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Echocardiographie et gestion du remplissage vasculaire :

*Une démarche en 4 points*



**Conflits d'intérêts**

- General Electrics
- Baxter
- Fresenius Kabi
- B Braun
- LFB
- Lilly
- Astellas

**La moitié des épreuves de remplissage sont négatives**

*... l'écho peut elle nous aider ?*

	R / NR	Response to fluid (%)
Calvin (Surgery 81)	20 / 8	71 %
Schneider (Am Heart J 88)	13 / 5	72 %
Reuse (Chest 90)	26 / 15	63 %
Magder (J Crit Care 92)	17 / 16	52 %
Diebel (Arch Surgery 92)	13 / 9	59 %
Diebel (J Trauma 94)	26 / 39	40 %
Wagner (Chest 98)	20 / 16	56 %
Tavernier (Anesthesio 98)	21 / 14	60 %
Magder (J Crit Care 99)	13 / 16	45 %
Tousignant (A Analg 00)	16 / 24	40 %
Michard (AJRCCM 00)	16 / 24	40 %
Feissel (Chest 01)	10 / 9	53 %
<b>Mean</b>	<b>211 / 195</b>	<b>52 %</b>

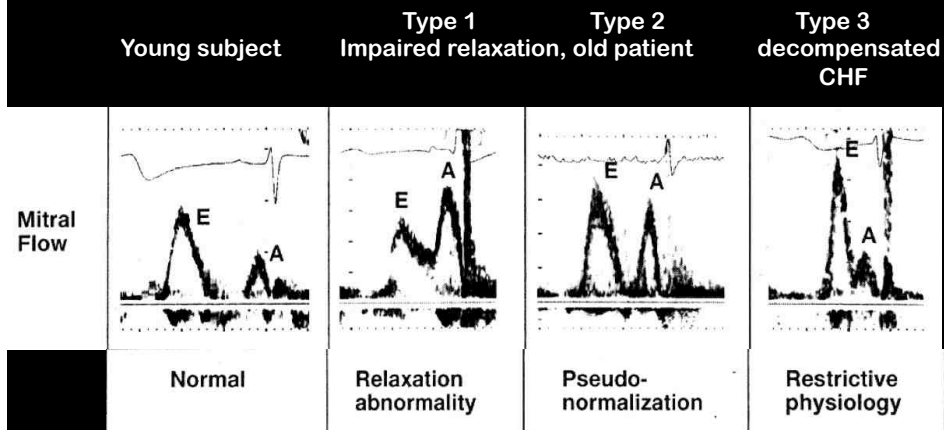
Michard et al Chest 2002



**Need for a step by step approach !**

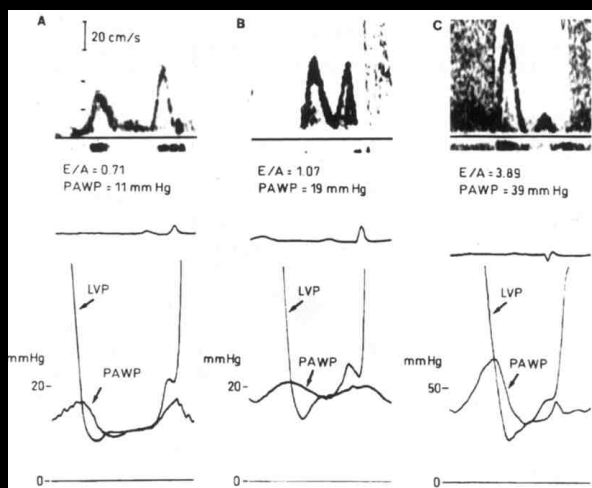
Première étape – approche statique  
 Evaluation de la PTDVG

Evaluation statique de la PTDVG:  
 Mitral Flux = fonction diastolique



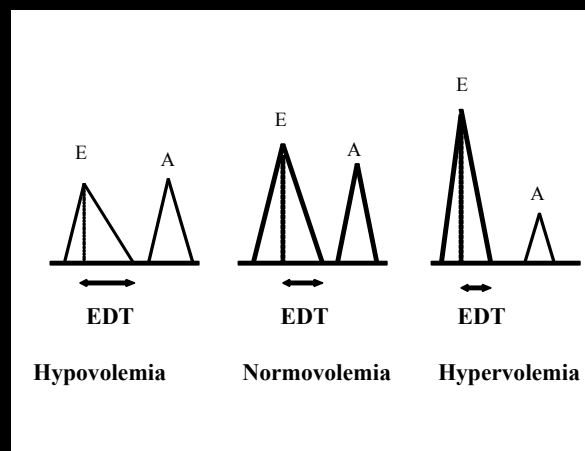
Aurigemma et al NEJM 2004  
 Sagie et al. JASE 1993

Evaluation statique de la PTDVG:  
 Le profil mitral est corrélé à la PTDVG



Vanoverschelde et al Am J Cardiol 1995

Evaluation statique de la PTDVG:  
 Au cours d'un choc ou d'une dyspnée, l'onde E varie avec la volémie

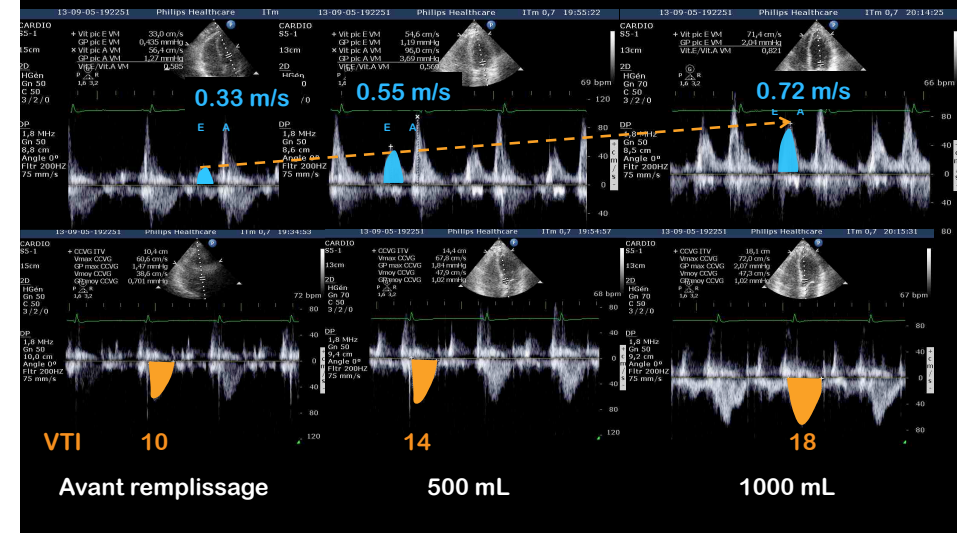


E wave velocity :  
 What we need to know about E wave is

- Normal E wave velocity = 0,7 – 0,9 m/s

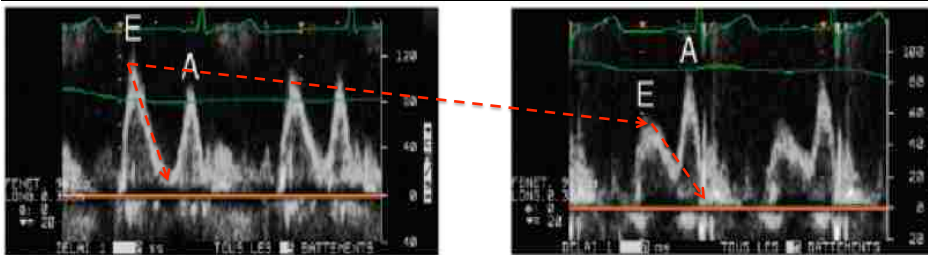
Evaluation statique de la PTDVG:  
 L'onde E varie avec la volémie

Femme de 72 ans, choc, péritonite



Evaluation statique de la PTDVG:  
 L'onde E varie avec la volémie

Before dialysis ← 3000 ml fluid removal → After dialysis



Vignon et al Crit Care 2007

Vitesse de l'onde E :  
 HYPOVOLEMIE si < 0.75 m/s ??

