

PULMONARY

Mean Pulmonary Artery Pressure

$$MPAP - LAP = CO \times TPR$$

Systemic: High Resistance, low compliance
 Pulmonary: Low Resistance, high compliance

$$MAP = CO \times TPR$$

$$/ \quad \backslash$$

$$SV \times HR$$

* if BP ↓ then ↓ CO
 CO ↓ caused ↓ BP
 HR ↑ bc
 MAP = CO × TPR

* if ↑ BP & ↑ CO
 ↑ BP caused by ↑ CO

* if ↓ BP, ↓ CO, ↑ HR
 what's compensating for ↓ CO?
 ↑ TPR bc
 MAP = CO × TPR

$$PP = \frac{SV}{\text{compliance}} = \frac{\Delta V}{\Delta P} \rightarrow \text{stiff vessels} = \uparrow \text{systolic} \downarrow \text{diastolic}$$

$$MAP = \text{Diast. P} + \frac{1}{3} PP$$

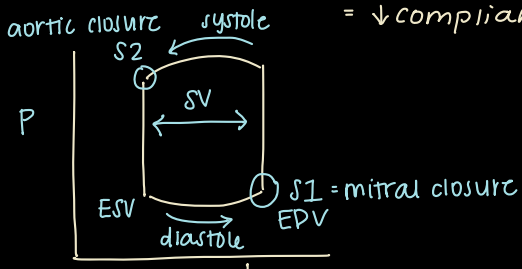
$$SV = EDV - ESV \quad EF = \frac{SV}{EDV}$$

* if ↑ TDP, ↓ EDV, ↓ MAP = ↓ compliance

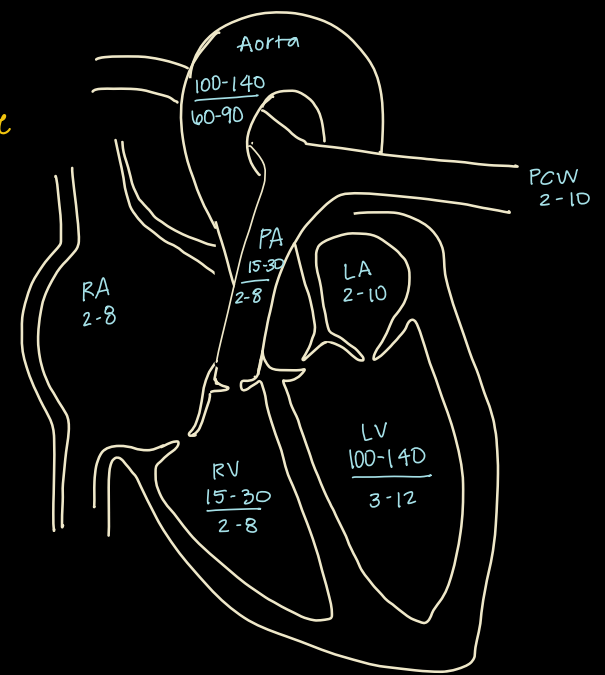
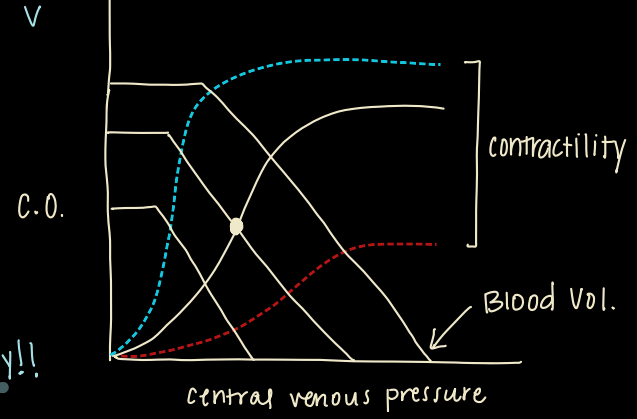
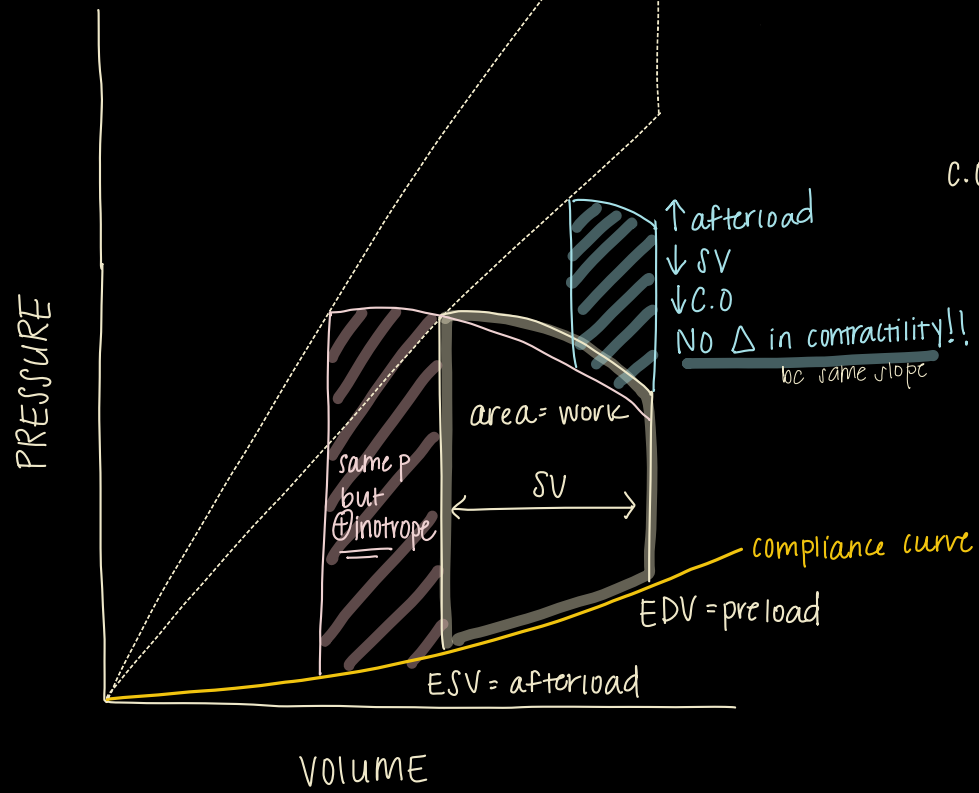
FLOW

$$Q = \frac{\text{Pressure gradient } (\Delta P)}{\text{Resistance}} = \frac{\Delta P r^4}{\eta \times L}$$

diameter profoundly changes flow



PV LOOPS



* RRP = AP but not normal = WEAK CONTRACTION

- HY L2
- PCW = LA pressure
- S1/S2 Heart sounds
- PV loop
- EDV/ESV/SV relationship

