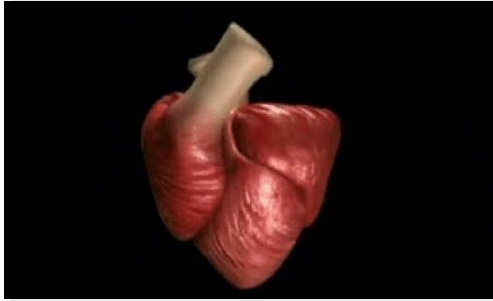


Effect of Pacing Site on Left Ventricular Dyssynchrony and Cardiac Performance

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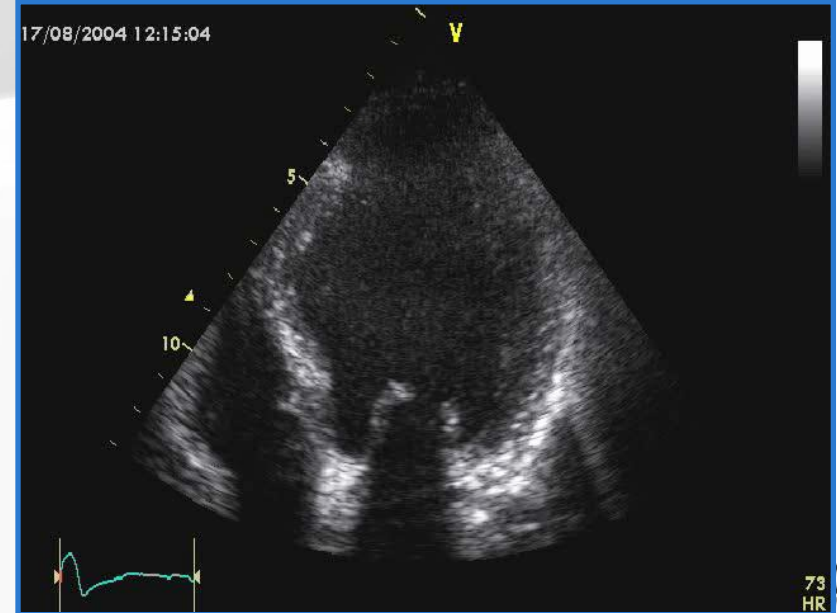
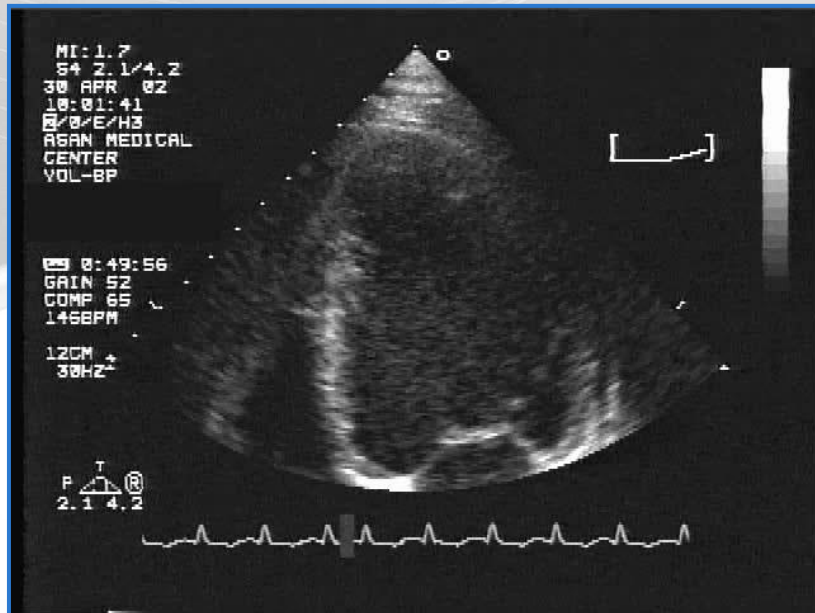
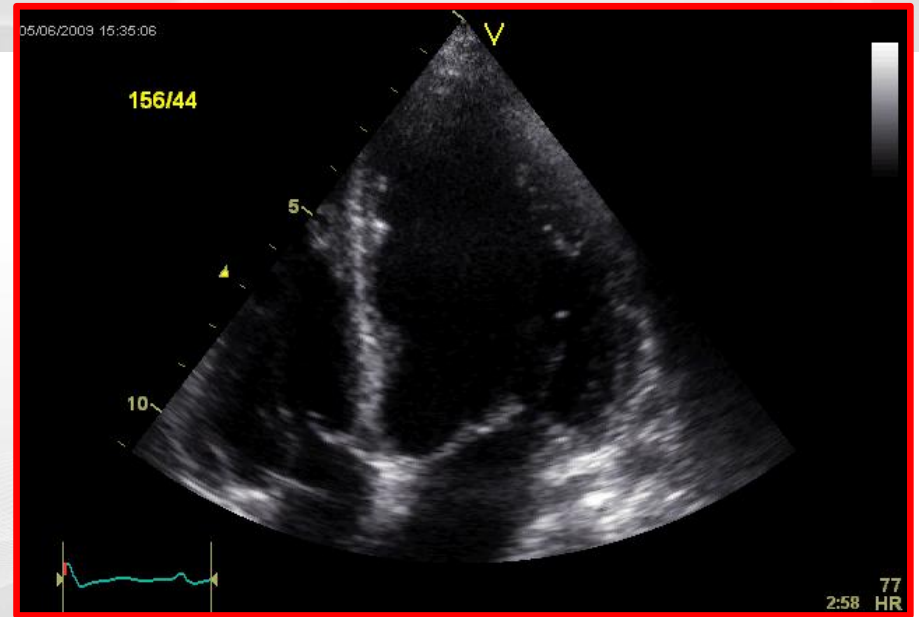
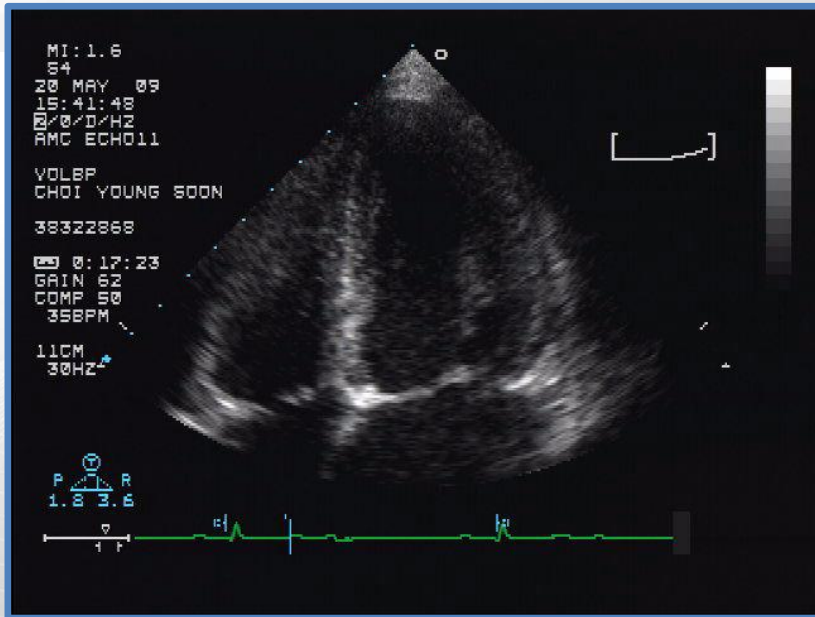
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Chronic RV Pacing