Table 1. Characteristics of the general population and comparison between Responders and Nonresponders at baseline (before fluid challenge)

	All patients (n = 40)	Responders (n = 20)	Nonresponders (n = 20)	p value
Age (years)	63 (56-70)	61 (49-70)	66 (53-75)	0.58
Weight (Kg)	72 (65-77)	67 (63-76)	76 (63-88)	0.14
Height (cm)	169 (164-173)	170 (162-176)	168 (160-173)	0.38
APACHE II score	17 (14-23)	18 (14-29)	14 (11-21)	0.30
HR (bpm)	101 (91-116)	101 (91-125)	103 (79-121)	0.78
MAP (mmHg)	71 (66-77)	70 (61-88)	72 (65-87)	0.56
LVEF (%)	55 (50-60)	55 (50-60)	55 (47-60)	0.41
VTI (cm)	16 (14-18)	14 (12-16)	17 (15-21)	< 0.01
E velocity (cm/s)	75 (70-80)	65 (53-76)	82 (75-93)	< 0.01
E/A velocity ratio	0.9 (0.8-1.1)	0.8 (0.6-1.1)	1.0 (0.8-1.4)	< 0.01
Ea velocity (cm/s)	12 (10-13)	12 (9-14)	11 (9-15)	0.79
E/Ea velocity ratio	6 (5-8)	5 (5-10)	7 (5-8)	0.40
cIVC (%)	34 (16-64)	64 (28-100)	19 (5-35)	< 0.01

Muller et al Critical Care 2012

## Vélocité de l'onde E :

Évalue la PTDVG, même en cardiologie

New, Simple Echocardiographic Indexes for the Estimation of Filling Pressure in Patients with Cardiac Disease and Preserved Left Ventricular Ejection Fraction

Incremental accuracy to E/Ea alone in patients with E/Ea in the gray zone. Finally, in this population,  $E < 60$  cm/sec ruled out, and  $E > 90$  cm/sec ruled in, elevated LVEDP with high negative and positive predictive values, respectively, which, in the right clinical setting, may be useful screening tools in this population for the presence of DHF.

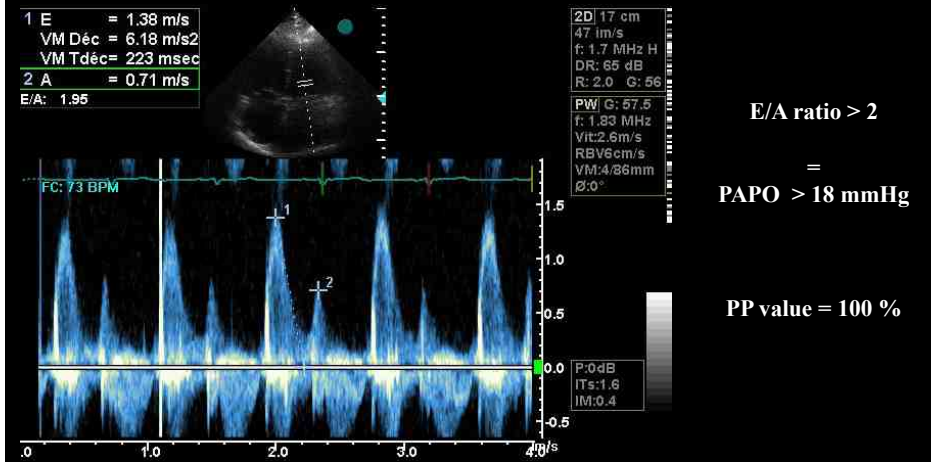
$E < 60$  cm/s  $\Rightarrow$  Low LVEDP

$E > 90$  cm/s  $\Rightarrow$  High LVEDP

Dokainish et al Echocardiography 2010

## Rapport E/A:

Un bon marqueur de pressions hautes si  $> 2$

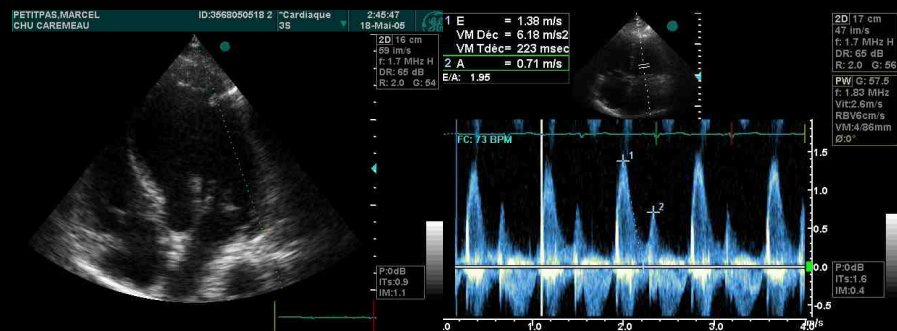


Boussuges et al Critical Care Med 2002

## Mitral inflow pattern:

... Boosts your stethoscope performance !

A 72 year old man, Dyspnea, T° 38°5, cough, Blood pressure 130/80 mmHg  
Is it only a pneumonia ?



Better clinical conditions after diuretics !

## Doppler mitral :

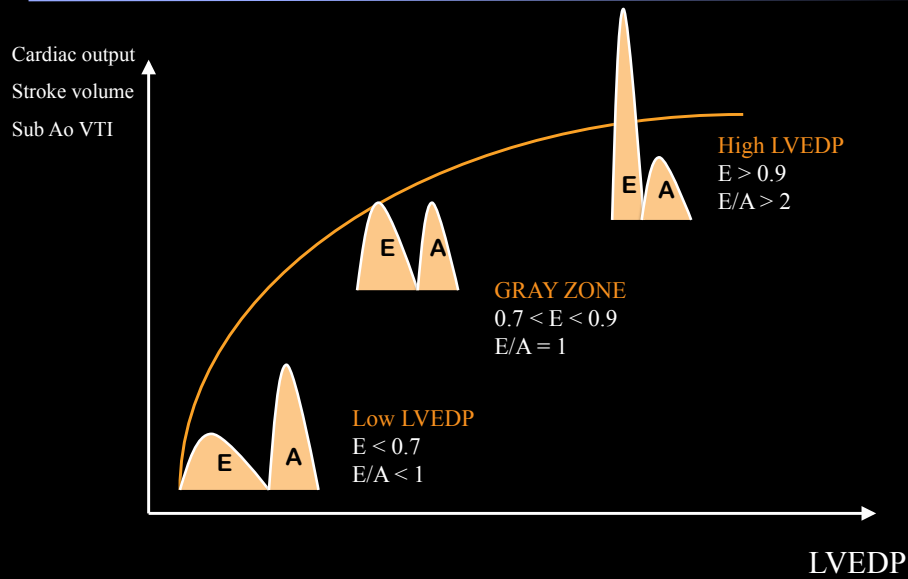
... DEUX importantes limitations

### Chez un sujet jeune et sportif :

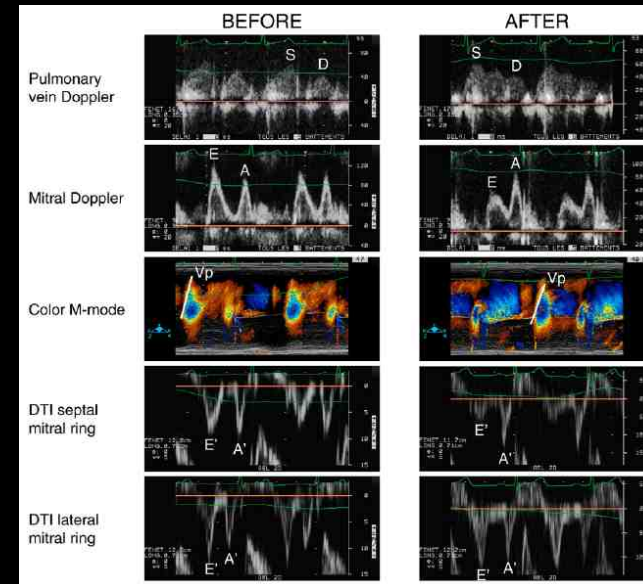
- L'onde E peut être  $> 1$  m/s de façon physiologique
- E/A peut être  $> 2$  de façon physiologique!