↑ afterload = ↓ SV

Antiarrhythmic Drugs

II & IV = rate control

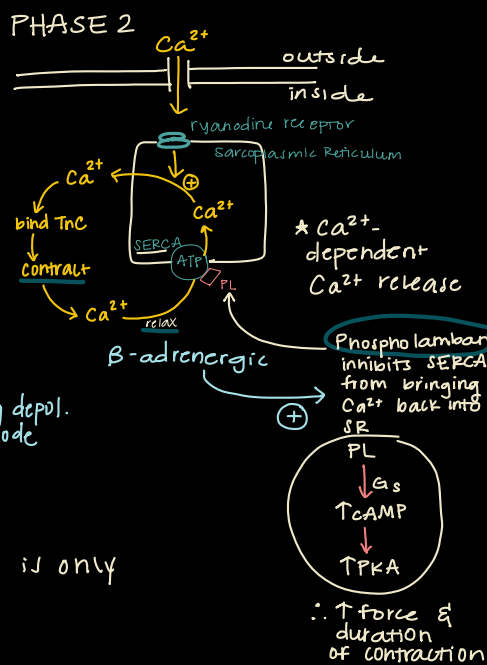
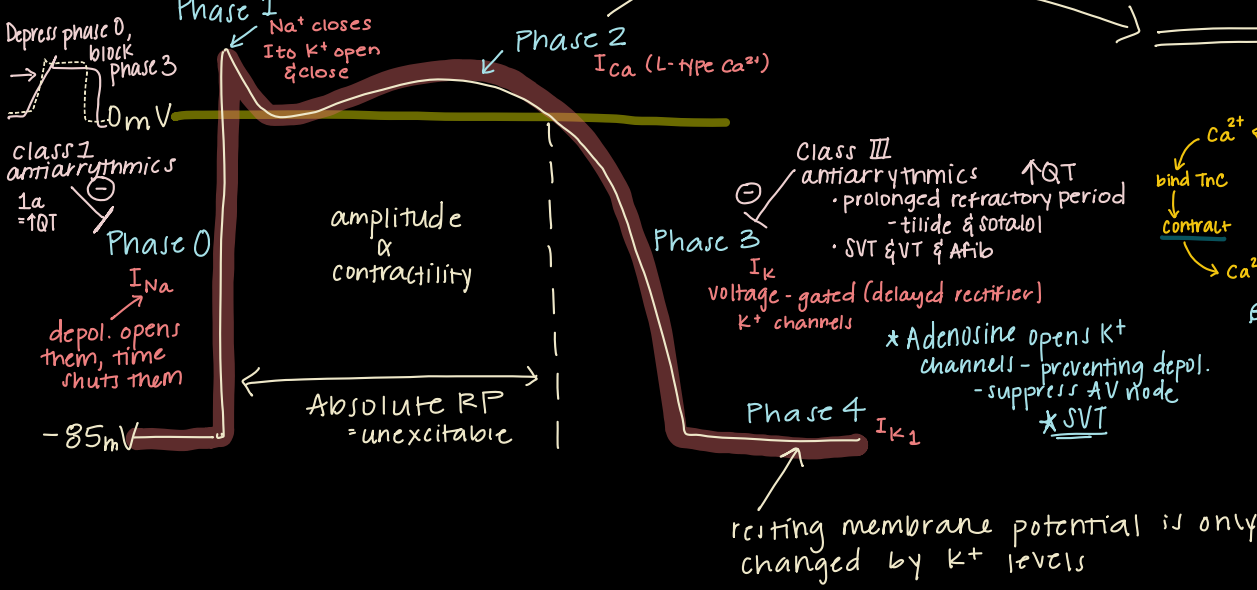
I & III = rhythm control

II = β -blockers \rightarrow block sympathetic activation of SA & AV

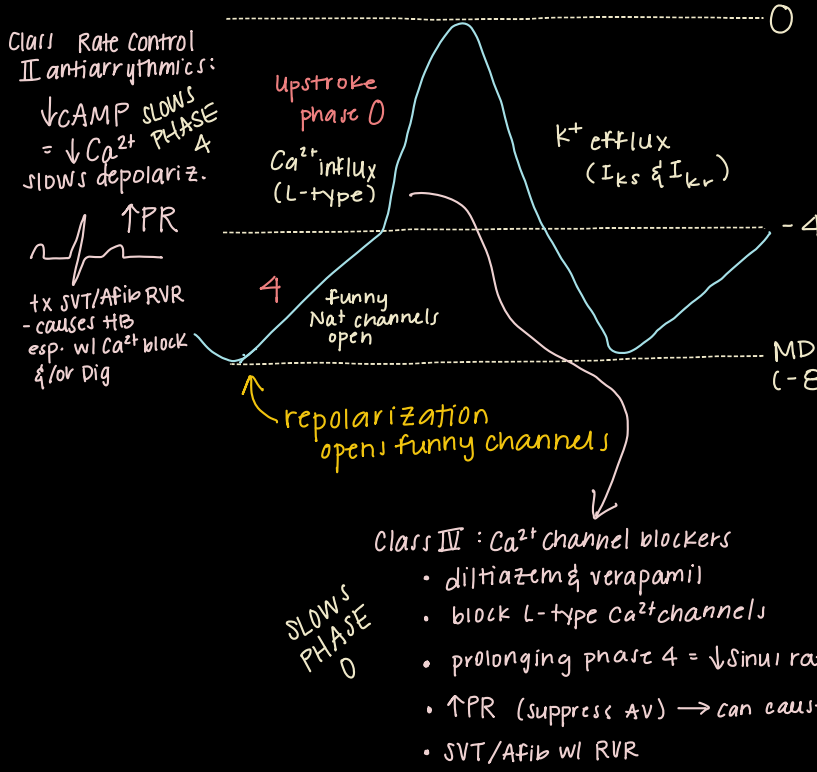
* amio I, II, III & IV LOW RISK OF TORSADE
K⁺ channel block + β -block & Ca²⁺ channel block

