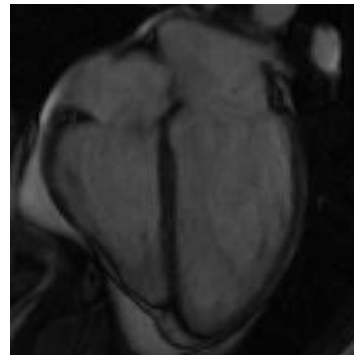
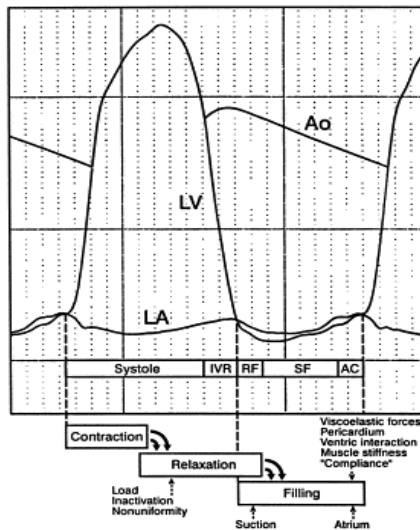
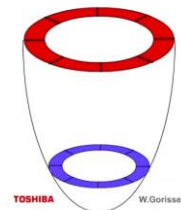


ASE 2016 Diastolic Function Guidelines: Relax!

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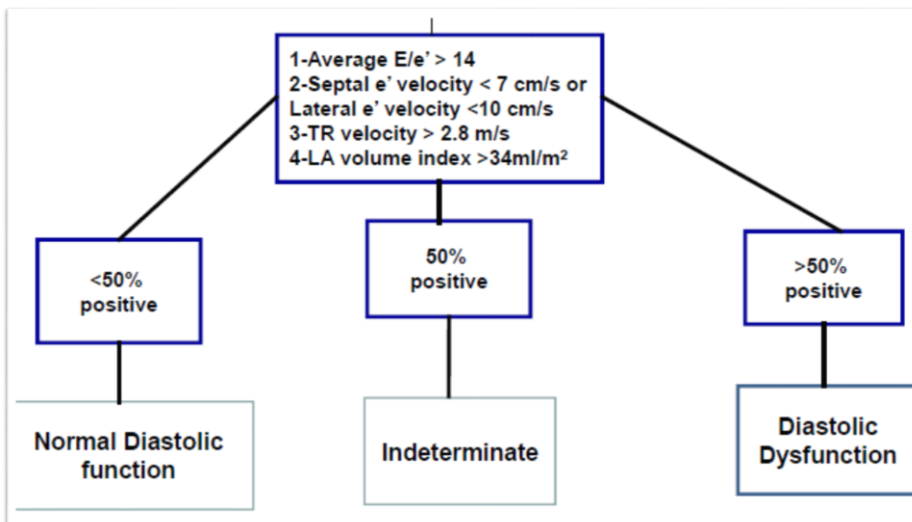
Usual reactions to discussions of diastolic dysfunction

2016 Diastology Guidelines Update Objectives

- 2009 ASE/EACVI guidelines were too complex to grade DF and estimate LV filling pressures
- Based on too many parameters and a lot of discrepancies
- Primary goal of 2016 update **is to simplify**
 - increase feasibility of use of the guidelines in clinical practice