$\Rightarrow$  Dans ce cas, regarder les autres indices

## Static indices, fluid responsiveness and the Frank-Starling curve



## Flux mitral et dialyse : monitoring de la volémie



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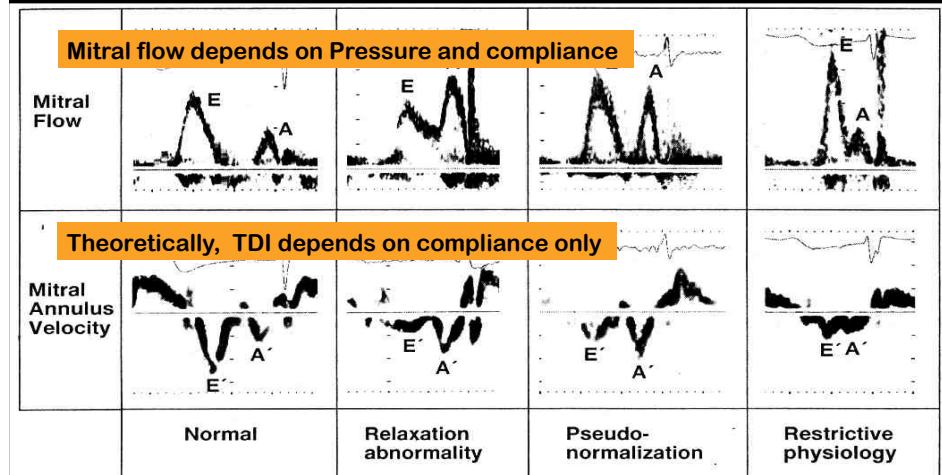
## Evaluation de la PTDVG par l'écho :

Le Doppler mitral en défaut

- Si l'onde E est dans la zone grise  $0,7 - 0,9$  m/s
- On peut regarder le rapport  $E/E'$

## Static evaluation of LVEDP:

*TDI pattern and diastolic function*



Aurigemma et al NEJM 2004  
Sagie et al. JASE 1993

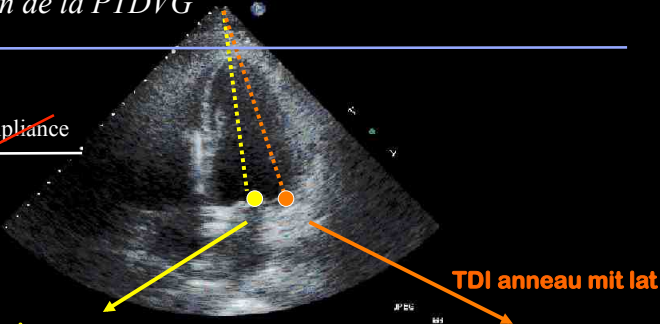


## Rapport E sur E': ... Une évaluation de la PTDVG

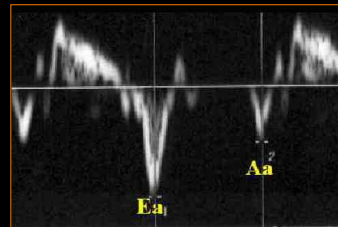
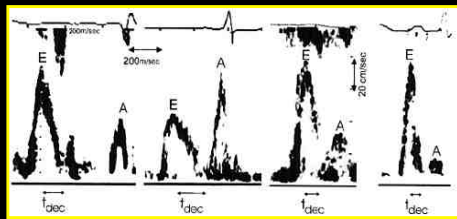
$E = \text{Pression (L)} \times \text{Compliance}$

$E' = \text{Compliance}$

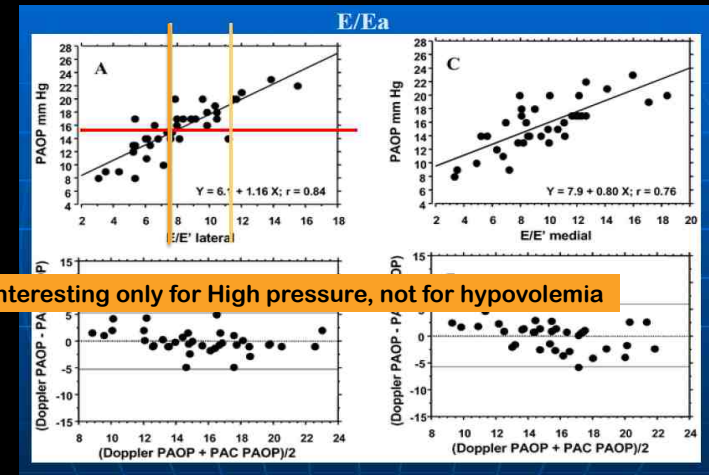
$E / E' = \text{Pression (L)}$



### Doppler pulsé mitral



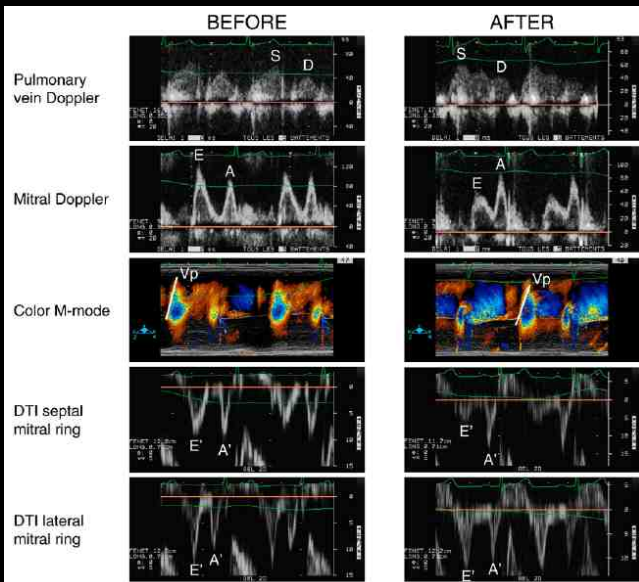
## Static evaluation of LVEDP: E/E' in critically ill patients : gray zone 7 to 11



Interesting only for High pressure, not for hypovolemia

Combes et al Intensive Care Med 2004

## TDI en réanimation : à l'anneau latéral ?



Vignon et al Crit Care 2011

## Doppler tissulaire : E' dépend des conditions de charge !

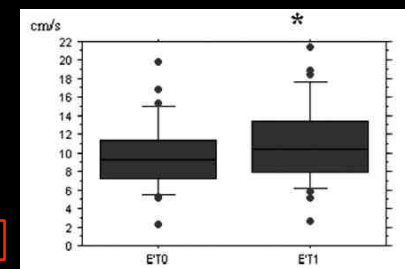
### Influence of Acute Preload Changes on Mitral Annulus Velocity Measured by Tissue Doppler Echocardiography in Critically Ill Patients

Hervé Quintard, MD,<sup>1</sup> Laurent Muller, MD,<sup>2</sup> Ivan Philip, MD,<sup>3</sup> Pierre Lena, MD,<sup>4</sup> Carole Ichai, MD, PhD<sup>1</sup>

TABLE 2  
Echocardiographic Data Before and After Fluid Infusion (median ± interquartile range)

	Before Fluid Infusion (T0)	1 hour After Fluid Infusion (T1)	p
E mitral velocity (cm/s)	50.5 ± 25.9	62.6 ± 21.9	0.001
A mitral velocity (cm/s)	54.5 ± 21	53.3 ± 19	ns
E/A ratio	1.04 ± 0.5	1.2 ± 0.5	ns
E' lateral mitral velocity (cm/s)	9.3 ± 3.8	10.5 ± 4.3	0.02
A' lateral mitral velocity (cm/s)	8.5 ± 4.3	9.5 ± 4.7	ns
E/e' lateral ratio	6.6 ± 3.8	7.2 ± 2.9	ns
E' septal mitral velocity (cm/s)	7.5 ± 2.5	9.1 ± 3.8	<0.05
A' septal mitral velocity (cm/s)	6.9 ± 2.8	9 ± 3.8	<0.05
E/e' septal ratio	6.7 ± 7	6.8 ± 5	ns
LV area (cm <sup>2</sup> )	17.2 ± 5.4	18.5 ± 5.5	<0.05