Deleterious Effects on Cardiac functions

- **Chronic RV pacing: detrimental effects on cardiac functions & outcomes**
 - Direct electronic stimulation of RV apex induces **abnormal activation sequence** and **asynchronous contraction**
 - Higher incidence of **chronic heart failure, atrial fibrillation** and **thromboembolic complication** compared to atrial pacing *Andersen et al. Lancet 1997*
 - Higher risk of **morbidity & mortality**

RV Pacing: Hemodynamic Impact



RV Pacing: Hemodynamic Impact

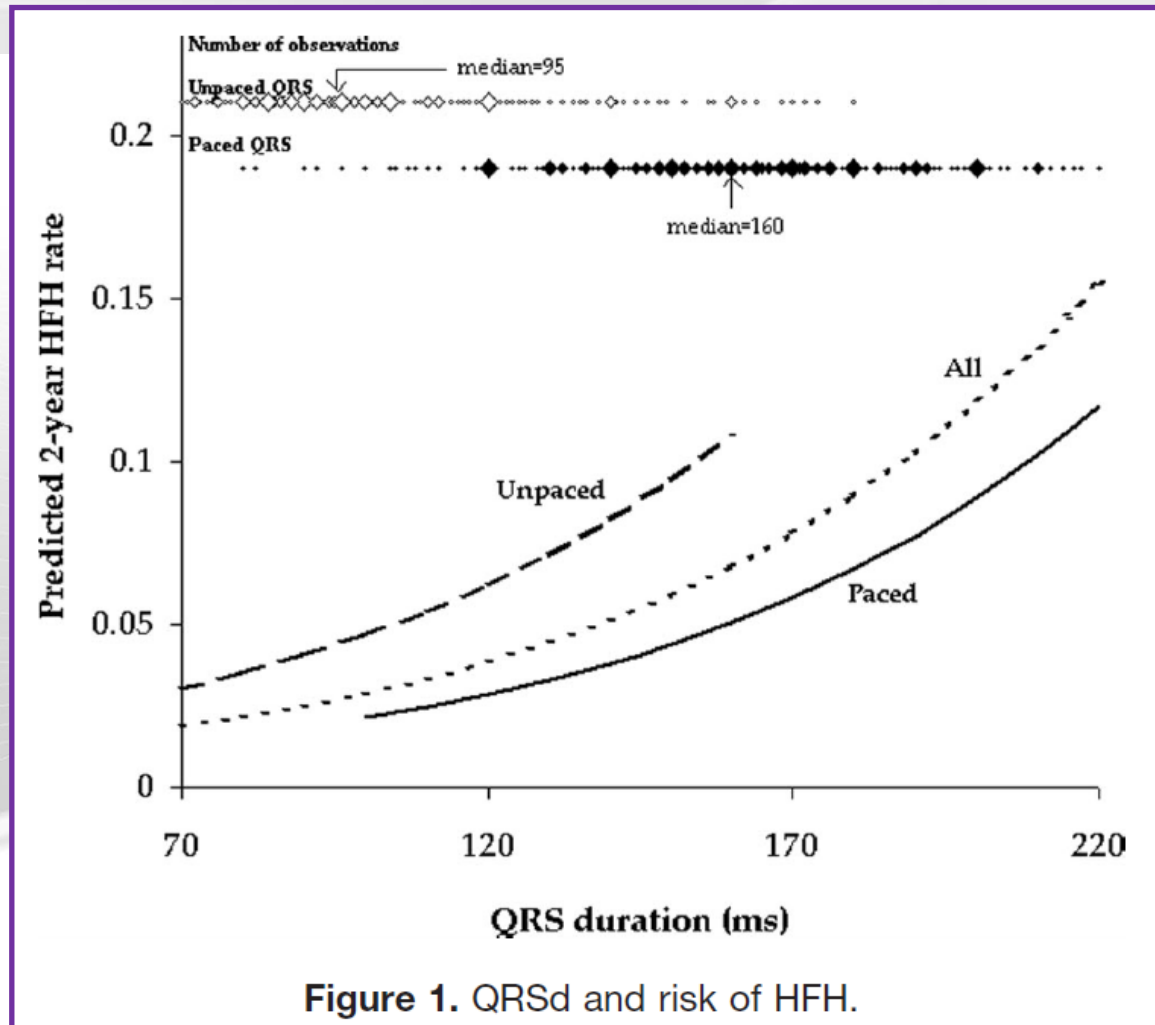


Figure 1. QRSd and risk of HFH.

**MOST (Mode Selection Trial)
2010 patient, 6-yr-trial**

Chronic RV Pacing

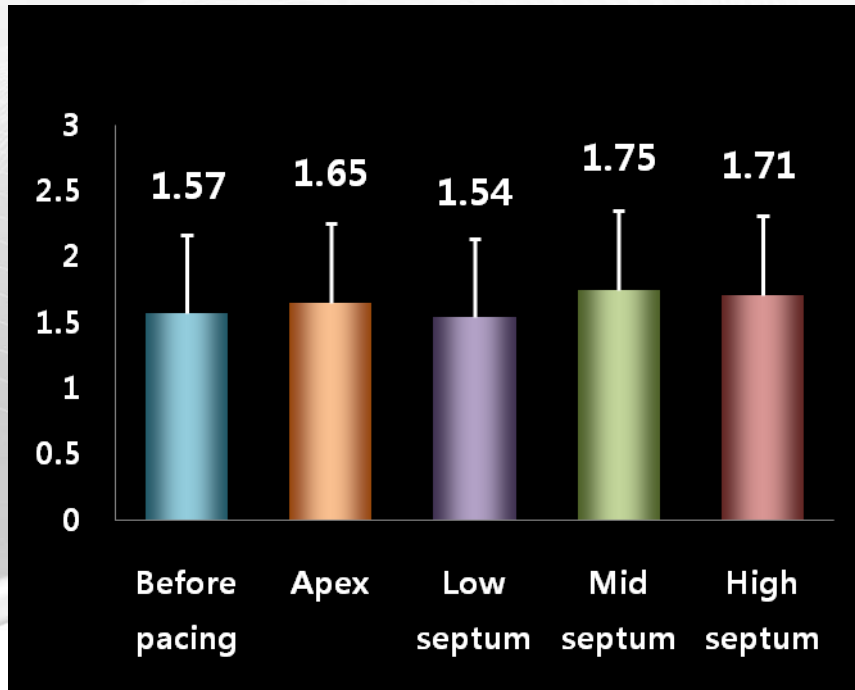
Effects of Pacing Site on Cardiac Functions

- **Alternative site pacing : pacing site other than apex in RV**
 - **RV apex pacing induced LV mechanical dyssynchrony**
Liu et al. JASE 2007
 - **Superiority of septal pacing compared to apical pacing in terms of hemodynamic parameters**
TAKAGI et al. PACE 1999
 - **RVOT pacing prevents the long-term deleterious effects of RVA pacing on myocardial perfusion and function**
TSE et al. JACC 2002