TR velocity, LA size

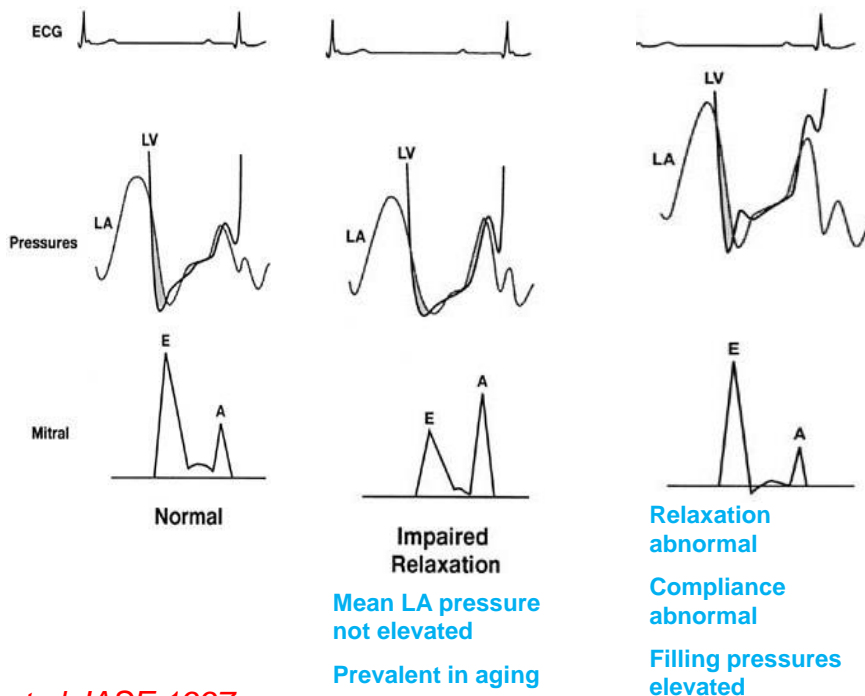
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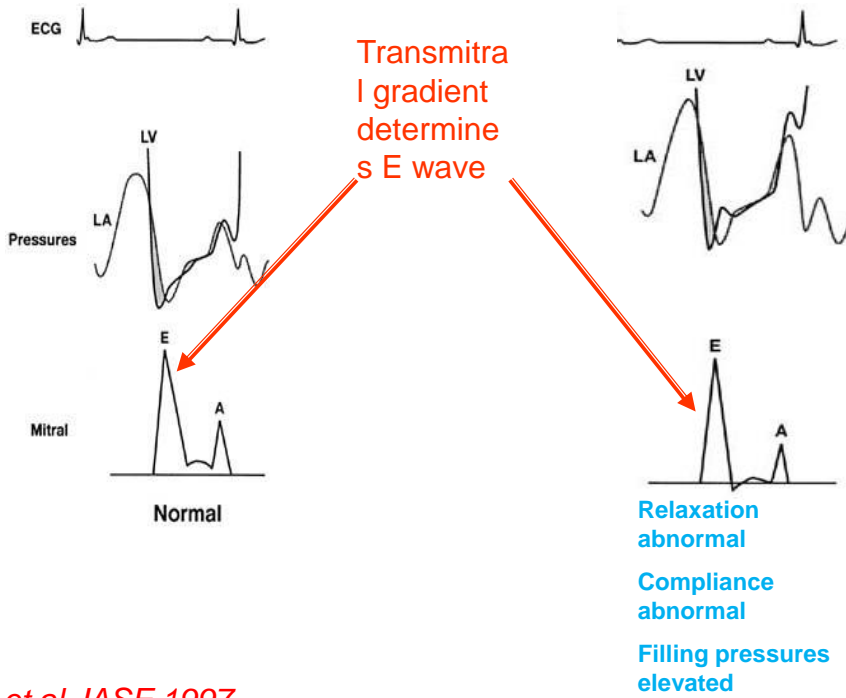
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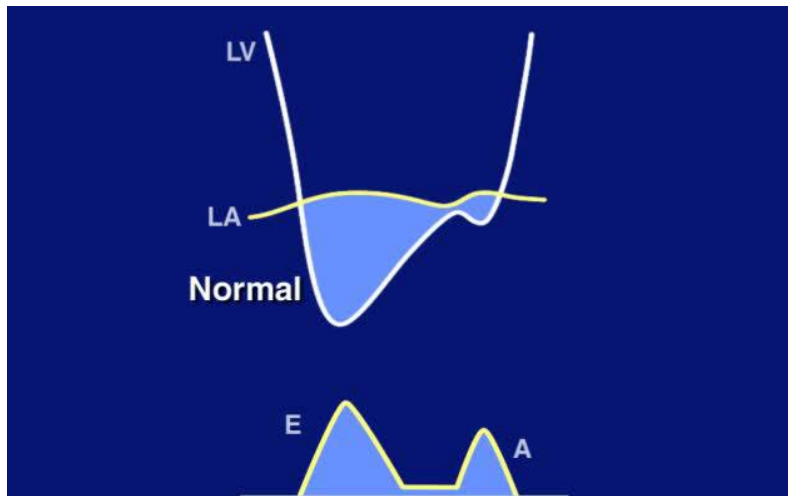
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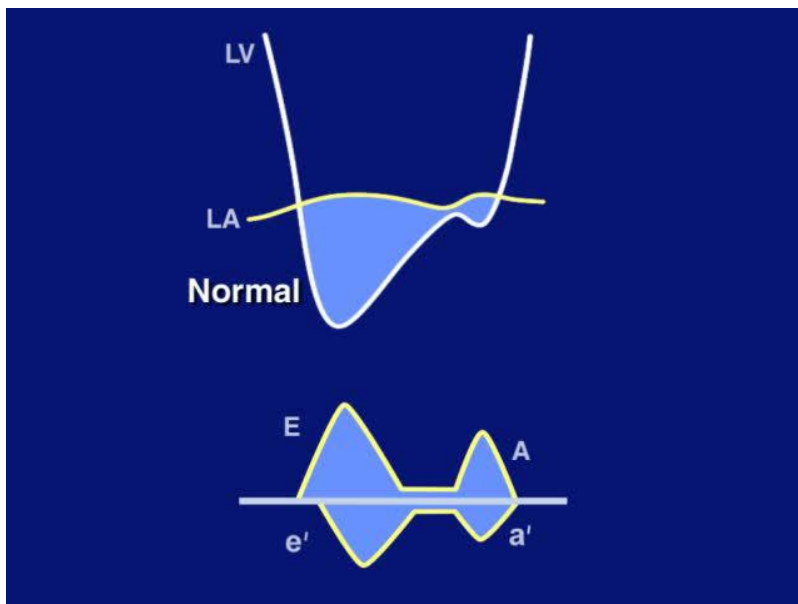
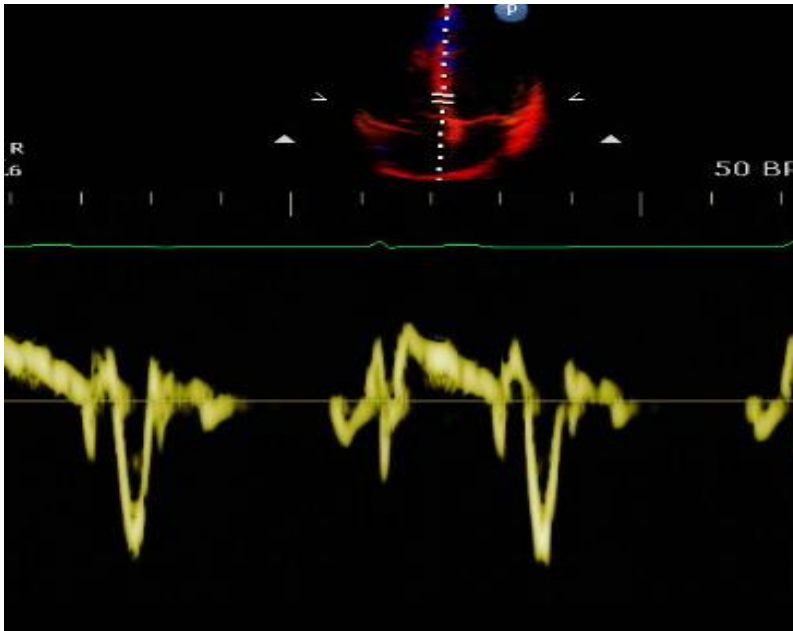
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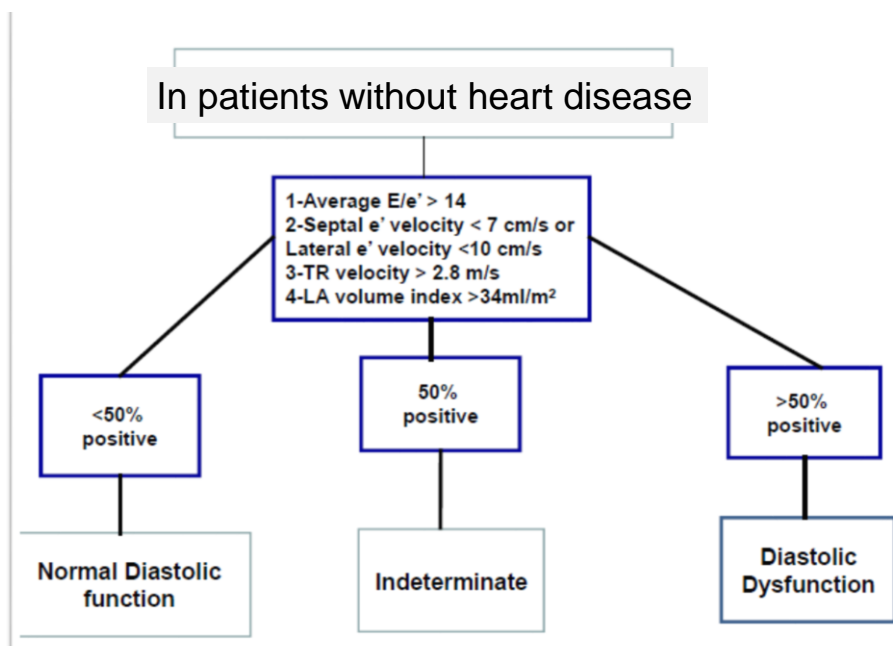
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Table 4 LV relaxation, filling pressures and 2D and Doppler findings according to LV diastolic function

