



COMPARISON BETWEEN HS-C REACTIVE PROTEIN AND MICROALBUMINURIA LEVELS FOR THE PROGNOSIS OF RENOVASCULAR HYPERTENSION

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HISTORY OF RAA SYSTEM

1. 1898: **Tigerstedt** **RENIN** discovery

kidney extract → rabbits → hypertension



HISTORY OF RAA SYSTEM

2. 1934 Goldblatt experimental renovascular hypertension

clamping of renal arteries
(dogs)



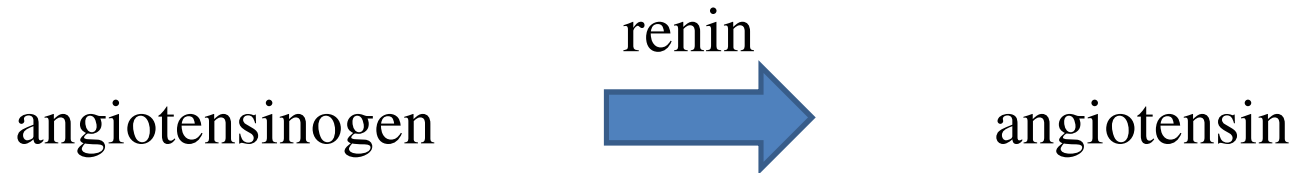
hypertension



HISTORY OF RAA SYSTEM

3. 1939 Braun-Menendez

ANGIOTENSIN



HISTORY OF RAA SYSTEM

4. 1993

Skeggs

ANGIOTENSIN I , II

angiotensin I

ACE



angiotensin II



hypertension



INTRODUCTION

1. Renovascular hypertension  **diagnosis trap**

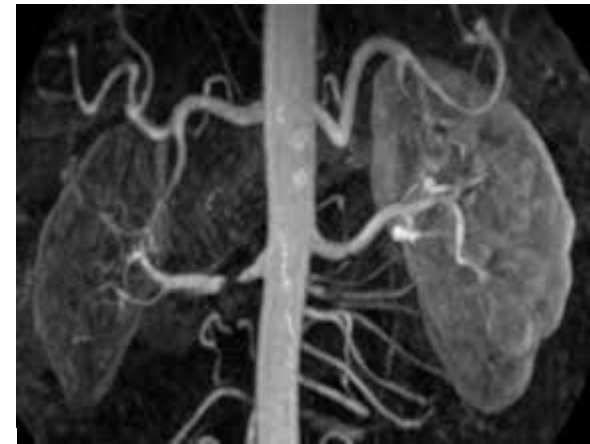
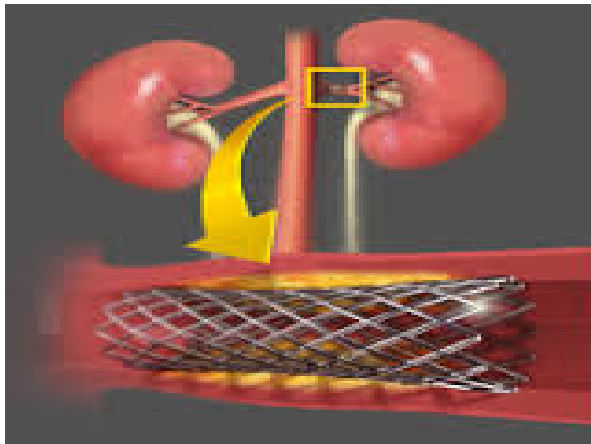
2. **Life threatening complications** (after ACEI !)



