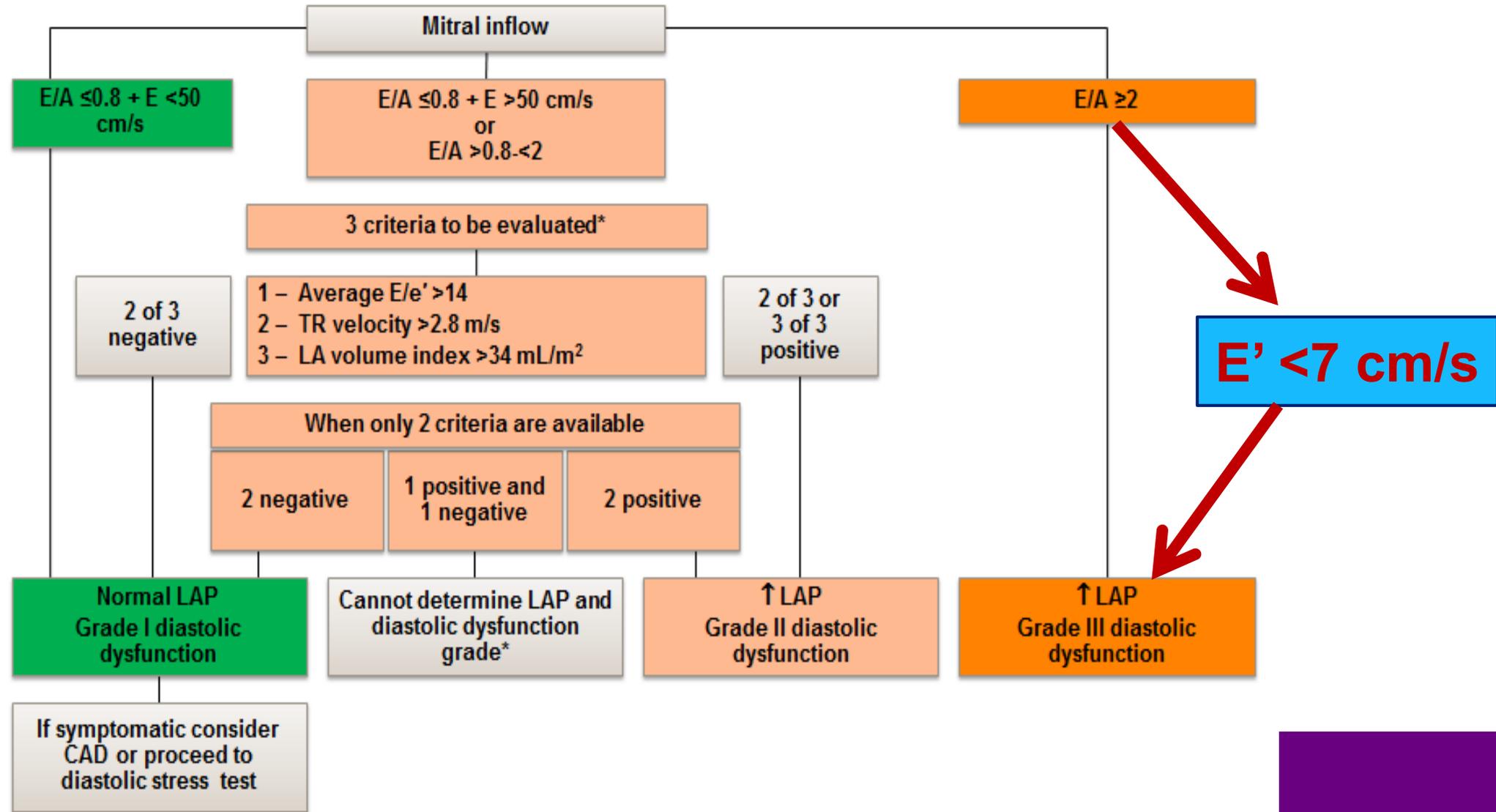
#27

40 yo man with anterior STEMI LVEF 45%



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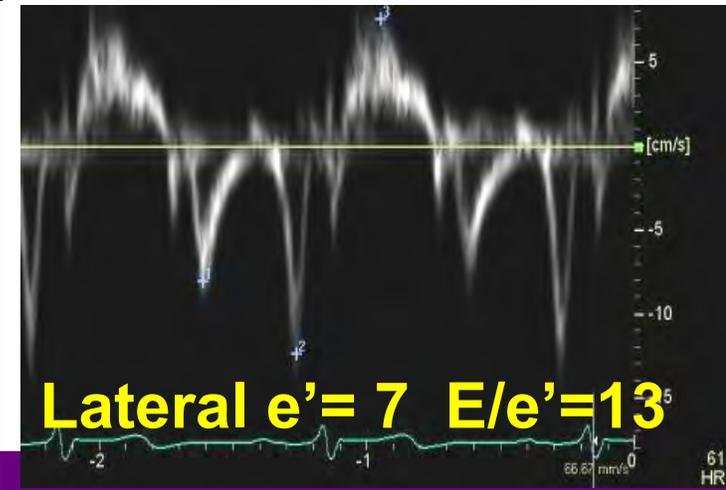
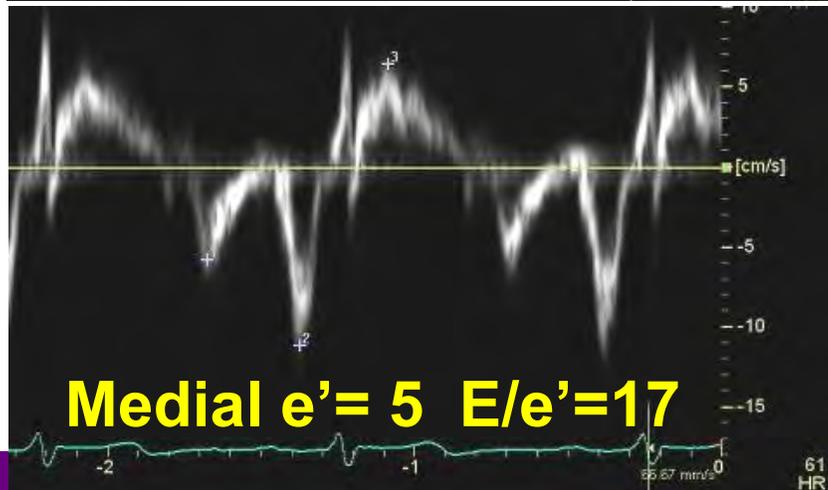
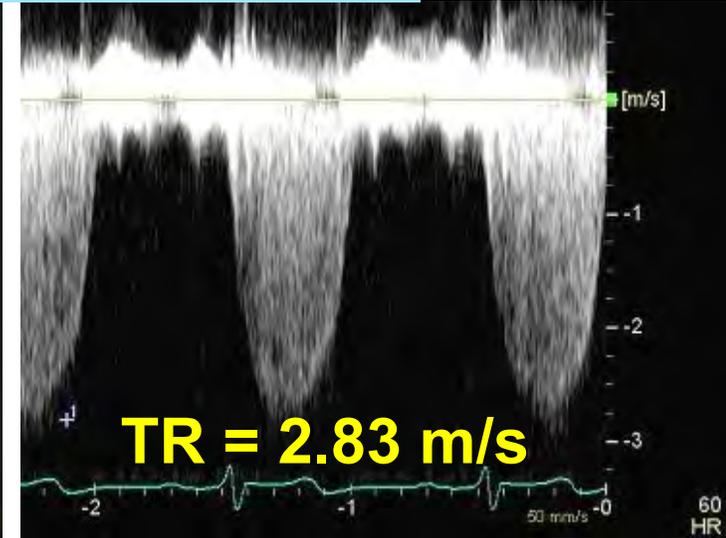
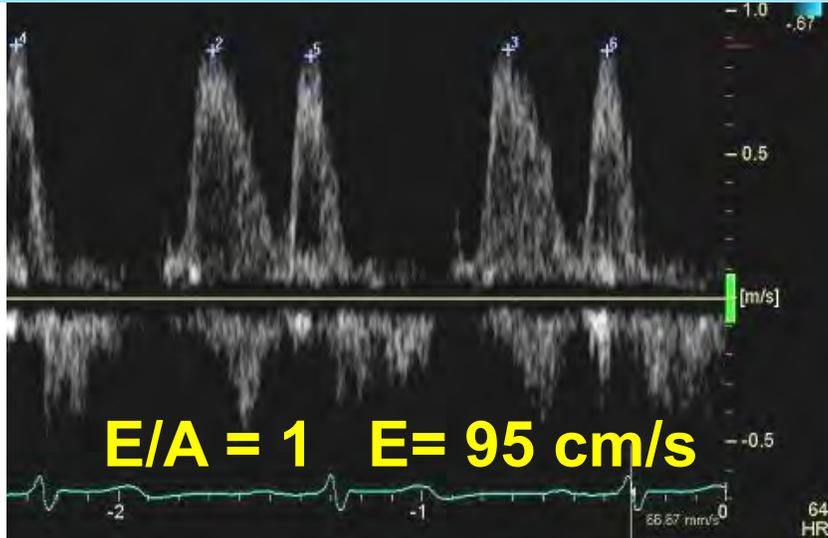
Case #28

82 year old male with dyspnea
All 4 parameters are abnormal

Diastolic Dysfunction and Increased Filling Pressure



LAVI = 38 mL/m²



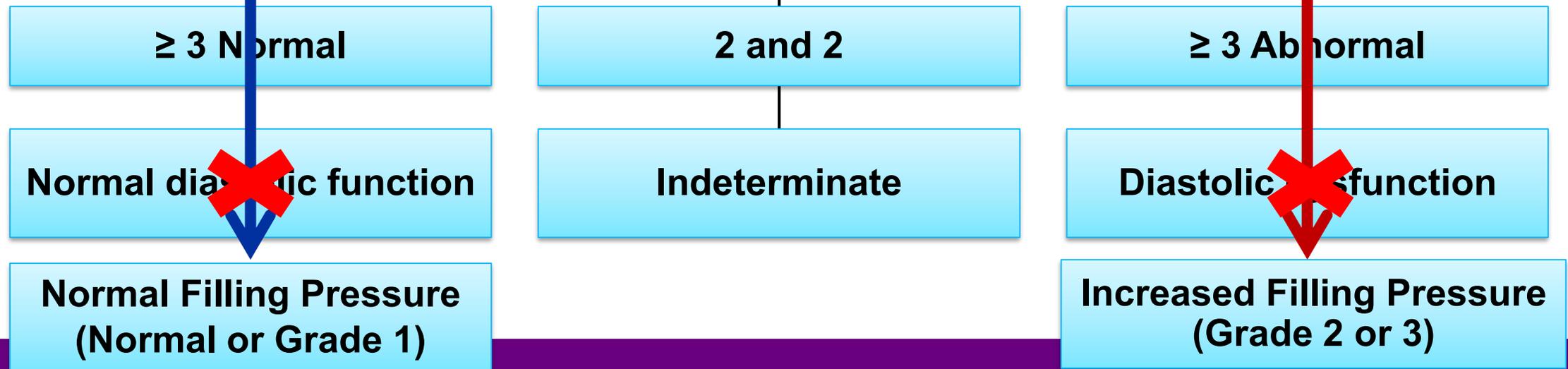
Revised Algorithm #1 for Diastolic Function Assessment

In pts with normal LVEF $\geq 50\%$

- 1 – Septal e' velocity ≥ 7 cm/s or lateral e' velocity ≥ 10 cm/s
- 2 – Average E/e' ≤ 14 , 15 (Med)
- 3 – TR velocity ≤ 2.8 m/s
- 4 – LA volume index ≤ 34 mL/m²

E/e', TR, and LAVI indicate increased filling pressure

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**Individuals with HPT, CAD, LVH, DM, or MI
Can Have Normal Diastolic Function**

Especially in Young Individuals

Proposal for making the 2016 Guideline better

- Combine 2 algorithms to 1 algorithm
- Use one e' velocity
- Change (normal and abnormal) diastolic function to filling pressure, then determine grading
- Use additional parameters or methods when indeterminate or complex (MAC, LBBB, HCM, Atrial Fibrillation)

The 2016 Diastolic Function Guideline



Is it Already Time to Revisit or Revise Them?

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A Proposal For Modifications To The Current Diastolic Function Guideline

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Determination of diastolic function is an integral part of an echocardiography examination, especially in patients with symptoms of heart failure. To standardize the evaluation of diastolic function, the American Society of Echocardiography (ASE)/European Association of Cardiovascular Imaging (EACVI) diastolic function working group published recommendation guidelines in 2009 and 2016 (1). In the

(DD), designed for estimating left ventricular (LV) filling pressure and grading diastolic function. The 2016 guideline emphasized the specificity for detecting DD. In selected patients who were referred to cardiac catheterization, assessment of filling pressure according to the 2016 guideline was shown to be reliable and interobserver variability was excellent (2). However, its sensitivity for detecting DD (especially grade 1) markedly decreased. Almeida et al. (3) showed that the incidence of DD in 1,000 individuals (mean age of 62 years) was 1.4% based on the 2016 guideline compared to 38.1% based on the 2009 guideline.