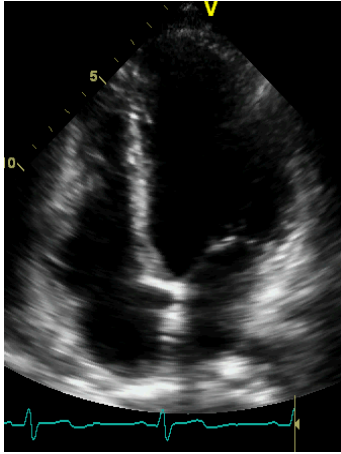
| | Normal | Grade I | Grade II | Grade III |
|--------------------------|------------|---------------------|----------------|-----------|
| LV relaxation | Normal | Impaired | Impaired | Impaired |
| LAP | Normal | Low or normal | Elevated | Elevated |
| Mitral E/A ratio | ≥ 0.8 | ≤ 0.8 | >0.8 to <2 | >2 |
| Average E/e' ratio | <10 | <10 | 10–14 | >14 |
| Peak TR velocity (m/sec) | <2.8 | <2.8 | >2.8 | >2.8 |
| LA volume index | Normal | Normal or increased | Increased | Increased |

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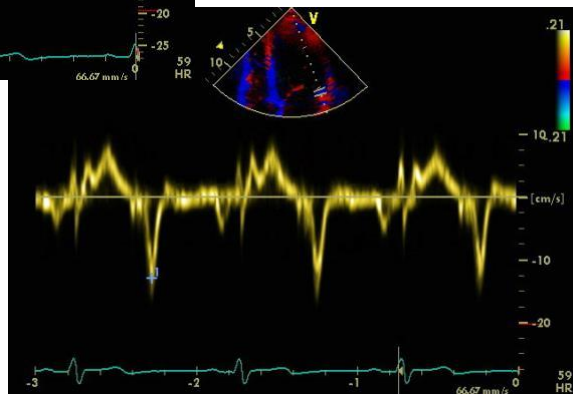
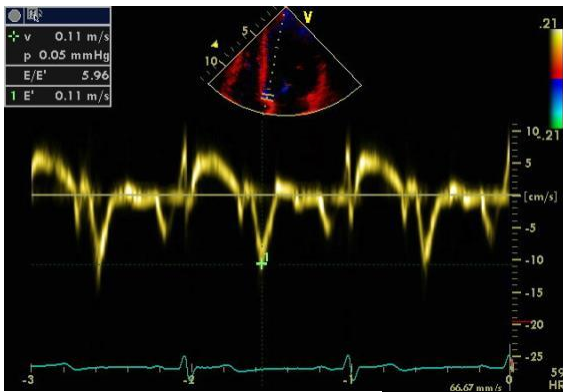
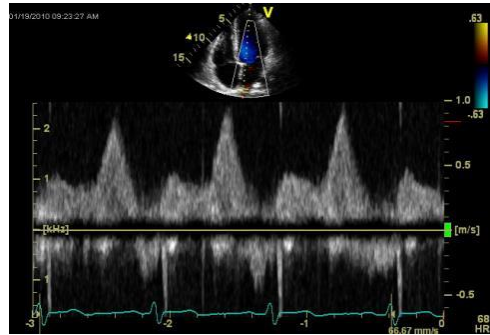
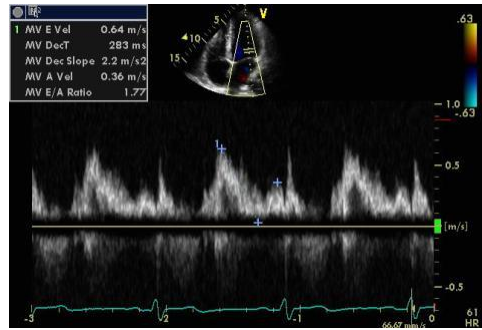


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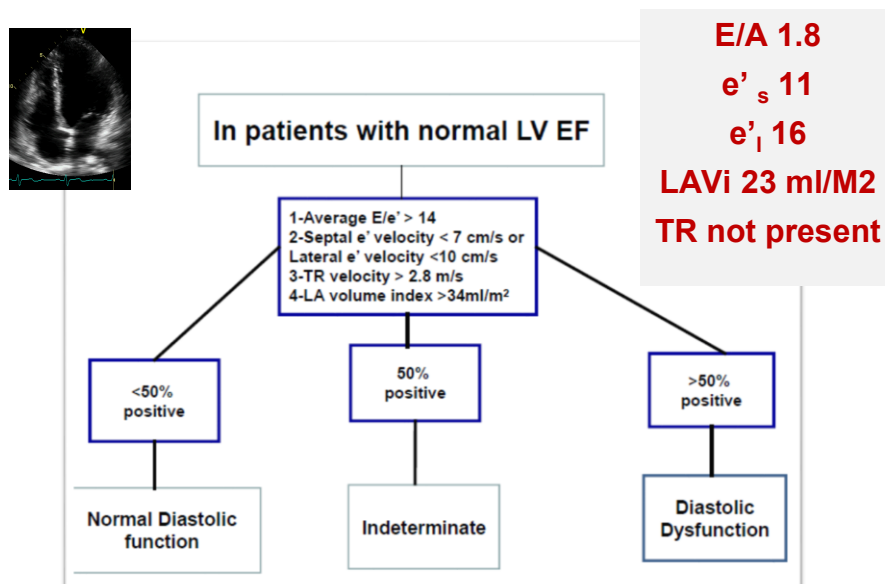


46 year old woman palpitations



What are the filling pressures ?