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INTRODUCTION

3.Modern therapy ← **DISCORDANCE** → Practical reality



PURPOSES

hsCRP / microAuria: prognosis markers + therapeutic implications

MATERIALS AND METHODS

76 patients ,43- 86 years , 67% males , renovascular hypertension, 24 months

1. Clinical examination : quarterly

- **exclusion criteria** : - actually smoker/ alcohol drinker
 - evolutive neoplasia
 - autoimmune disorders
 - diabetes mellitus
 - obesity
 - active infection

- **inclusion criteria:**

- difficult control of hypertension
- paradoxical hypertension after ACEI
- periumbilical bruits



MATERIALS AND METHODS

2. EKG , quarterly: - standard 12 leads EKG - **LVH**

3. Ecocardiogram : -transthoracic, M mode, 2D mode
-color Doppler; continuous Doppler



LVH, LV mass, LV performance



MATERIALS AND METHODS

4. Renal artery sonogram



peak velocity , resistivity index

5. Abdominal computed tomography angiogram



if sonogram \neq clear

6. Laboratory findings : quarterly



Creatinine clearance, hs-C Reactive Protein, microAuria

7.M -Indapamide 1.5 mg, Amlodipine 5-10mg, Nebivolol 5-10 mg

-Atorvastatin 10-40 mg, Rilmenidine 1-2 mg

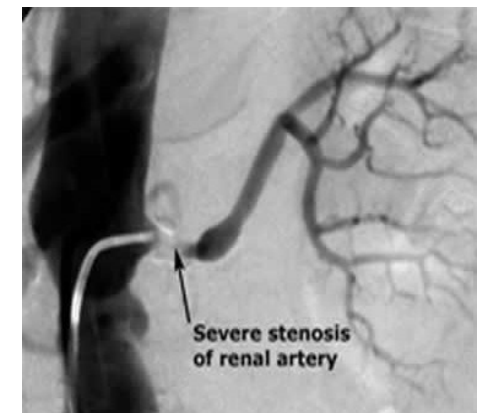
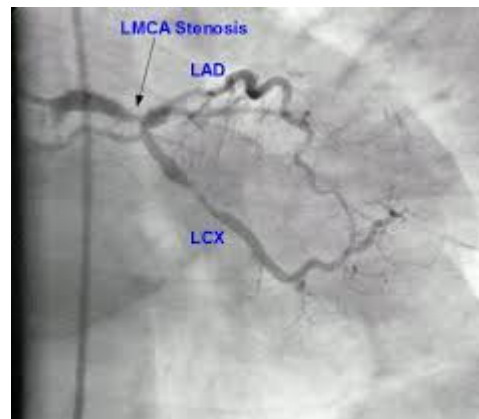
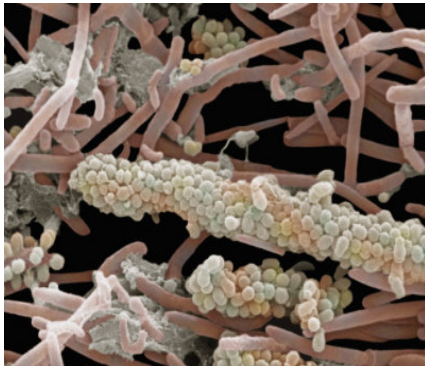
-Aspirin 100 mg/ Clopidogrel 75 mg/Acenocumarol 1-4 mg

8. Interventional : percutaneous angioplasty + stenting(RI < 0.8)

9.Dental treatment: scaling of dental plaque(biannual)