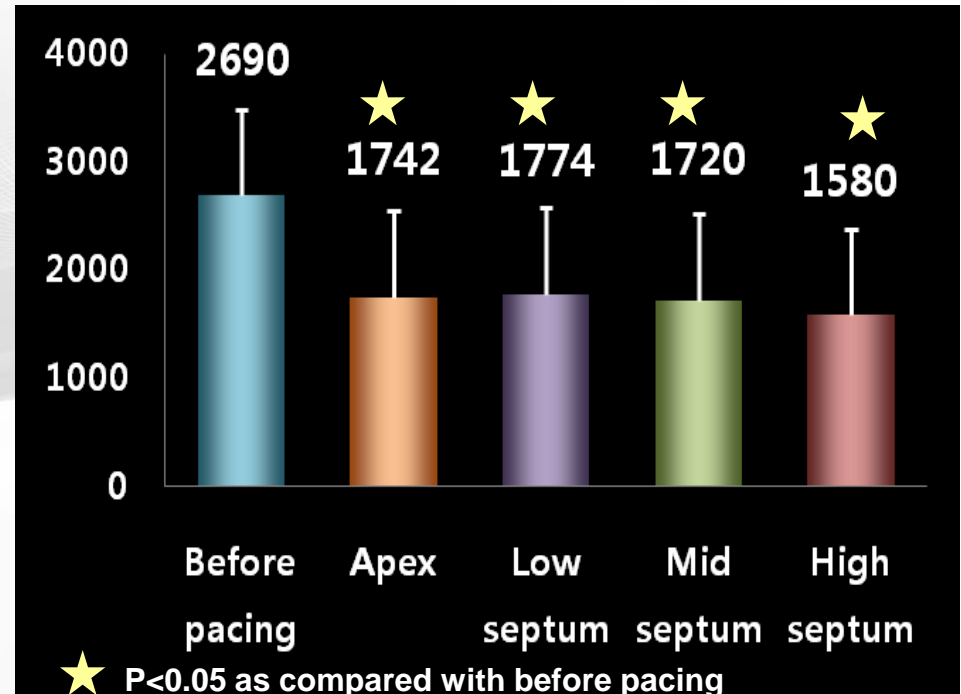
RV Pacing

Effects of Pacing Site on Cardiac Functions

ESPVR(mmHg/ml)



Cardiac Output (ml·min)



Seo et al . KSC annual meeting 2009

Aim of study

- To evaluate the immediate effects of different pacing site on cardiac performance
- We evaluated the differences between atrial and apical pacing and between septal and apical pacing in terms of **dyssynchrony indices and LV systolic function**

Methods

Enrollment

- From Jan 2007 to Oct 2009
- Patients who underwent **permanent pacemaker** implantation were prospectively enrolled
- **Group 1** : **22** patients with atrial pacing
(AAI or AAIR)
- **Group 2** : **20** with RV septal pacing
(DDD or DDDR)
- **Group 3**: **28** with RV apex pacing
(DDD or DDDR)

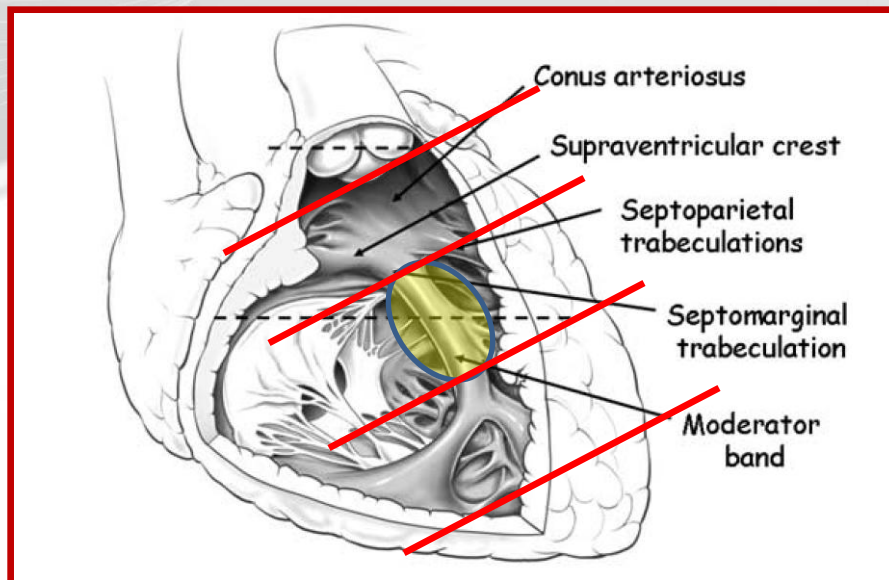
Methods: Enrollment

- Conventional echocardiography: before and after implantation
- Tissue Doppler imaging (TDI) and speckle tracking echocardiography (STE) : within 7 days after pacemaker implantation
- Exclusion criteria
 - LV EF<50% before implantation
 - Bundle branch block
 - Atrial fibrillation
 - Presence of coronary heart disease
 - Previous cardiac surgery

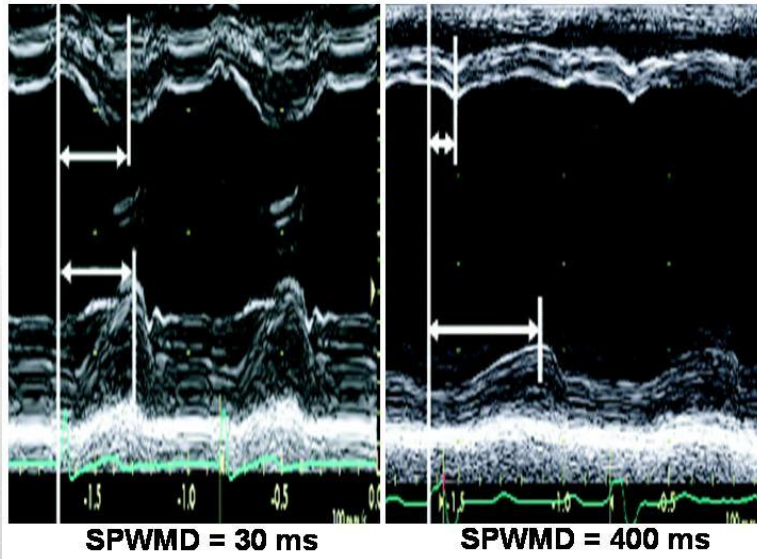
Methods

Lead position

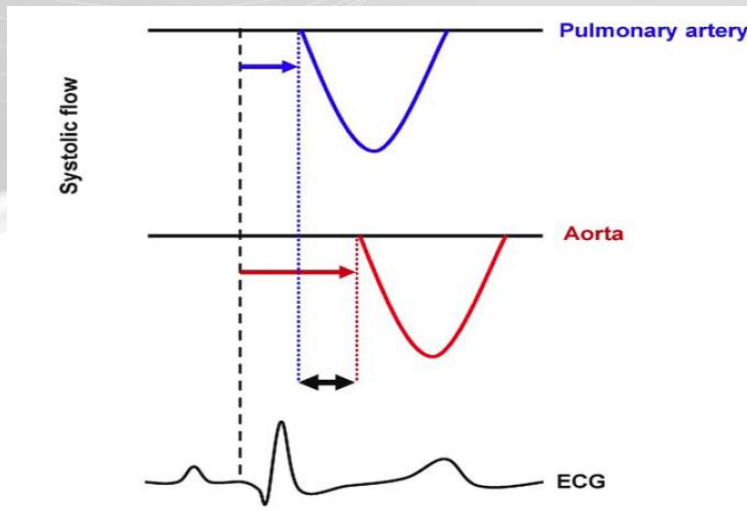
- Atrial pacing lead- right atrial appendage
- Ventricular pacing lead
 - Apex
 - Septum : mid septum (mid 1/3 portion)
 - screwed into mid septum under the RV outflow tract
 - septal position of the lead was verified in the left anterior oblique (LAO) view