1. Normal
2. High
3. Low



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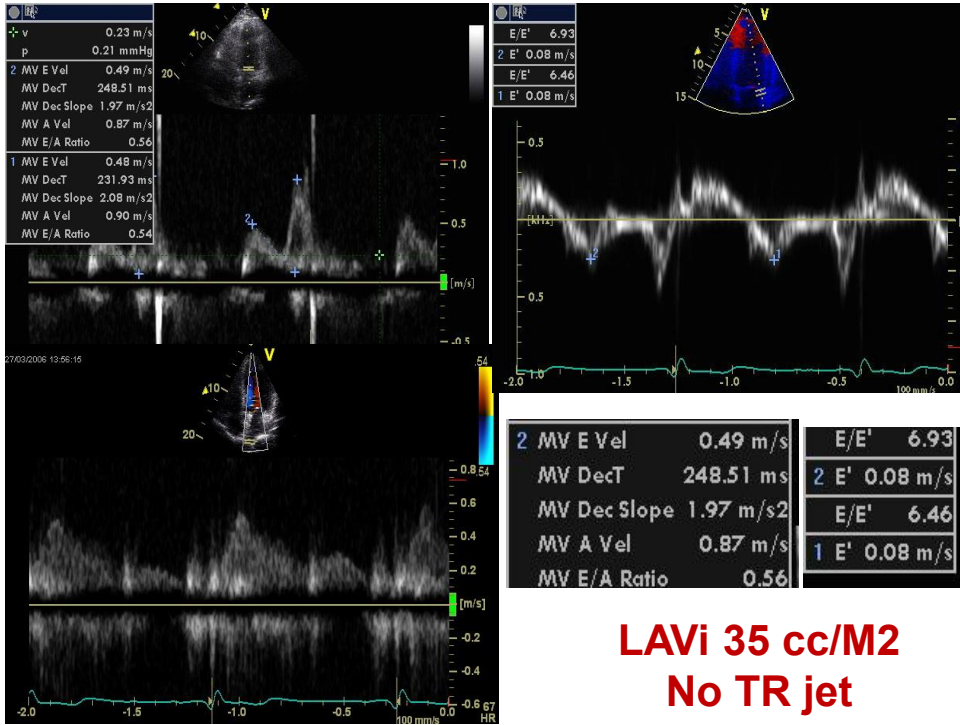
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Retired police officer

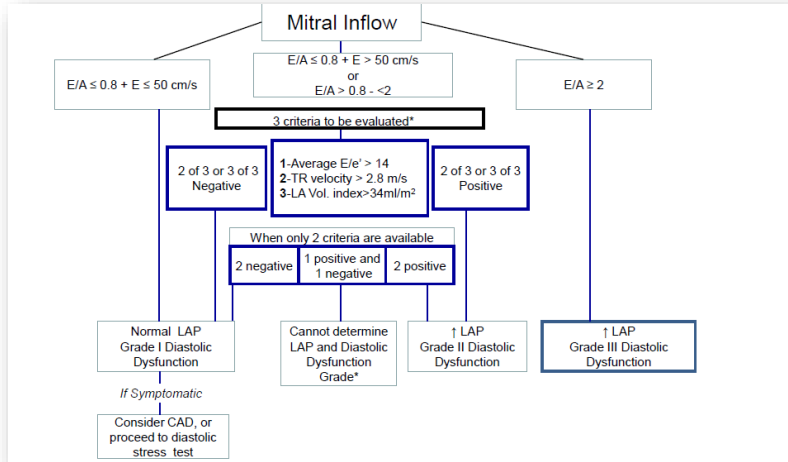
poorly controlled
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Feels just fine, thanks





E/A 0.5 + E 49 cm/s
LAVi 35 ml/M2
TR not present



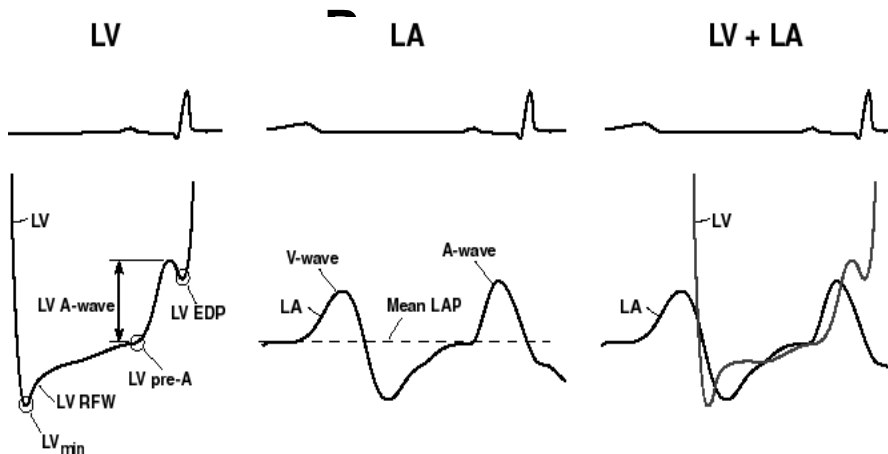
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2. High
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4. What do you mean by “filling pressures?” (i.e. none of the above)



LV Filling Pressures

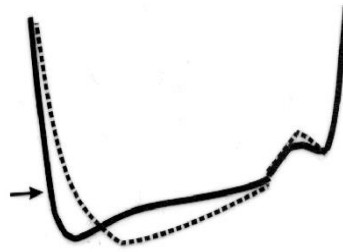
The Different LA and LV



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The atrial kick: an example of intelligent design



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Is echocardiographic evaluation of diastolic function useful in determining clinical care?