E/E' Non valable pour les pressions basses



Quintard et al JCU 2011

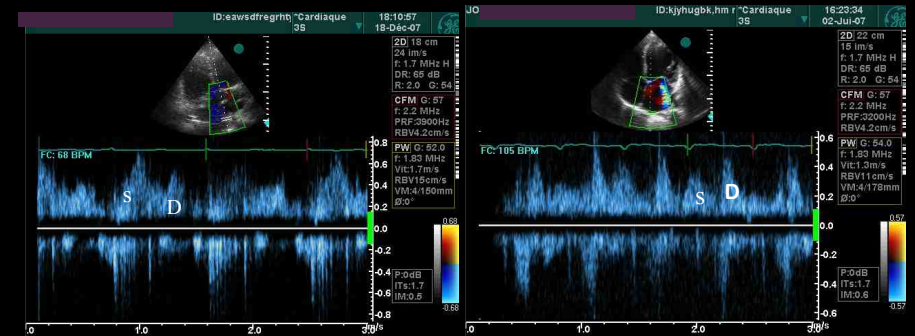
Evaluation statique de la PTDVG:  
 Quand le rapport E/E' est dans la zone grise

• Zone grise = 7 à 11

=> regardons le flux veineux pulmonaire

Pulmonary venous flow :  
 ... Useful to predict high LVEDP

$$\text{Systolic fraction of PVF} = S \text{ VTI} / (D \text{ VTI} + S \text{ VTI})$$

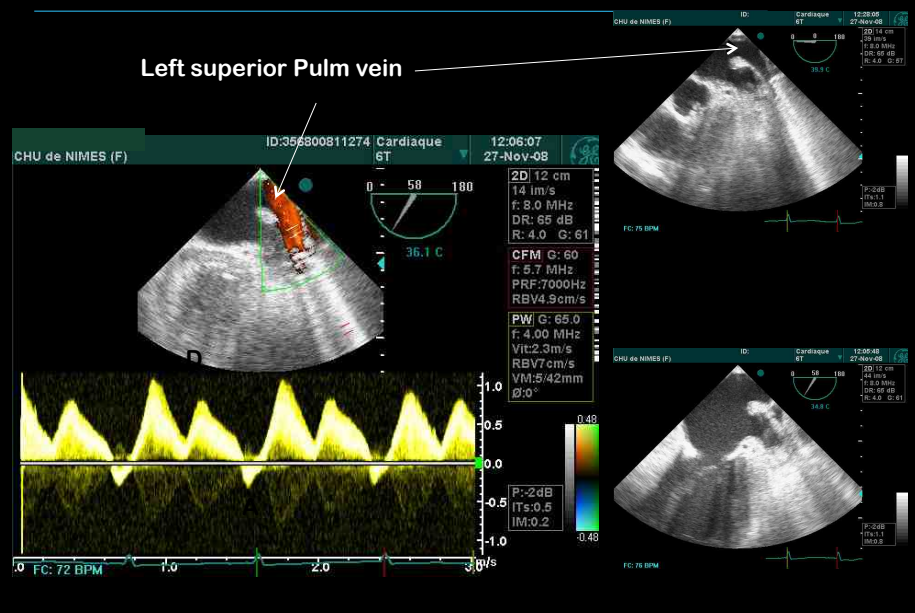


Low LVEDP = systolic fraction < 40 %

High LVEDP = systolic fraction > 40 %

Boussuges et al Crit care Med 2002

Pulmonary venous flow  
 Easier by TEE



Evaluation statique de la PTDVG:

Tous les indices de cardiologie ne sont pas exploitables en réa

Inter-observer and intra-observer variability in Doppler measurements

	IVRT	V <sub>max</sub> E	V <sub>max</sub> A	DT <sub>E</sub>	V <sub>max</sub> S	V <sub>max</sub> D	V <sub>max</sub> E' septal	V <sub>max</sub> E' lateral	V <sub>p</sub>
Inter-observer <sup>a</sup>	10%	1%	3%	13%	4%	5%	4%	5%	11%
r <sup>b</sup>	0.34 (-0.13 to +0.69)	0.99 (0.98-1.0)	0.98 (0.95-0.99)	0.31 (-0.15 to +0.66)	0.86 (0.63-0.95)	0.87 (0.65-0.96)	0.97 (0.91-0.99)	0.93 (0.82-0.97)	0.22 (-0.27 to +0.62)
Intra-observer <sup>a</sup>	6%	2%	2%	7%	4%	6%	2%	2%	7%
r <sup>b</sup>	0.85 (0.65-0.94)	0.98 (0.94-0.99)	0.98 (0.95-0.99)	0.72 (0.42-0.88)	0.87 (0.67-0.95)	0.74 (0.41-0.90)	0.93 (0.83-0.97)	0.95 (0.87-0.98)	0.54 (0.12-0.80)

<sup>a</sup>Mean percentage error. <sup>b</sup>Intra-class coefficient correlation (numbers in parentheses are 95% confidence intervals). IVRT, isovolumic relaxation time; V<sub>max</sub>, maximal velocity; DT<sub>E</sub>, E wave deceleration time; V<sub>p</sub>, propagation velocity.

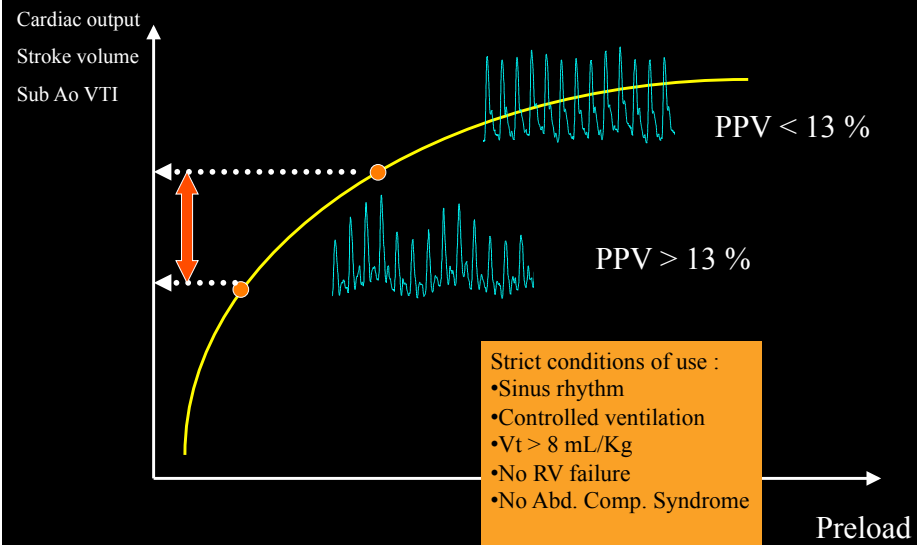
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## Deuxième approche—Indices dynamiques

Evaluation de la précharge par les interactions cardio pulmonaires

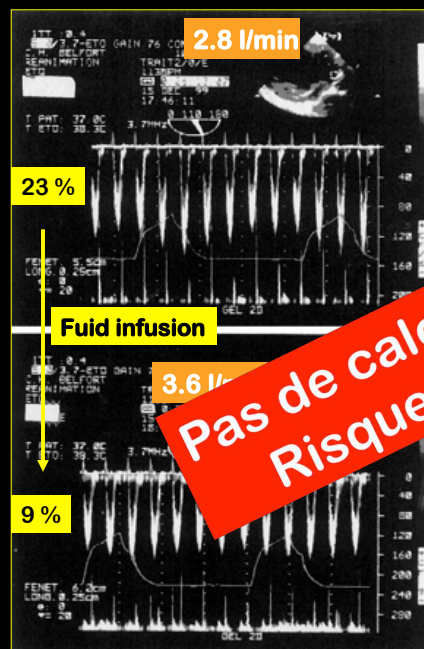
## Dynamic indices, fluid responsiveness and the Frank-Starling curve