Method: Interventricular Dyssynchrony, SPWMD

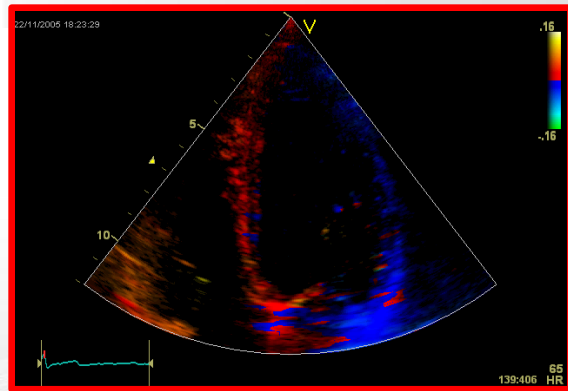


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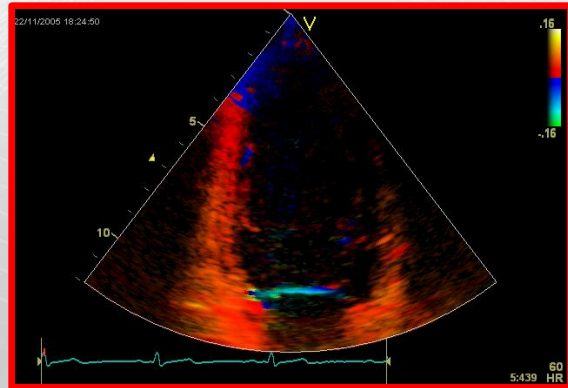


Interventricular Dyssynchrony index

Dyssynchrony indices by TDI



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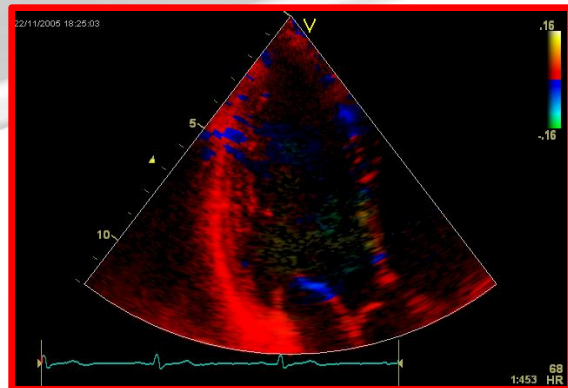


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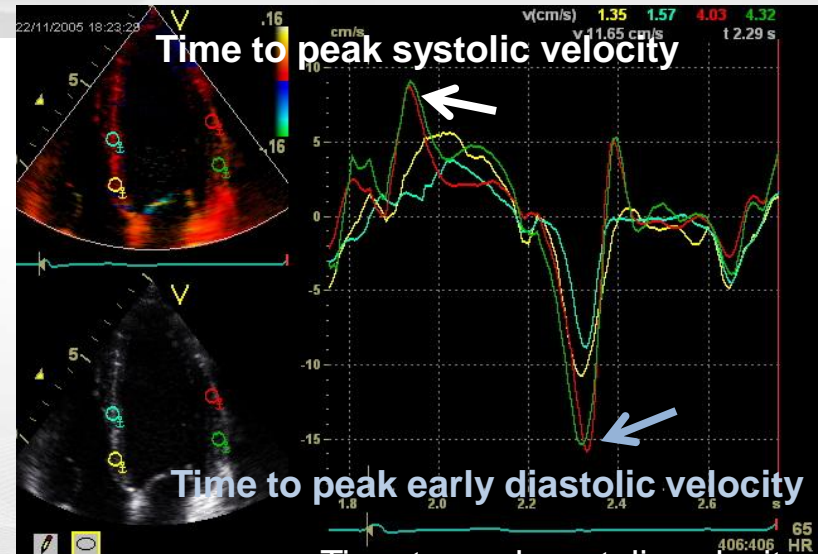
T_s -SD 12

T_e -SD 12

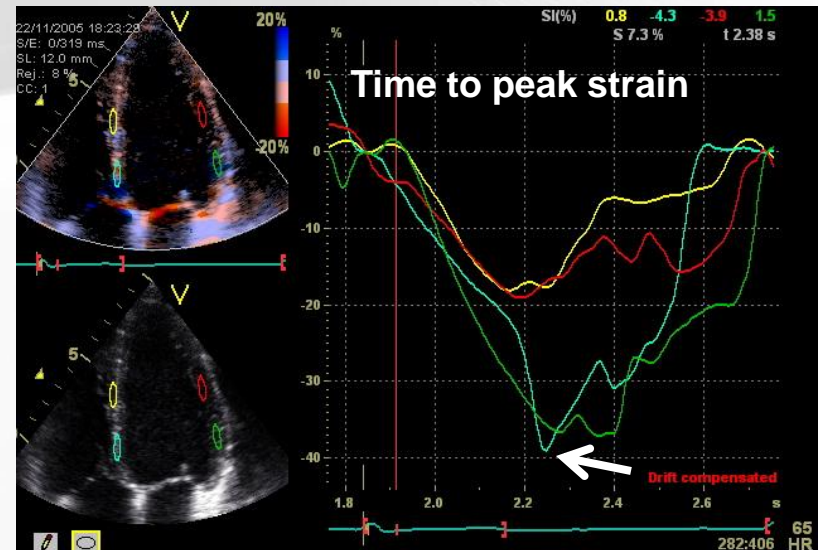
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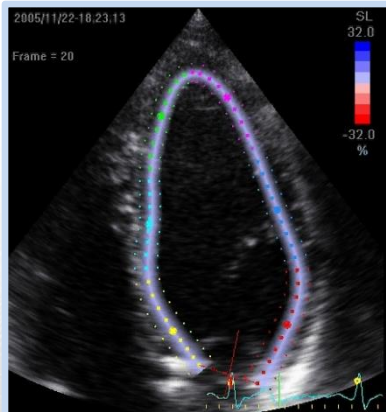