- Neuro toxicity
 - grey corneal deposits
 - Thyroid problems
 - pulmonary fibrosis
 - HB; CI in HF
- CP450 inhib.
* shellfish allergy* (iodine)

Myocardial Action Potential: FAST RESPONSE



PACEMAKER CELLS: SLOW RESPONSE



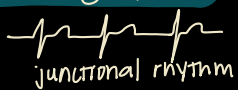
ACh makes MDP more negative, which slows HR = overdrive suppression via Na^+/K^+ ATPase working harder @ latent pacemakers, making MDP more \ominus

TBL: late phase of vent. repolarization = U-wave

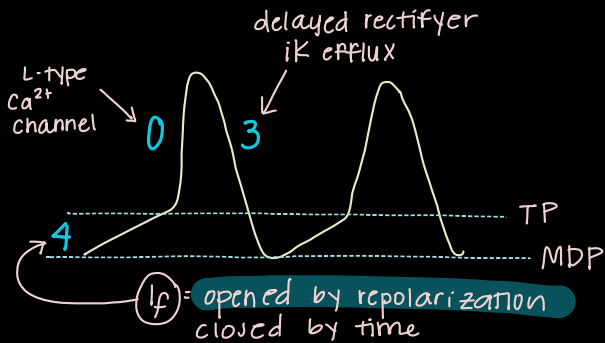
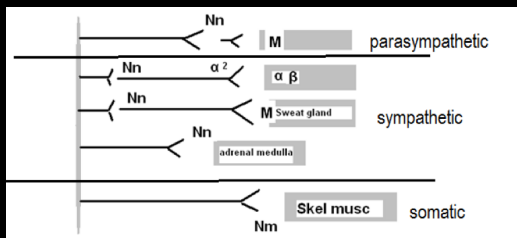
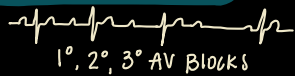
AFIB Tx: Beta-blockers
 Ca^{2+} blockers
Amio
Digoxin
+ anticoag.

L11 Mechanisms of Arrhythmias

* ischemia @ SA node: ESCAPE RHYTHM



* ischemia @ AV node:



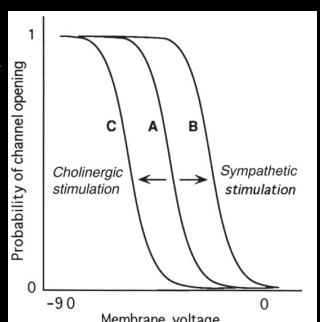
(PSNS)
* cholinergic stimulation → M2 → DECREASE HR

* sympathetic stimulation → β1 → INCREASE HR

WBOT * modulates but DOES NOT create pacemaker
∴ if you stop the funny current, you will NOT stop the heart (not essential)

* EAD = prolonged AP → TORSADES

* DAD = Ca2+ overload → VT, dig tox



* Purkinje cells = slower bc more ⊖ MDP

WBOT * overdrive suppression: due to ↑ Na+/K+ ATPase pushing cells more ⊖ MDP ∴ can't initiate their own AP

When myocytes acquire phase 4 depolarization = Ectopic Tach

* if you give a pt ACh, their HR will ↓ bc there will be ↑ activation of M2 rec.

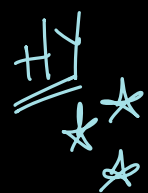
can be caused by anti-arrhythmic drugs

* Functional conduction block = acute ischemia → polymorphic TORSADES

* Fixed conduction block = scar/fibrosis → monomorphic (vtach) * **WBOT**

ECGs:

- LCA LAD & septal aa. → * Septal: V1, V2
- LCA LAD & diagonal aa. → * Anterior: V3, V4
- LCA Circumflex aa. → * Lateral: V5, V6, I, aVL
- RCA Post. Descending a. → * Inferior: II, III, aVF



I lateral		V1 septal	V4 Anterior
II inferior	aVL lateral	V2 septal	V5 antero-lateral
III inferior	aVF inferior	V3 Anterior	V6 antero-lateral

	Normal	Left	Right	Extreme
I				
III				
III				

L12 Atherosclerosis & Thrombosis

* causes of endothelial injury: ① Predisposing factors (HTN, DM), ② Hypercholesterolemia, ③ Hemodynamic disturbance
 damaged barrier = leaking lipids

* Arteriosclerosis = small arterioles

- ① Hyaline: thick pink hyaline surrounding vessel = benign HTN & DM
 - ② Hyperplastic: Onion skin, prolif. of smooth muscle = malignant HTN
 - ③ Möckenberg: medial calcium deposition W/O vessel occlusion
- can cause ischemic injury

* Predisposition:

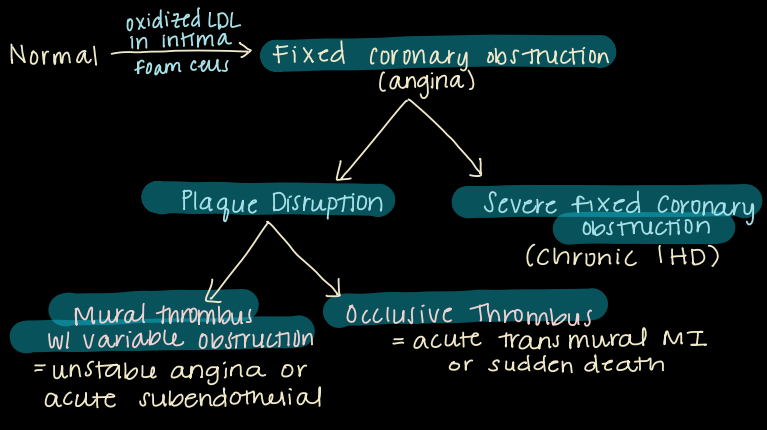
*** WBOT
↑ Lipoprotein (a) = homolog to plasminogen & inhibits fibrinolysis & ↑ MØ uptake of lipids