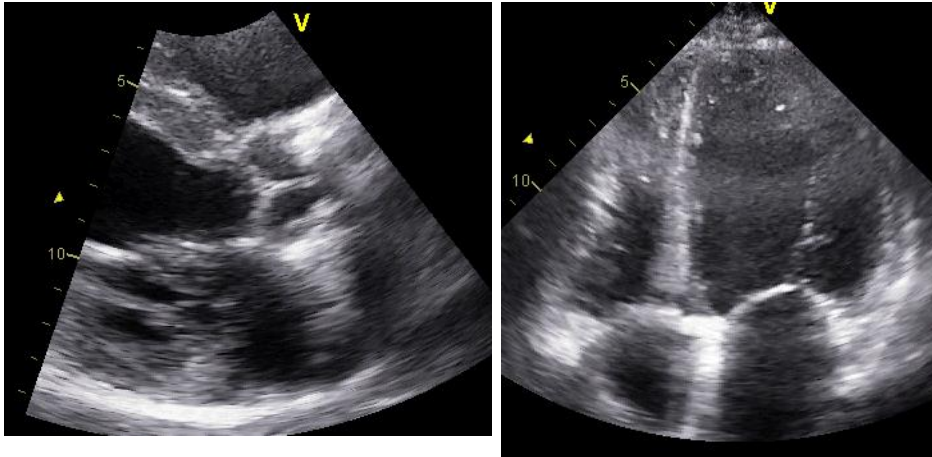
Echocardiographic Evaluation of Diastolic Function Can Be Used to Guide Clinical Care

William C. Little, MD; Jae K. Oh, MD

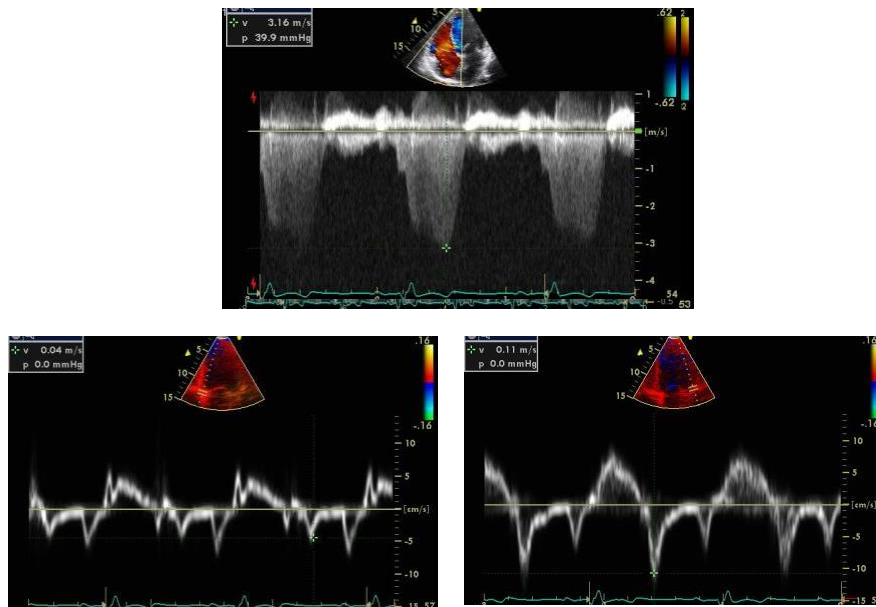
In most patients with impaired relaxation pattern, the mean LA pressure is not elevated despite an increased LV end-diastolic pressure that is maintained by a vigorous atrial contraction.

52 year old man

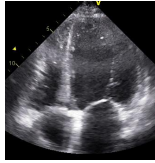
history of CAD admitted with HF



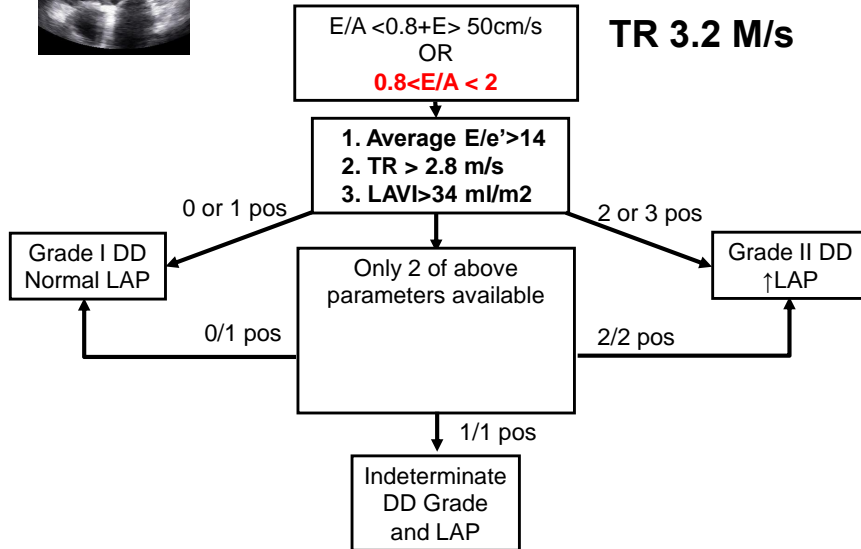
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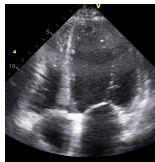


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TR 3.2 M/s

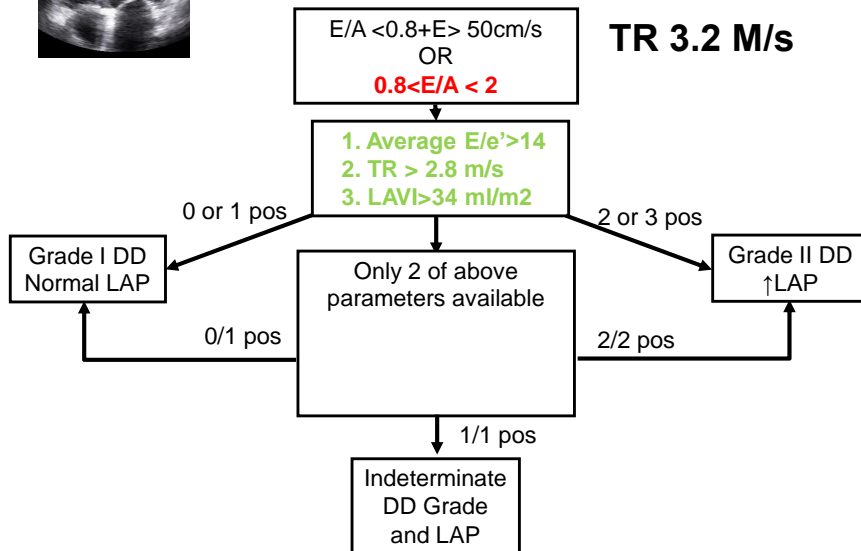


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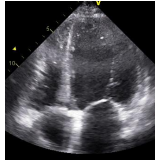