Time to peak systolic velocity

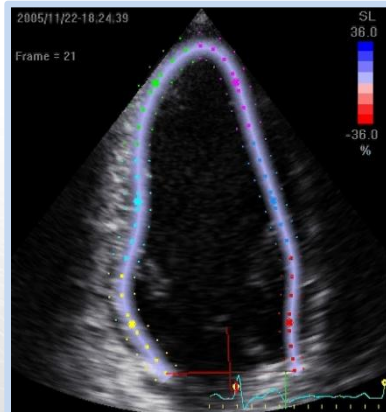


Time to peak strain

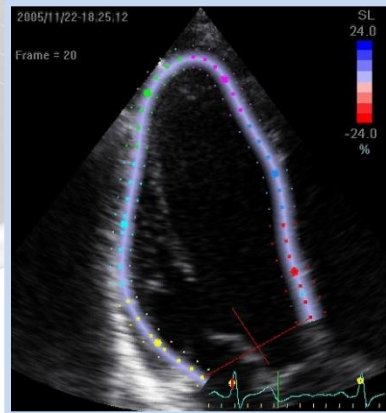
Dyssynchrony indices by STI: longitudinal strain



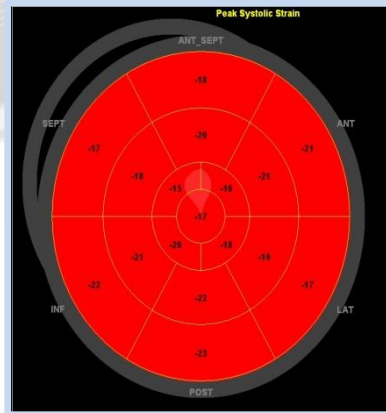
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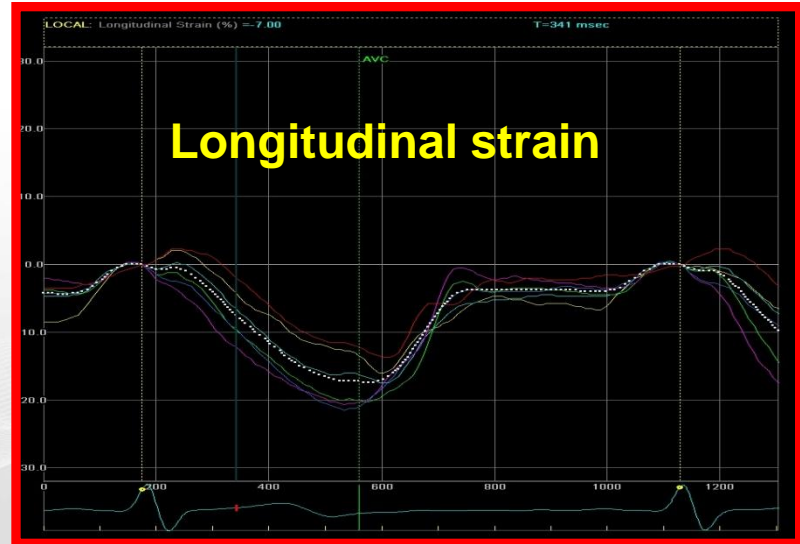
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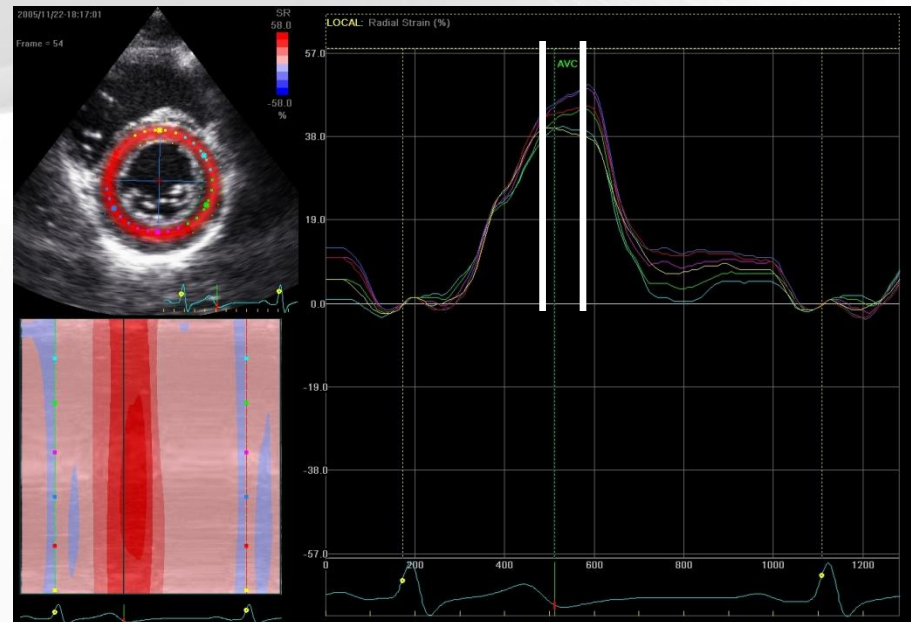
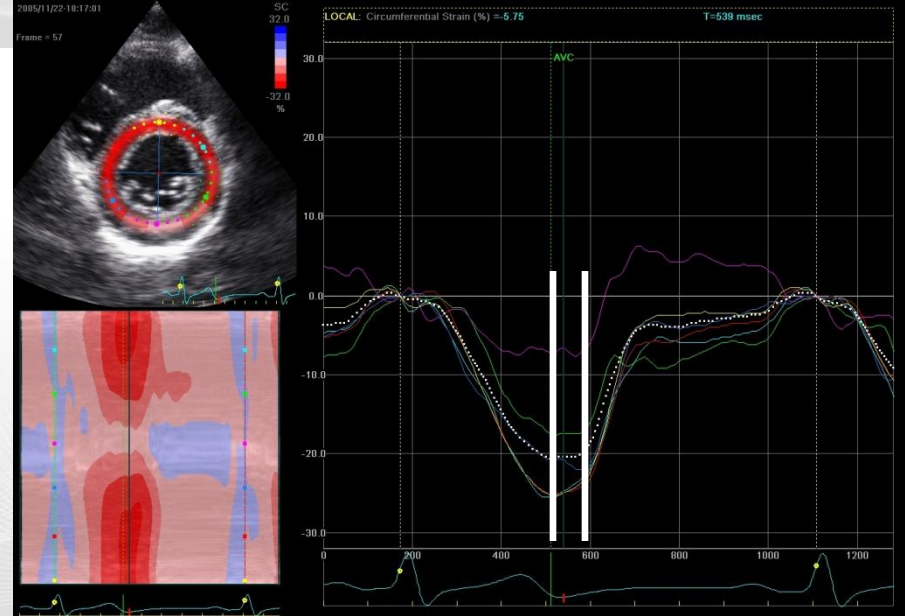
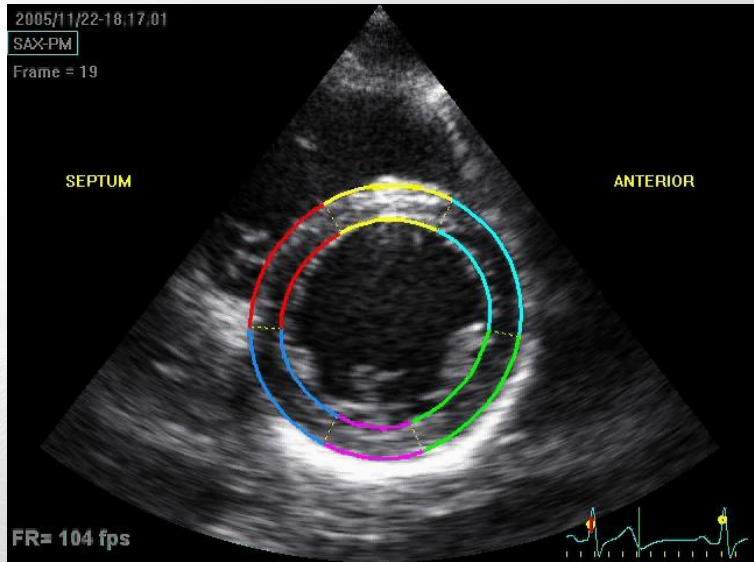