In addition, the 2016 guideline recommended adjudication of DD based on clinical history or imaging data in the algorithm B. However, individuals with

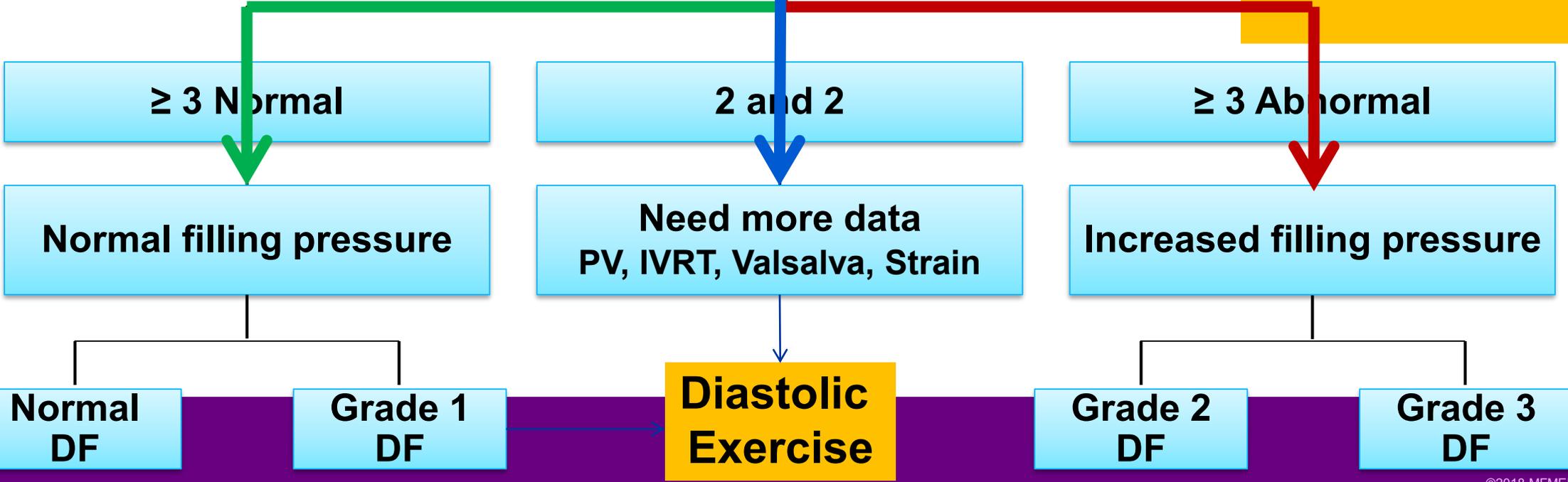
Revised Algorithm for Diastolic Function Assessment

In Most Patients *

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- 2 – E/e' ≤ 15 (Med)
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- 4 – LA volume index ≤ 34 mL/m²

- *Except for**
- MAC
 - MR
 - LBBB/PM
 - HCM
 - Constriction
 - Unusual Cases

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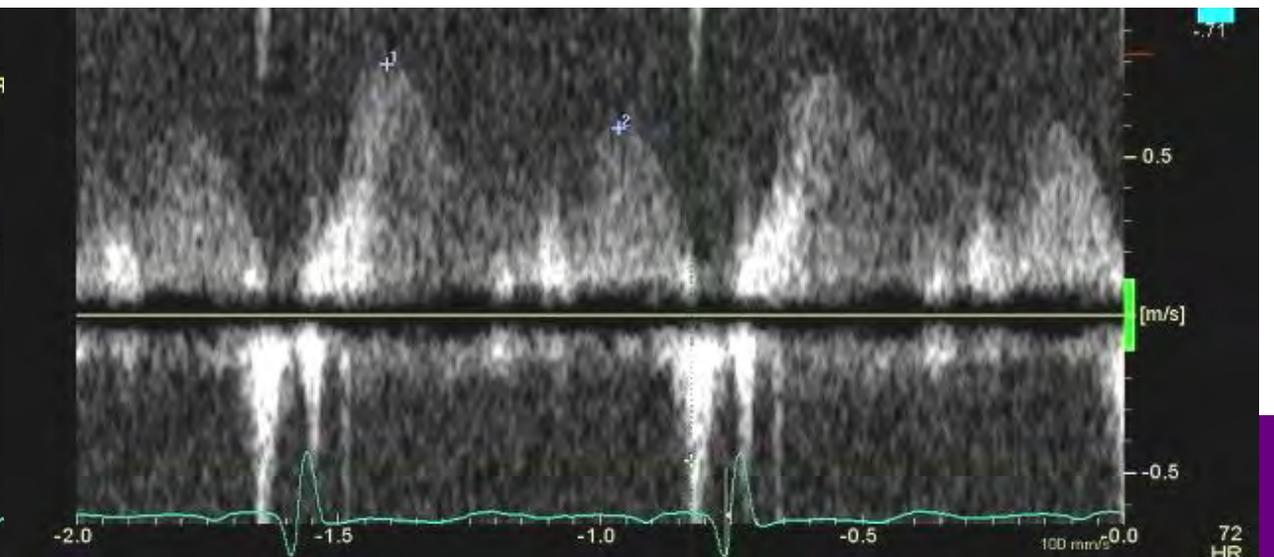
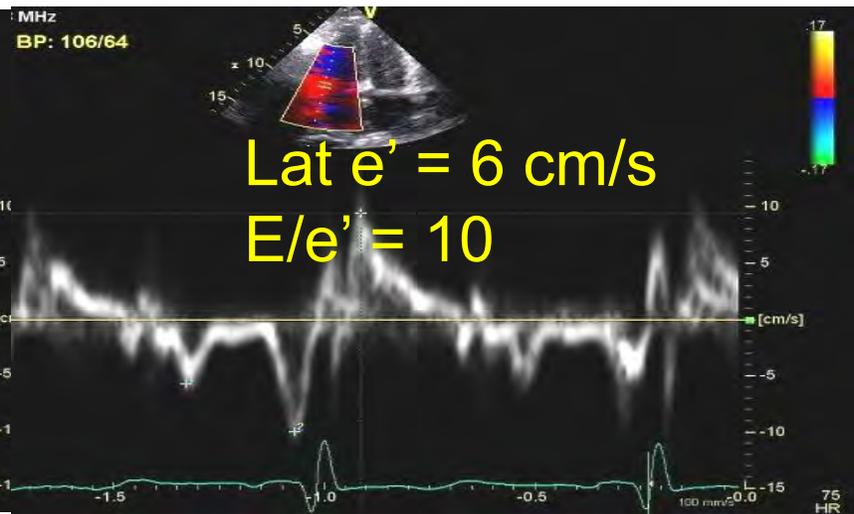
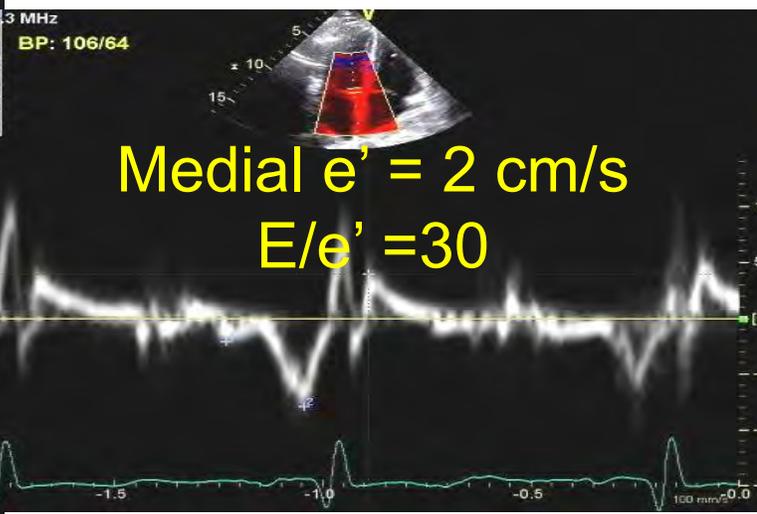
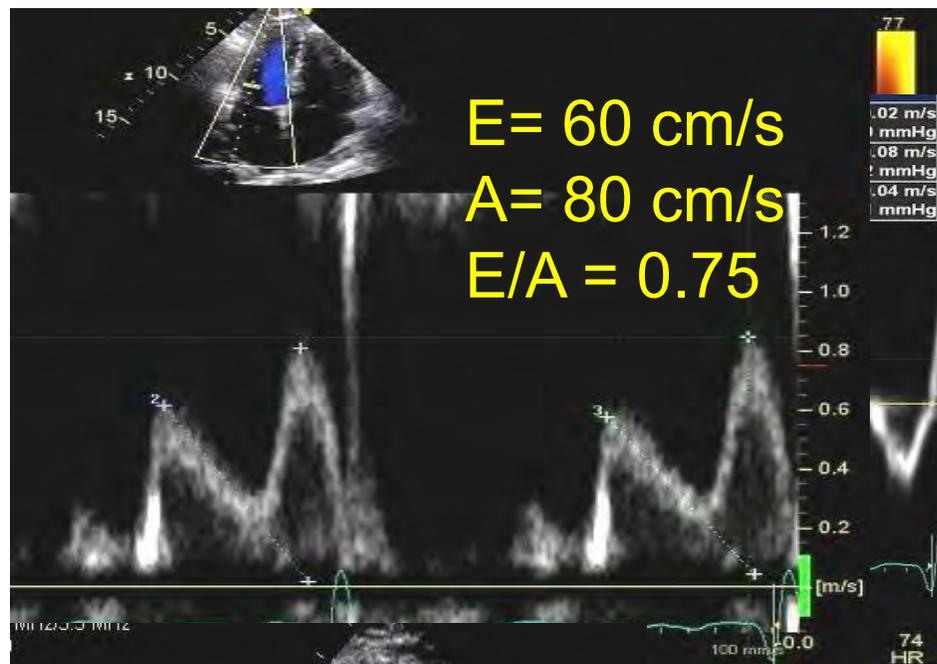


Difficult Situations

- Assessment of diastolic function or filling pressure in
 - 2 normal and 2 abnormal
 - HCM
 - LBBB
 - MAC
 - Atrial Fibrillation
- Additional supportive parameters
 - Pulmonary vein
 - L wave
 - Valsalva
 - IVRT and timing intervals
 - Left atrial strain (reservoir)

Case #29

Grade diastolic function in 80 YO man with dyspnea TR = 3.5 m/sec

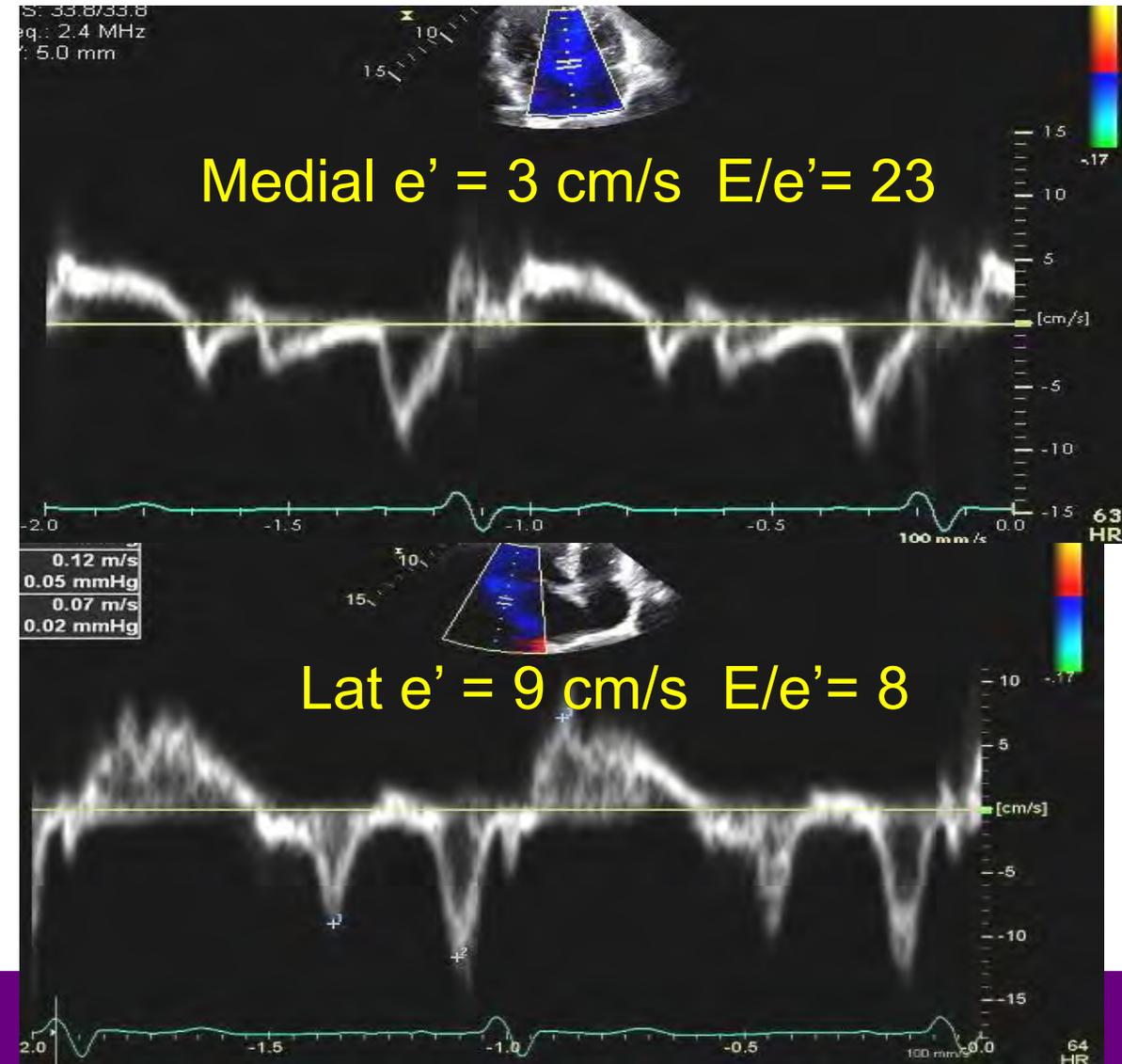
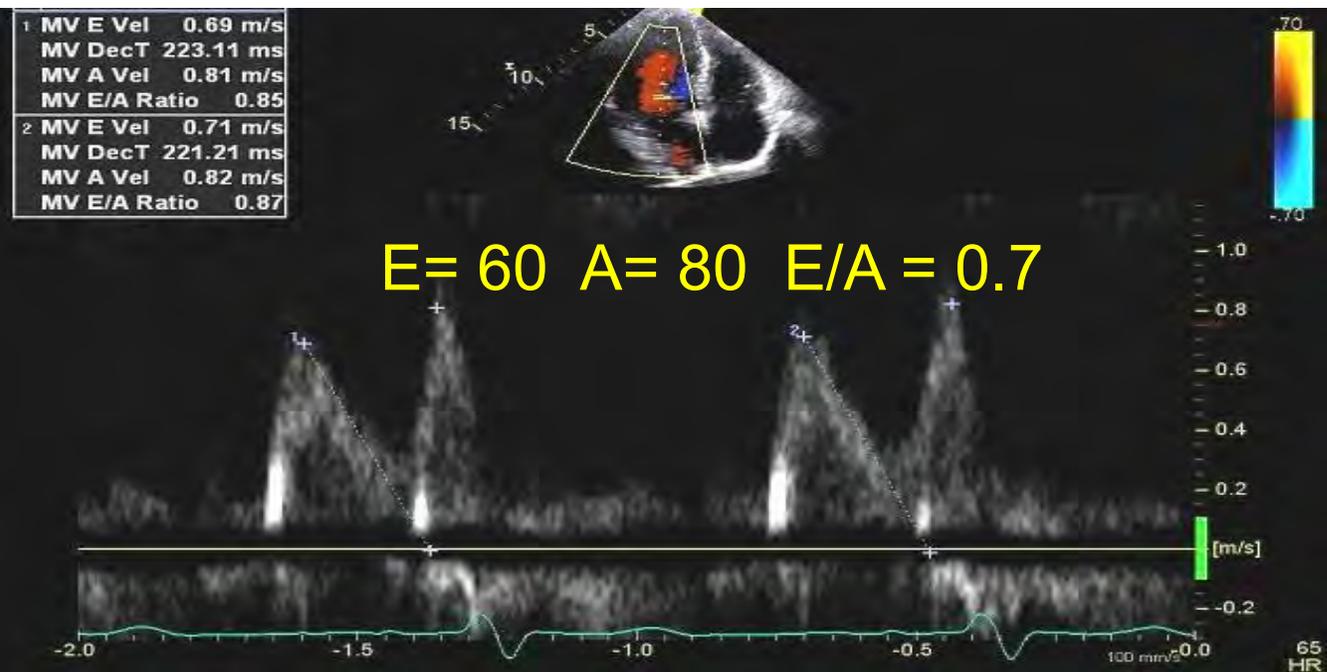