* Complications of atherosclerosis:

- ① Stenosis
- ② Acute Plaque Change via chemical factors or physical stress
 - Plaque Rupture → **THROMBUS**
 - Erosion/ulceration → **THROMBUS**
 - Hemorrhage → **THROMBUS**
- ③ Aneurysm - destruction through vessel wall (media)
- ④ Vasoconstriction

- Proliferate
- Embolize
- Dissolution
- Organize

Only arteries have internal elastic lamina



Atherosclerosis

[Response to injury, hypercholesterol, or hemodynamic disturbance]

- ① injury → LDL accumulates in **INTIMA**
- ② endothelial dysfunction (↑ permeability)
- ③ MØ activation
- ④ MØ eat lipids → **foam cells**
- ⑤ sm proliferation, collagen & ECM deposition

* Normal Endothelium = ANTITHROMBOTIC

- * - ANTI-platelet = PGI₂, NO, ADP
- * - ANTI-coagulant = thrombomodulin, protein C, tPA

* injured endothelium ↑ ischemia via
 ① vasoconstriction ② vWF exposure
 = TXA & serotonin

L10: Imaging

to determine EF (most accurately) = **LV scintigraphy**

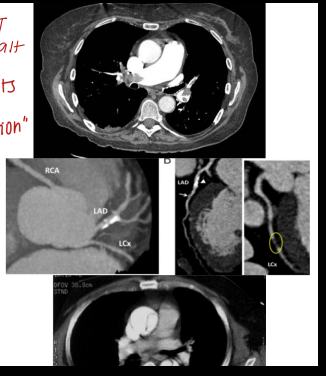
SPECT Perfusion scintigraphy: know diff. between infarcted & ischemic tissue

- WBOT
- If myocardium does not take up the radiotracer in the resting state, it is because there is non-viable myocardium, ie - **infarct** **dead**
 - If the myocardium takes up radiotracer at rest, but not during stress, it is because of inadequate blood flow during stress, ie - **ischemia**

WBOT "Triple rule-out"

- CT angiogram thorax **contrast**
 - Pulmonary arteries for embolus
 - Coronary arteries for obstruction
 - Aorta for dissection
- For acute chest pain of indeterminate cause
- Requires immediate reading capabilities by radiologist and/or cardiologist
- Requires on-site reconstruction of coronary artery portion of the exam

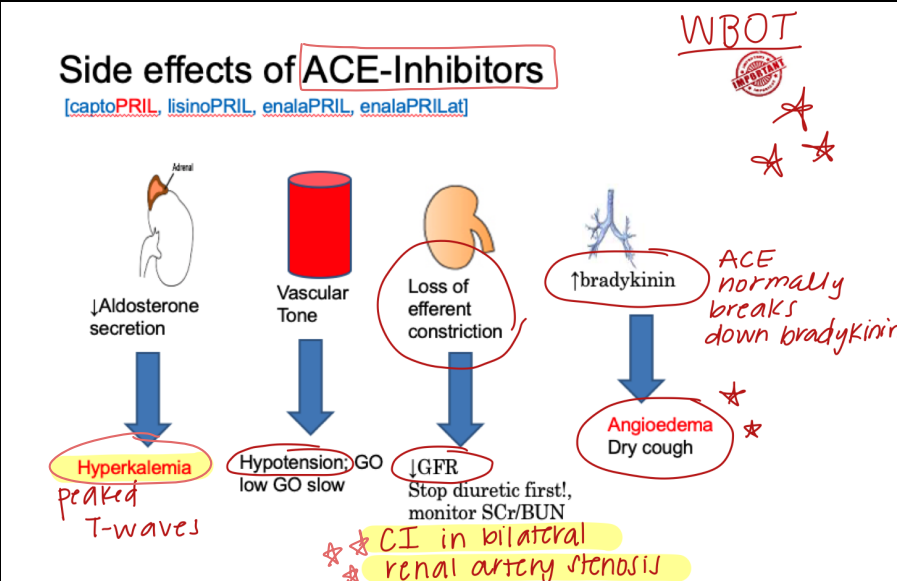
use a CT w/ contrast
 * two clots & a dissection



PHARM:

When to NOT use β -block

- DM
- CHF
- lung issues (asthma)
- Brady (HB)
- vasospastic angina



HMG-CoA Reductase Inhibitors

- Drugs: - Statins (rosuvastatin, pravastatin, simvastatin, atorvastatin)
- Mechanism: prevents synthesis of mevalonate, a cholesterol precursor by inhibiting HMG-CoA reductase
- Clinical use:
 - ↓ mortality in patients with coronary artery disease
 - most effective drug for lowering LDL
- Toxicity: hepatotoxicity, myopathy

PCSK9 Inhibitors

- Drugs: alirocumab and evolocumab
- Mechanism: monoclonal antibodies that bind to proprotein convertase subtilisin/kexin type 9 (PCSK9)
- Clinical use: primarily decreases LDL
- Toxicity: myopathy, neurocognitive effects, delirium, dementia

Fibrates FOR TRIGLYCERIDES!