### Pulse pressure variation (PPV)

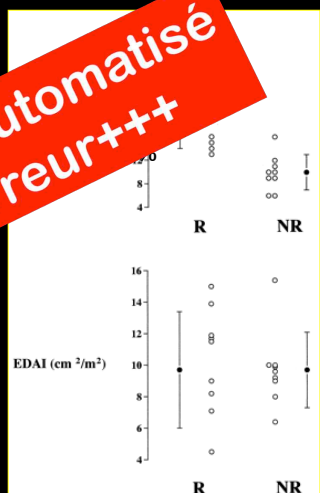


### Respiratory Changes in Aortic Blood Velocity as an Indicator of Fluid Responsiveness in Ventilated Patients With Septic Shock\*

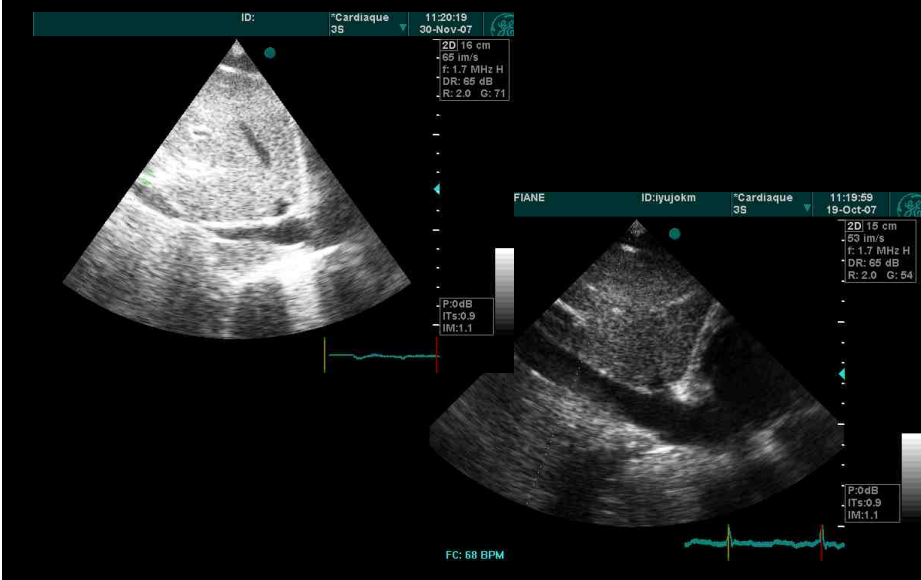
Feissel et al Chest. 2001;119:867-873



**Pas de calcul automatisé**  
**Risque d'erreur+++**



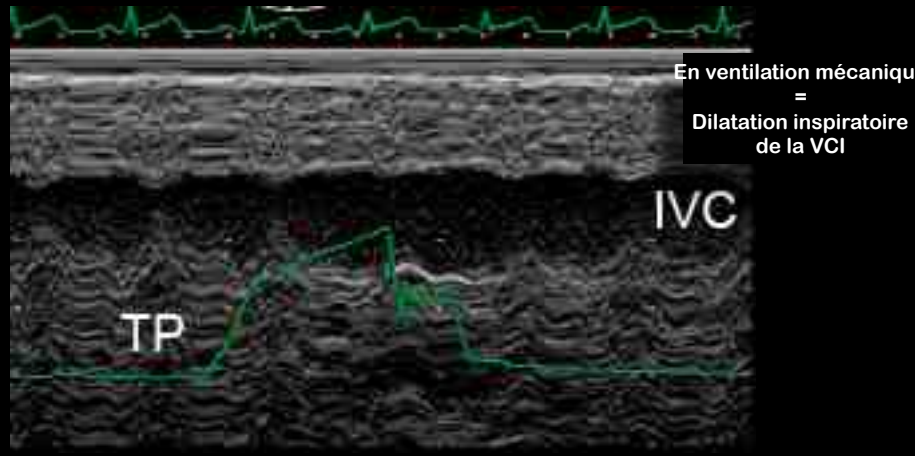
### Variations respiratoires de la VCI: un faux ami ?





### Variations respiratoires de la VCI en ventilation contrôlée:

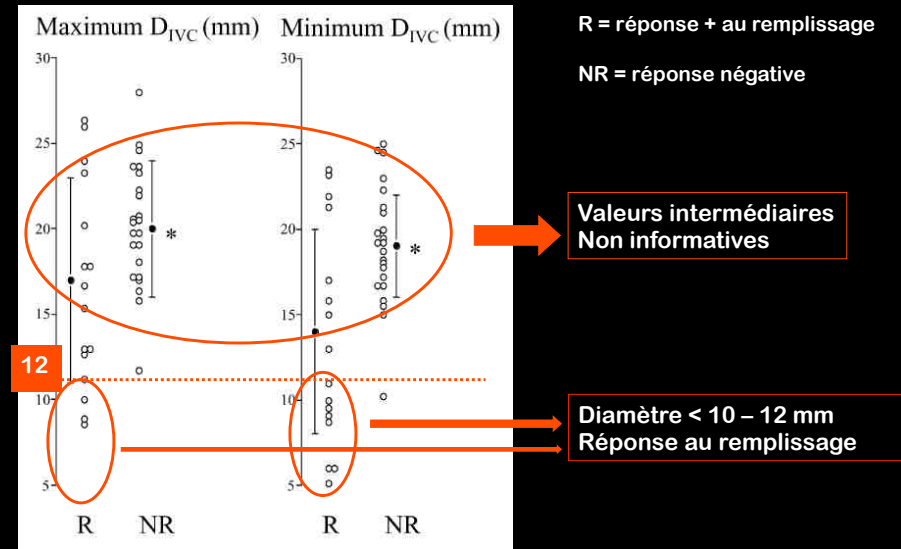
Distensibilité de la VCI :  $\text{max-min} / (\text{max} + \text{min} / 2)$



Distensibilité de la veine cave inf en VAC

Vieillard Baron et al ICM 2004

### Mesure du diamètre de la VCI



Feissel et al Intensive Care Medicine

### Variations respiratoires de la VCI : indicateur de remplissage en

ventilation mécanique contrôlée (max-min/max+min/2) Seuil = 12 %

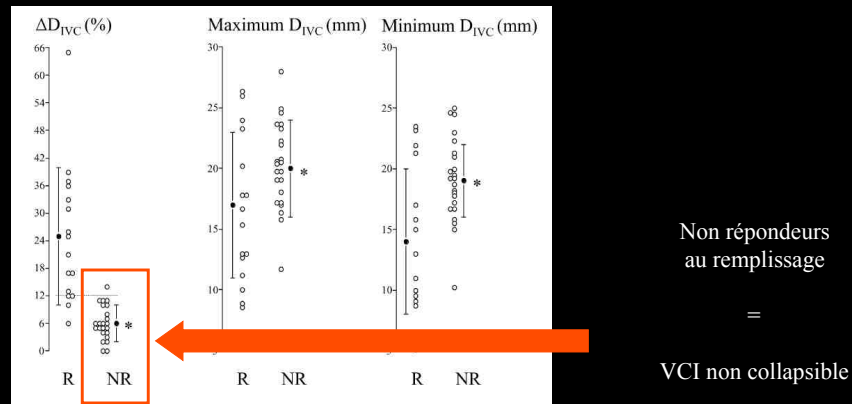
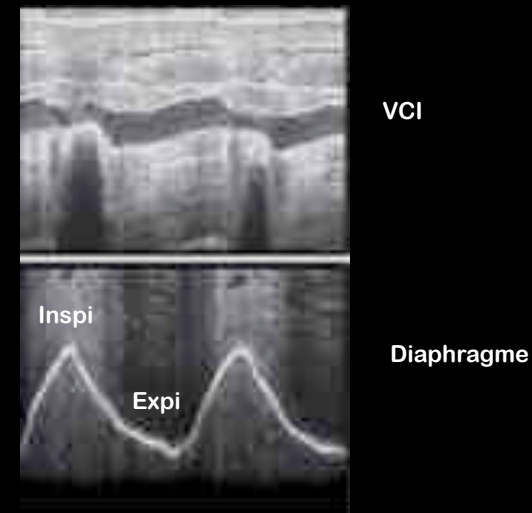