80 year old man with dyspnea and PHT Cardiac Cath Data

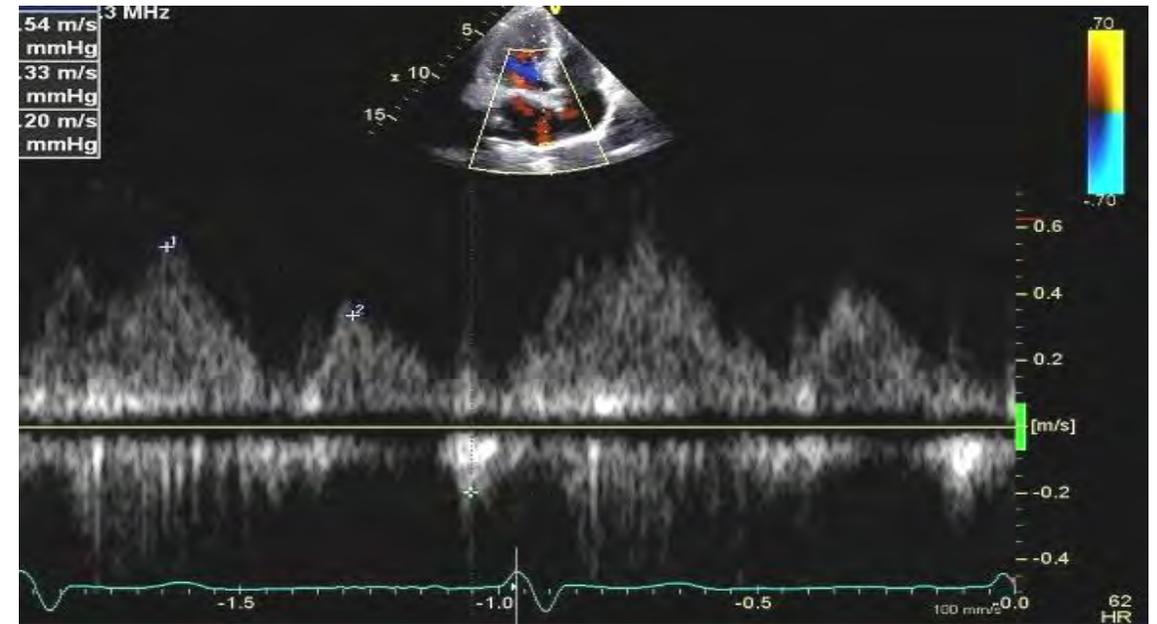
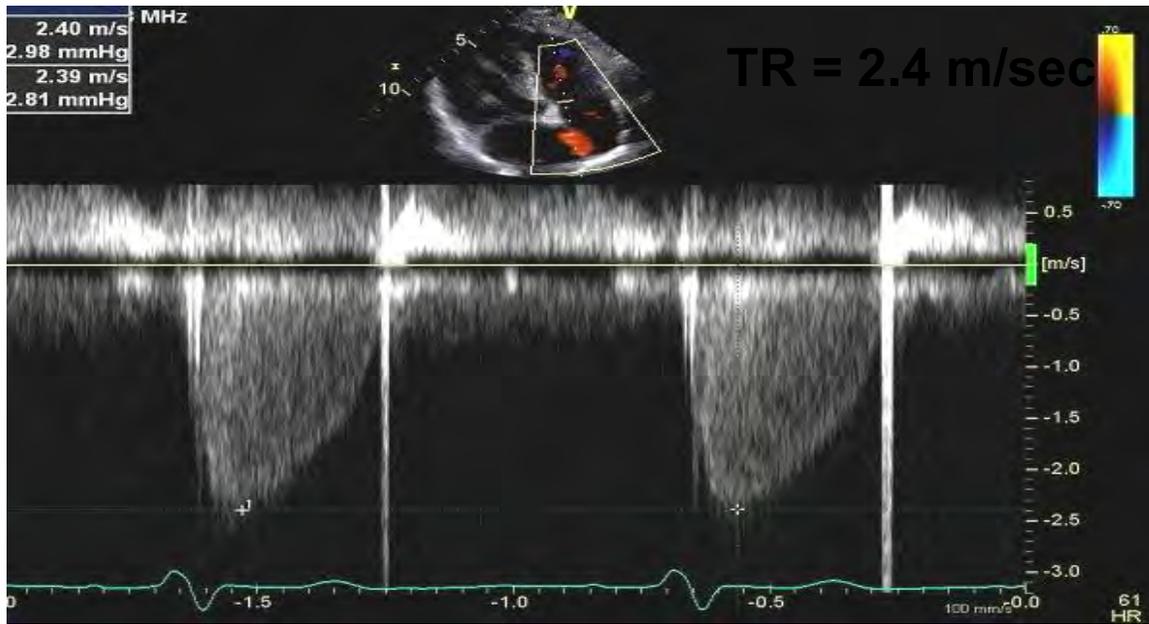
- RA pressure 2 mmHg
- RVSP 50 mmHg
- Mean PASP 28 mmHg
- PCWP 4 mmHg
- LVEDP 13 mmHg
- Cardiac Index 1.5 L/min/m²

Case #30

67 yo woman with LBBB



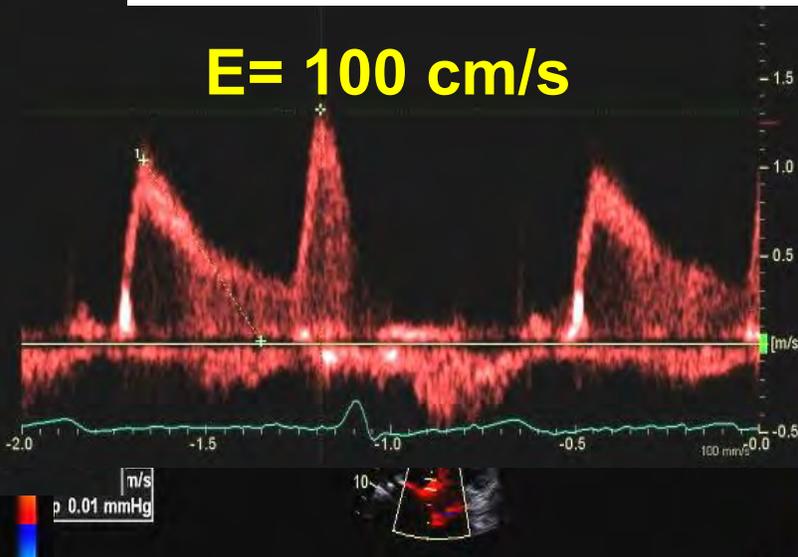
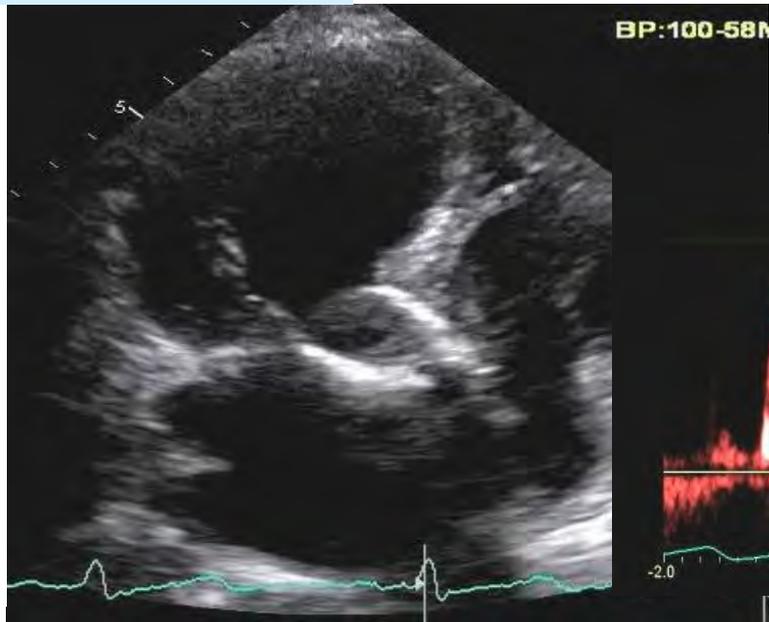
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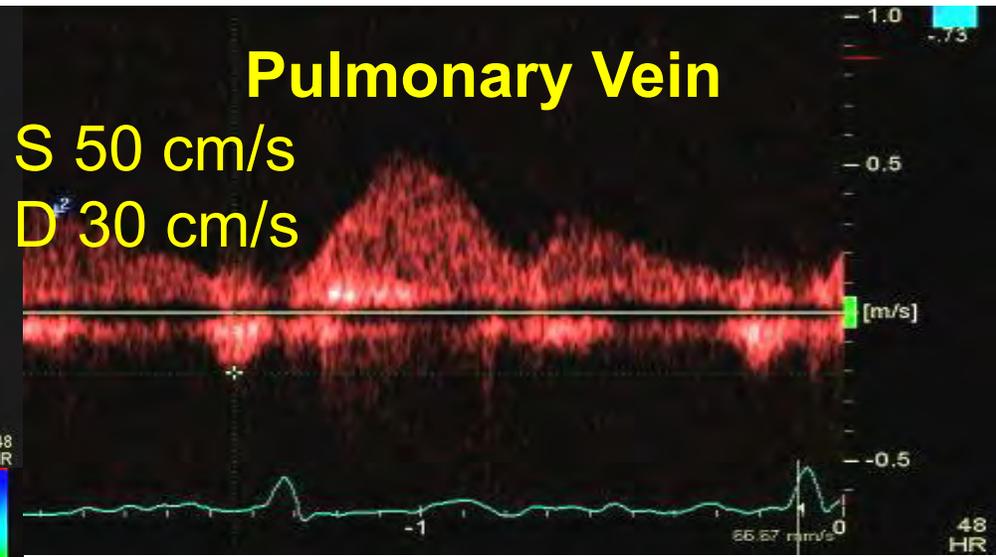
How is filling pressure in a 80 yo woman with Mitral annulus calcification and TAVR?