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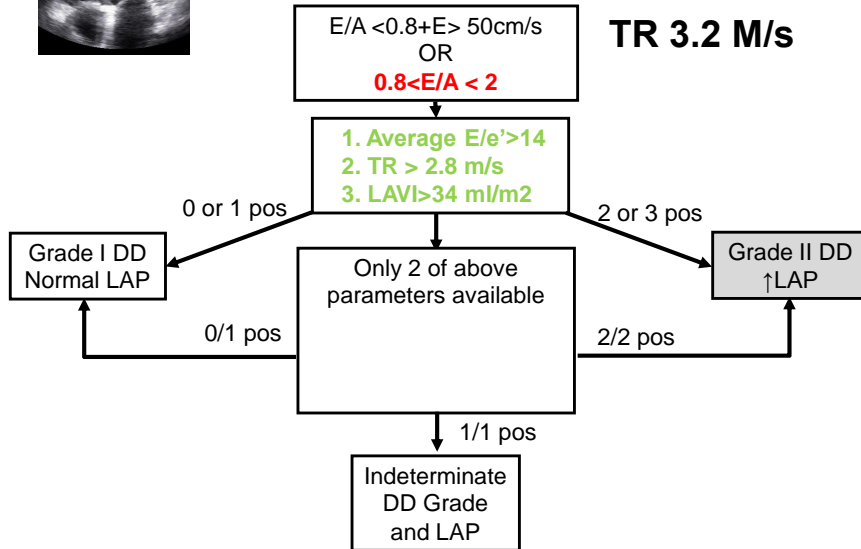


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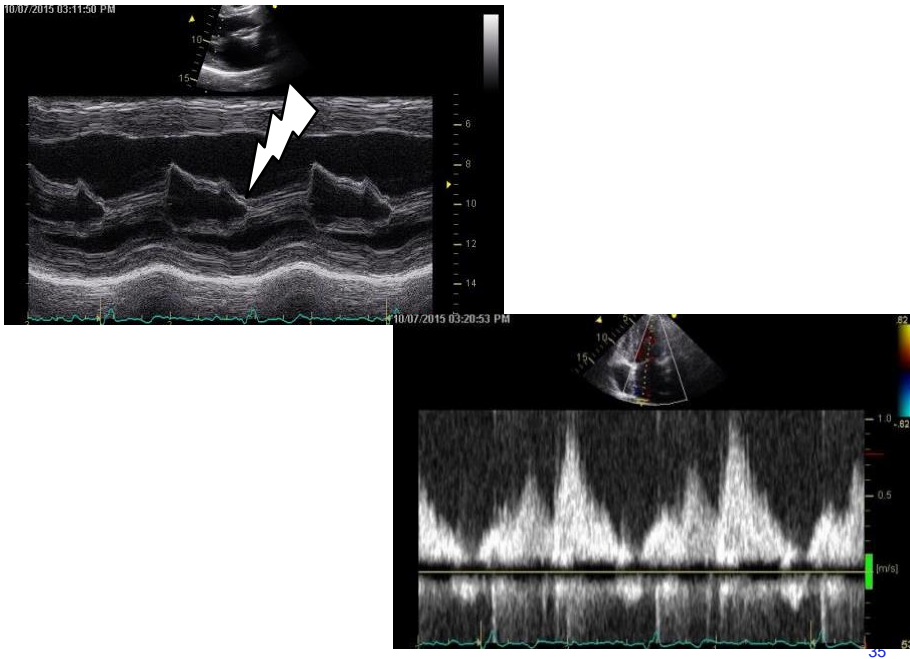
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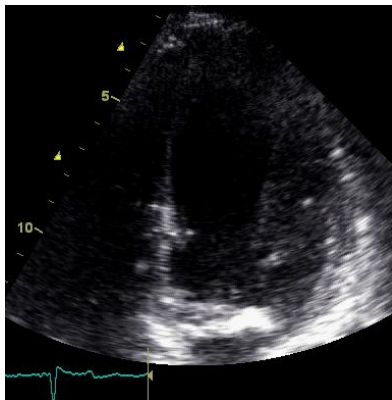
Diastolic Function in “Special” Populations



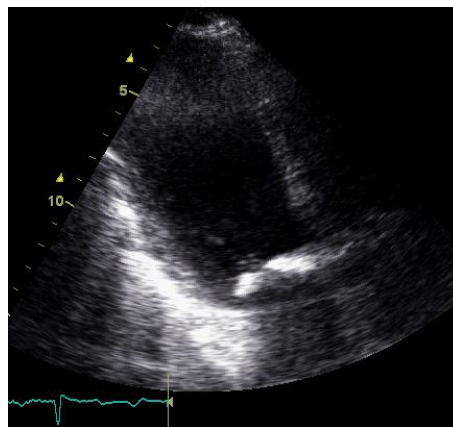
Table 6 Assessment of LV filling pressures in special populations