T_{st} -SD 18

Tst-SD6 by STI (apex only)

Dyssynchrony indices by STE

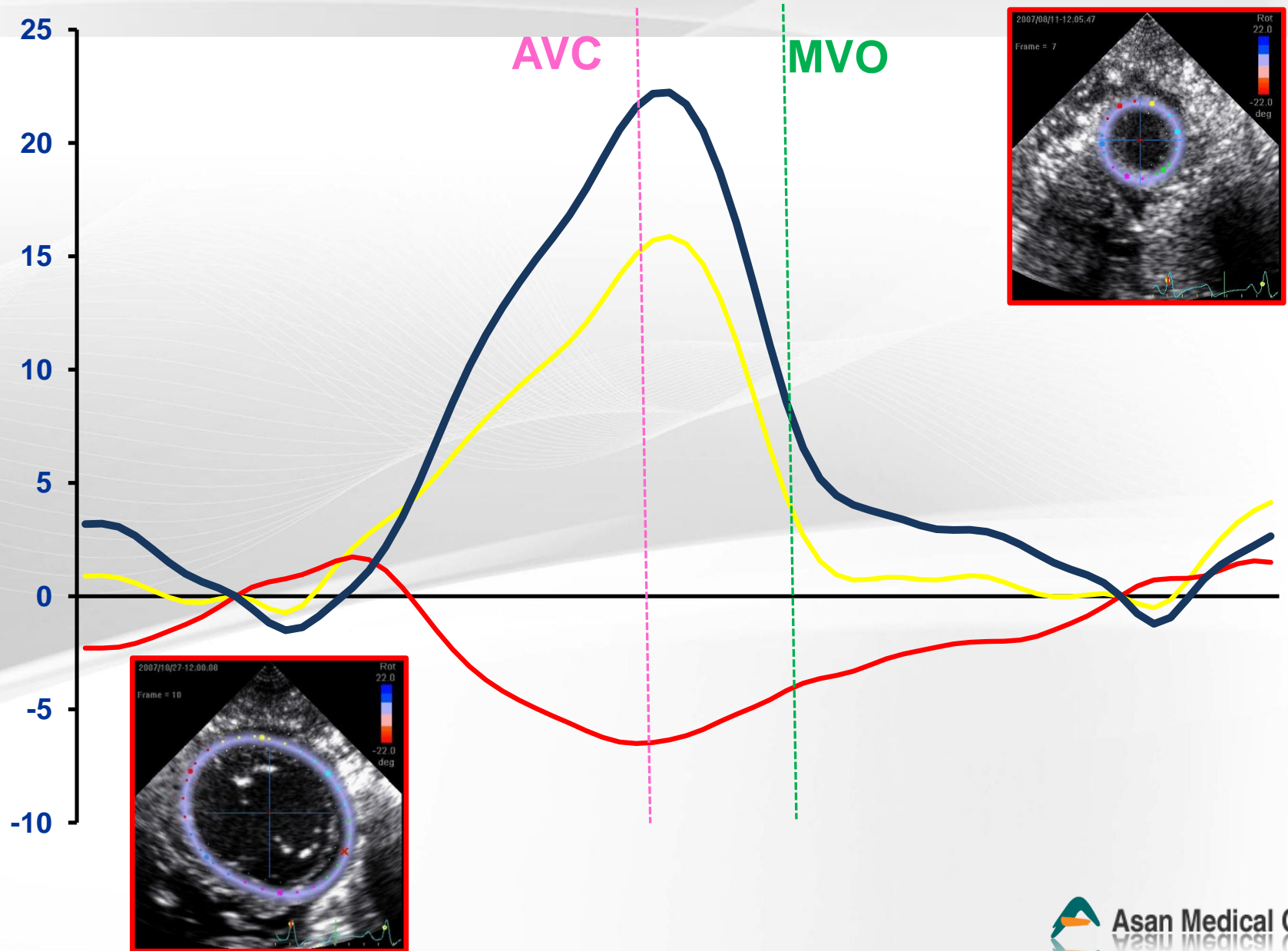
Radial & circumferential strain



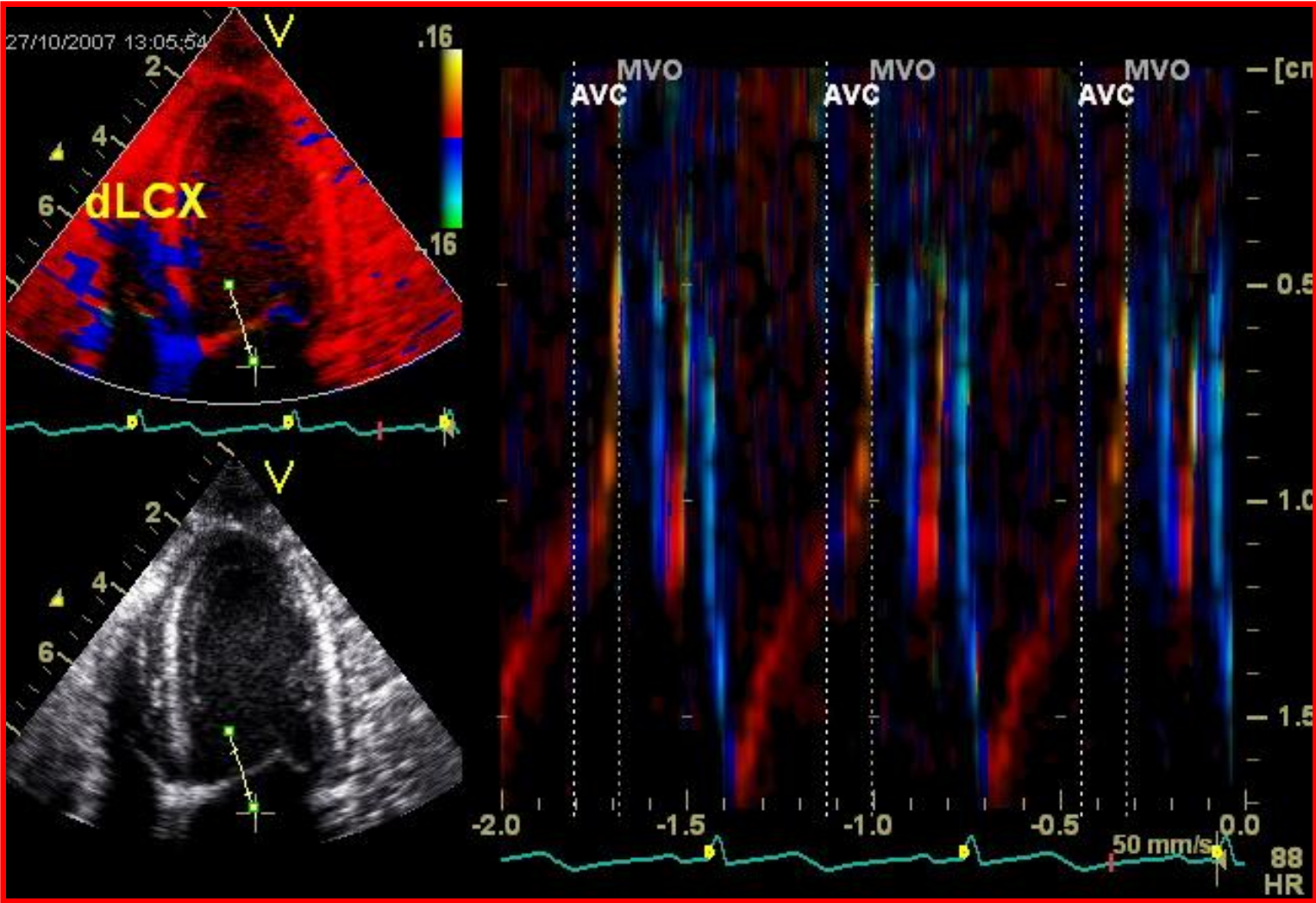
Radial strain
Maximal time difference

Circumferential strain
Maximal time difference

LV twisting & untwisting



Determination of event timings



Result

Result

	Group I (atrial pacing)	Group II (Septal pacing)	Group III (apical pacing)
Age (years)	63±17	63±11	64±12
Male(%)	41	50	47
Pre QRS duration(ms)	99±15	105±24	102±21
Post QRS duration(ms)	100±21	156±26*	153±23*
Heart rate (BPM)	64.5±13.1	68.5±9.7	67.4±9.1
Pre ESV (ml)	36.1±5.8	46.0±12.3	45.2±23.1
Pre EDV (ml)	94.3±13.1	99.2±21.3	102.3±19.1
Post ESV (ml)	38.1±6.4	44.0±17.6	46.8±25.3
Post EDV (ml)	95.5±15.1	97.8±27.9	101.3±33.7
Pre EF (%)	63±4	61±5	62±6
Post EF (%)	60±3	55±6*	56±6*

*p<0.05 for difference from Group I.

Result

	Group I (atrial pacing)	Group II (Septal pacing)	Group III (apical pacing)
Mitral inflow			
E (cm/s)	69±20.6	59±15	62±18
A (cm/s)	69±21	73±23	72±17
DT (ms)	223±48	216±52	197±53