Case #31

1=Normal 2= Increased 3= Indeterminate

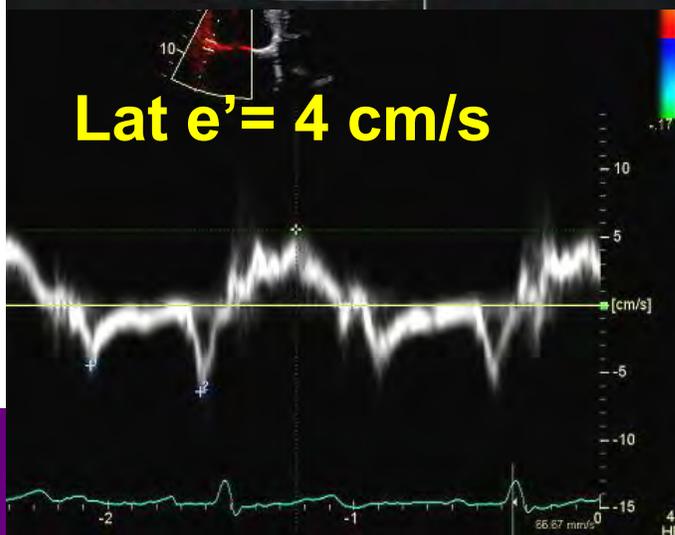


E= 100 cm/s

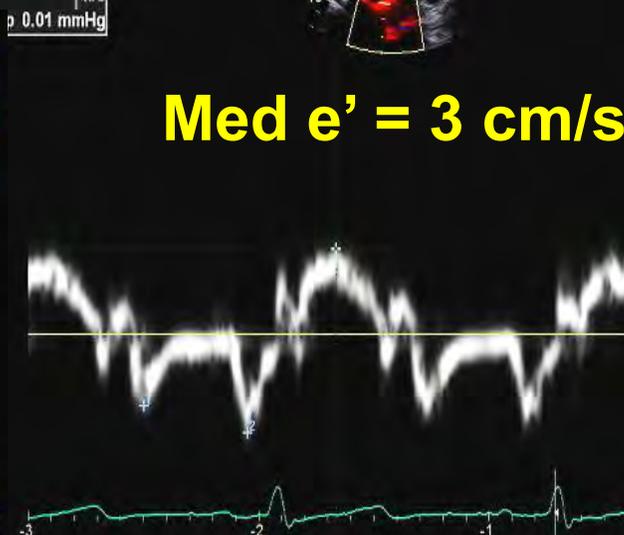


Pulmonary Vein

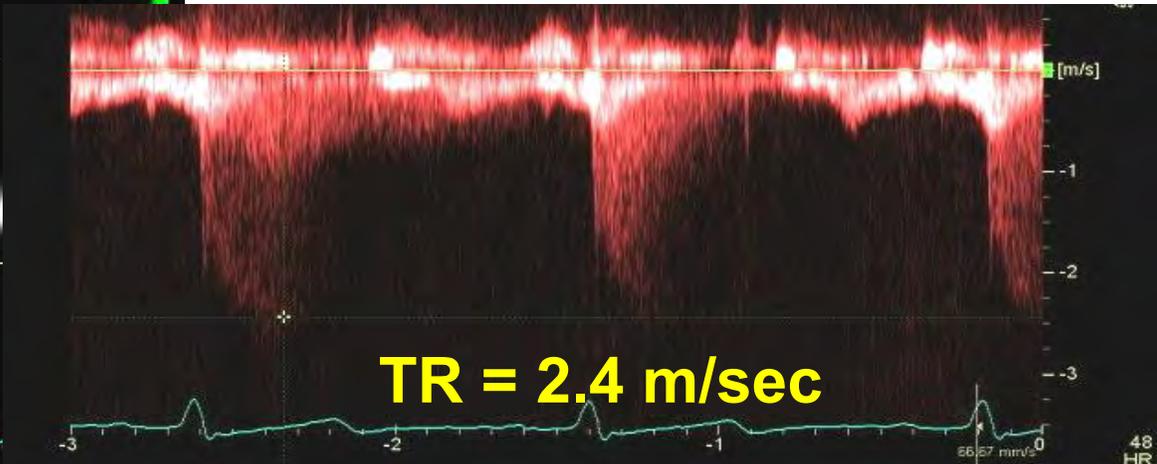
S 50 cm/s
D 30 cm/s



Lat e' = 4 cm/s



Med e' = 3 cm/s



TR = 2.4 m/sec

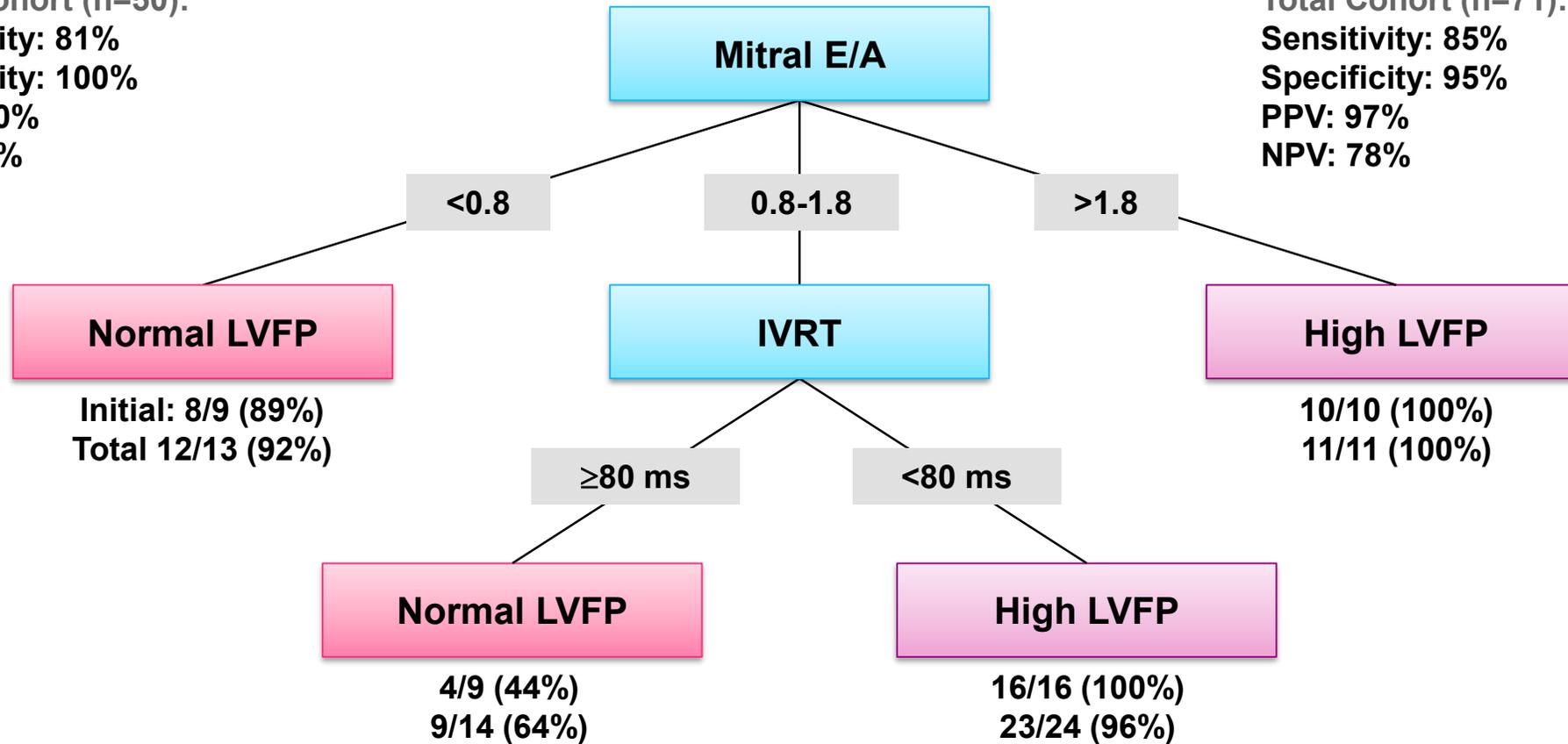
Proposed Clinical Algorithm for Estimation of Left Ventricular Filling Pressure in Subjects With Mitral Annular Calcification

Initial Cohort (n=50):

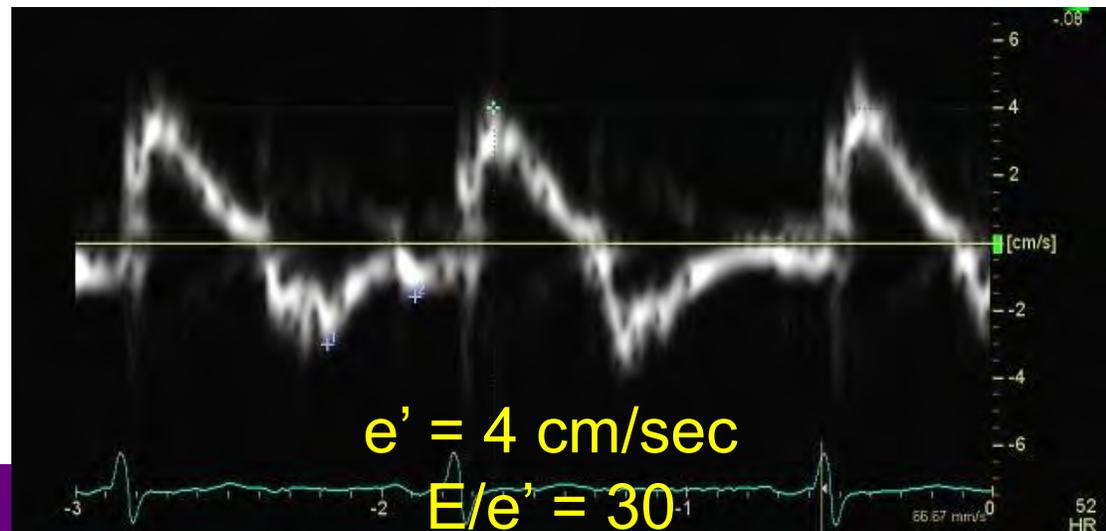
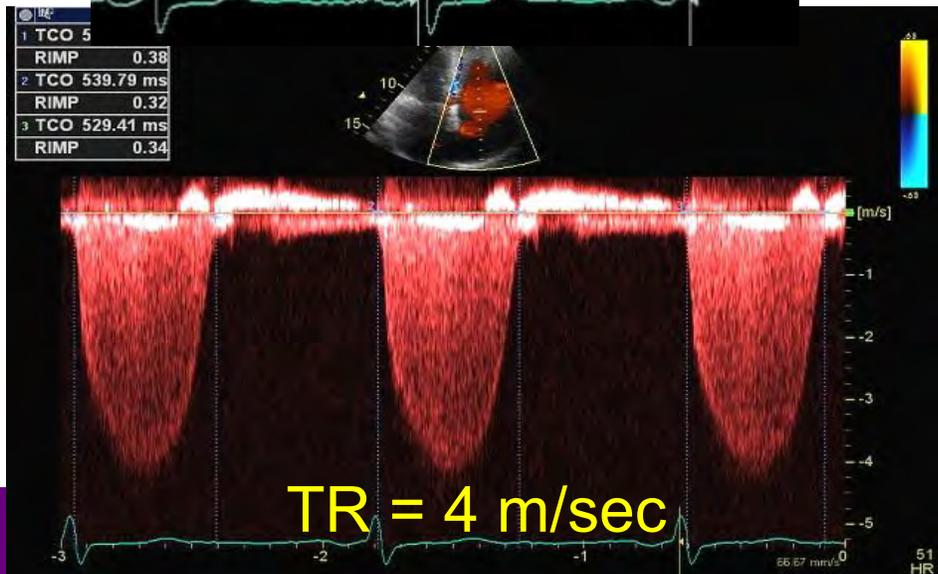
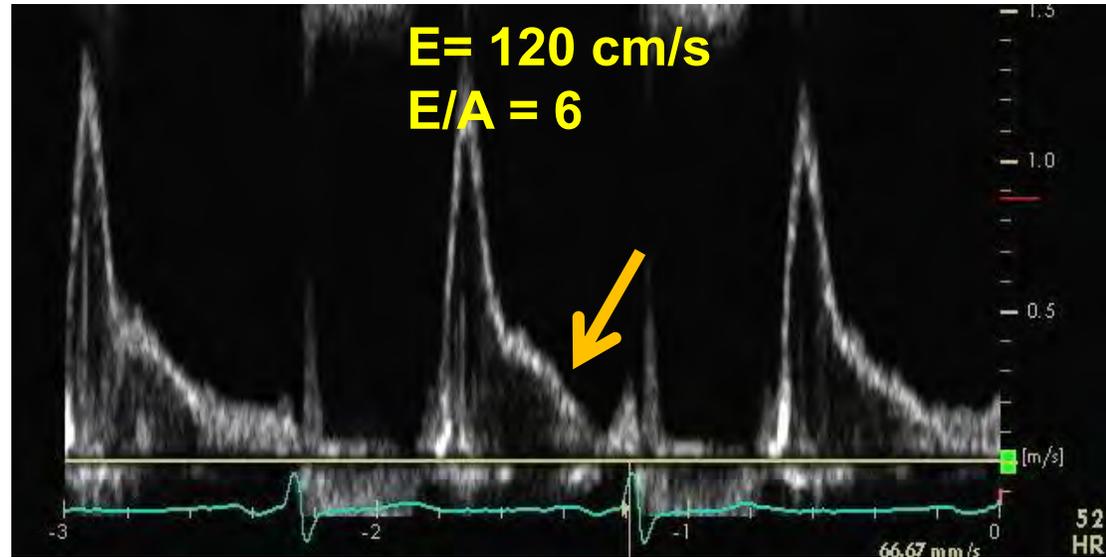
Sensitivity: 81%
Specificity: 100%
PPV: 100%
NPV: 67%

Total Cohort (n=71):

Sensitivity: 85%
Specificity: 95%
PPV: 97%
NPV: 78%

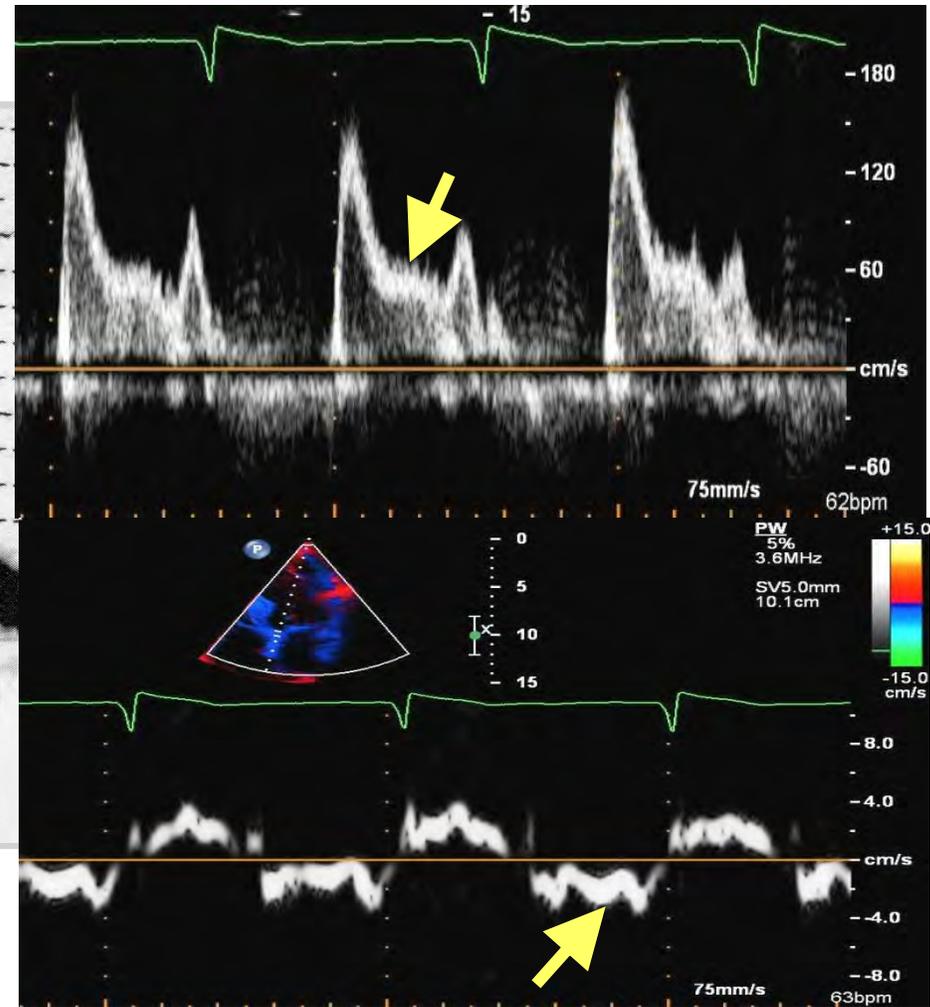
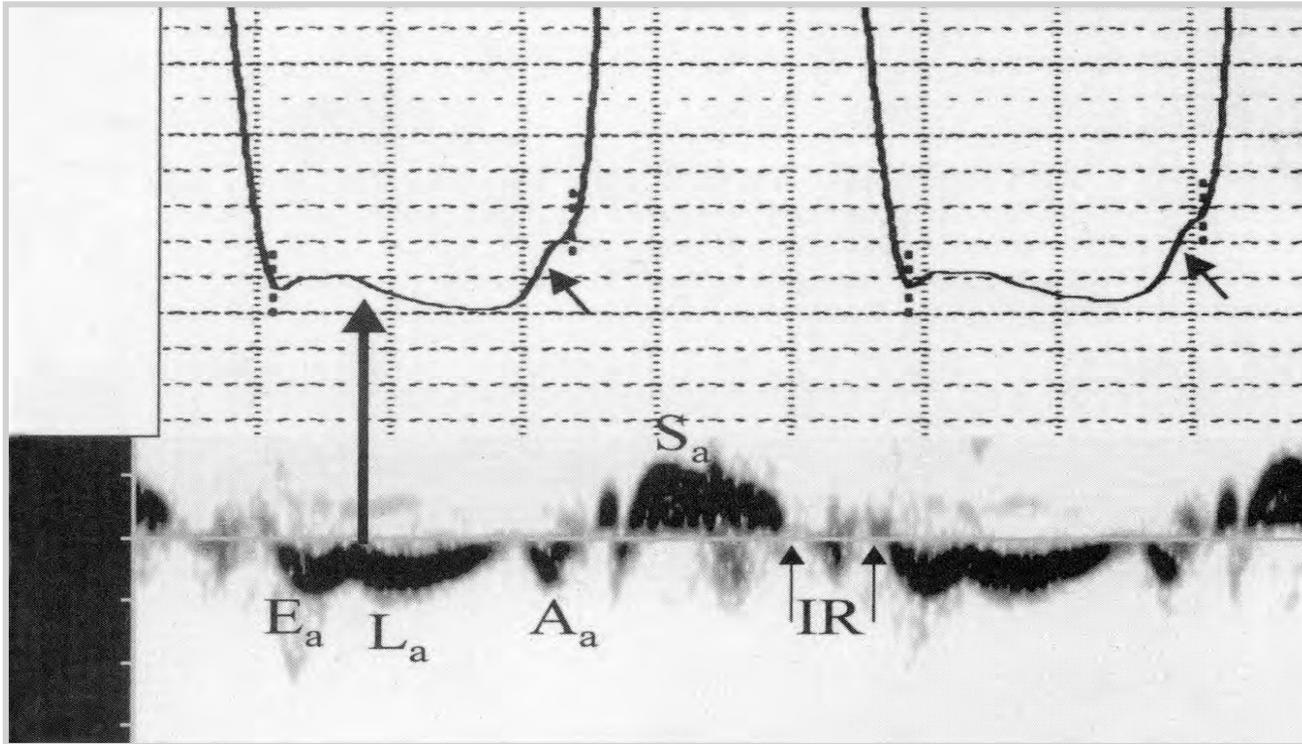