| Disease | Echocardiographic measurements and cutoff values |
|--|---|
| AF ^{43,94-99} | Peak acceleration rate of mitral E velocity ($\geq 1,900$ cm/sec ²) IVRT (≤ 65 msec) DT of pulmonary venous diastolic velocity (≤ 220 msec) E/Vp ratio (≥ 1.4) Septal E/e' ratio (≥ 11) |
| Sinus tachycardia ^{41,44} | Mitral inflow pattern with predominant early LV filling in patients with EFs <50% IVRT ≤ 70 msec is specific (79%) Pulmonary vein systolic filling fraction $\leq 40\%$ is specific (88%) Average E/e' >14 (this cutoff has highest specificity but low sensitivity) When E and A velocities are partially or completely fused, the presence of a compensatory period after premature beats often leads to separation of E and A velocities which can be used for assessment of diastolic function |
| HCM ¹⁰⁰⁻¹⁰⁶ | Average E/e' (>14) Ar-A (≥ 30 msec) TR peak velocity (>2.8 m/sec) LA volume (>34 mL/m ²). |
| Restrictive cardiomyopathy ^{13,107-109} | DT (<140 msec) Mitral E/A (>2.5) IVRT (<50 msec has high specificity) Average E/e' (>14) |
| Noncardiac pulmonary hypertension ³² | Lateral E/e' can be applied to determine whether a cardiac etiology is the underlying reason for the increased pulmonary artery pressures When cardiac etiology is present, lateral E/e' is >13, whereas in patients with pulmonary hypertension due to a noncardiac etiology, lateral E/e' is <8 |
| Mitral stenosis ¹¹⁰ | IVRT (<60 msec has high specificity) IVRT/T _{E-a} (<4.2) Mitral A velocity (>1.5 m/sec) |
| MR ¹¹⁰⁻¹¹² | Ar-A (≥ 30 msec) IVRT (<60 msec has high specificity) IVRT/T _{E-a} (<5.6) may be applied for the prediction of LV filling pressures in patients with MR and normal EFs Average E/e' (>14) may be considered only in patients with depressed EFs |

A comprehensive approach is recommended in all of the above settings, which includes estimation of PASP using peak velocity of TR jet (>2.8 m/sec) and LA maximum volume index (>34 mL/m²). Conclusions should not be based on single measurements. Specificity comments refer to predicting filling pressures > 15 mm Hg. Note that the role of LA maximum volume index to draw inferences on LAP is limited in athletes, patients with AF, and/or those with mitral valve disease.

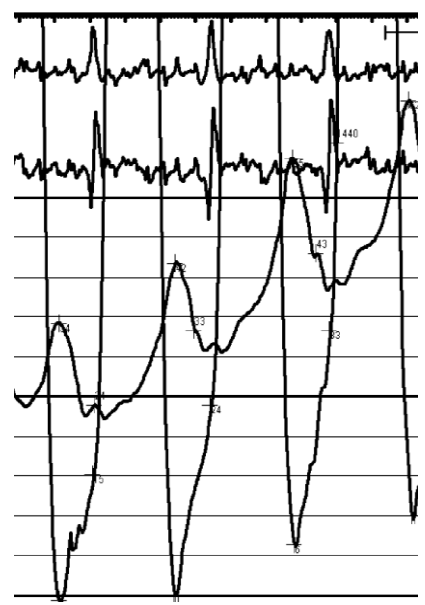
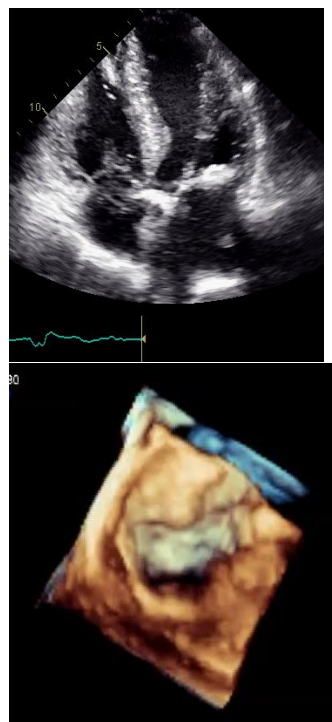
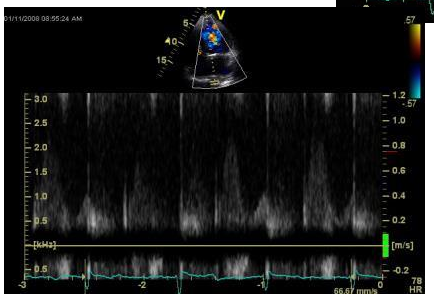
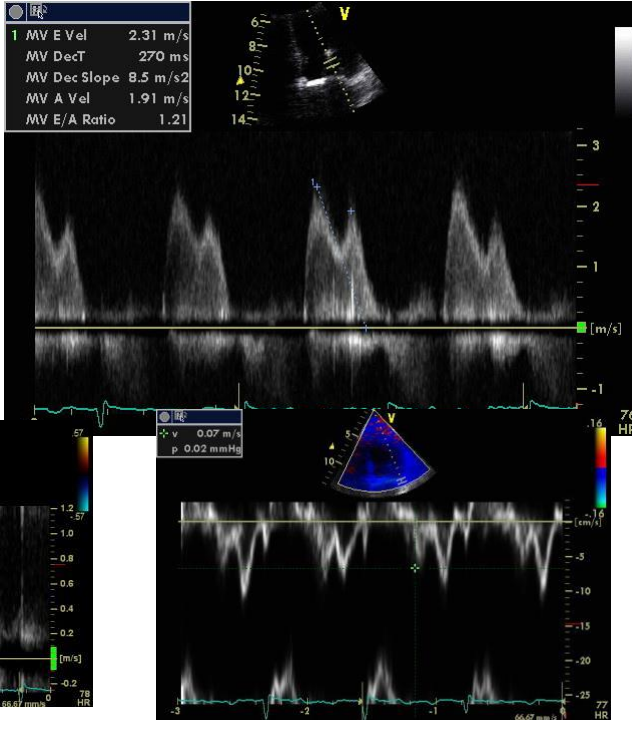


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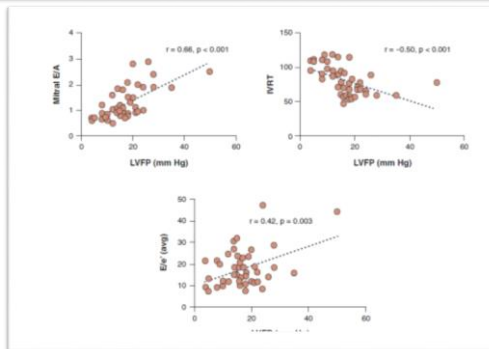
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E 2.3 M/s
E/A 1.3
e' 7 cm/s
E/e' 20s
LAVi 40 cc
TR 3.6 M/s



