

Advanced ECHO Techniques: Utility in Critical Decision Making

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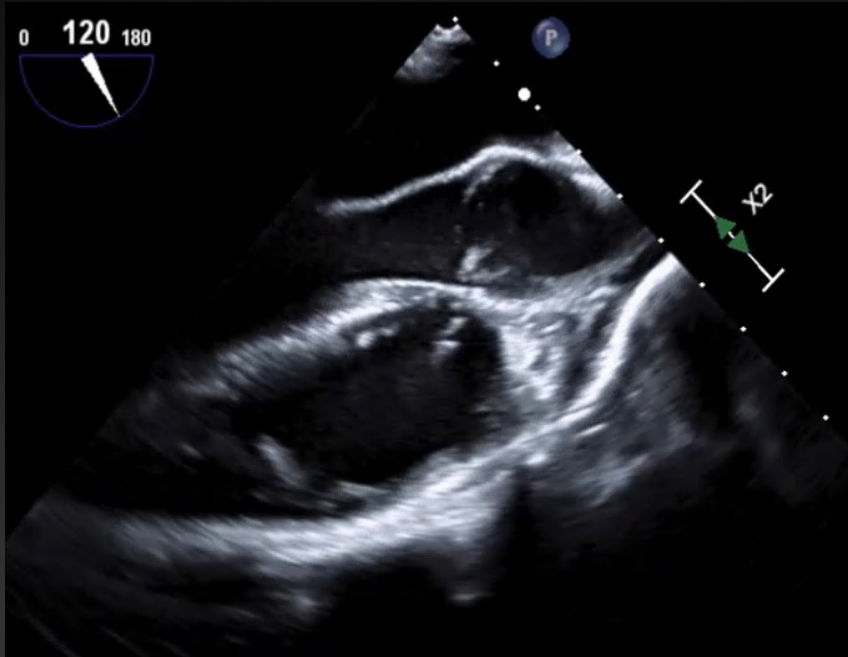
How do we define advanced techniques?

- A. Anything that is not 2D, M-mode or Doppler
- B. Anything that looks nice, is still under research, no one else can reproduce but you, requires an extra set of hands, and hasn't been published yet
- C. B except that the technique has been published

Outline

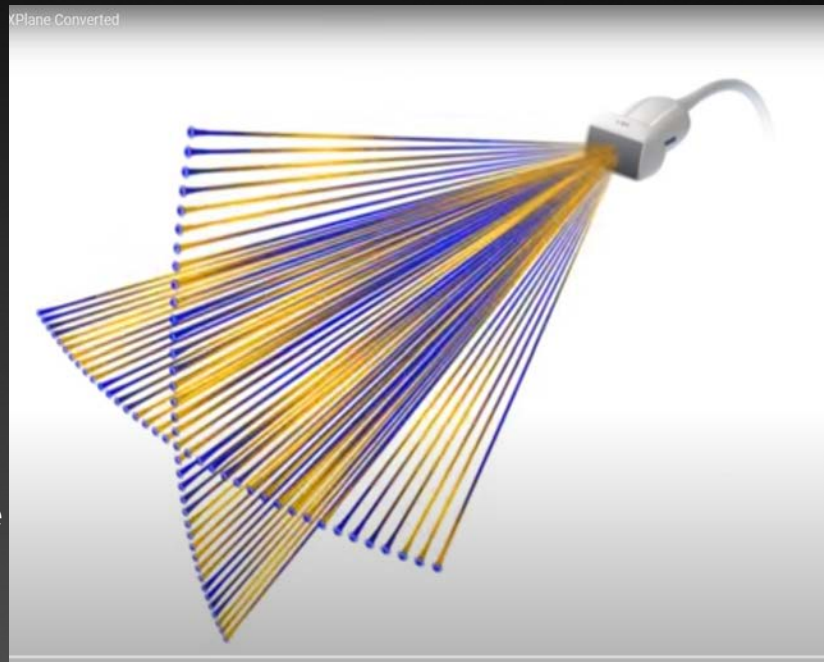
- 3D echocardiography to inform surgical planning
- Contrast echocardiography
- Myocardial deformation/ strain: function and dyssynchrony studies
- Other (being creative)

We don't know what we are seeing in 2D!



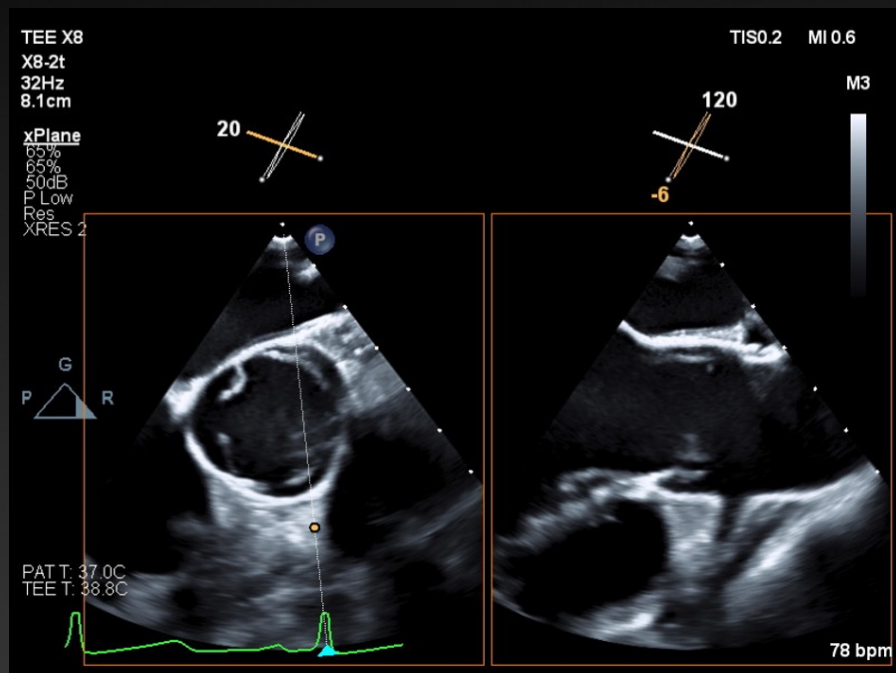
Don't forget about xPlane!