“L” wave \geq Grade 2 Mid-diastolic flow from delayed relaxation

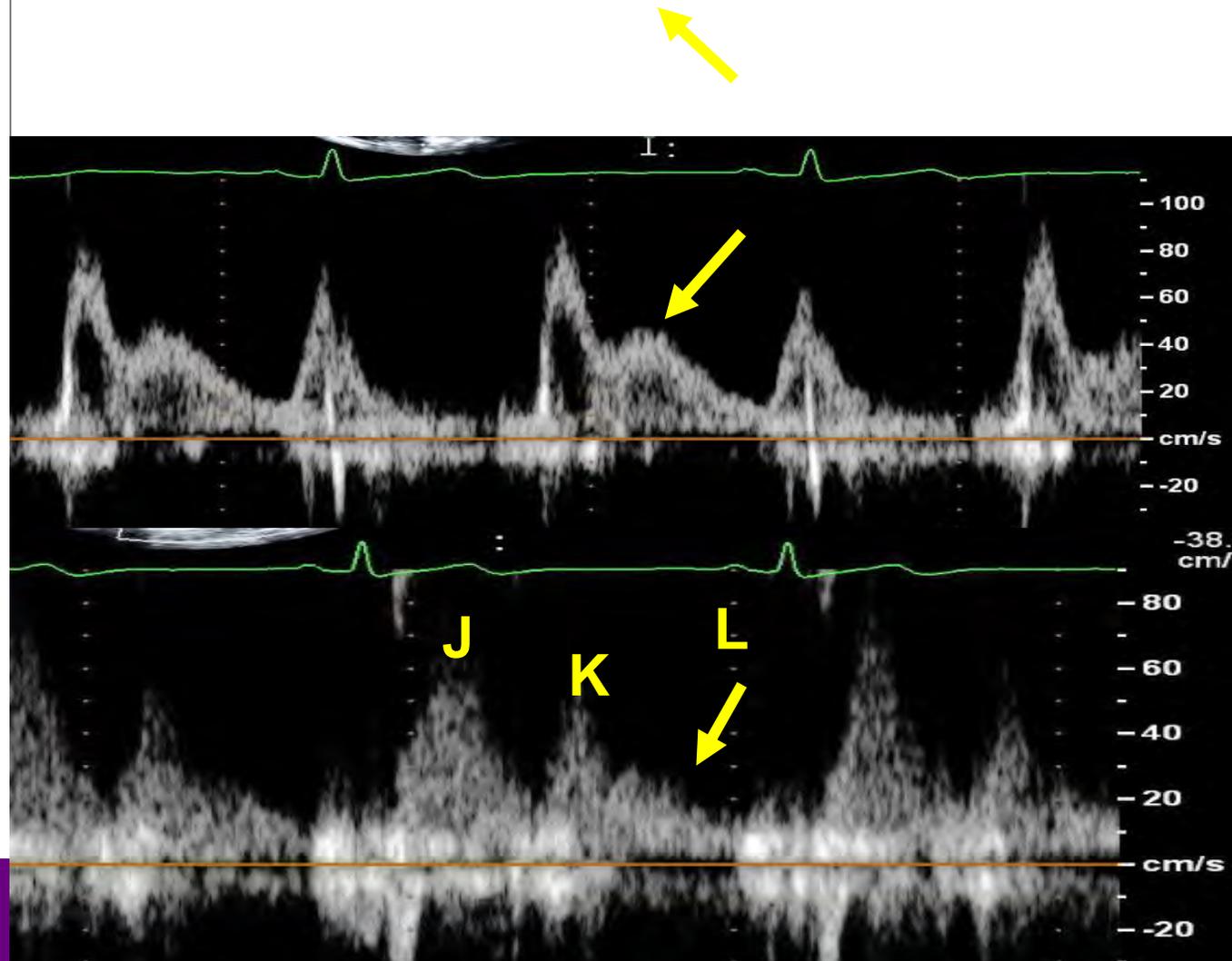


Mid-diastolic mitral flow (L)

Delayed relaxation



L wave



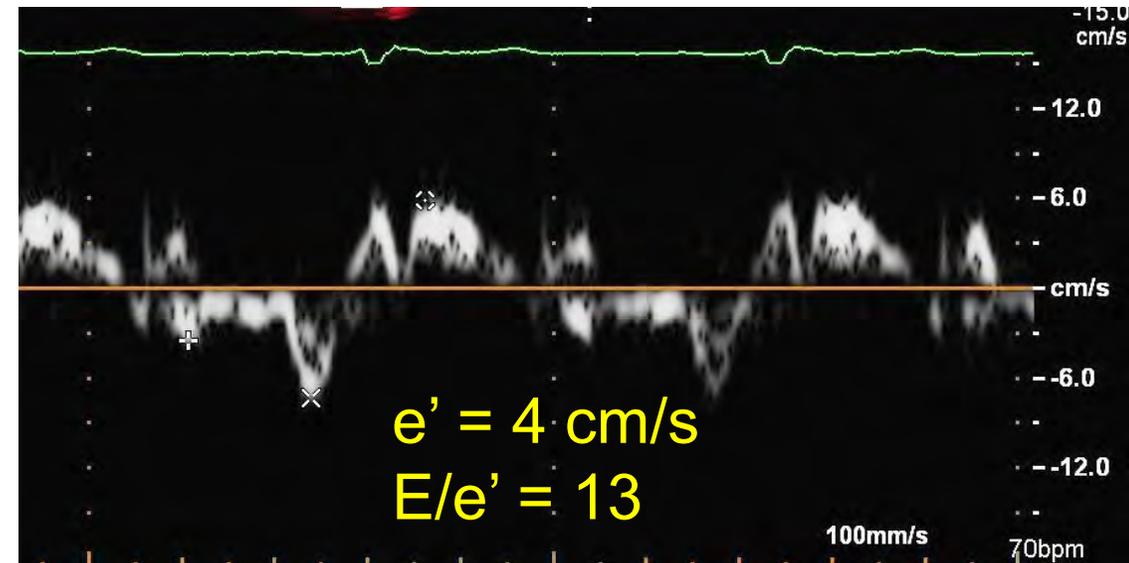
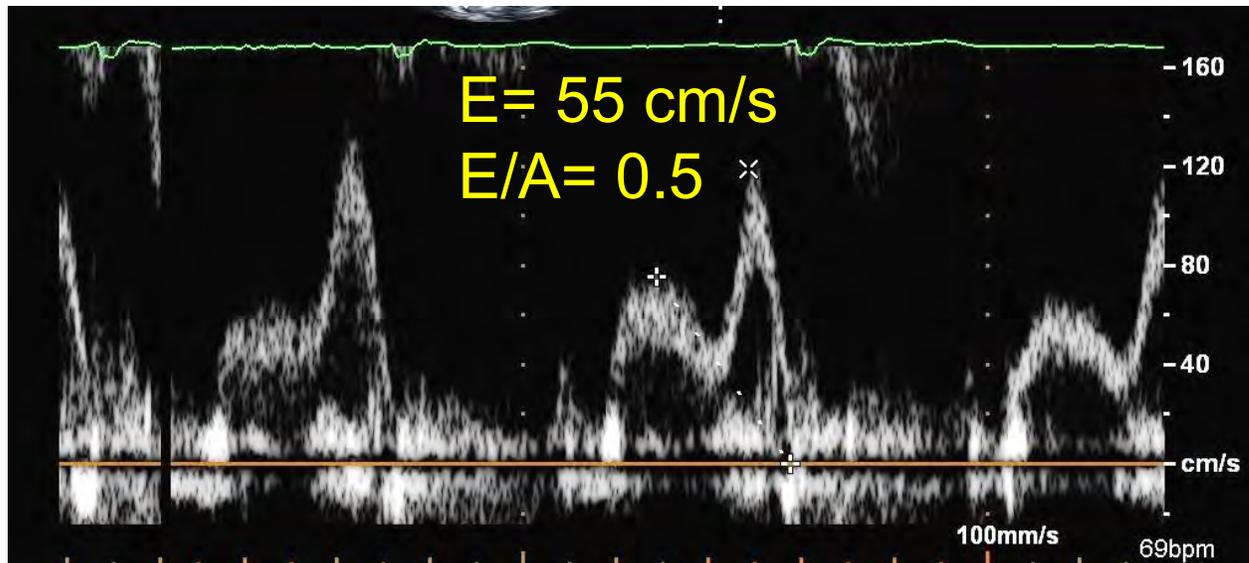
Diastolic Function in A. Fib

- **DT < 160 msec**
- **Other measurements**
 - **IVRT \leq 65 msec**
 - **E/e' \geq 11**
 - **TR velocity > 2.8 m/sec**



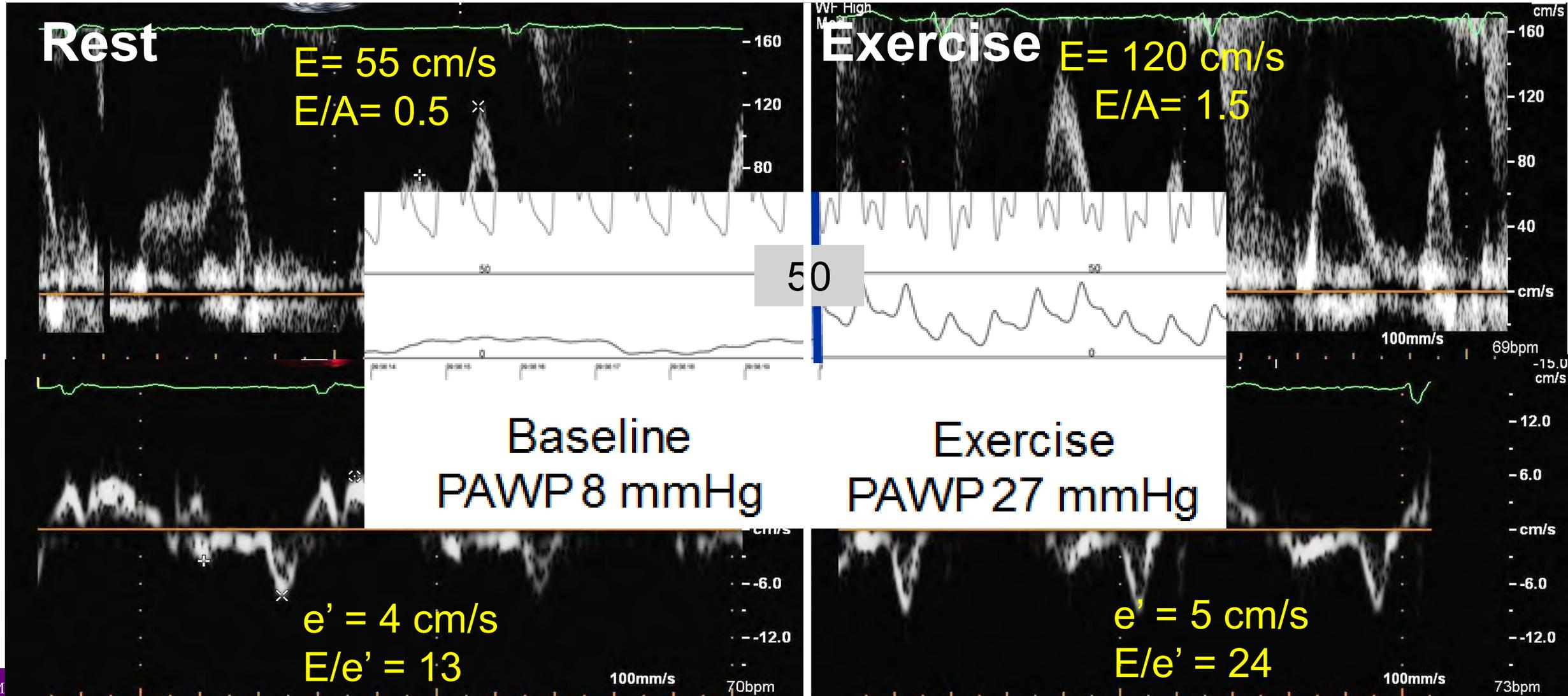
78 year old male with exertional dyspnea Resting Study with EF 60%

Case #33



78 year old male with exertional dyspnea

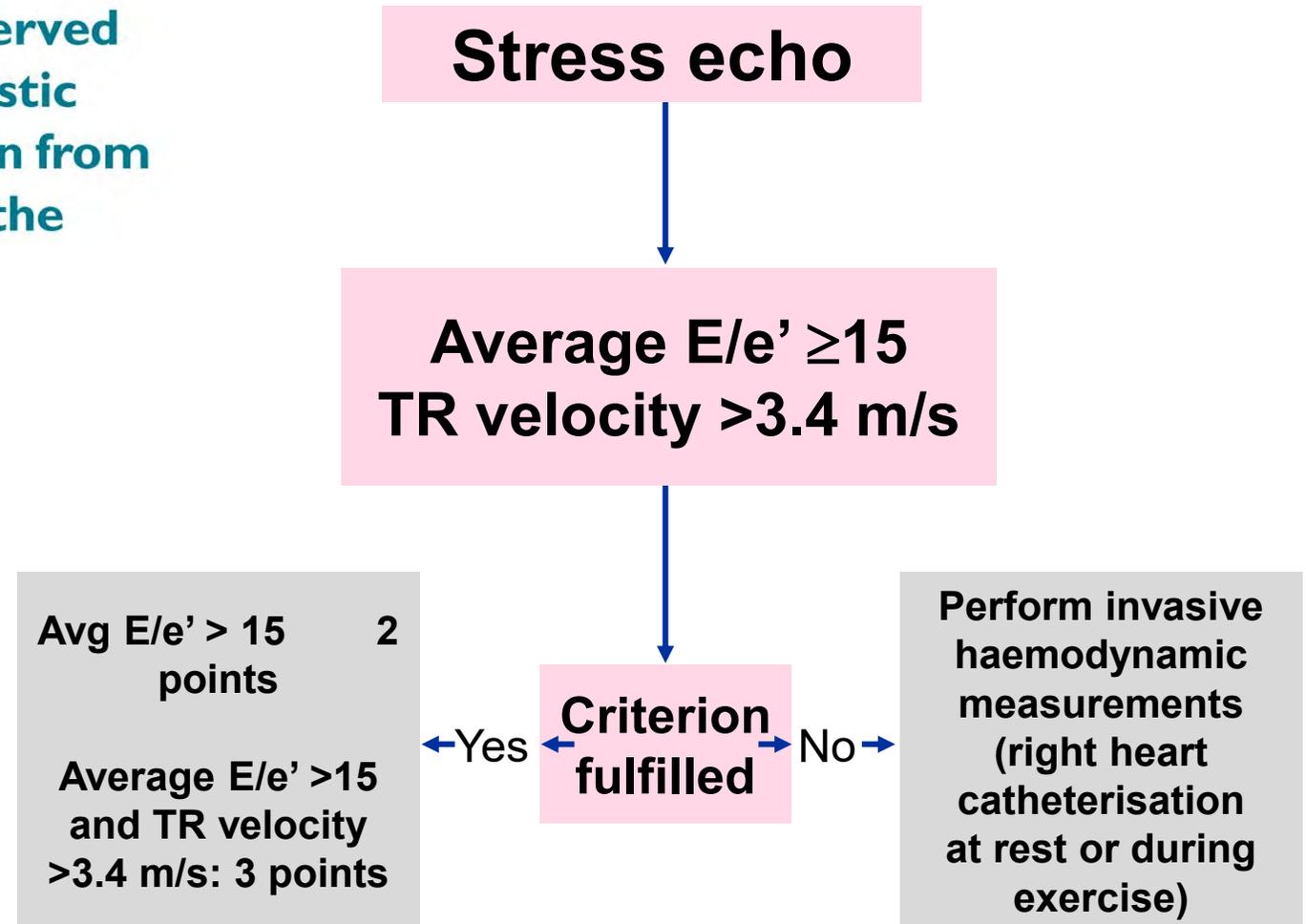
Diastolic Exercise Test





Advanced HFpEF Workup Echo Stress Test

How to diagnose heart failure with preserved ejection fraction: the HFA–PEFF diagnostic algorithm: a consensus recommendation from the Heart Failure Association (HFA) of the European Society of Cardiology (ESC)