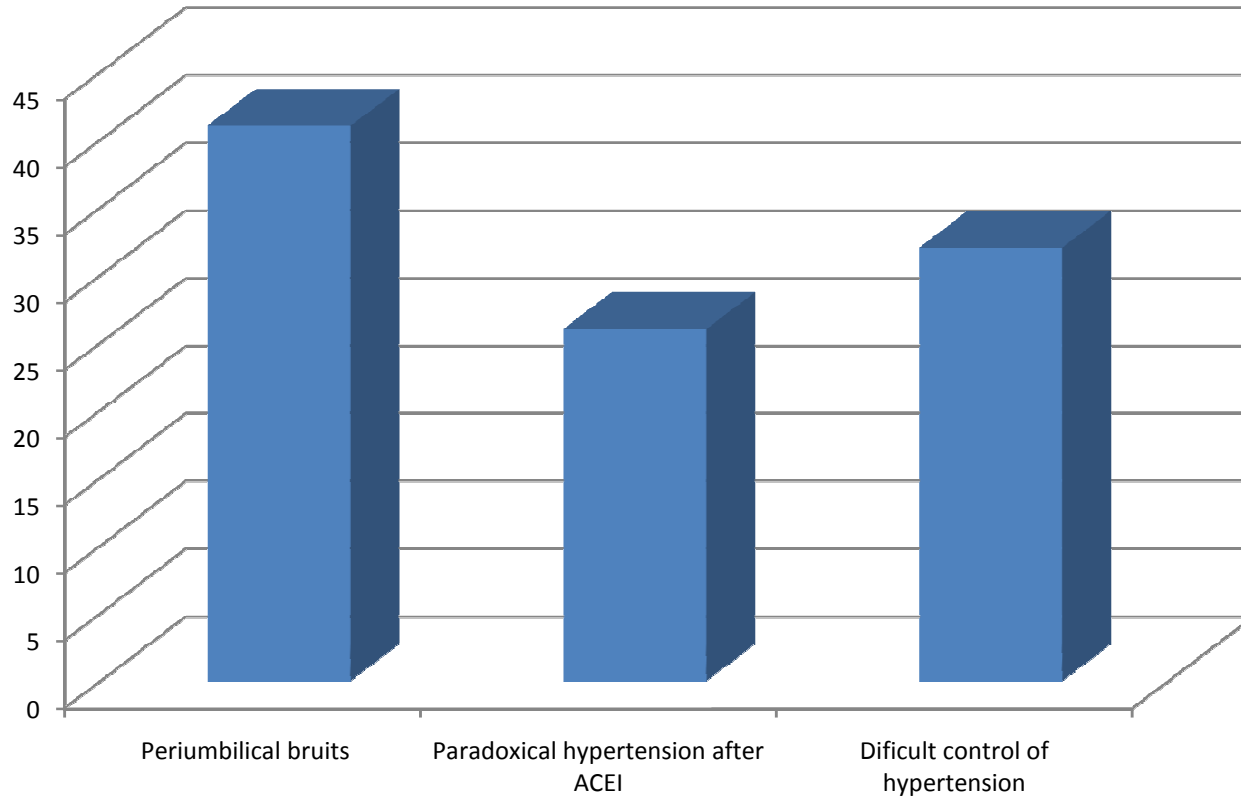
Dental plaque bacteria (*Porphyromonis gingivalis*)

1. **Interleukin 1** → atheromatous plaque formation
2. **Interleukin 6** → CRP → atheromatous plaque disruption
3. **Repeated bacteriemia** → atheromatous plaque inflammation



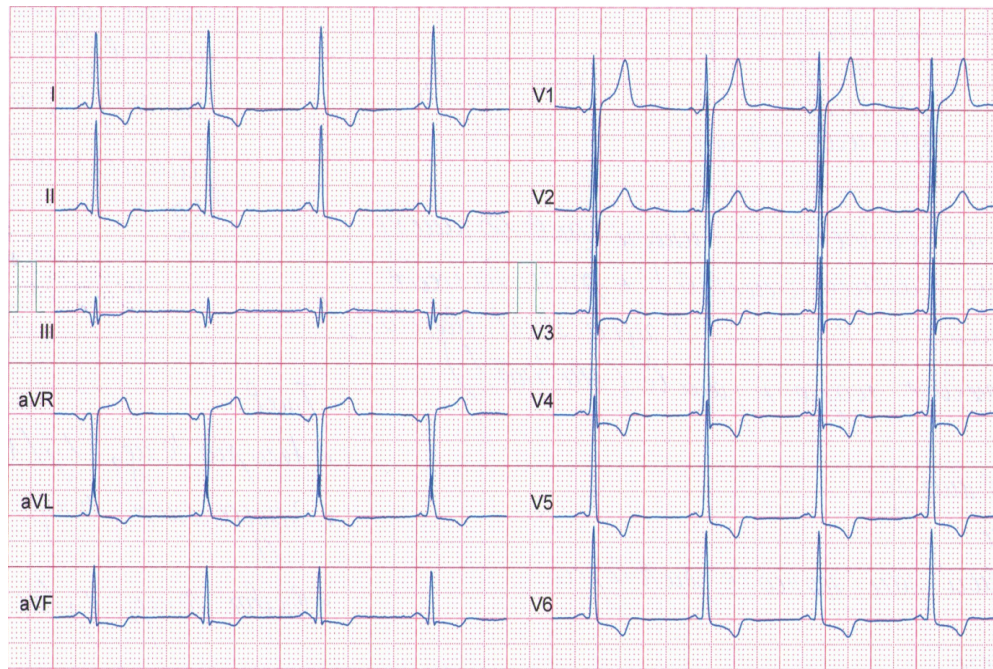
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1. Clinical examination:



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2. EKG- LVH : 68 patients (89%)

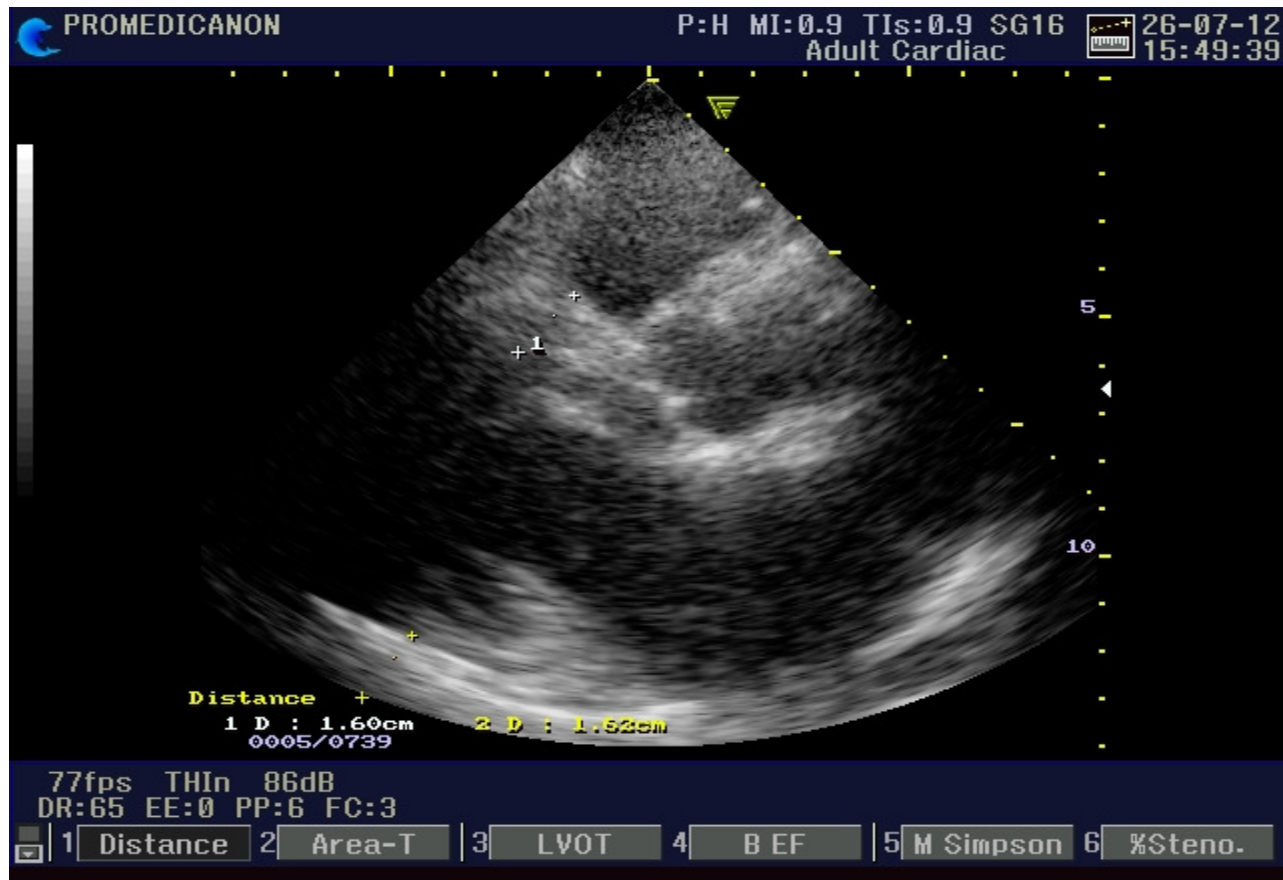


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3.Echocardiography:

-**LVH** (wall thickness, mass)

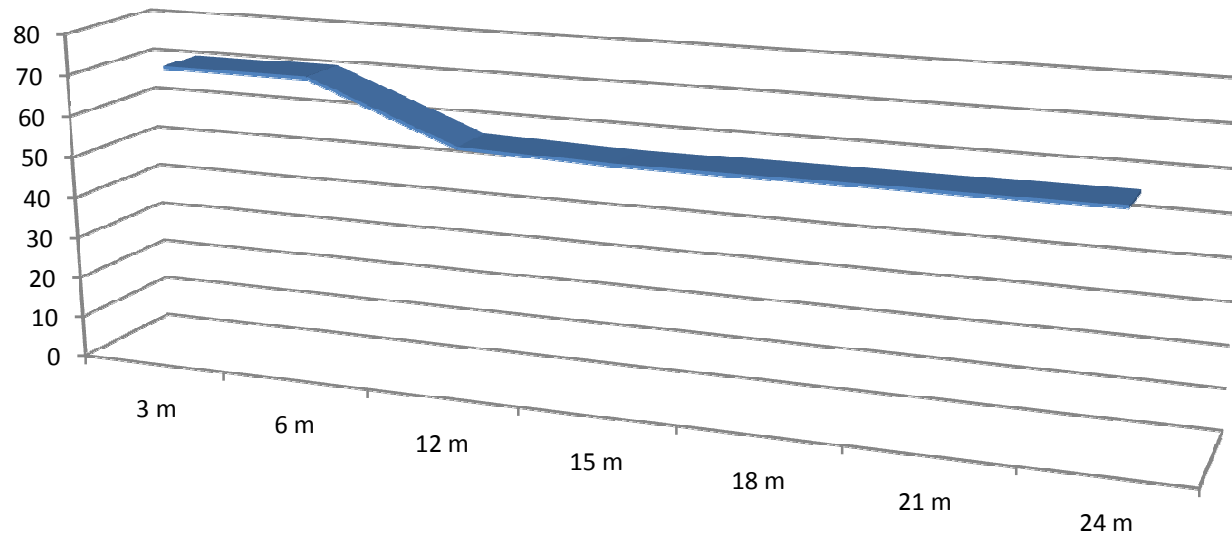


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3. Echocardiography: - 19% diminished LVH (mass)

- 94% (1m) 75% (24m)