Fig. 3 Individual values (open circles) and mean  $\pm$  SD (closed circles) of the minimum  $D_{IVC}$ , maximum  $D_{IVC}$  and  $\Delta D_{IVC}$  before volume loading in responder (R) and non-responder (NR) patients. \*  $P < 0.05$  R vs NR

Feissel et al Intensive Care Medicine 2

### Variations respiratoires de la VCI en ventilation spontanée :

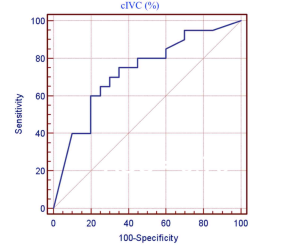
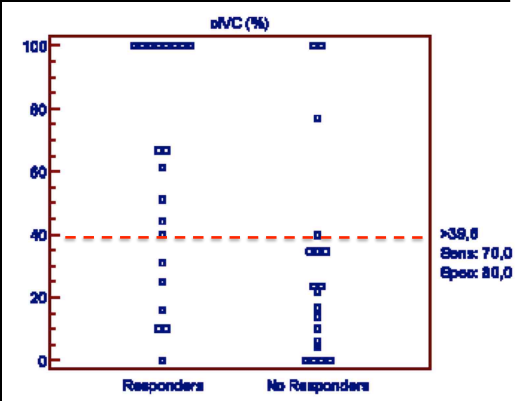
Un collapsus inspiratoire



Données personnelles

## Variations respiratoires de la VCI en ventilation spontanée : utile que si > 40 % (max-min/max)

Ici = collapsibilité = compression en inspiration en VS



Muller et al Critical Care 2012

## Diamètre et variations respiratoires de la VCI et PVC: recettes classiques en ventilation spontanée

Attention : évaluer la PVC n'est pas prédire la réponse au remplissage

Diamètre de la VCI (mm)	Variations respiratoires de la VCI (%)	Valeur de POD (mmHg)
Bas : < 15	Collapsus inspiratoire de 100 %	0-5
Normal : 15-25	> 50	6-10
	< 50	11-15
Elevé : > 25	< 50	16-20
	Absentes	> 20

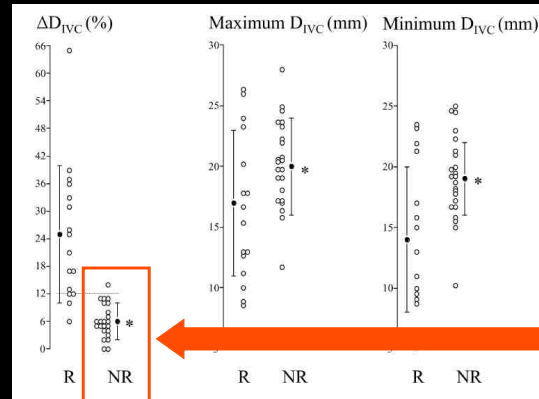
Luthra A, Echo made easy Anshan eds 2007  
Wong SP, Practice of clinical echocardiography 2002  
Brennan JASE 2007

## Variations respiratoires de la VCI : Résumé

- En ventilation mécanique contrôlée :
  - Dist. VCI > 12 % (formule  $\frac{\text{max}-\text{min}}{(\text{max}+\text{min})/2}$ ) = hypovolémie
  - Dist. VCI < 12 % = pas d'hypovolémie
- En ventilation spontanée :
  - Coll. VCI > 40 % (formule  $\frac{\text{max}-\text{min}}{\text{max}}$ ) = hypovolémie
  - Coll. VCI < 40 % = impossible de conclure

## Respiratory variations of IVC diameter in controlled ventilation:

$\Delta D_{IVC} = \frac{\text{max}-\text{min}}{(\text{max} + \text{min})/2}$

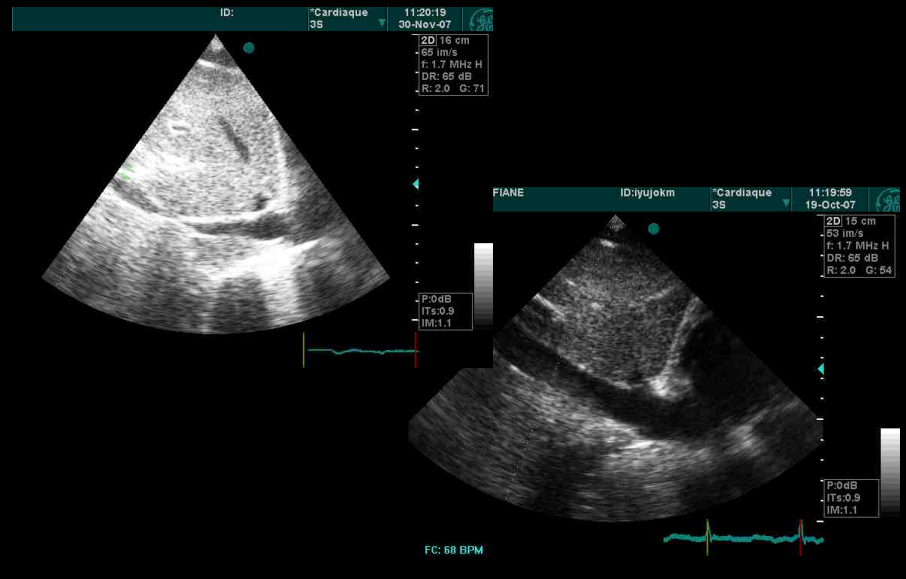


**DIVC > 12%**  
=  
**Responder**

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Feissel et al Intensive Care Medicine 2004

## Variations respiratoires de la VCI: *un faux ami en ventilation spontanée*



Third step – Fluid challenge...  
*...and surrogates*

### Fluid challenge :

*What is the definition of fluid responsiveness*

- Fluid responsiveness is usually defined as a 10 to 15 % increase of cardiac output after a 250 to 500 mL of fluid infusion
- LVOT VTI recorded by echo is a valuable alternative to thermodilution cardiac output

Monnet et al Curr Op Crit Care 2007

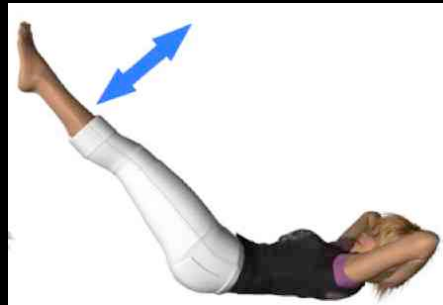
### Fluid challenge :

*A risk of fluid overload*

- A fluid challenge is *“let’s give some fluid and see what happens”*
- Half of fluid challenges based on clinical data are negative
- The risk is fluid overload
- Safer maneuvers are necessary

Vincent JL - Anesthesiology 2011  
Teboul Chest 2002

## Giving some fluids without fluid infusion ?



## Fluid responsiveness: The passive leg rising test (PLR)

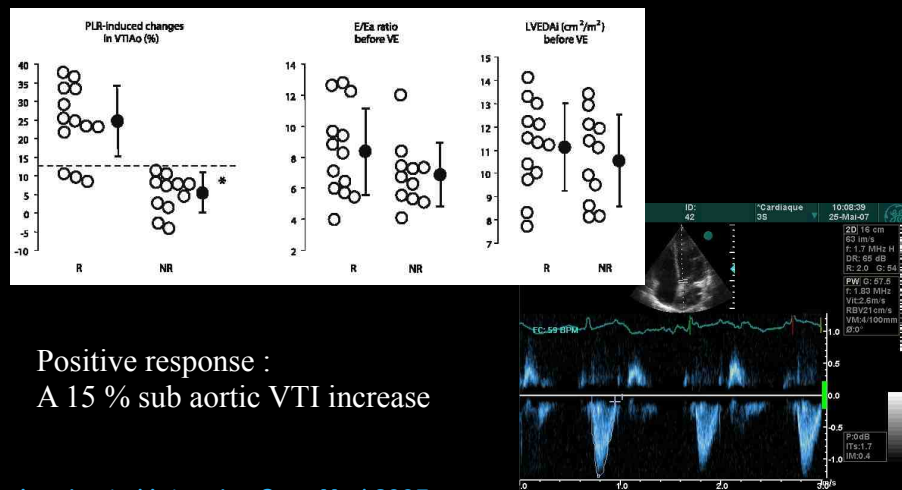
PLR = mimics a volume expansion of about 300 ml