- Drugs: gemfibrozil, bezafibrate, and fenofibrate
- Mechanism: activates PPAR- α and upregulates lipoprotein lipase
- Clinical use: primarily decreases TG
- Toxicity: myopathy, cholesterol gallstones

Bile Acid Resins

- Drugs: cholestyramine, colestipol, and colesevelam
- Mechanism: binds to bile acids and prevents reabsorption
- Clinical use: primarily decreases LDL
- Toxicity: gastrointestinal upset, malabsorption

Ezetimibe

- Mechanism: inhibits sterol transporter at the small intestine brush border
- Clinical use: primarily decreases LDL
- Toxicity: rare hepatotoxicity, gastrointestinal upset

Niacin (Vitamin B3)

- Mechanism: inhibits hormone-sensitive lipase
- Clinical use: primarily increases HDL
- Toxicity: flushing, gout, hyperglycemia

VLDL Inhibitors:
Mipomersen inhibits ApoB

Lomitapide binds MTP

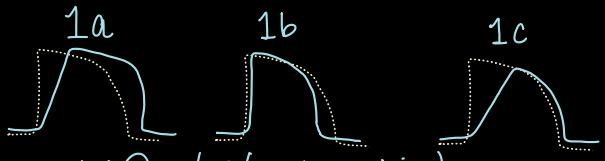
- Homozygous familial hypercholesterolemia
SE: ↓ ADEK
↓ LFT (Liver failure)

Fish Oil: ↓ TG by regulating TFs SREBP1c & PPAR α
may raise LDL, ↑ risk of bleeding
∅ in familial hypercholesterolemia

ANTIARRHYTHMICS

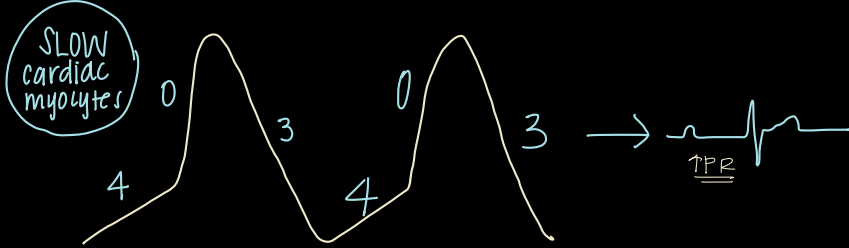
Class I

→ Na⁺ channel blockers (so also decreases slope in slow myocytes @ node = ↓ automaticity)
slow phase 0, block phase 3 of fast myocytes = ↑ QRS (& QT in 1a)



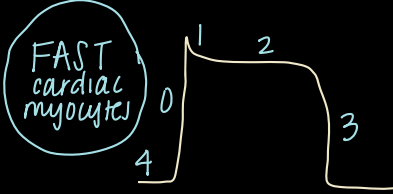
Class II

→ β -blockers ↓ cAMP = ↓ Ca²⁺ release
slows phase 4 of slow myocytes = ↑ PR



Class III

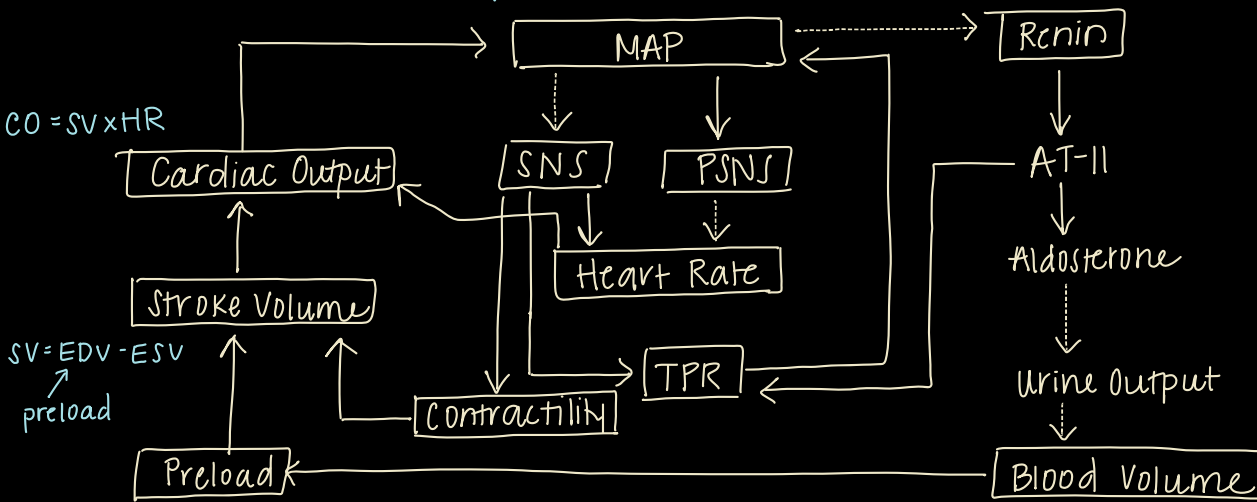
→ K⁺ channel blockers - class 3 = phase 3
Prolong phase 3 of fast myocytes = ↑ QT → torsades!



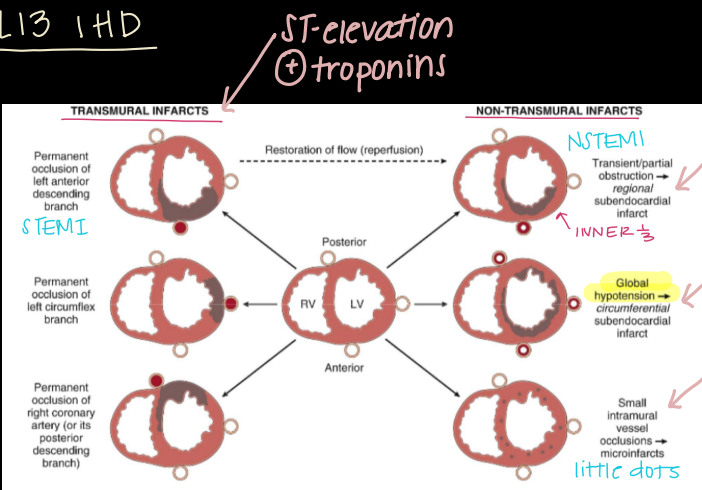
Class IV

→ Ca²⁺ channel blockers - class 4 = phase 4
slows phase 0, prolong phase 4 in slow myocytes = ↑ PR