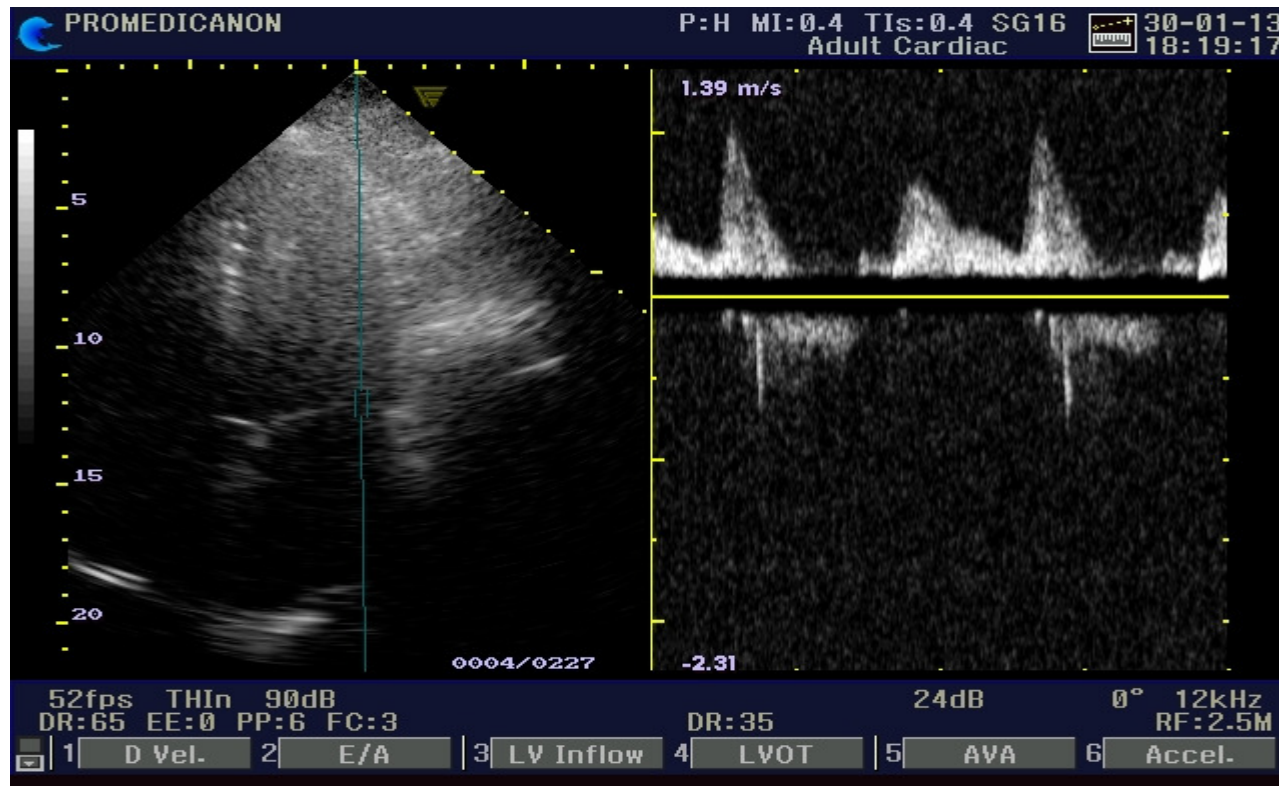


Evolution of LVH mass during 24 months observation

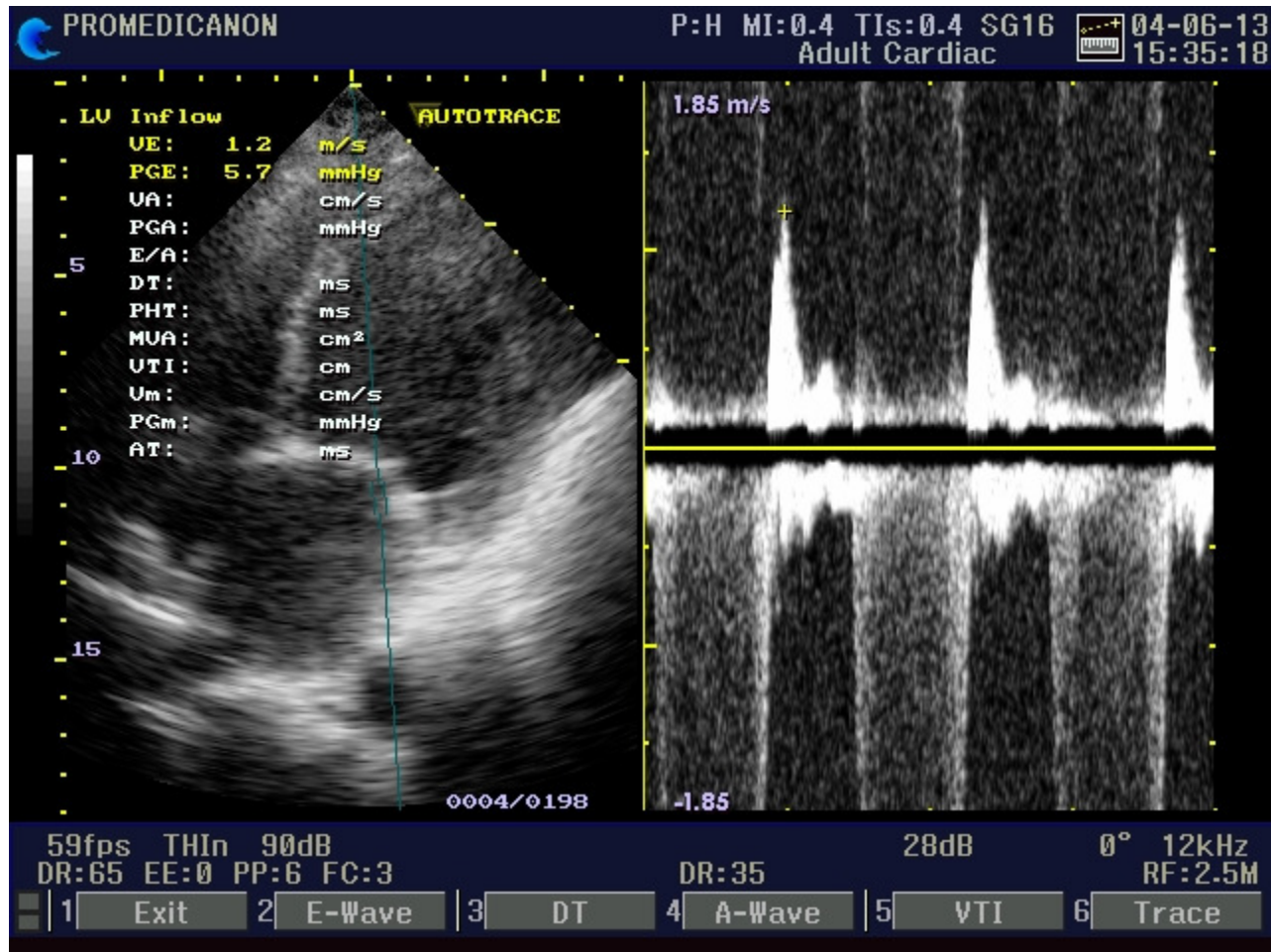