- Very helpful for sorting out anatomy
- Gives two full resolution planes simultaneously
 - Reference plane and a lateral plane that can be rotated
 - Very helpful in defining complex valve mechanisms and pathologies

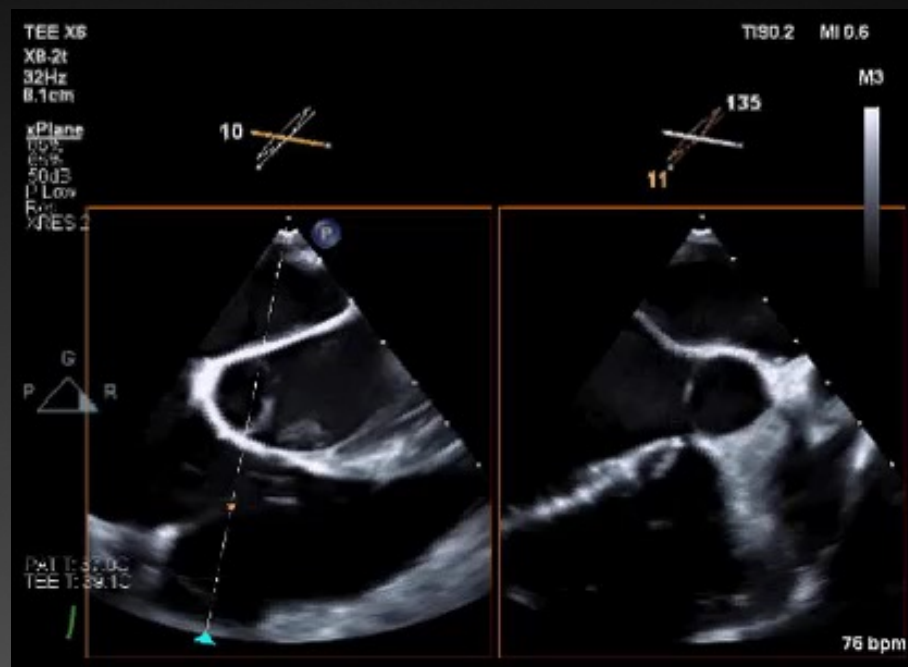


xPlane

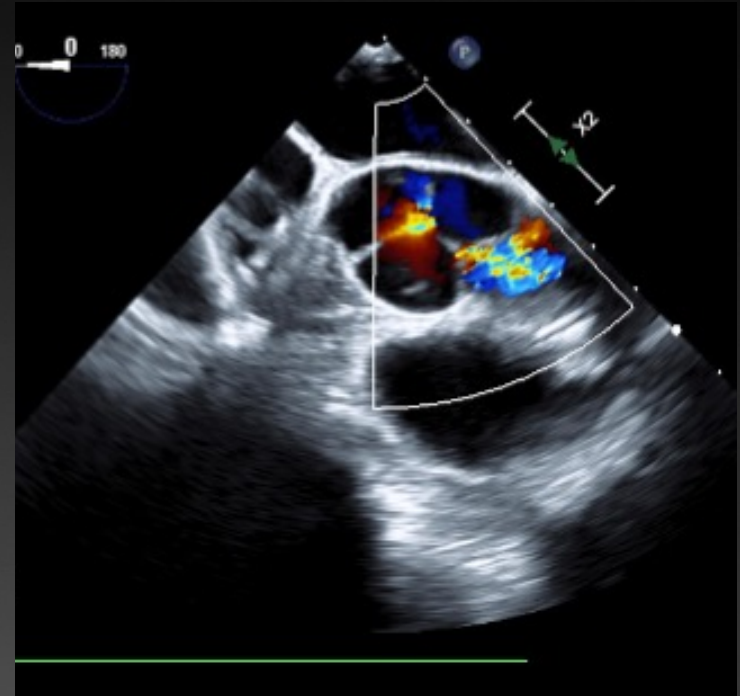
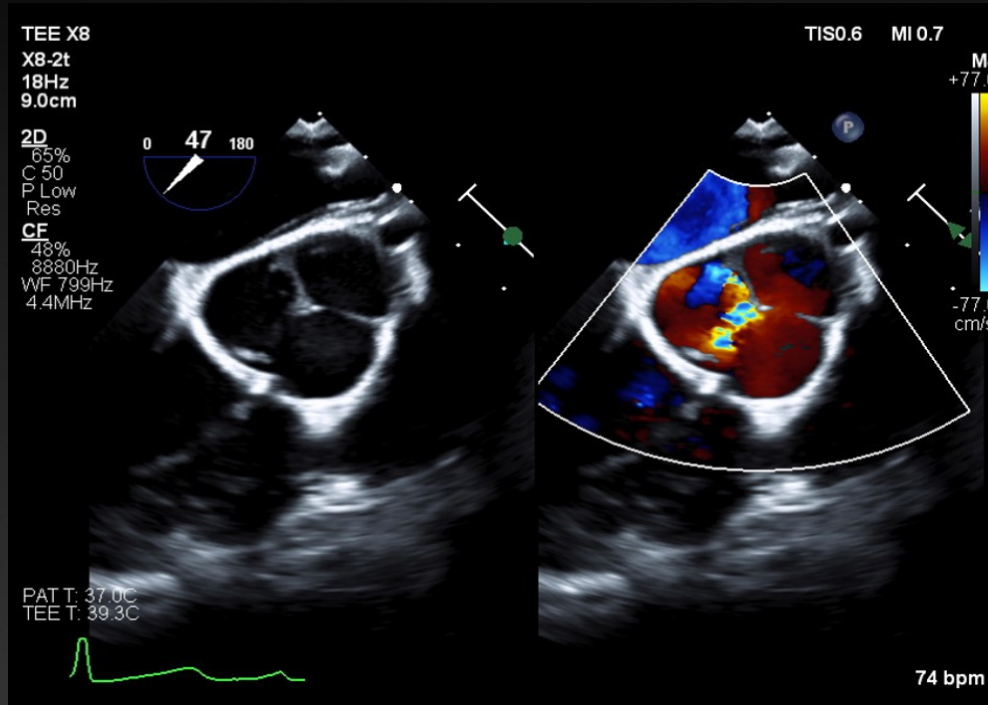
L-R cusps