MAP - RAP = CO × TPR



L13 IHD

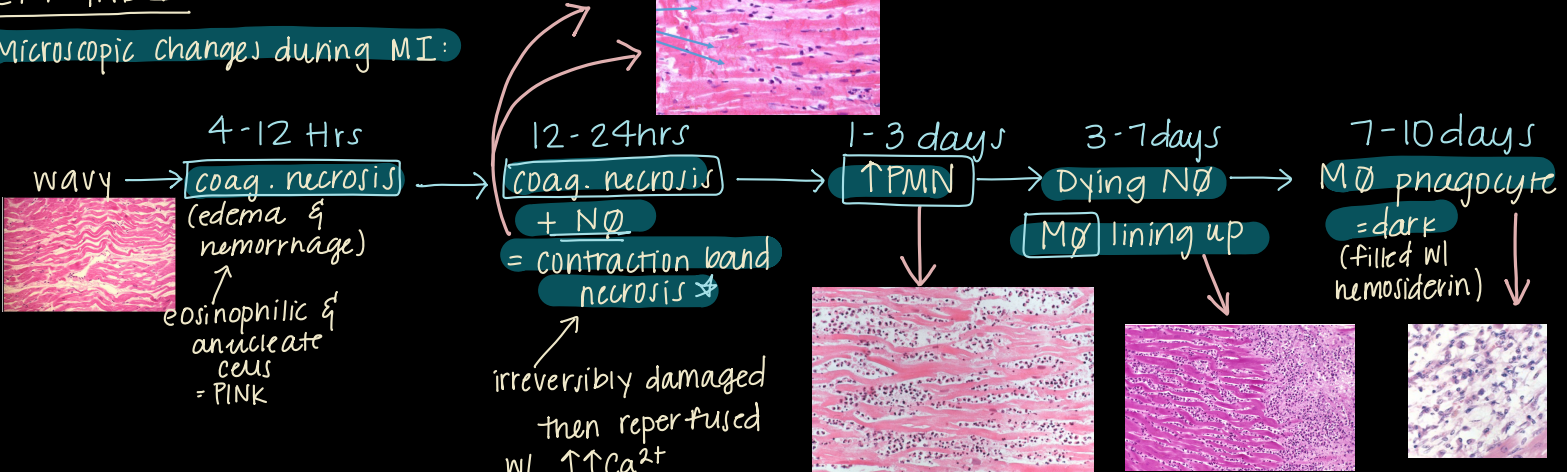


- MORPHOLOGIC FEATURES OF Myocardial infarction (see table 12-5 in Robbins, page 544)
- GROSS (MACROSCOPIC)
 - At autopsy, gross changes may not be seen for up to 12 hours after infarct, 6 at the earliest.
 - 12 to 24 hours: Dark mottling
 - 1 to 10 days: yellow-tan discoloration and softening (necrosis)
 - 1-3 days: mottling with yellow-tan infarct center
 - 3-7 days: Hyperemic border; central yellow-tan softening
 - 7-10 days: maximally yellow-tan and soft, with depressed red-tan margins
 - 10 to 14 days: Red-gray depressed infarct borders
 - 2 to 8 weeks gray-white scar, peripherally to central.
 - Greater than 2 months-white scar.

- Contraction band necrosis (CBN) ^{Hypercontraction}
- Contraction band necrosis: occurs in myocytes that are already irreversibly injured and then re-perfused → ↑Ca²⁺ → ↑contract
 - Also seen in sudden cardiac death with V. fib, increased catecholamines
 - Appearance: Dark eosinophilic stripes across cardiomyocyte
 - Composition: closely packed sarcomeres due to hypercontraction of myofibrils
 - Pathogenesis:
 - Irreversibly damaged myocytes have plasma membrane defects
 - during reperfusion, increased amounts of calcium enter the cell causing hypercontraction of myofibrils
- 12-24 HOURS

L14 IHD II

Microscopic changes during MI:



* Syndrome X = microvascular → little dots everywhere

- due to vasoconstriction when there should be dilation
- thickened media / fibromuscular dysplasia

No evidence of CAD on angro but spasm when given vasodilators

IHD

Stable Angina: gets better w/ rest/nitro
> 70% stenosis

NO EKG changes

Unstable Angina

> 90% stenosis

ST seg. depression

NO BIOMARKERS bc **NO NECROSIS** just **ISCHEMIA***

(includes Prinzmetal variant)
tx w/ diltiazem

cigarette smoking**

NSTEMI

= subendocardial* → caused by **prolonged hypotension**

ST depression

⊕ biomarkers (bc HELLO NECROSIS)

STEMI

= transmural*

ST elevation

⊕ biomarkers

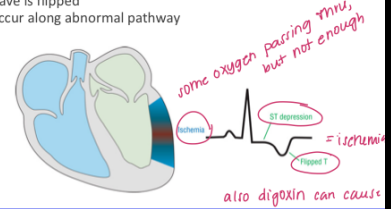
= injury or infarction

↙ reversible

↘ irreversible

Ischemia

Area of ischemia is more negative than surrounding normal tissue
Causes ST depression; T wave is flipped
Causes repolarization to occur along abnormal pathway



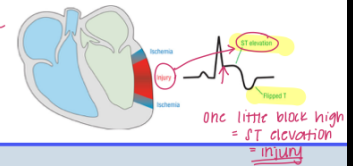
Injury = ELEVATION

Zone of injury does not repolarize completely

Remains more positive than surrounding tissue, leading to ST elevation

T remains flipped (abnormal repolarization paths along injured/ischemic areas of myocardium)

= Reversible damage



Infarction = DEAD

ST Elevation + Q-wave

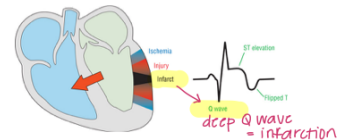
Dead tissue **NECROSIS** → irreversible damage

Does NOT generate any action potentials; electrically neutral

Acts like electrical "window" in wall of myocardium

• An electrode can look through and see opposite wall.

• Unopposed, positive vector produces Q wave.