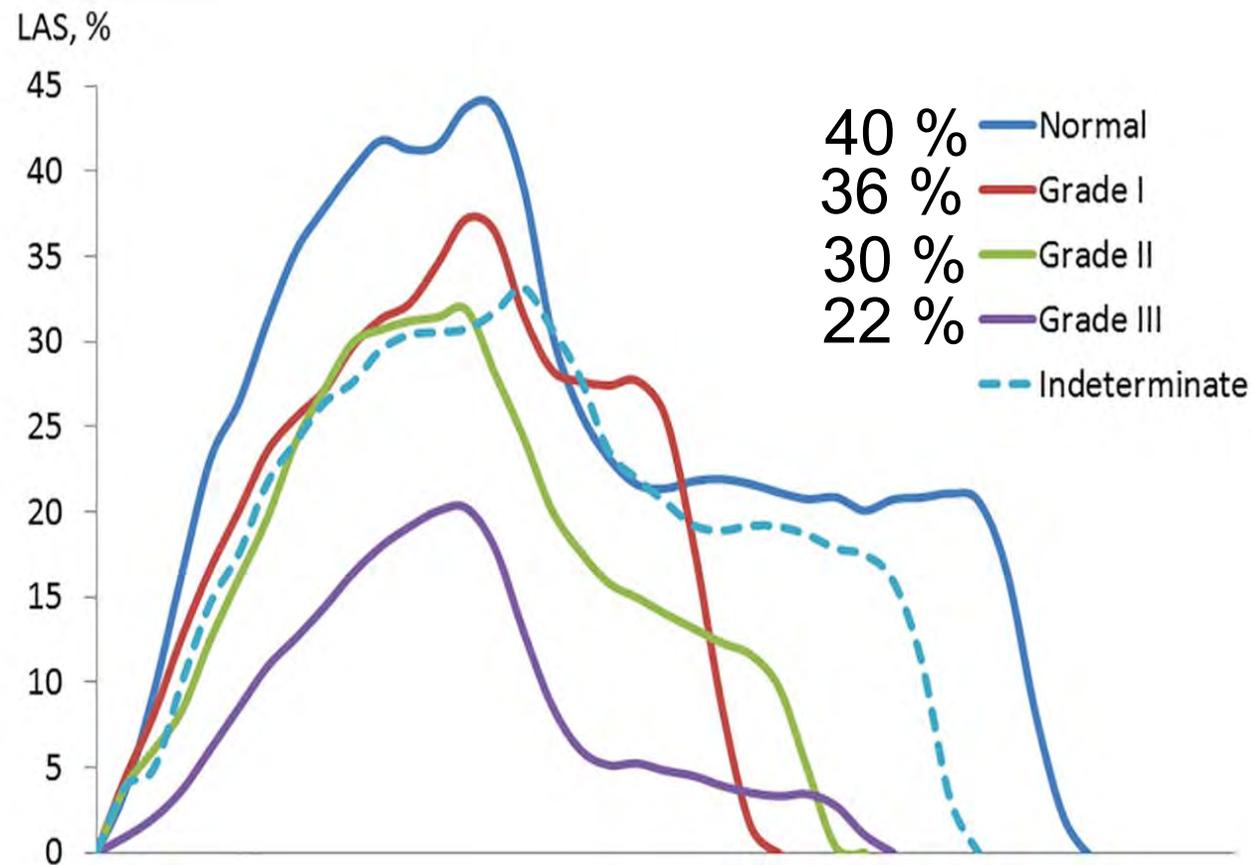
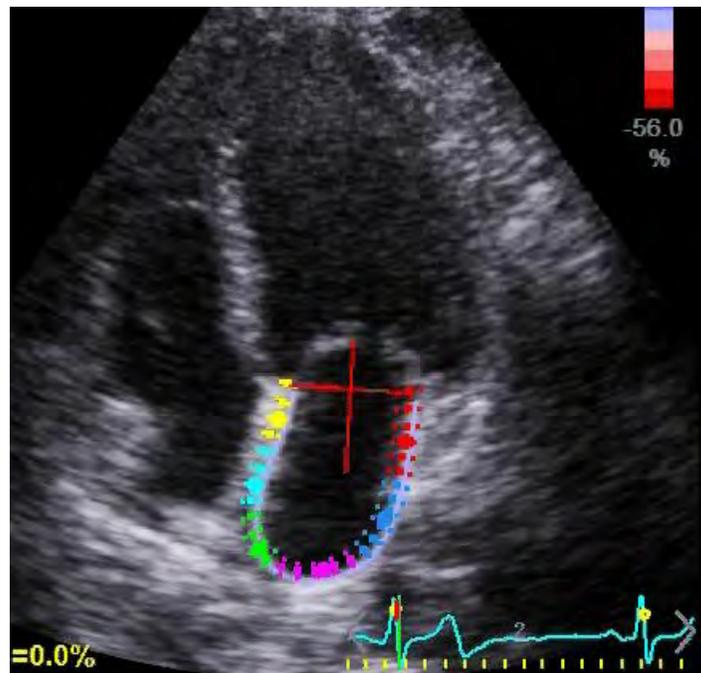


Diastolic Stress Test

Baseline and Peak (or Post) Exercise

- Supine bike or Treadmill
- 25 watts (3 min) increments
- Assess LVEF, size, and wall motion
- Mitral inflow (E, A, and DT)
- Mitral annulus velocity
- E/e' ratio
- TR velocity

LA Systolic (Reservoir) Strain Mayo Clinic

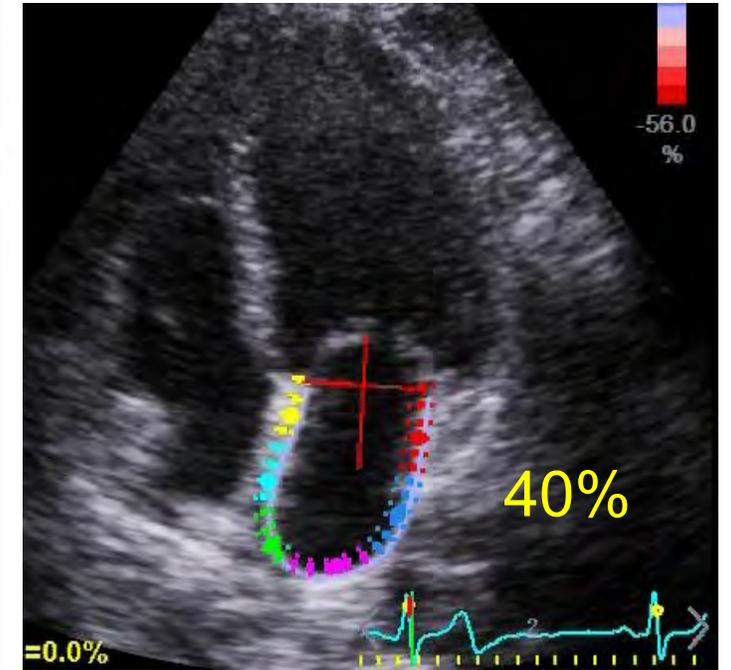
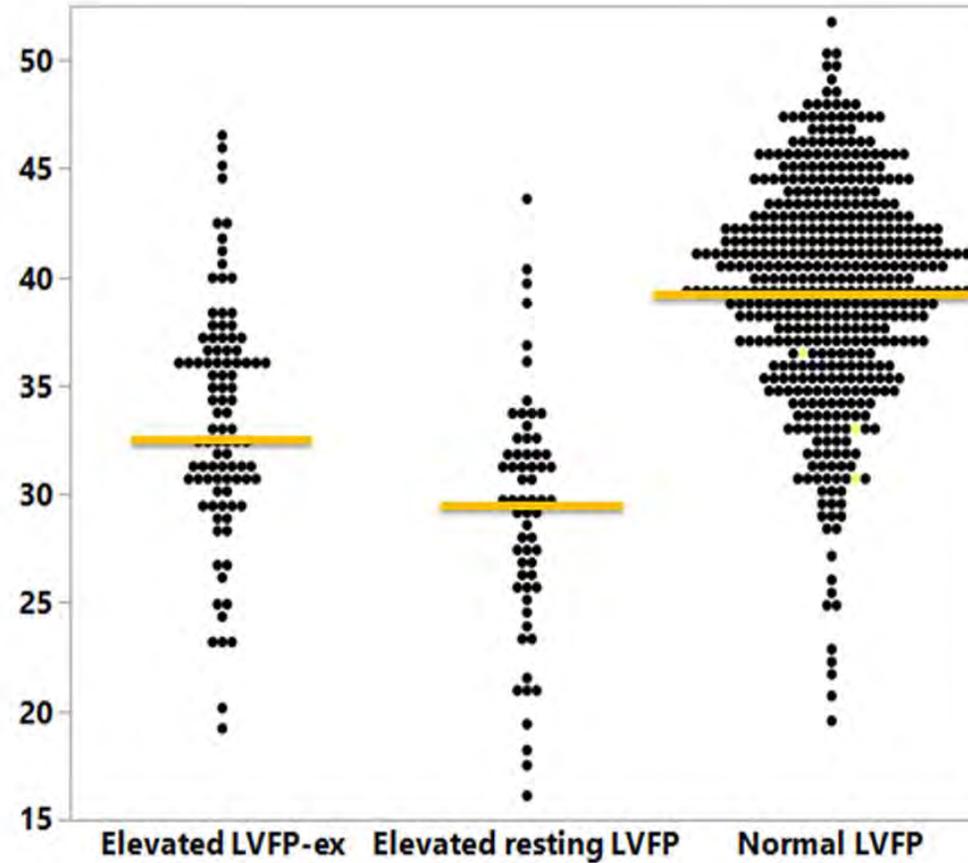
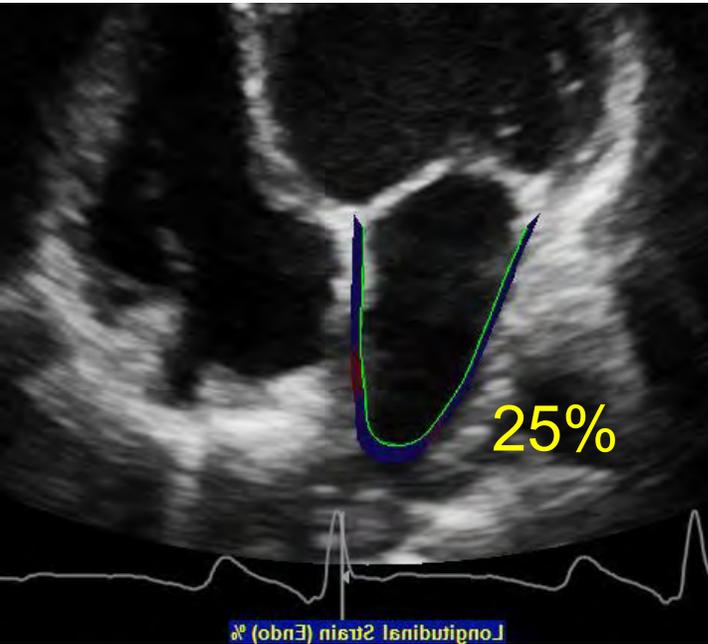


	Normal N=358	Grade I N=156	Grade II N=56	Grade III N=7	Indeterminate N=50
LAS-R	40.0 ± 5.0	36.0 ± 5.2	29.8 ± 4.9	22.4 ± 4.9	33.2 ± 5.7
LAS-B	15.7 ± 4.1	17.3 ± 4.3	14.2 ± 4.8	5.1 ± 2.8	15.6 ± 5.4



Z. Ye et al (Submitted)

LA strain for detecting elevated LV Filling Pressure 563 consecutive patients with exercise echo



Comparisons of LAS-r between groups,
Student t-test $P < 0.001$ for all the comparisons

Echocardiographic reference ranges for normal cardiac Doppler data: results from the NORRE Study

- LA volume index is > 34 mL/m² in 10.5% of normal control
 - 8.5 % in 20-40 years of age
 - 14.2 % in 40-60
 - 6.0 % in >60
- Reasons for LA enlargement
 - Increased filling pressure
 - Increased volume
 - Athlete's heart
 - Measurement error

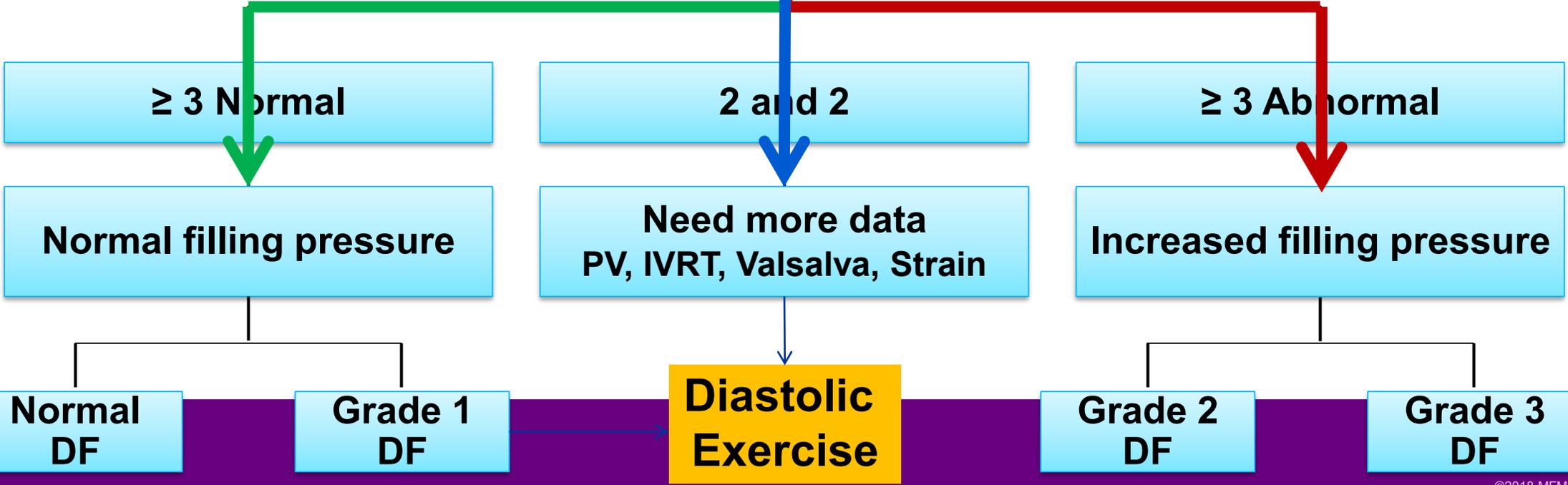
Revised Algorithm for Diastolic Function Assessment