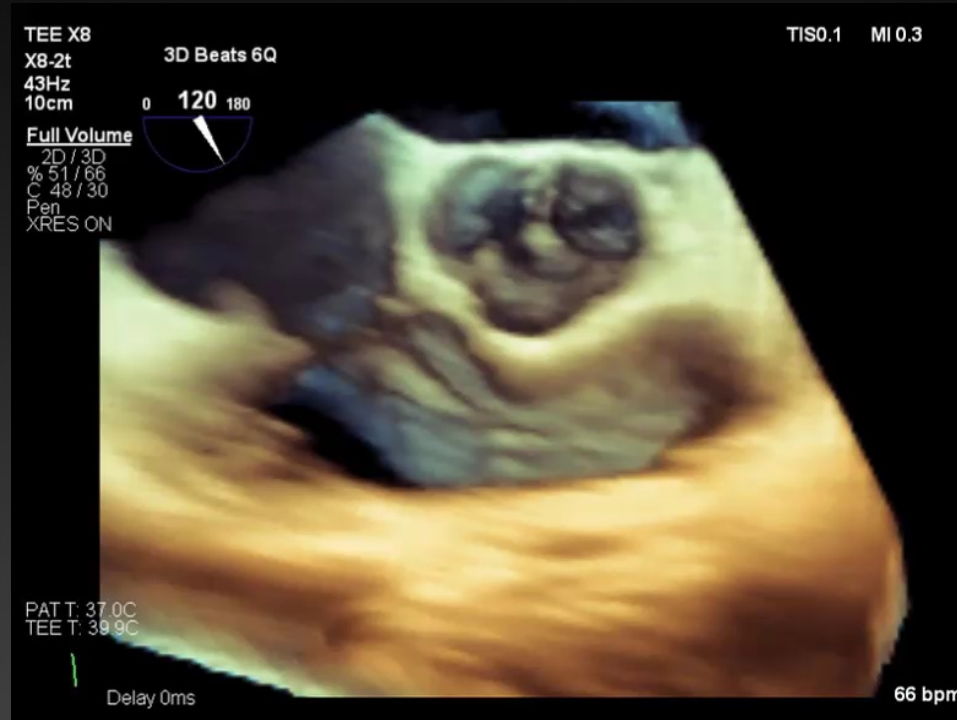
Non-c- cusp



Non-coronary cusp is the problem



3D of the valve



Single Leaflet Ozaki



Commentary: What is the Sound of One Hand Clapping?

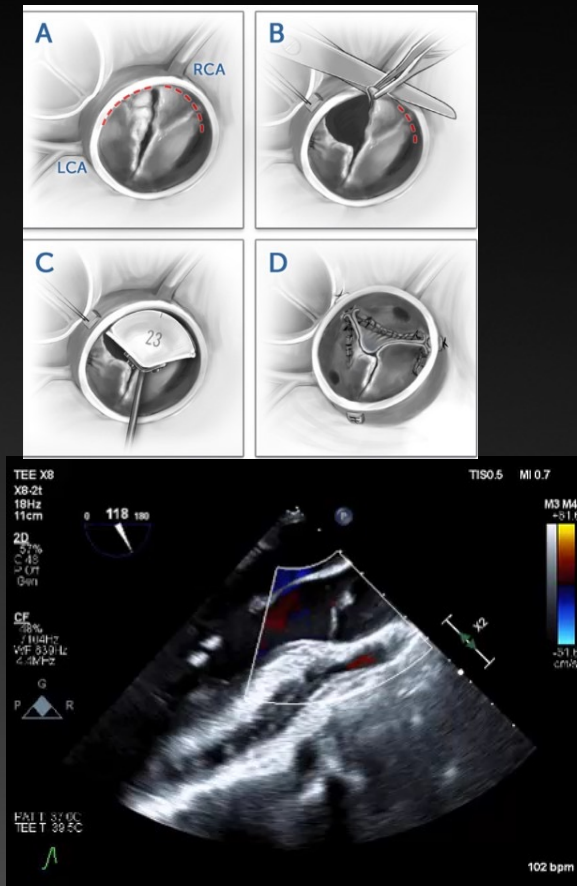
Jonathan M Chen ¹

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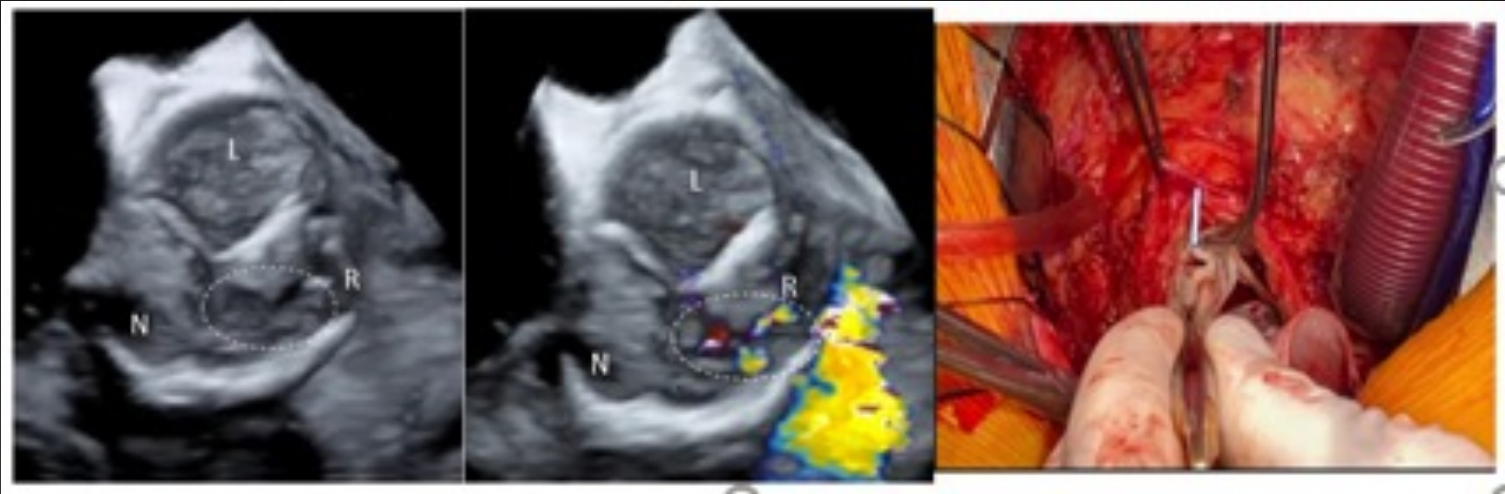
Single-Leaflet Aortic Valve Reconstruction Utilizing the Ozaki Technique in Patients With Congenital Aortic Valve Disease