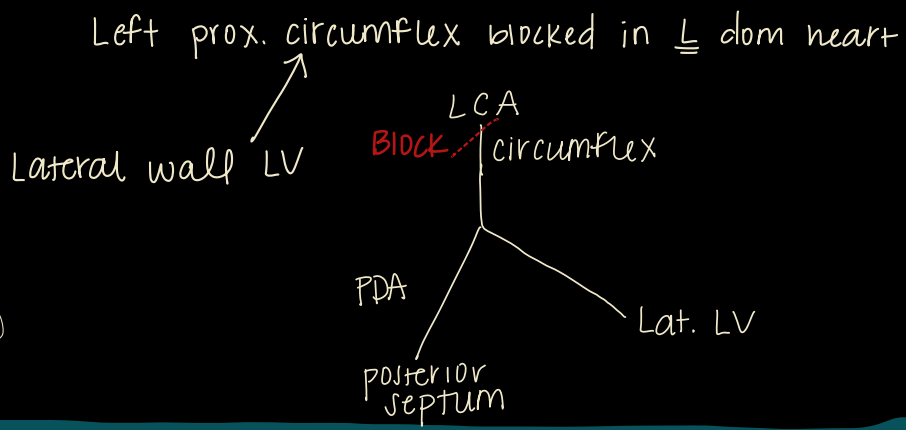
HY L3 Anatomy Review

L Recurrent = aorta
R Recurrent = subclav

- from vagus
- * Recurrent laryngeal "pt has sx's of aortic dissection & hoarseness" = LEFT recurrent around aorta
 - * Brady / ischemia @ AV/SA = RCA
 - * RCA → PDA → RV
 - inferior = leads II, III, aVF
 - posterior + post. septum

KNOW HOW IT CHANGES IN LEFT DOM HEART

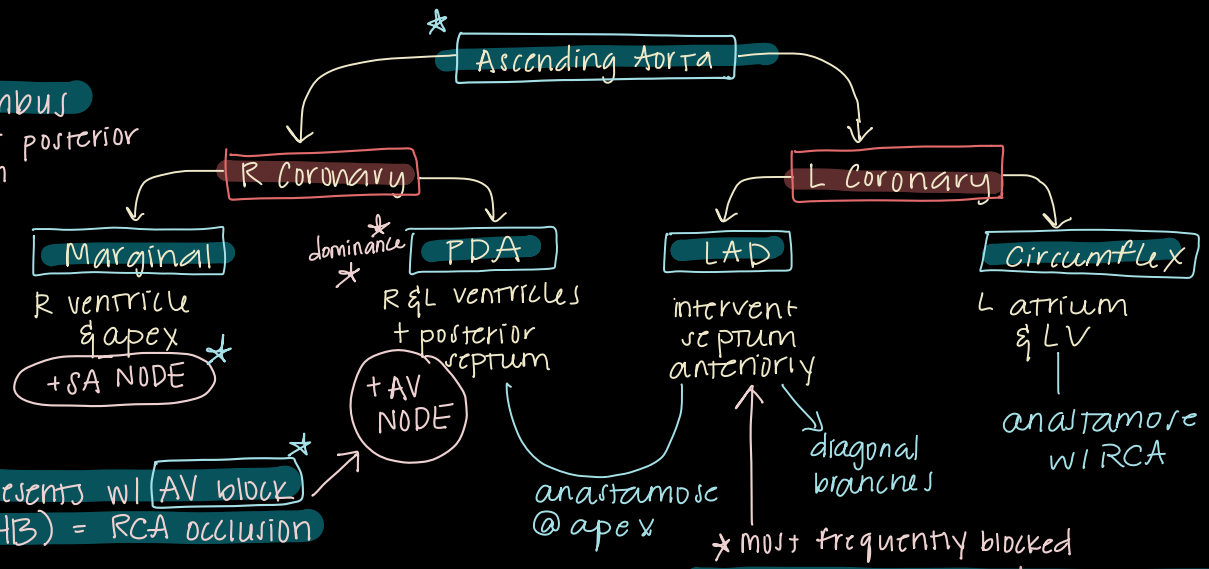
- * sympathetic = T1-T6
- * parasympathetic = VAGUS



Normally R Dominant

- * RCA = Posterior + septum (includes PDA)
- * LAD = Anterior + septum
- * Circumflex = Lat. LV

- ** RCA thrombus = damages posterior LV / septum & papillary muscles



- WBOT
- * if pt presents w/ AV block (1°, 2°, 3°HB) = RCA occlusion

* most frequently blocked
LAD damage = tricuspid septal leaflet dysfunction

Tricky PQs:

- * IN pts w/ CAD, atherosclerotic plaque begins w/ endothelial damage (INTIMA)
- MØ show up → foam cells
- triggers release of cytokines & growth factors
- activates smooth muscle cells to produce collagen which forms fibrous cap over the atheroma

LO7 Cardio Pharm

- α_1 ↑ → ↑IP₃/DAG/Ca²⁺ = vasoconstrict
- α_2 ↓ → ↓cAMP = ↓NE release
- β_1 ↑ → ↑cAMP = ↑renin, ⊕ inotropic / chronotropic
- β_2 ↓ → ↑cAMP = broncho/vasodilation

WBDT

- * β -blockers = CI in COPD
- * L-type Ca²⁺ block (VD) CI in CHF & AV blocks

PHARM PHYSIO REVIEW:

- vasoconstriction on VEINS = ↑ESP
- vasoconstriction on ARTERIES = ↑EDP

* Ca²⁺ Channel Blockers:

* Verapamil & Diltiazem = class 4 antiarrhythmics

- L-type Ca²⁺ channel block @ SA/AV node
- ↓phase 0 of slow cardiac cell
- ↓C.O

CI in CHF & AV Block

VD wakes your

* -dipines

- arteriole dilation SE: peripheral edema
- ↑C.O.

aldosterone ↑Na⁺/K⁺ATP-ase in principle cells
reabsorb Na⁺ & H₂O → ↑BP

* K⁺ channel openers (for pts whom ACE-I are CI) Ex: pregnancy

- * Hydralazine/Minoxidil (K⁺ opening → inhibits Ca²⁺ release from ER)
- * SE: reflex tachycardia & edema + postural hypotension

* ACE-inhibitors (-pril)