In Most Patients

Accepted to JACC
Imaging (Feb
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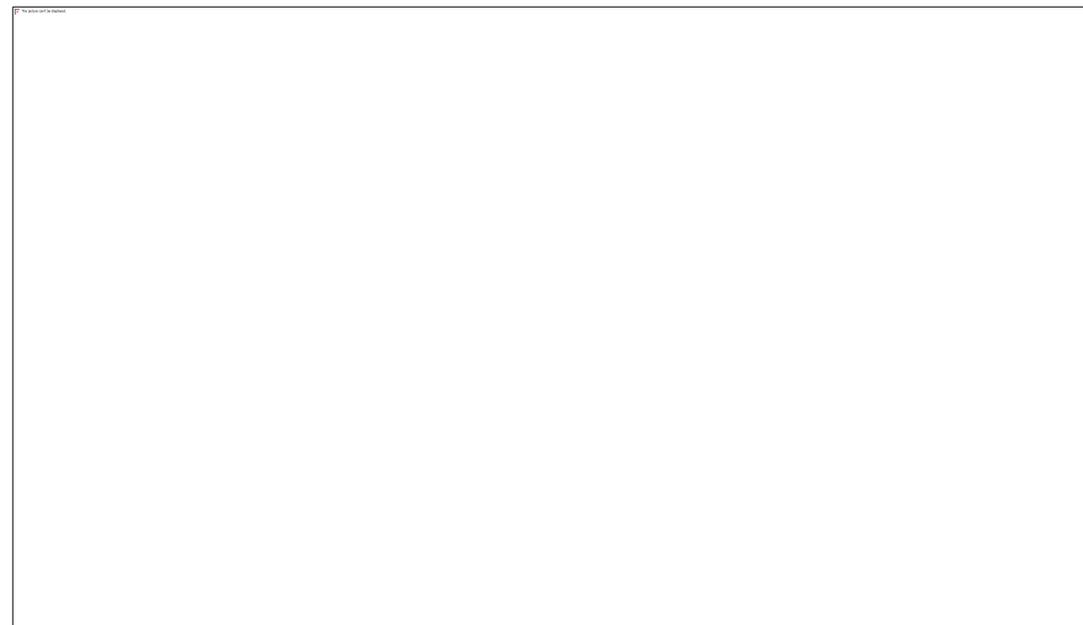
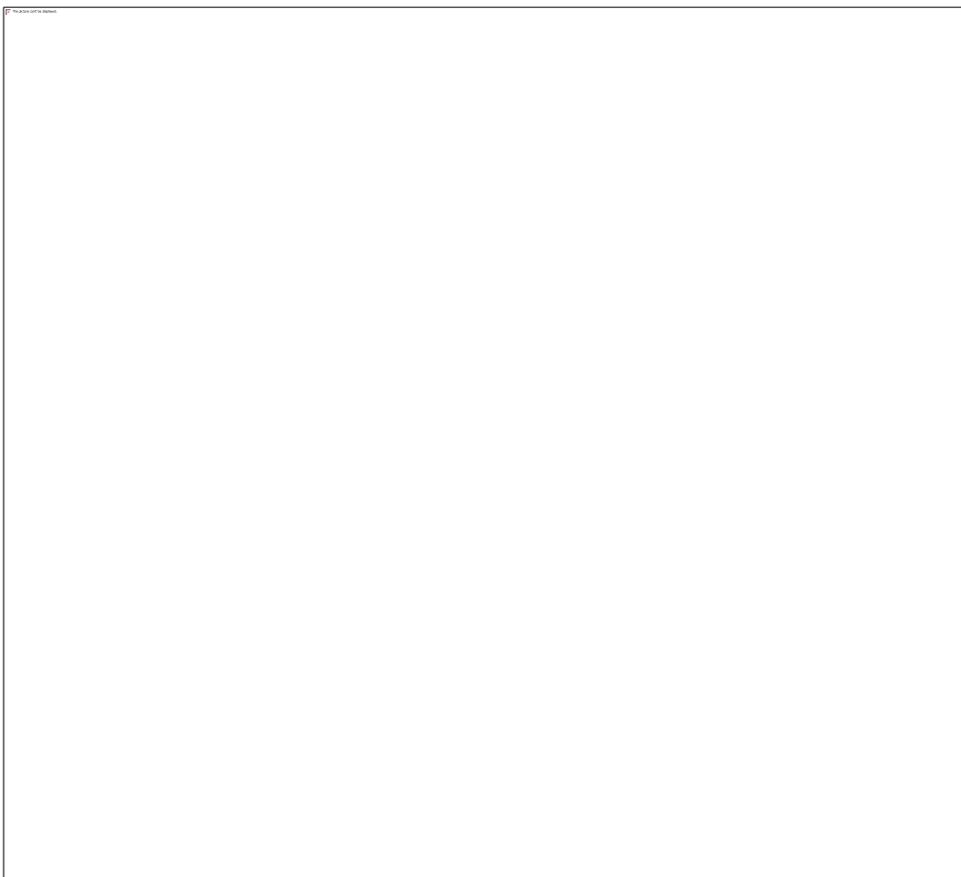
- 1 – Septal e' velocity ≥ 7 cm/s
- 2 – E/e' ≤ 15 (Med)
- 3 – TR velocity ≤ 2.8 m/s
- 4 – ~~LA volume index ≤ 34 mL/m²~~

LA strain $< 25\%$



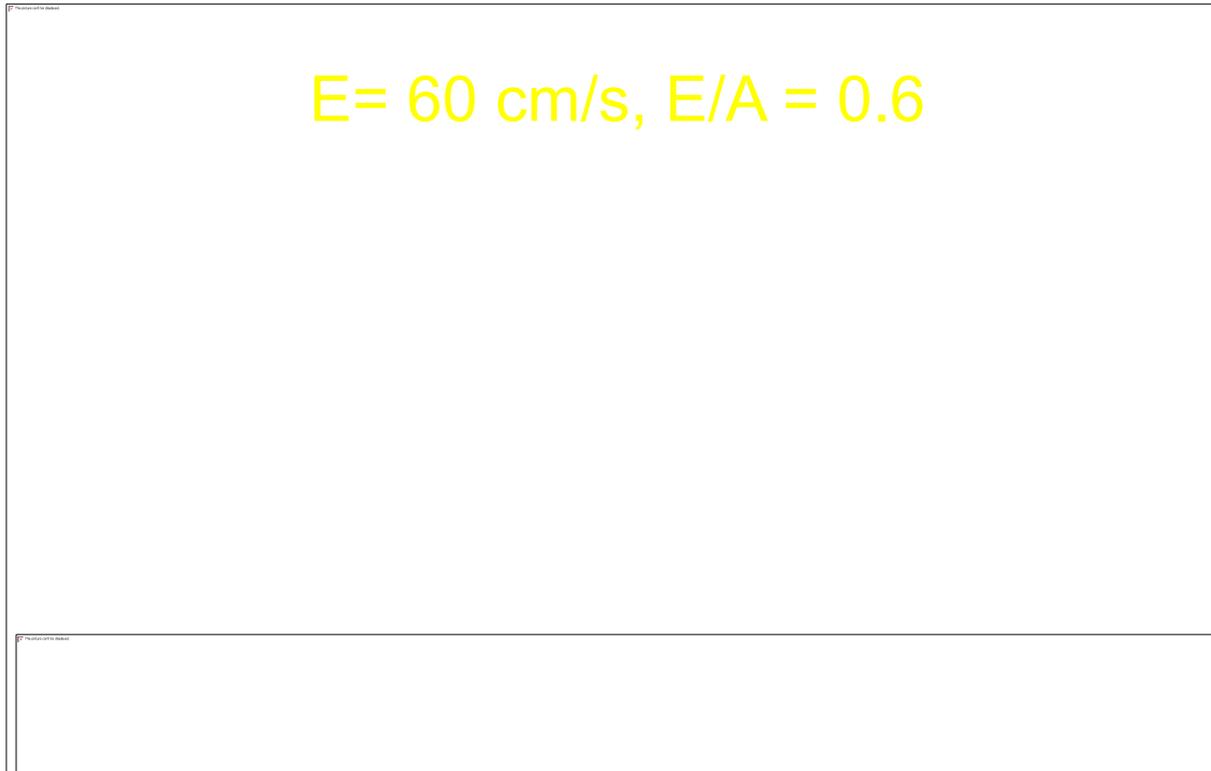
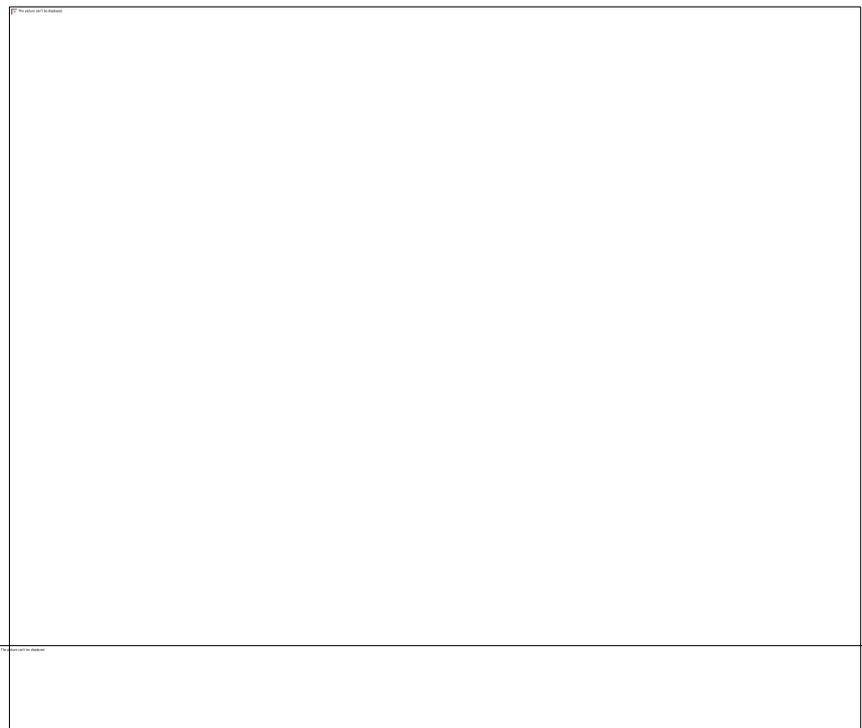
In clinical practice, we do not have to use all echo parameters for diastolic function assessment. Diastolic function parameters do have hierarchial strength. More data are not always better.

Normal Diastolic Function



Medial e' 15 cm/sec

Mitral Annulus Calcification Grade 1

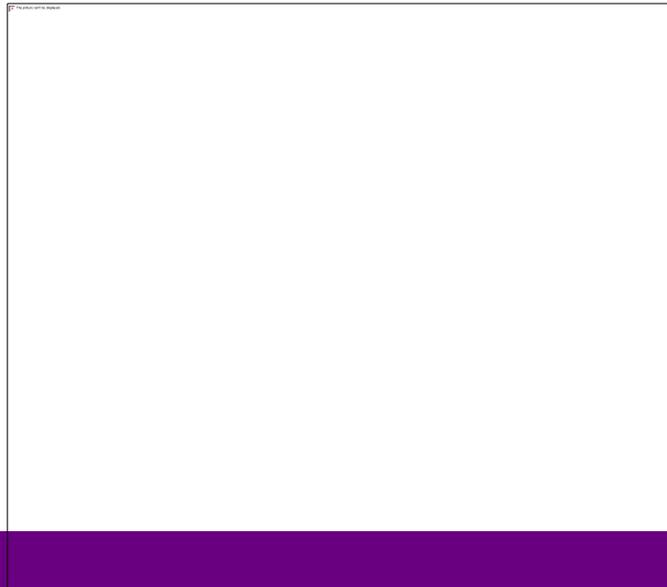
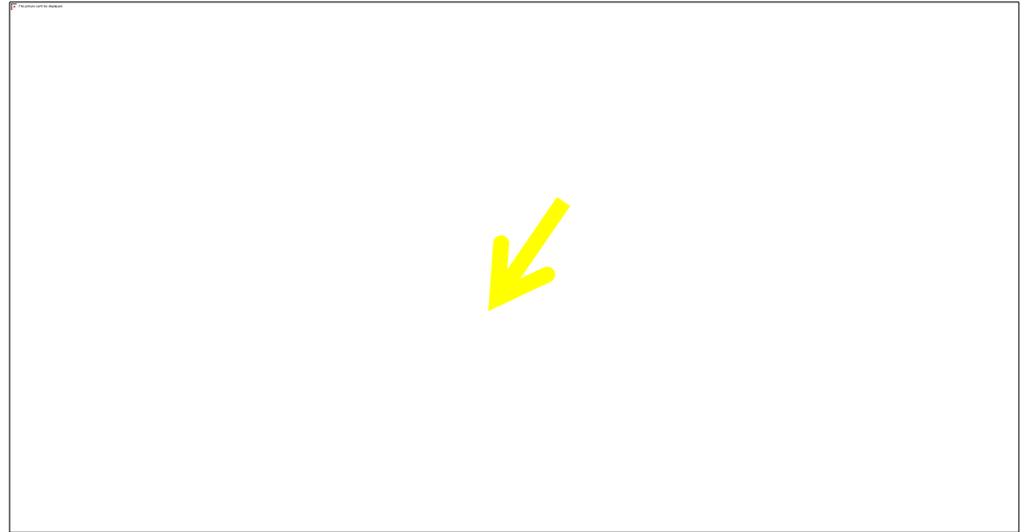
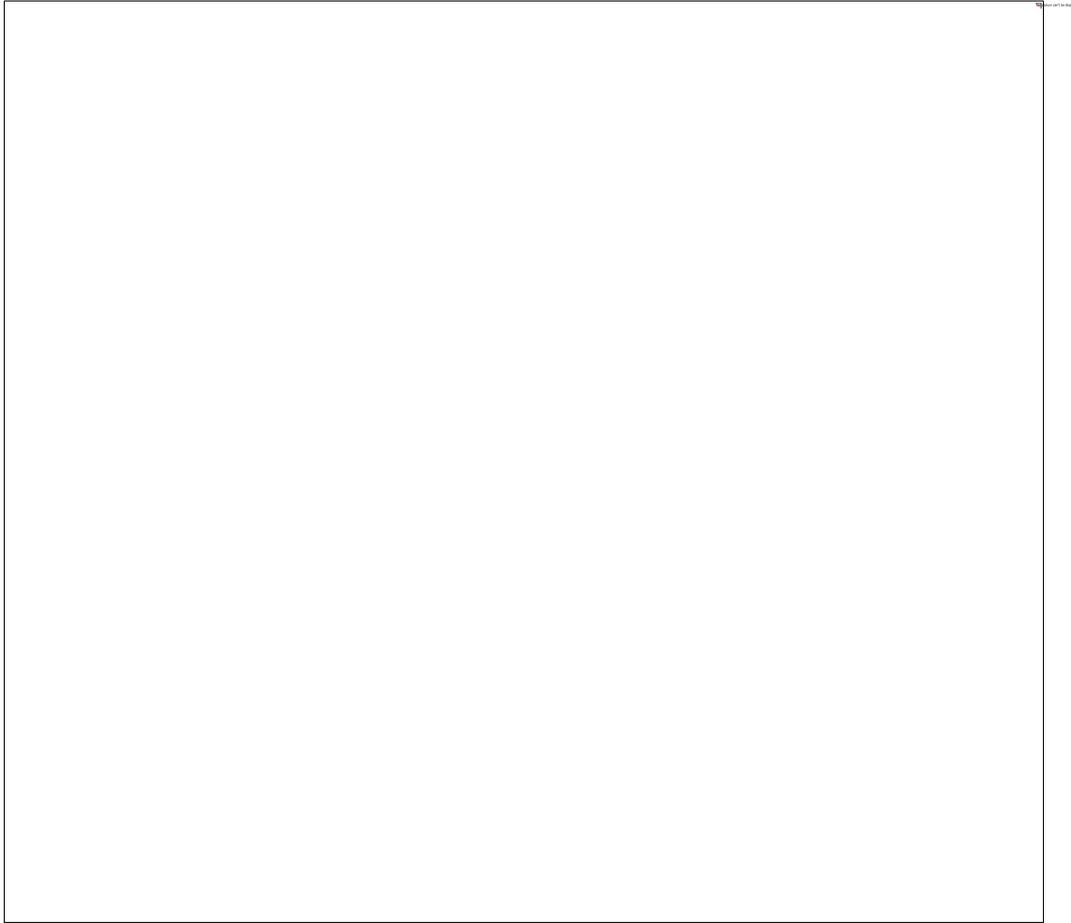


$E = 60 \text{ cm/s}$, $E/A = 0.6$

$e' = 5 \text{ cm/s}$

$TR = 2.4 \text{ m/s}$

Mitral Annulus Calcification



Diastolic Function ?