Supreet P Marathe ¹, Mariana Chávez ¹, Lynn A Sleeper ², Gerald R Marx ², Kevin Friedman ², Eric N Feins ¹, Pedro J Del Nido ¹, Christopher W Baird ³

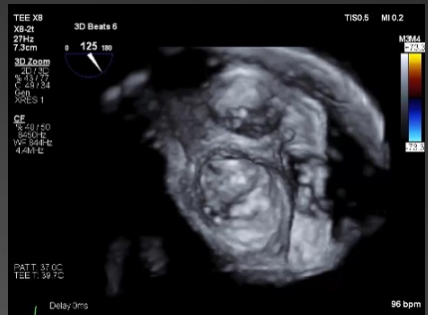
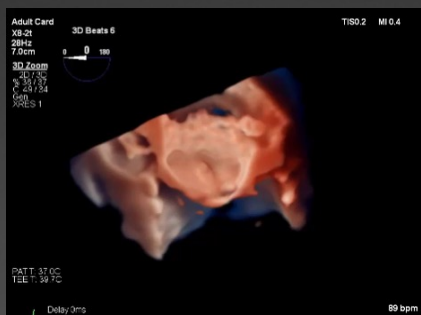
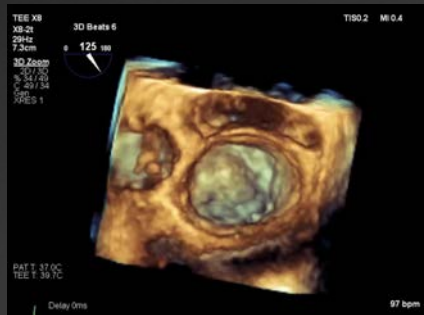
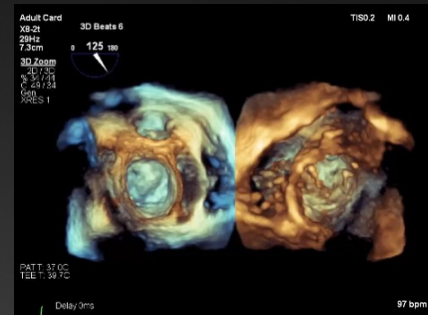
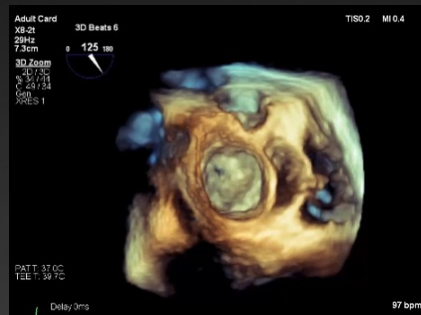
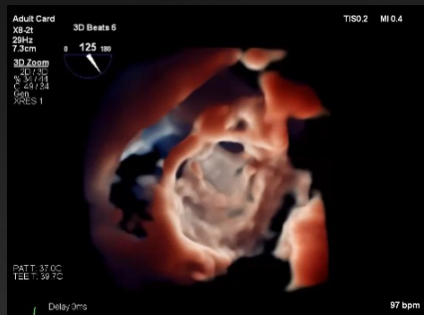
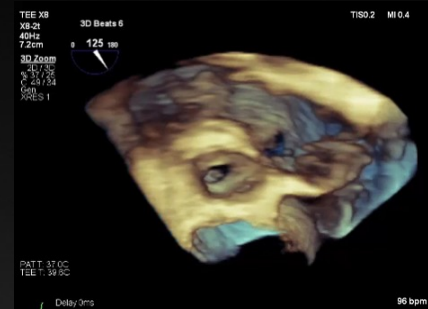
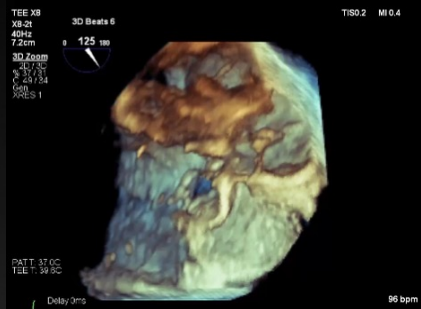
After single- leaflet Ozaki



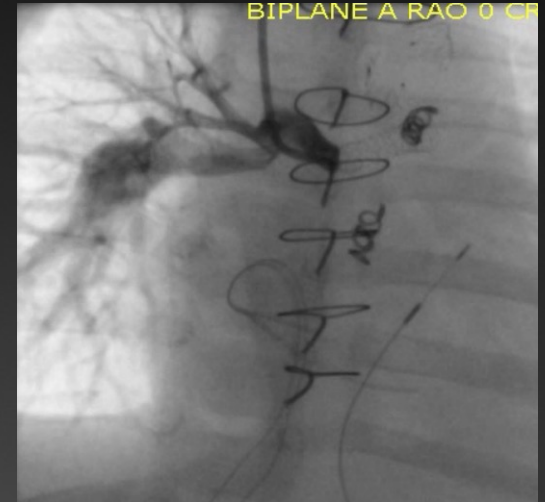
Patient with TOF and progressive aortic insufficiency: perforation of the right coronary cusp



12-year-old trisomy 21, s/p atrioventricular canal repair with left ventricular outflow tract obstruction and left atrioventricular valve regurgitation