* peaked T-waves (hyperK⁺) + ↓GFR + Hypotension + ↑Bradykinin (angioedema)

* ANP = ↑GFR ↓BP

* Neprilysin inhibitors Sacubitril inhibit degradation of ANP

* Vasopressin = ADH

* V₂ receptor activation (G_s) ↑cAMP → AQP channels = REABSORB H₂O (NOT Na⁺) = ↑BP

LO8 Pharm of Hyperlipidemia

* Statins (1st line)

↓↓LDL ↓TG ↑HDL

* HMG-coase inhibitors decrease cholesterol synthesis

* Advantages: ↓inflammation of plaque, ↑stability, ↓thrombosis, reverses endothelial function

* SE: Myopathy & rhabdomyolysis

Statins improve mortality of CAD

* Fibrates

↓↓TG (esp >500)

* MOA: ① ↑LPL in muscle // agonist of PPAR α
② ↑FFA oxidation

* SE: ↓Liver function, gallstones

* Niacin (B₃)

↑↑HDL ↓LDL ↑HDL

* MOA: Inhibits HSL in adipose °. ↑ApoA clearance

* SE: Flushing, Hyperuricemia (GOUT), hyperglycemia (Diabetes)

* Bile Acid Sequestrants

↓↓LDL (-chol)

* MOA: bind anions in intestine = ↓cholesterol = ↑LDL receptors

* SAFE IN PREGNANCY*

* Interactions: \downarrow absorption of Θ charged drugs [Warfarin, Digoxin, Thiazides]

* SE: can \uparrow TG (CI in pts TG \geq 400 & familial hypercholesterolemia)

* Cholesterol Absorption Inhibitor: Ezetimibe \downarrow LDL

* MDA: inhibits uptake by NPC1L1 receptor

* VLDL secretion inhibitors \downarrow LDL

* Lomitapide: binds MTP \downarrow LDL, \downarrow ADEK absorption

* Mipomersen: inhibits ApoB gene exp. = \downarrow VLDL, \downarrow ADEK absorp

* Fish Oil \downarrow TG may \uparrow LDL

* regulates SREBP-1c & PPAR α (\downarrow VLDL synth)

* SE: bleeding

* PCSK9 inhibitors $\downarrow\downarrow\downarrow$ LDL

* Ab prevent cleavage of hepatic LDL receptors

* Hetero & homozyg. fam. hypercholesterolemia

LO9 Autonomic Control of Circulation

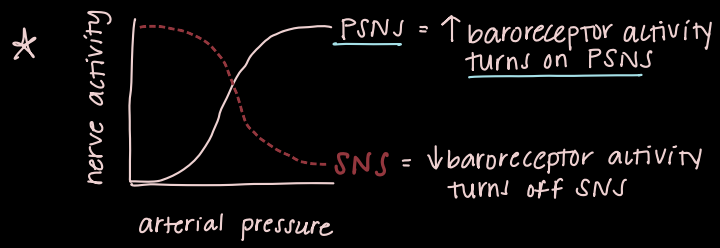
* Muscarinics = GPCR ($M_1, M_3, M_5 = \uparrow IP_3 / DAG$) vs ($M_2, M_4 = \downarrow cAMP$)

M_1 Q
 M_2 I
 M_3 Q

Nicotinics = ion channels (NOT GPCR)

* α_1 = vasoconstrict VASCULAR smooth muscle // RELAXATION of INTESTINAL smooth muscle

decrease motility so you don't poop while running from a bear




if you volume expand someone you \uparrow C.O. & BP so HR \downarrow

* PSNS dominates HR

* postural orthostatic tachycardia syndrome: young female; HR \uparrow 30bpm \downarrow BP = EXCESS SNS activity

* neurogenic orthostatic hypotension: \downarrow BP when standing \downarrow HR response
 \downarrow systolic \geq 20 mmHg
 \downarrow diastolic \geq 10 mmHg = predictor of mortality

* \downarrow SNS = orthostatic hypotension, \downarrow sweating, ptosis, ejac. dysfunction

Parasympathetic		ORGAN SYSTEM	Sympathetic	
Receptor	Effect		Receptor	Effect
Nn, M1	Memory/cognition, Balances dopamine for control of movement in nigrostriatal pathway; in nucleus accumbens, Nn increases dopamine release Present in many interneurons	CNS	$\alpha 1?, \beta (?2)$ $\alpha 2$	Fear, anxiety Mood, learning Increases signal to noise ratio
M2	Decreases outflow	Autoreceptor	$\alpha 2$	Decreases outflow
M3	Miosis, lacrimation Lacrimation Contract (accommodation)	Eye Ciliary musc	$\alpha 1$ $\beta 1$	Mydriasis \uparrow Aqueous humor
M3	Salivation	Salivary		
M3	contraction	Bronchiolar smooth muscle	$\beta 2$	relaxation
M2	Decreased rate	Heart	$\beta 1$	\uparrow rate, force, conduction, automaticity
M3	<u>On vasculature not innervated</u> , but stimulation by exogenous agonists \uparrow NO release	Blood vessels	$\alpha 1$ $\beta 2$	Contraction, \uparrow BP Relax, \downarrow BP (stimulated by EPI from adrenal)
M3	Secretion, peristalsis (M2) relaxation	GI Sphincters	Various* $\alpha 1$	\downarrow secretion, \downarrow peristal. contraction
		Liver	$\alpha 1, \beta 2$	Glycogenolysis, gluconeogenesis
		 Sweat glands	M3	secretion
		Kidney	$\beta 1$	Renin release (JGA)
M3	Detrusor contract Trigone, sphincter relax (fyi M2 is involved)	Bladder	$\beta 3$ $\alpha 1$	Detrusor relax Trigone, sphincter contract
M3	Erection (via \uparrow NO)	Male GU	$\alpha 1$	ejaculation
		Uterus	$\alpha 1$ $\beta 2$	gravid contract Relax (gravid & non)
		Fat cells	$\beta 3$	Thermogenesis, lipolysis, \downarrow leptin release
		Skeletal	$\beta 2$	K ⁺ uptake