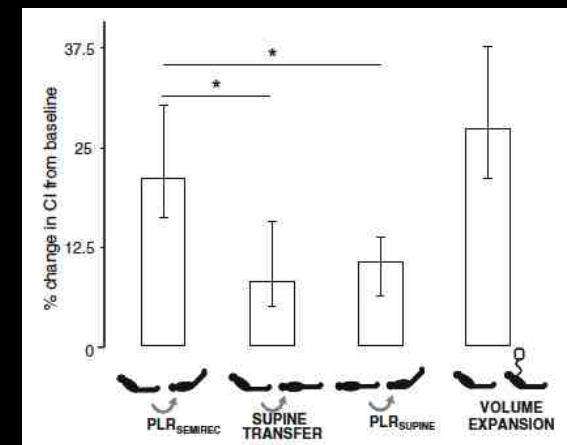
Valuable both in spontaneous or mechanical ventilation

Boulain et al Chest 2002  
Monnet et al Critical Care Med 2006  
Lafanechere et al Crit care 2006  
Lamia et al Intensive Care Med 2007  
Maizel et al Intensive Care Med 2007

## Fluid responsiveness: The passive leg rising test (PLR) assessed by TTE



## Lever passif de jambes : La position compte...





Passive leg rising test :  
...not always possible !



The mini fluid concept

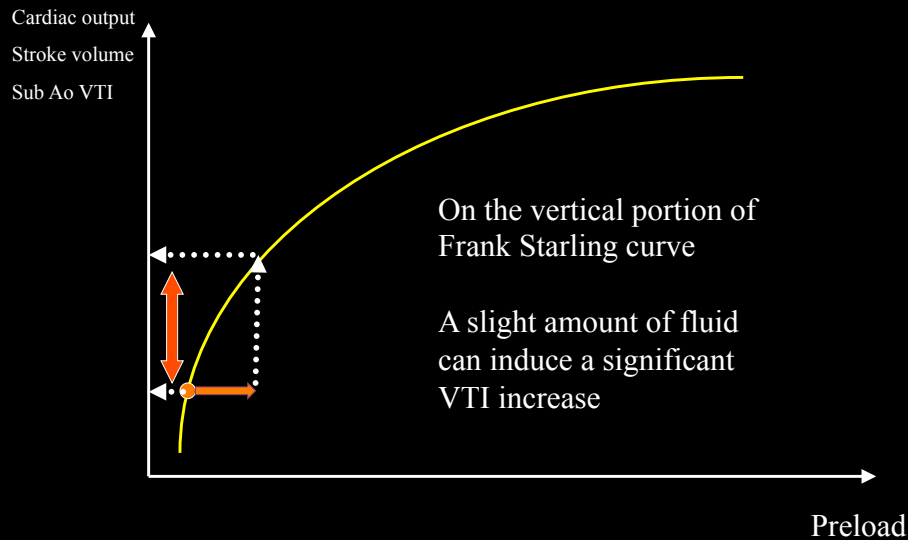


“Let’s Give Some Fluid and See What Happens” versus the “Mini-fluid Challenge”

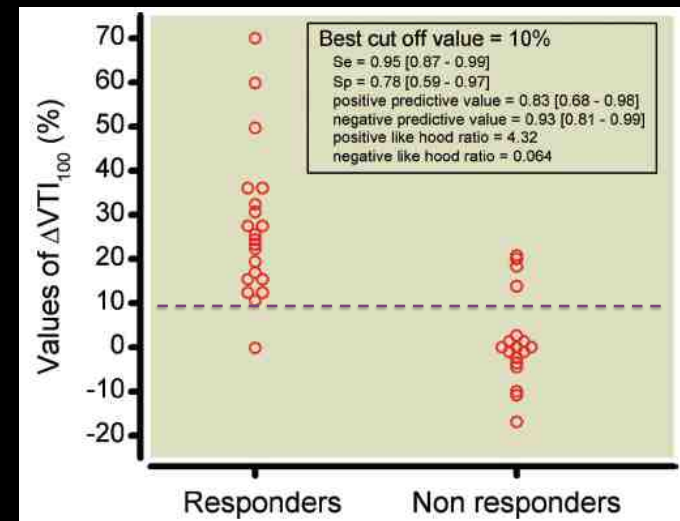
“The general concept is ... that the response to fluid challenge can be evaluated rapidly after a very limited amount of fluid . . .”

Vincent JL - Anesthesiology 2011

Mini fluid challenge : the basics

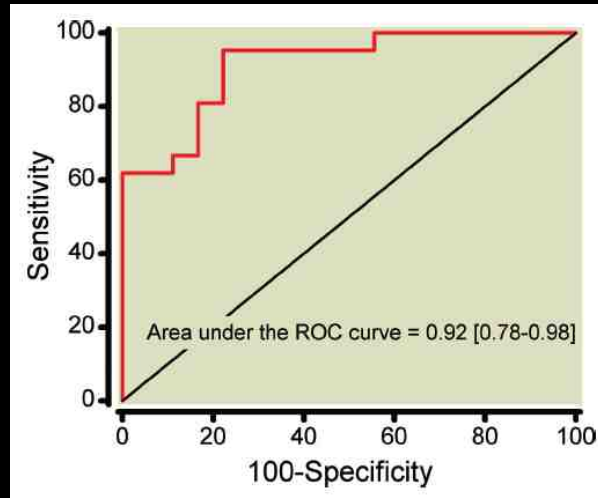


Mini fluid challenge



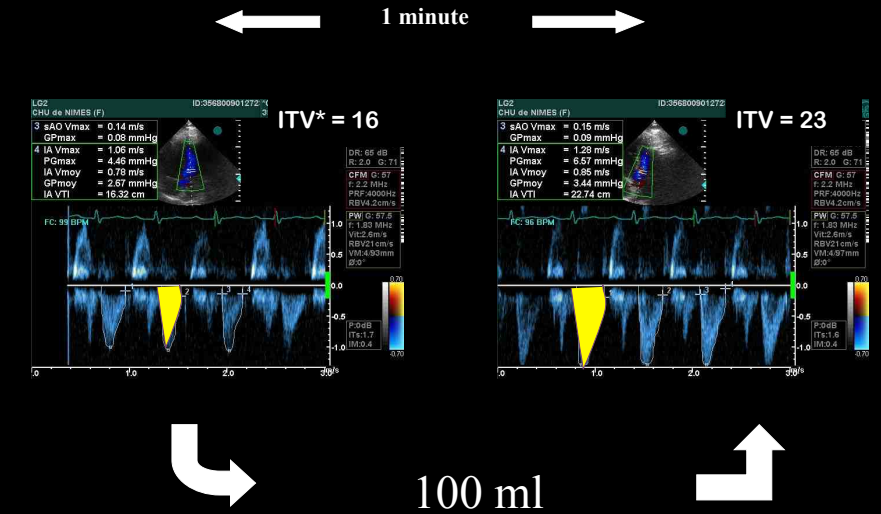
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## Mini fluid challenge

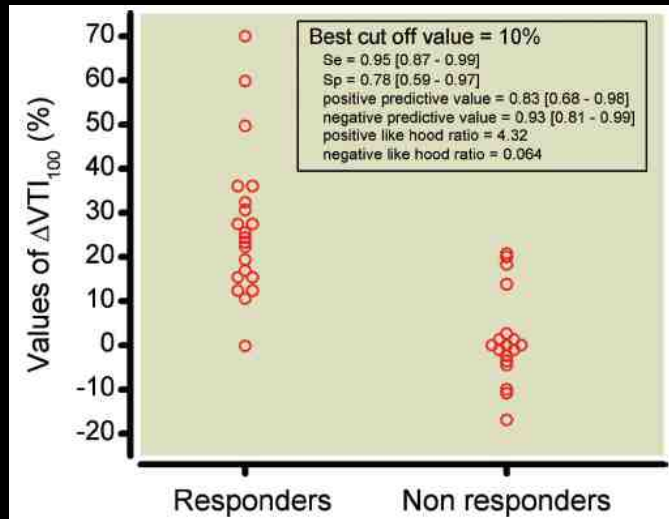


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## Exemple d'épreuve d'épreuve « mini fluid » positive