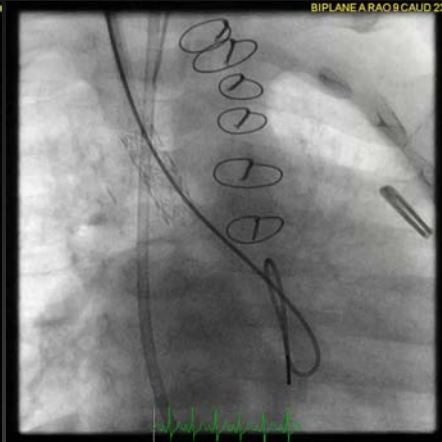
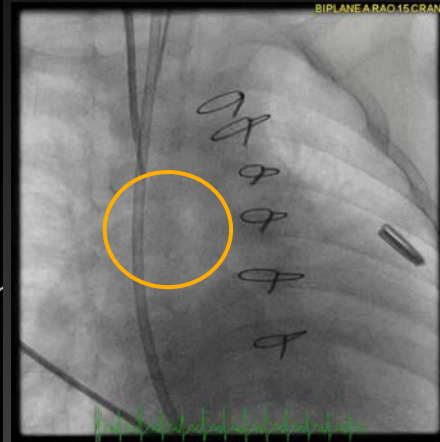
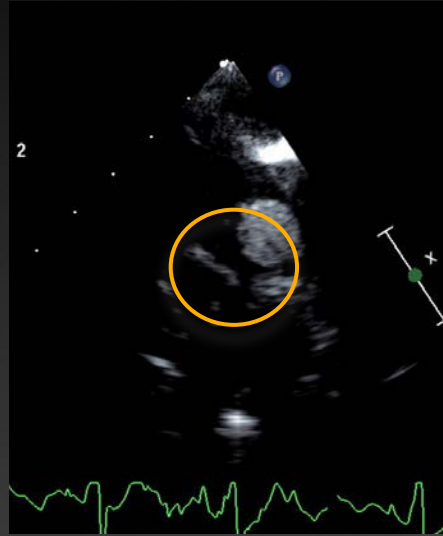


Use of contrast echocardiography in critical decision making



Courtesy Dr. Michael Quartermain

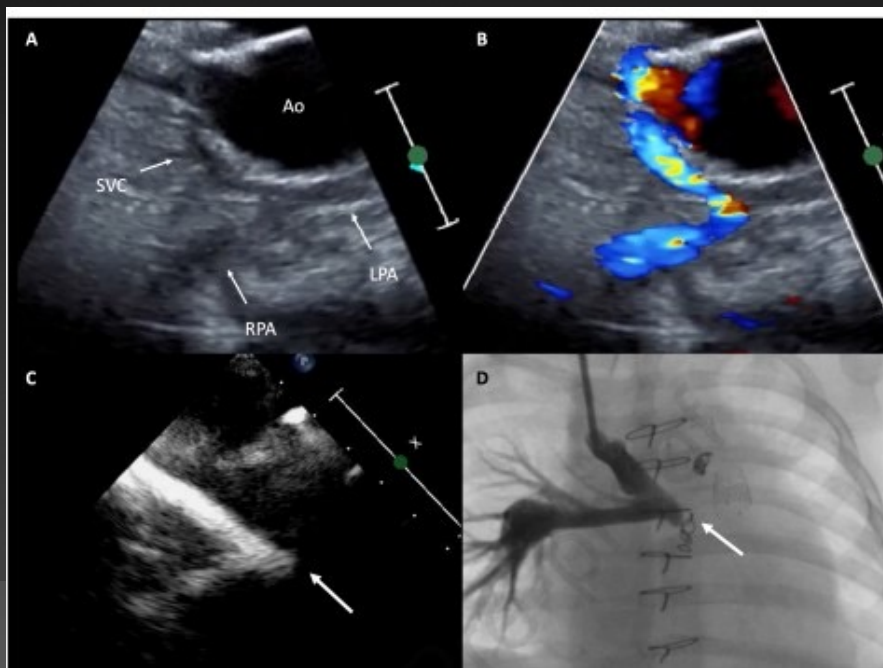
Contrast II



Courtesy Dr. Lindsay Rogers

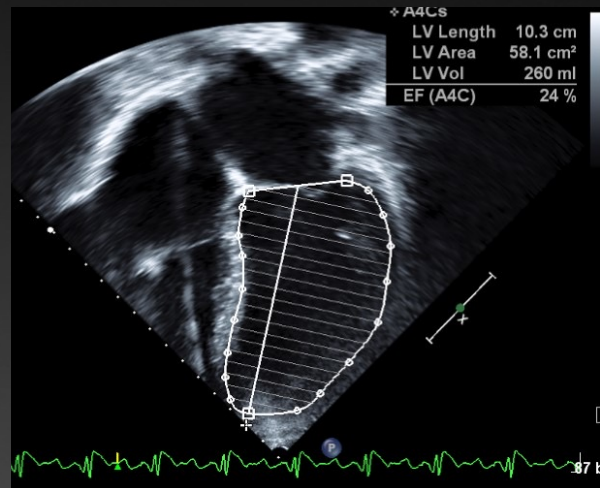
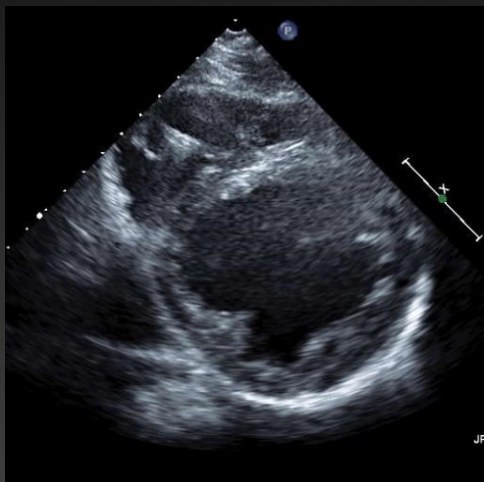
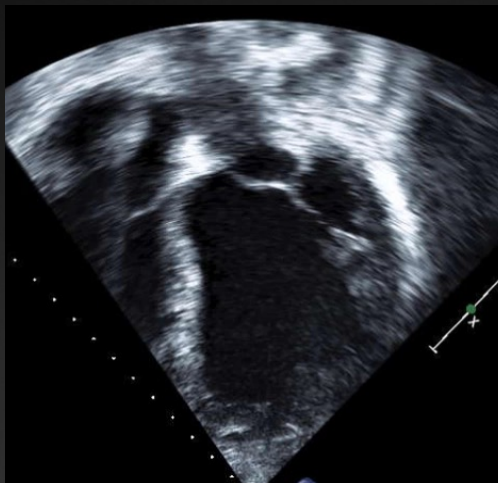
Novel Utilization of Ultrasound Enhancing Agents in Complex Congenital Heart Disease Following Superior Cavopulmonary Connection