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Grade 3 Dysfunction

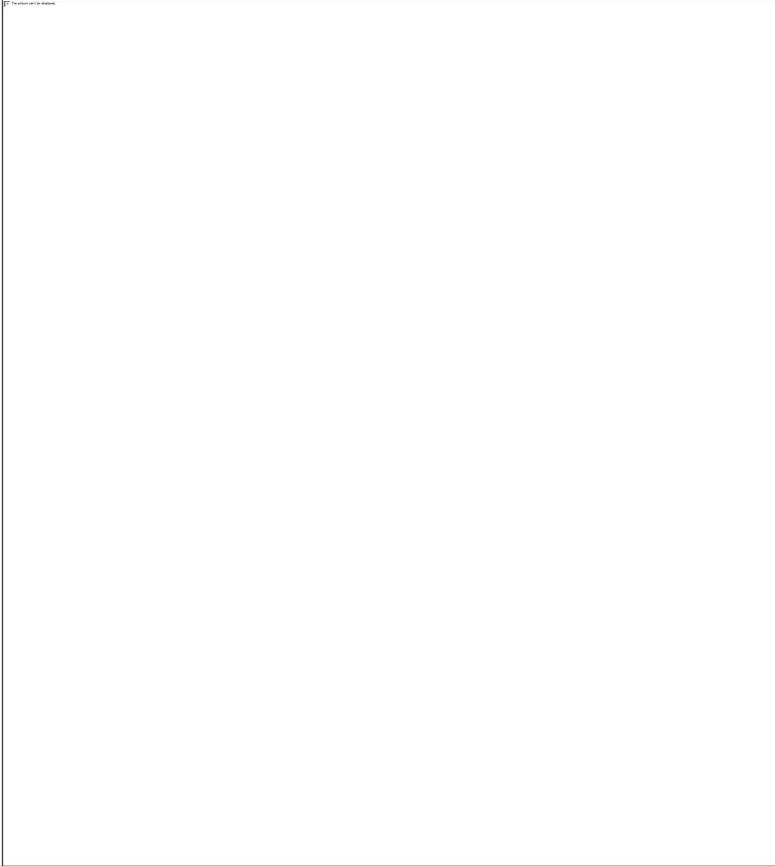
E= 100 cm/s

Pulmonary Vein

Lateral e' = 5 cm/s

Medial e' = 3 cm/s

Atrial Fibrillation with rate of 90s



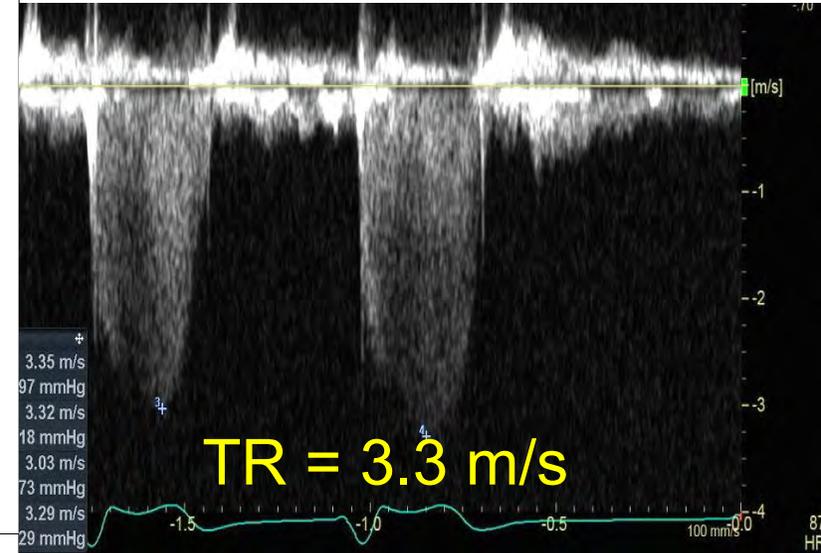
- E= 120 cm/s
- No variability
- DT < 150 ms

Atrial Fibrillation with E/e' medial = 15

E= 110 cm/s

Lateral e' = 10 cm/s

Medial e' = 7 cm/s



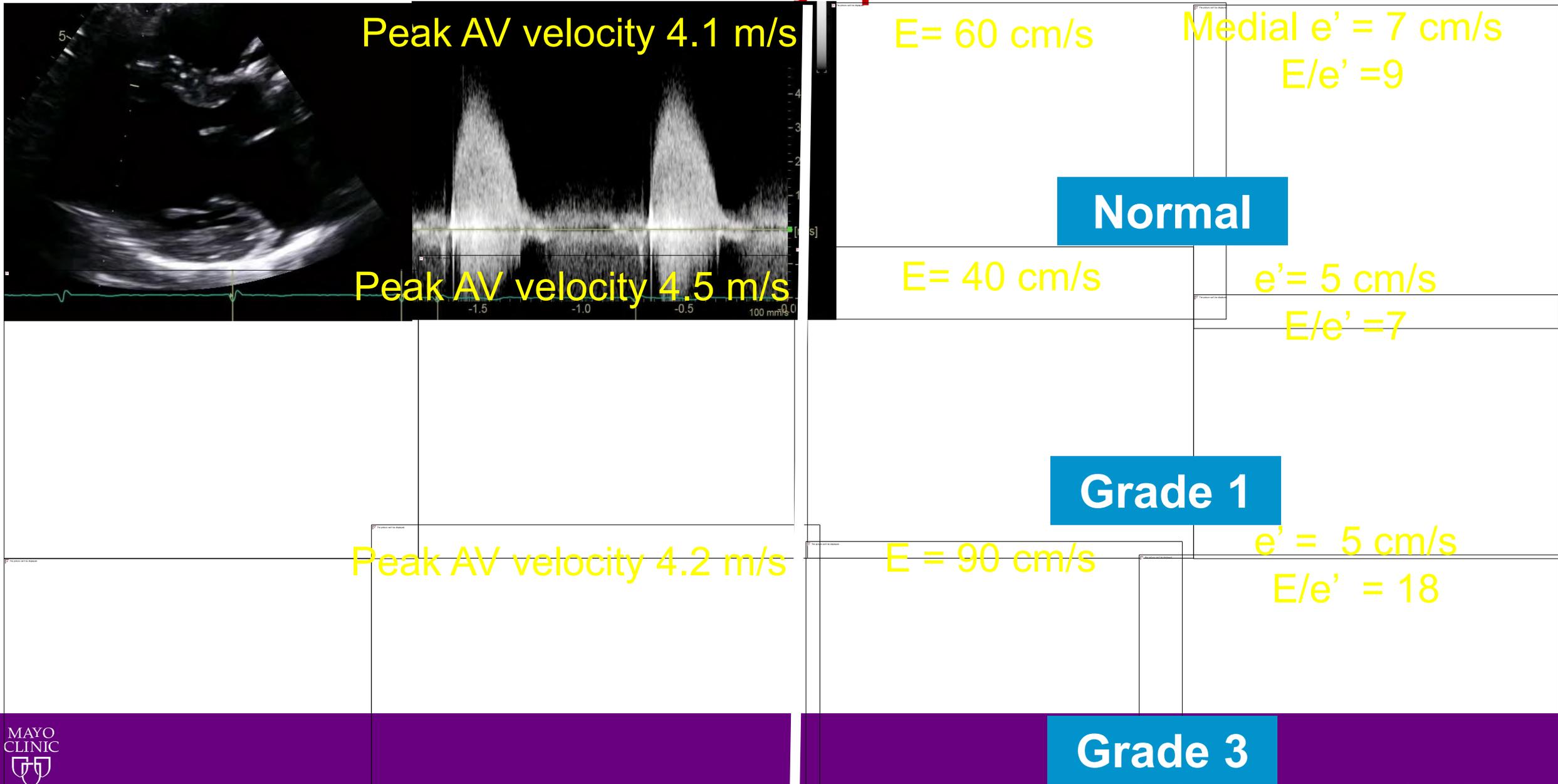
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Clinical Applications of Diastolic Function Assessment

- Determine diastolic dysfunction and estimate filling pressures
- Evaluation of dyspnea and HFpEF (Diastolic HF)
- Evaluation of constriction vs myocardial disease
- Prognostic in all cardiac conditions
 - Coronary artery disease
 - Valvular heart diseases
 - Myocardial diseases
 - Constriction

3 patients with severe aortic stenosis

Who is most symptomatic?





63 yo woman with Amyloidosis treated with Melphalan and Dexamethasone

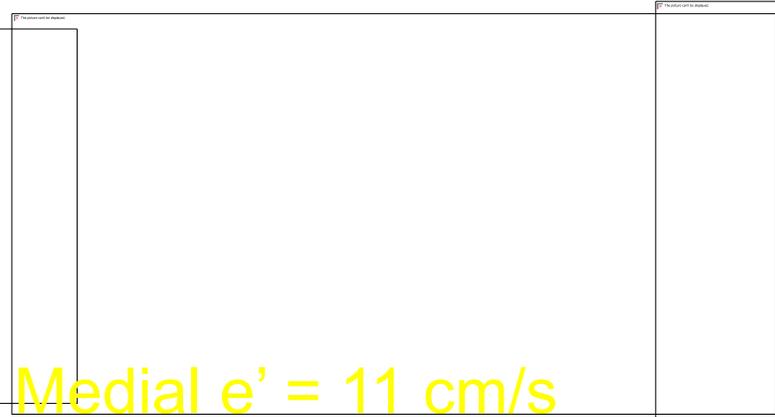
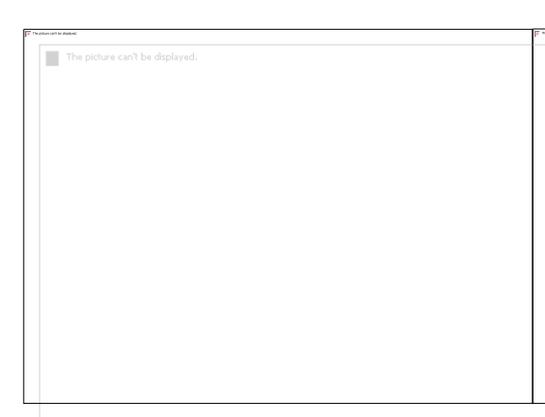
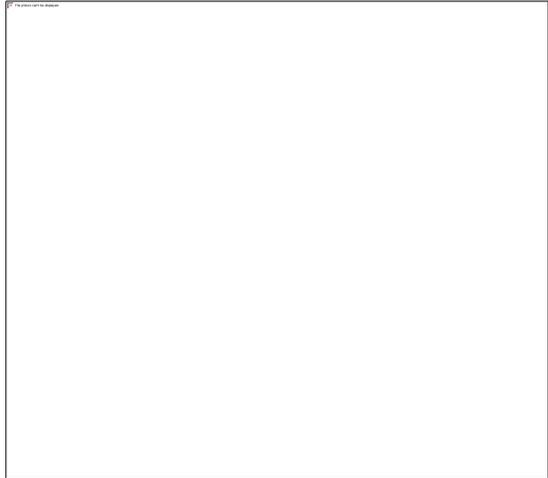
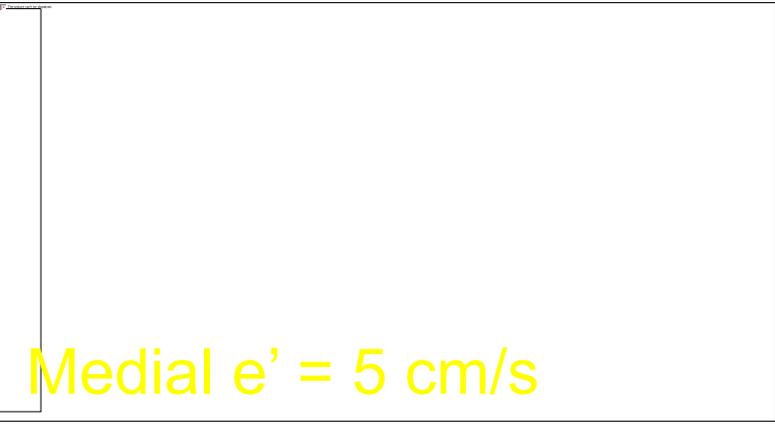
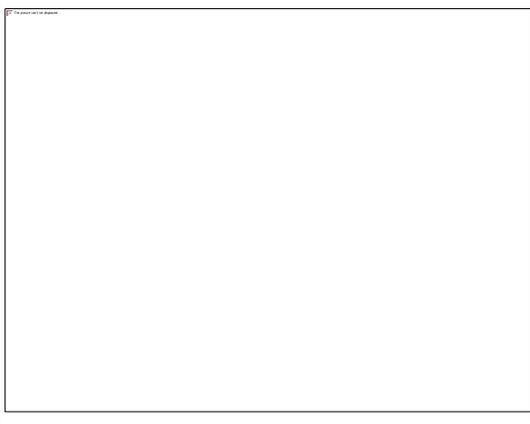
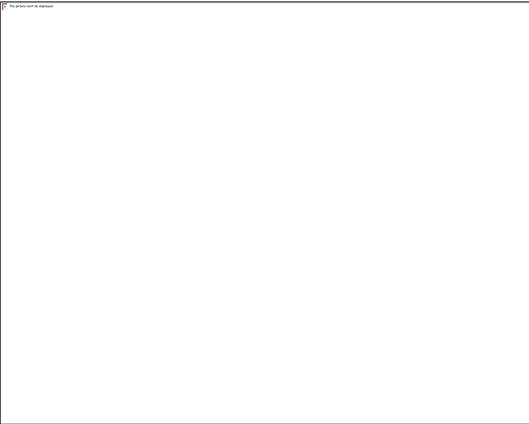
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Restriction or Constriction?

Diagnosis based on 2-D , e' and strain imaging



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