Mitral annulus TDI			
Sm (cm/s)	8.3±1.7	7.1±1.3	7.3±1.4
Em (cm/s)	5.7±2.0	5.8±2.8	6.3±7.0
IVRT (ms)	79±22	100±31*	95±36*

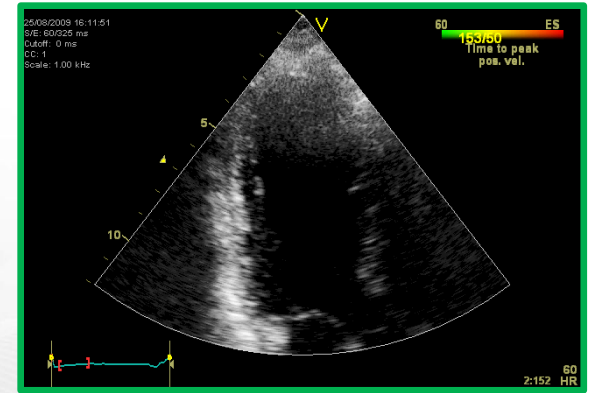
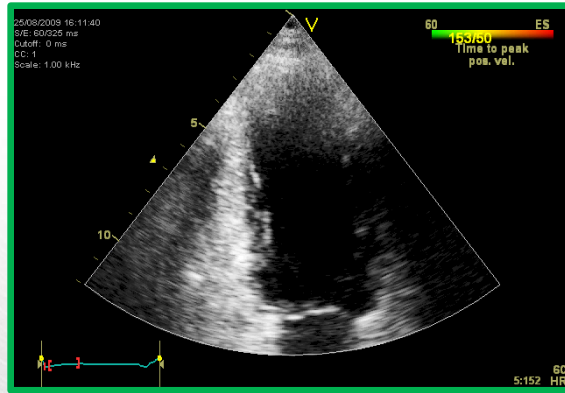
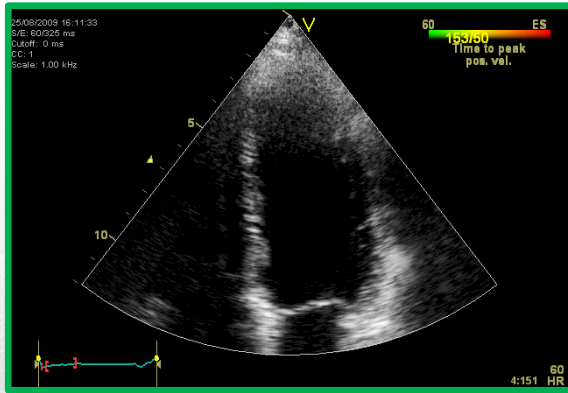
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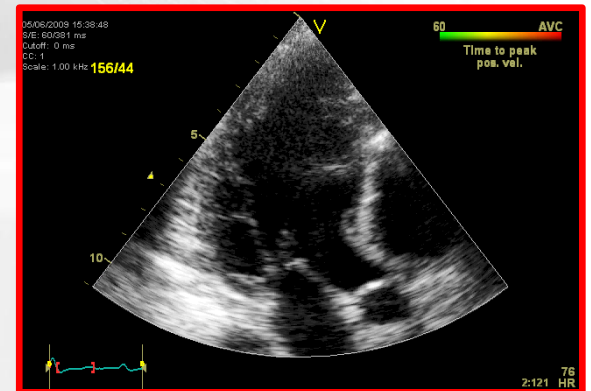
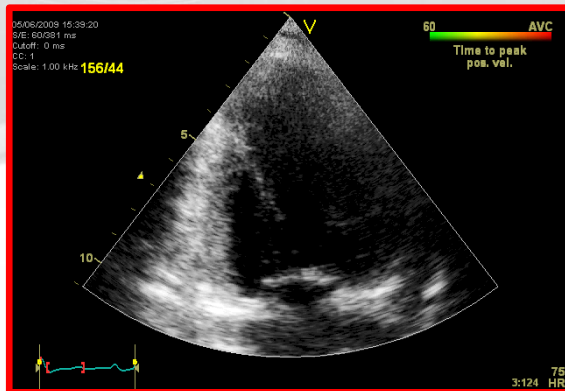
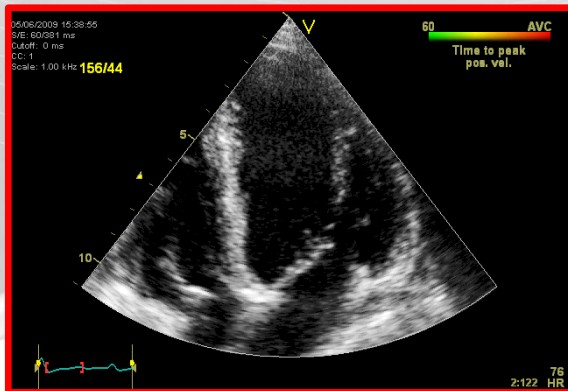
	Group I (atrial pacing)	Group II (Septal pacing)	Group III (apical pacing)
Inter-ventricular dyssynchrony index	15.7±14.5	24.5±16.8	26.6±19.8
SPWMD	78.4±22.8	90.3±41.5	72.8±30.1
Ts-SD12 by TDI (ms)	39±21	36±11.2	42.4±18
Te-SD12 by TDI (ms)	25±7	36±24	34±29
Tst-SD12 by TDI (ms)	62±17	73±21	72±24
Tst-SD18 by STI	52±15	69±21*	73±16*
Tst-SD6 by STI (apex only)	38±17	69±21*	68±31*
LV global longitudinal strain by STI	-25±6	-21±5	-20±4
Radial dyssynchrony index	74±53	103±50	88±52
Circumferential dyssynchrony index	121±44	126±44	129±44
Basal rotation	-6.8±2.6	-5.7±3.4	-6.3±3.4
Apical rotation	14.1±5.3	9.9±5.5*	10.8±5.5*
LV twist	21.0±6.8	16.1±6.0*	16.3±5.7*