Kasey J. Chaszczewski, MD, Jarrett R. Linder, MD MS, Matthew J. Campbell, MD, Michael Convery, RDCS, Yan Wang, RDCS, Christopher L. Smith, MD PhD, Benjamin W. Kozyak, MD, Michael D. Quartermain, MD, FASE



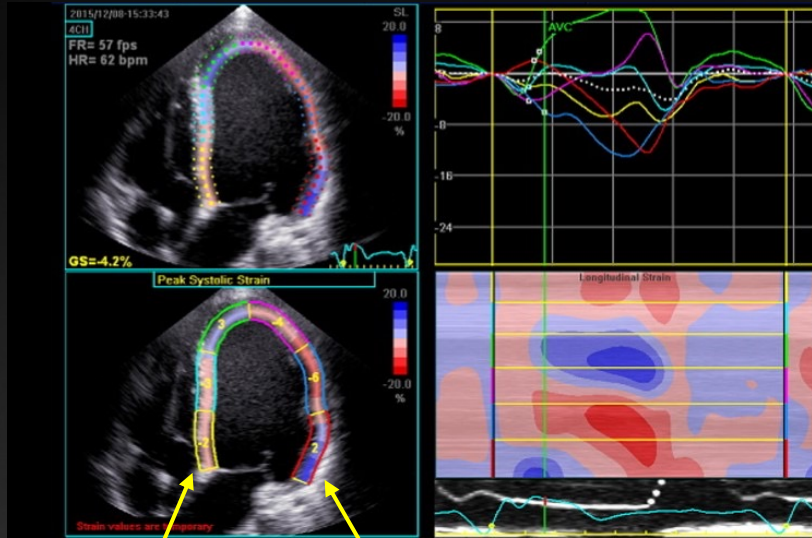
Strain to evaluate dyssynchrony and guide pacing

22 yo, chaotic infantile atrial tachycardia (chaotic), several ablation procedures
Sinus node dysfunction, then CHB → pacemaker
Pacer induced cardiomyopathy with LV dysfunction



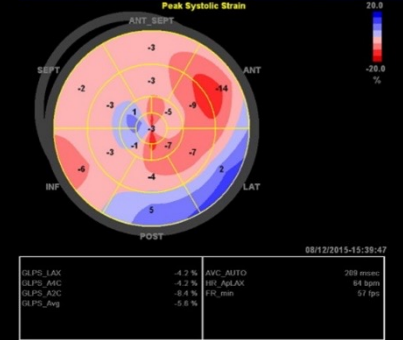
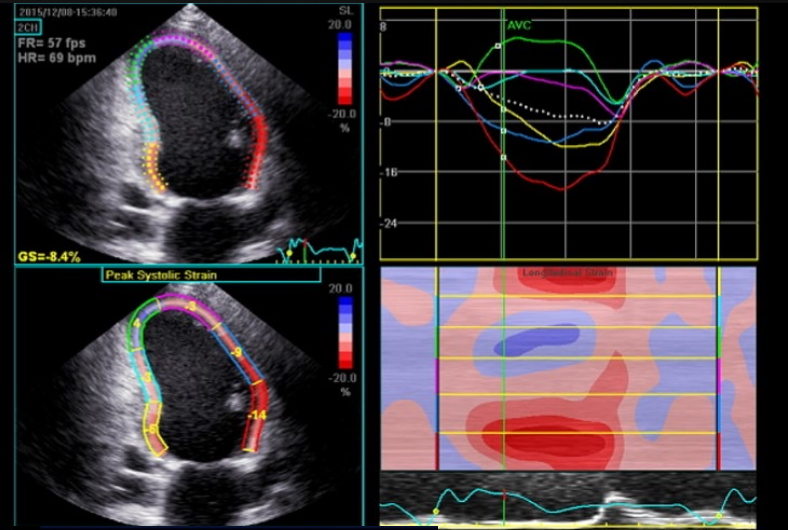
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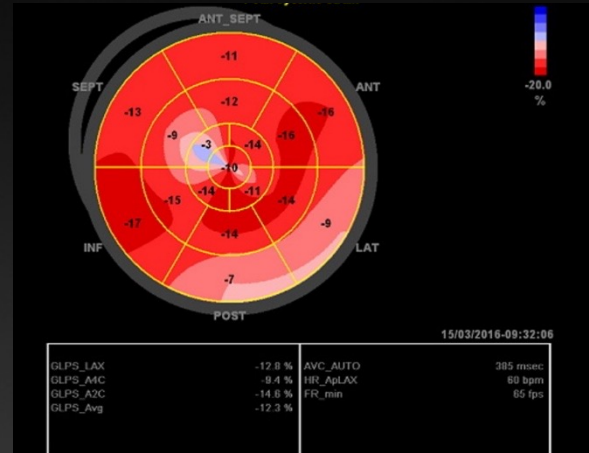
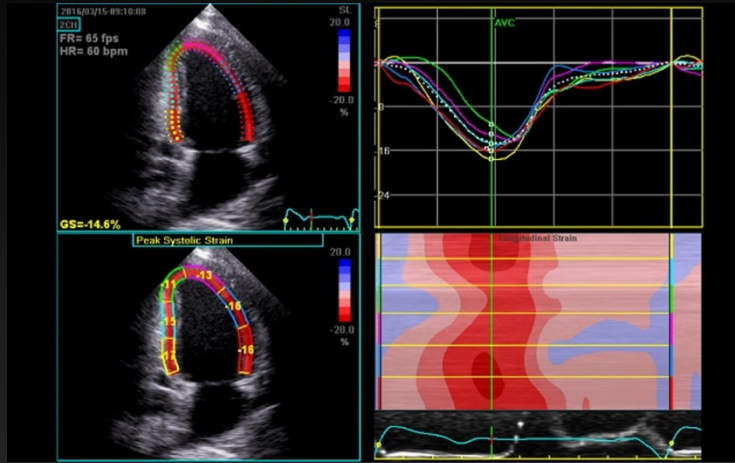
Contracting