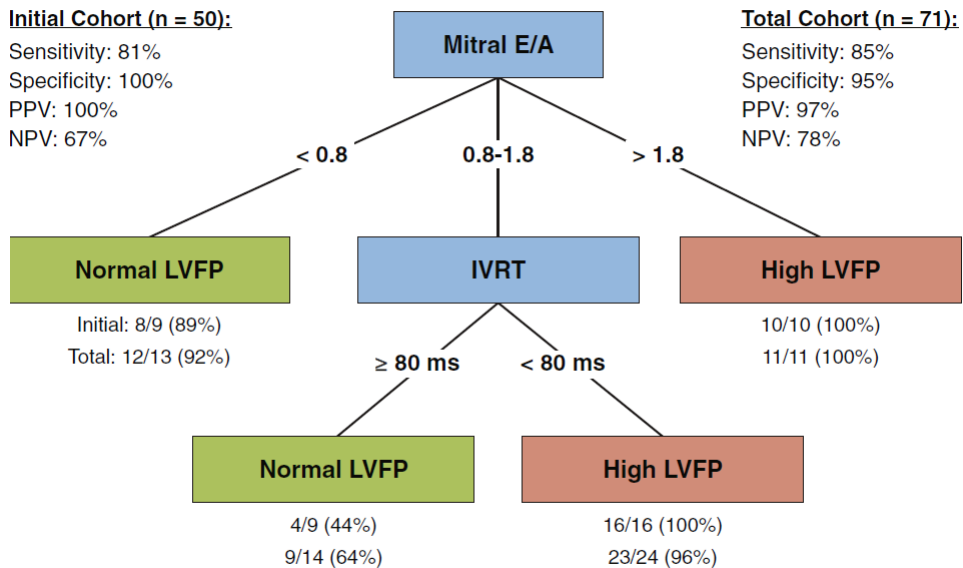
Doppler Echocardiography for the Estimation of LV Filling Pressure in Patients With Mitral Annular Calcification

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FIGURE 3 Proposed Clinical Algorithm for Estimation of Left Ventricular Filling Pressure in Subjects With Mitral Annular Calcification



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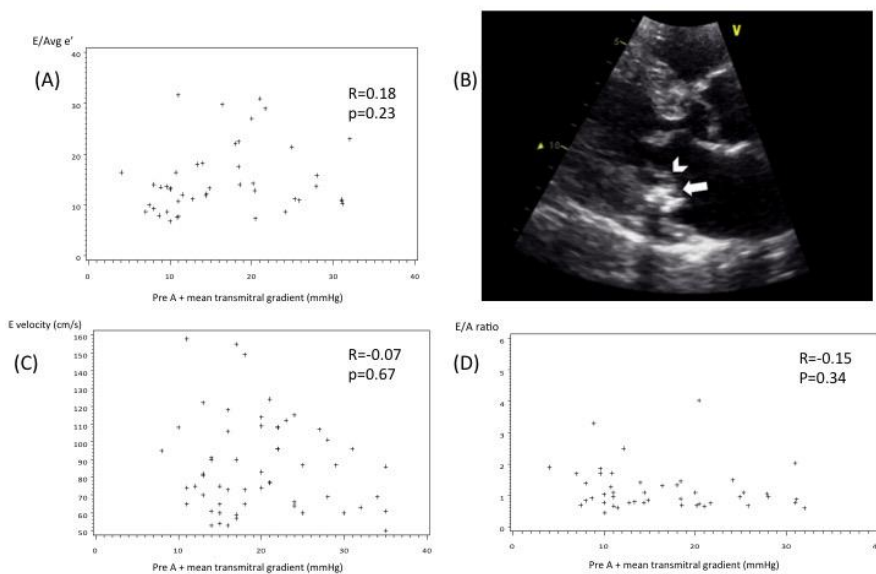


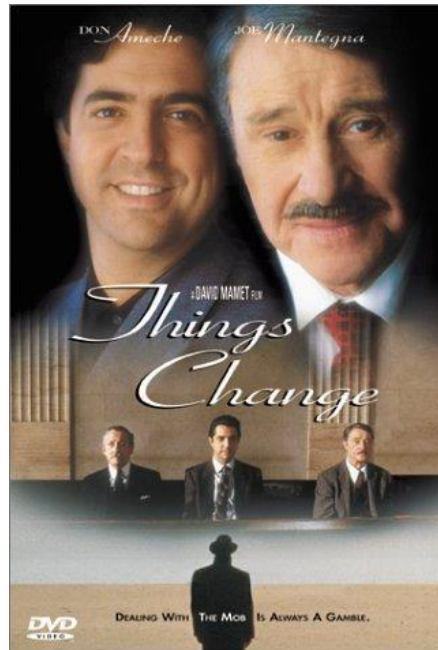
Figure 1: (A) Correlation between E/E' and LV pre A pressure plus transmitral gradient. (B) Parasternal long axis image showing heavy calcification of the posterior mitral annulus (arrow) involving the posterior leaflet (arrowhead). (C) Correlation between E velocity and LV pre A pressure plus transmitral gradient. (D) Correlation between E/A ratio and LV pre A pressure plus transmitral gradient.

Dickey, Ogunsua et al JASE (abstract)⁴³

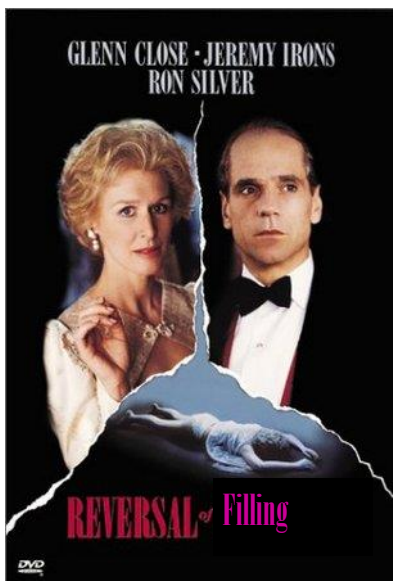
Diastolic Function in MV Disease

- E wave reflects filling rate, not relaxation
- E wave is elevated because of
 - a. high V wave
 - b. low end systolic pressure (preload effect)
 - c. high LA pressure
- E/e' works better in presence of myocardial disease, less well in MVP
- PV flow parameters PA pressure are useful
- Combination of E wave and IVRT holds promise in MAC

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The poignant story of how one man beat the odds and reversed advanced diastolic dysfunction !!!!

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