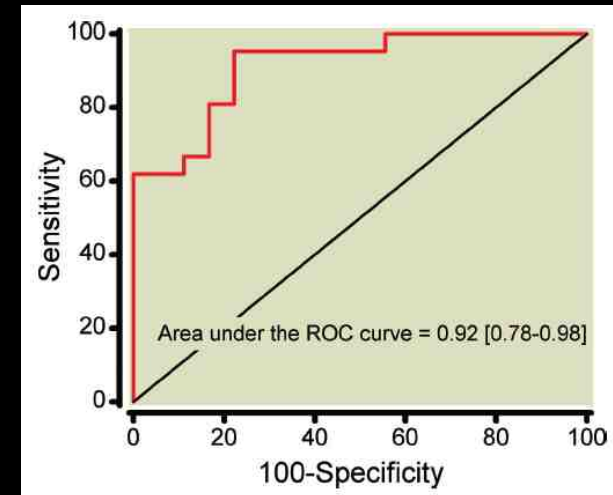


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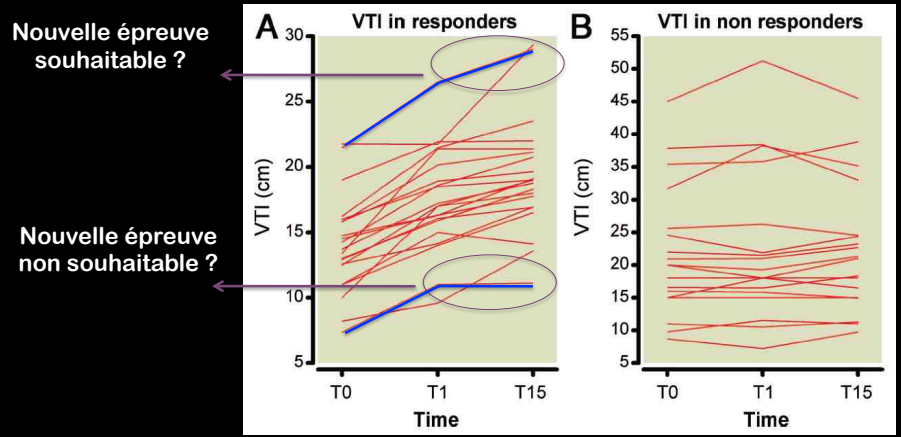
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## Mini fluid challenge :



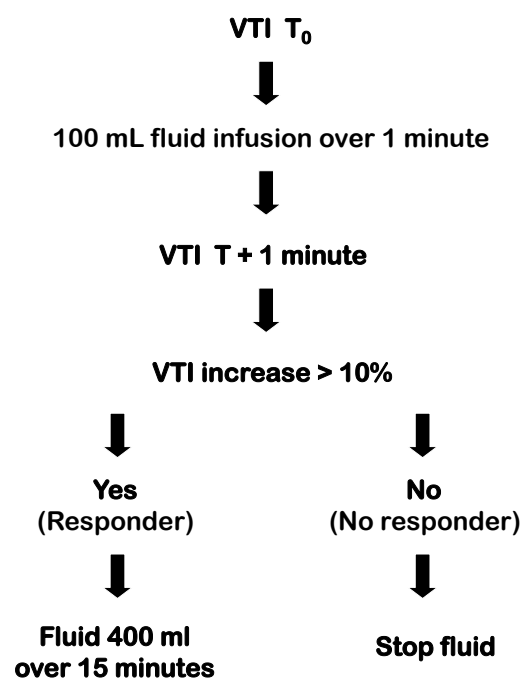
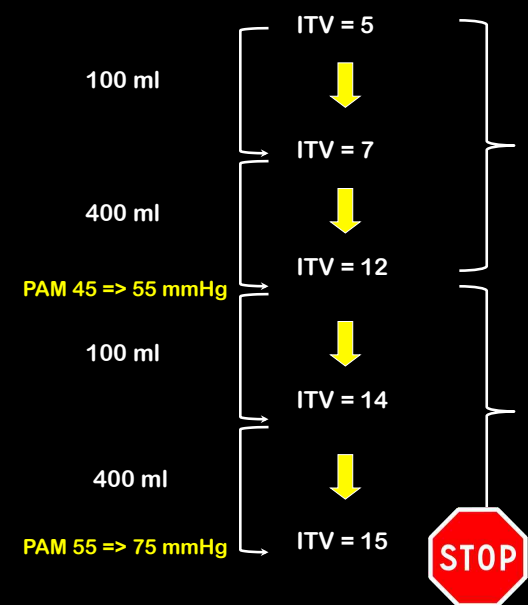
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Mini fluid challenge : reconstruction d'une courbe de Franck-Starling ?



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Mini Fluid challenge : exemple



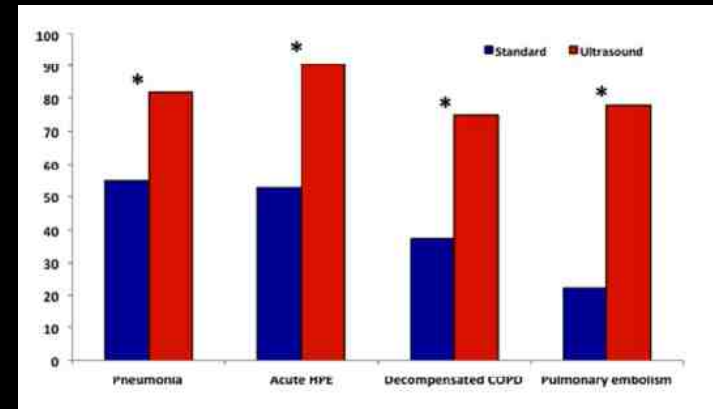
Fourth step ...  
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	Lung	Heart
Pulmonary embolism	A-profile with deep venous thrombosis	RV failure (acute)
Acute haemodynamic pulmonary oedema	B-profile	High end-diastolic LV pressure
Decompensated COPD	A-profile	RV failure (chronic)
Pneumothorax	A'-profile	Non-specific
Pneumonia	C-profile A-profile plus PLAPS A/B-profile	Non-specific

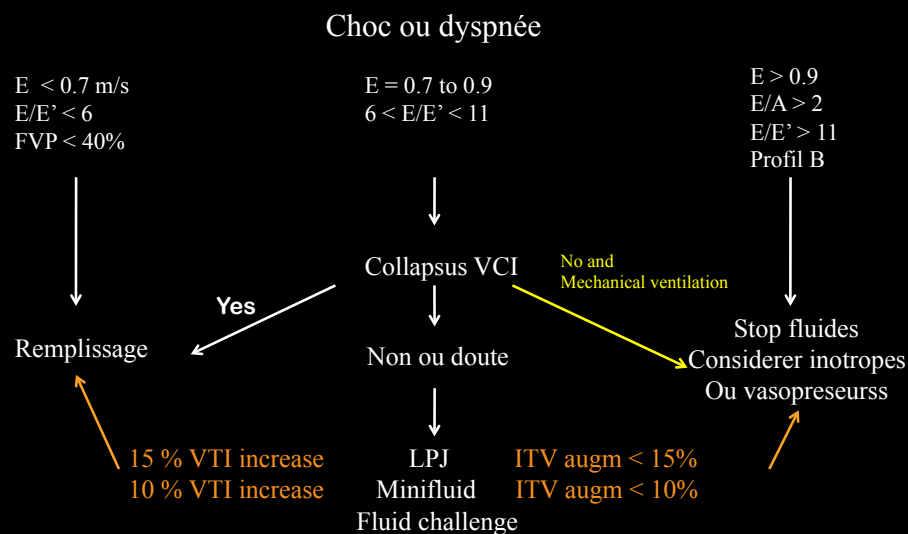
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## Evaluation de la volémie par échographie : Proposition d'algorithme



## Predicting fluid responsiveness with transthoracic echocardiography is not yet evidence based

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