Stretching



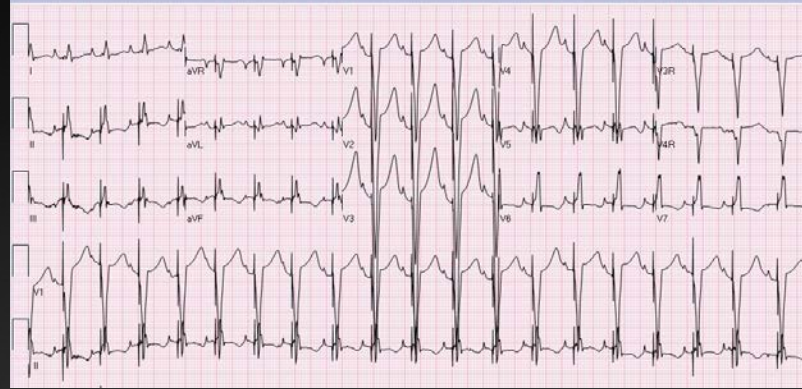
GLS LV -5.6%

After LV lead placement



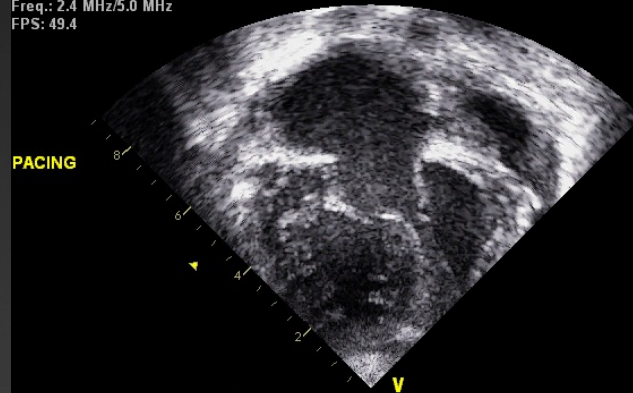
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QRS 126 msec

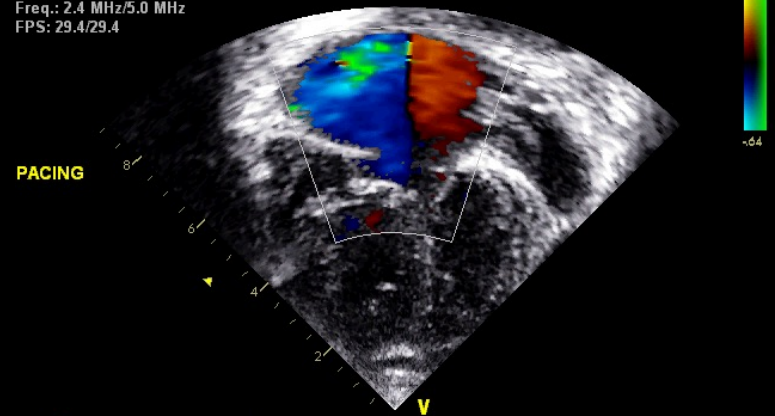


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SickKids, Toronto, Canada*

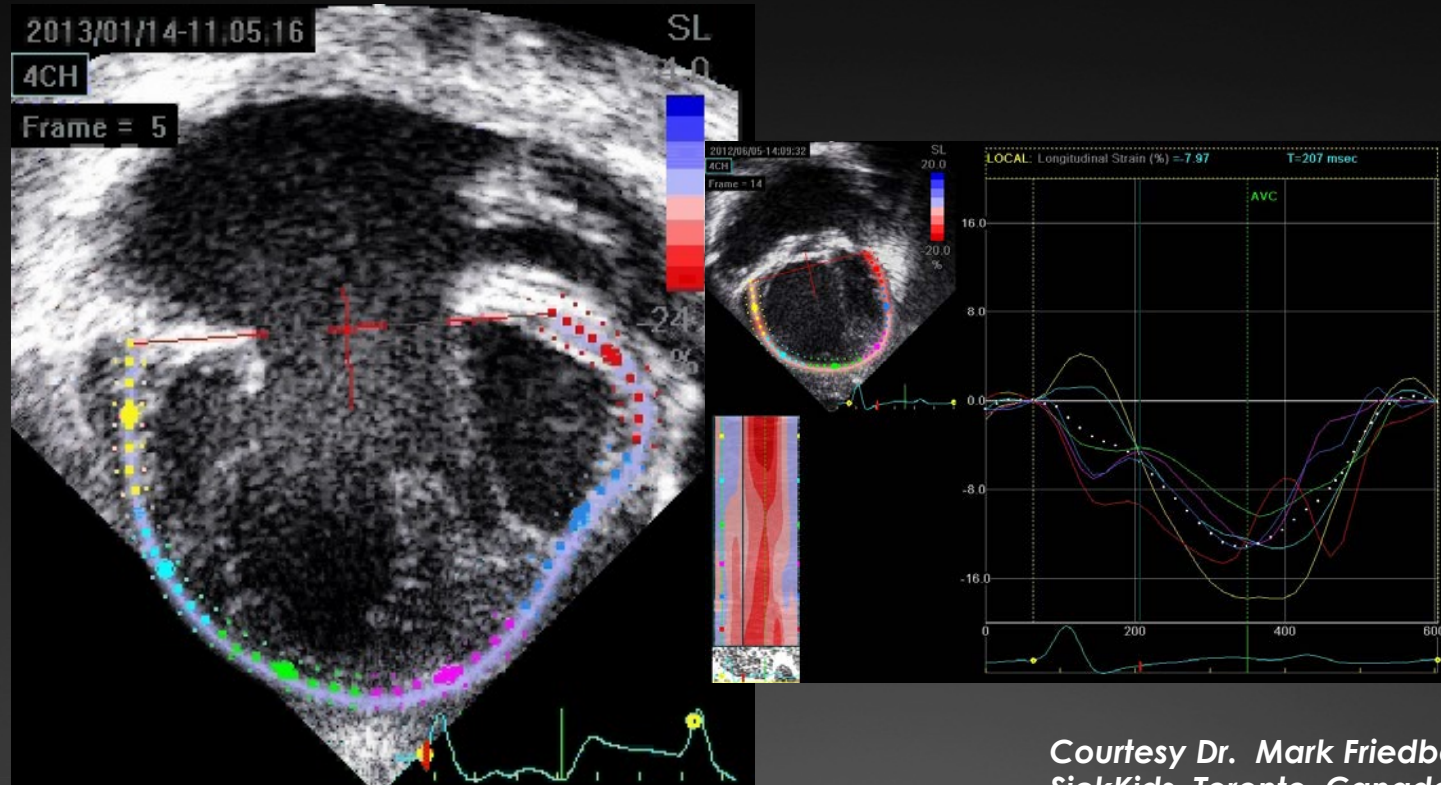
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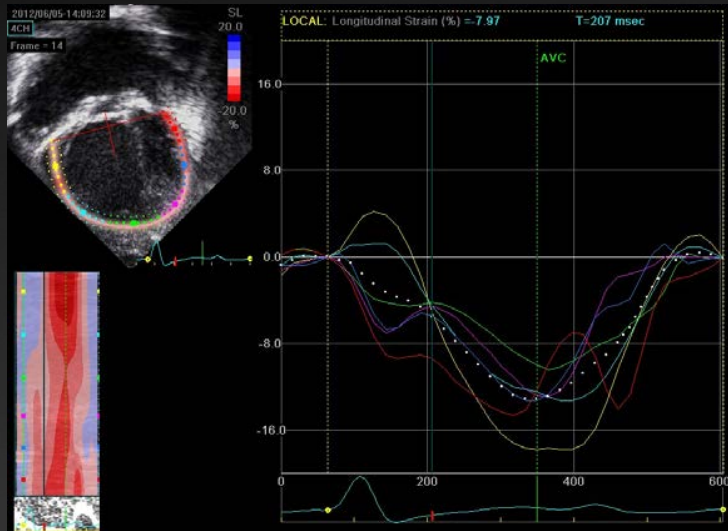
Pacing On