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Result



Atrial pacing

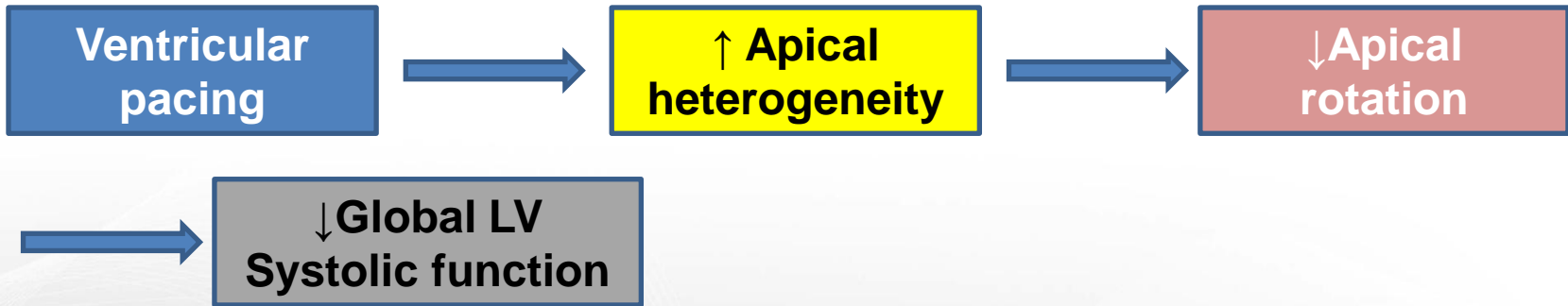


Ventricular pacing

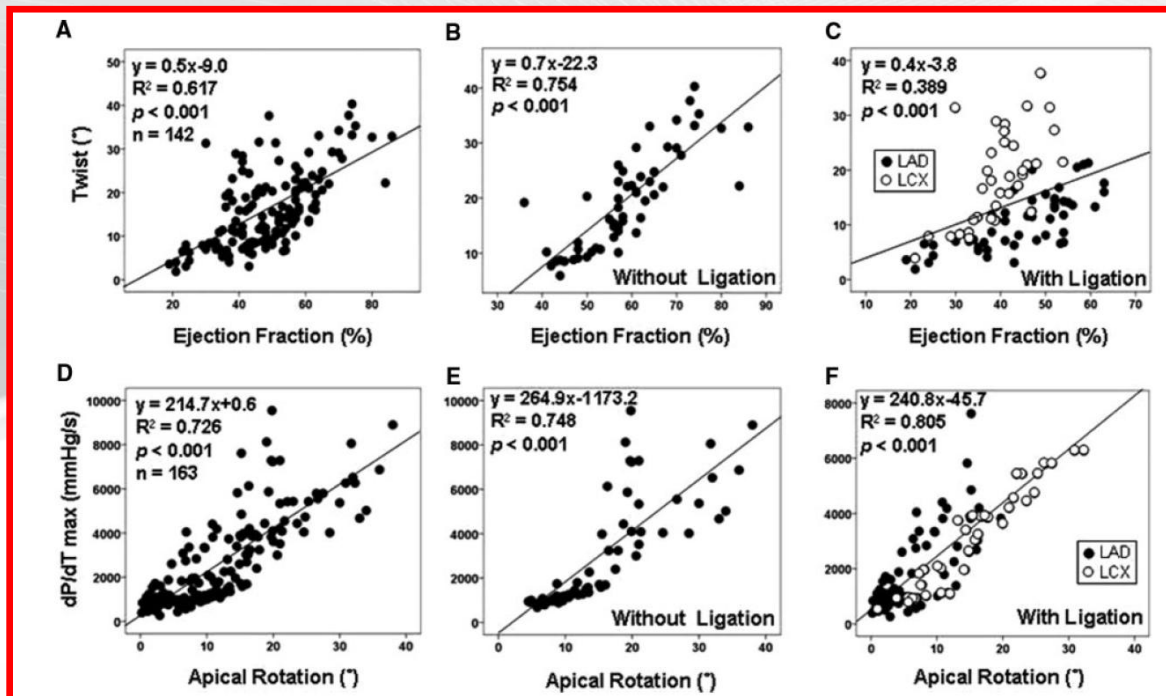
Summary

- **Ejection fraction** and **apical peak rotation degree** were significantly higher in atrial pacing group compared to RV pacing group (septum and apex)
- There was no difference in **dyssynchrony indices derived from 12 segments** between atrial and ventricular pacing
- However, ventricular pacing increased **regional heterogeneity of LV apex** regardless of pacing site, and led to significant differences in **dyssynchrony indices derived from 18 segments**
- Any dyssynchrony indices were not different between mid septal and apical pacing group

Summary



- Importance of apical rotation as an index of global LV systolic function



Summary

- High septal pacing vs. mid septal pacing ??

Differences in left ventricular dyssynchrony between high septal pacing and apical pacing in patients with normal left ventricular systolic function

Results: The high septal pacing group had significantly shorter TD-TDI (20.0 ± 24.3 ms vs. 59.7 ± 43.0 ms, $p < 0.0001$), TD-RS (13.5 ± 19.9 ms vs. 45.8 ± 24.6 ms, $p < 0.0001$), and TD-LS (42.7 ± 22.0 ms vs. 66.6 ± 26.8 ms, $p = 0.001$) values compared to the apical pacing group. There was no significant difference in TD-CS between the two groups.

Conclusion: Left ventricular dyssynchrony was smaller in patients with high septal pacing. The results show that 2D-STE is useful for detection of differences in left ventricular mechanical dyssynchrony in patients with permanent pacemaker implantation, in addition to TDI.

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