Pacing Off

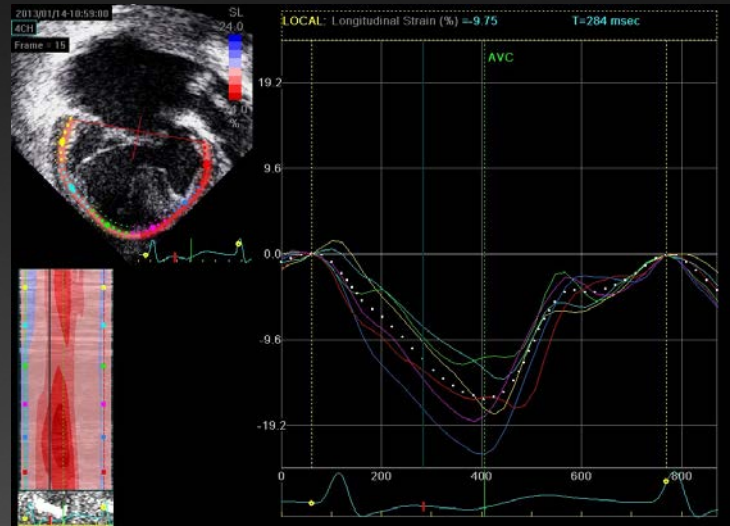


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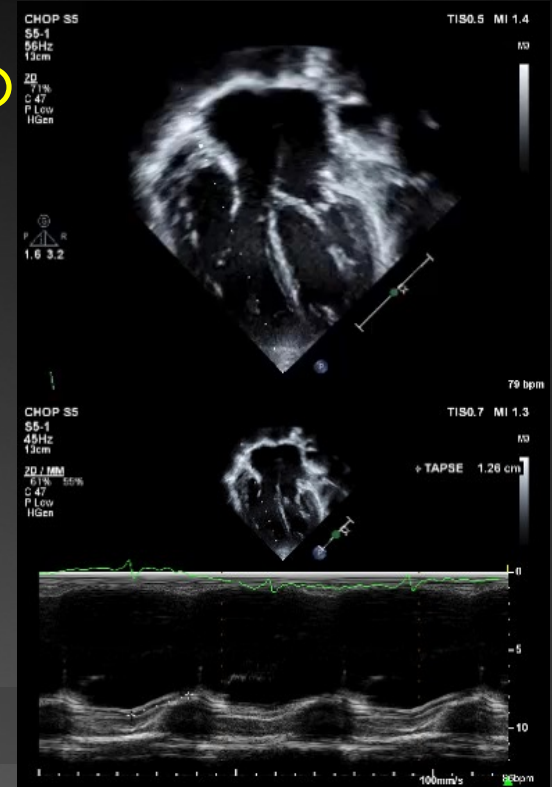
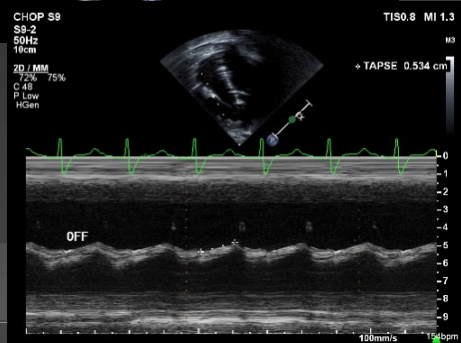
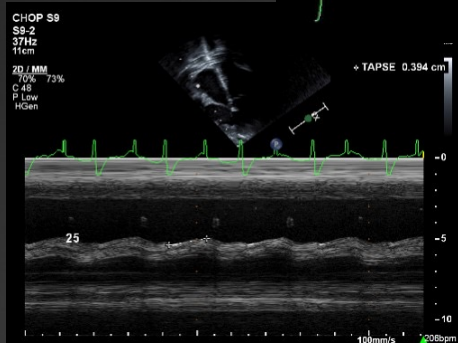
Pacing Off



TAPSE to guide RV functional assessment during ECMO turn down

ECMO

Follow up



Final considerations

Use of advanced echo (or not... TAPSE!):

- Can guide decision making at the bedside
 - contrast, TAPSE
- Can modify treatment (CRT)
- Etiology (X plane)
- Help surgical planning and strategy (3D)

Thank you!!