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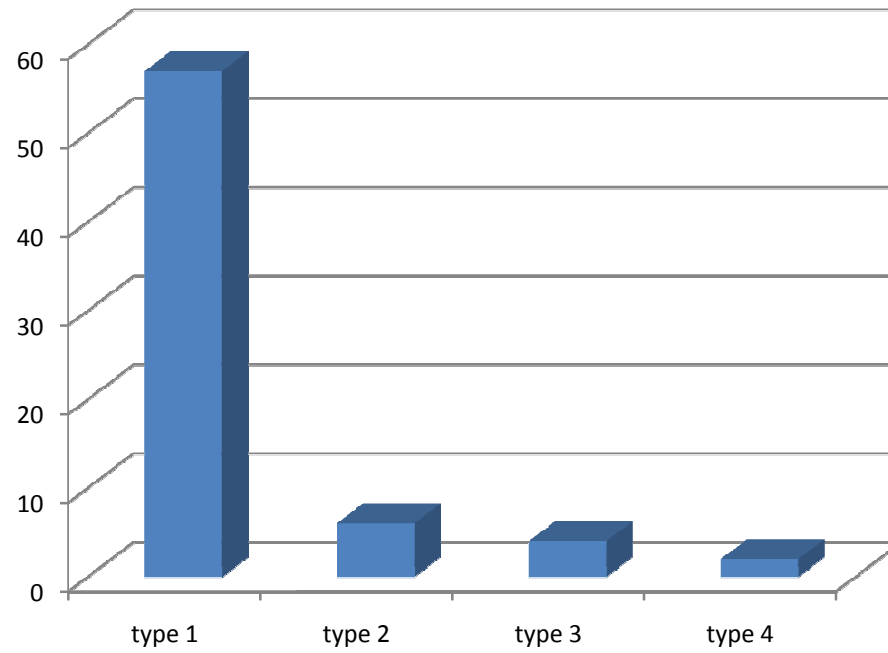
- LV diastolic dysfunction



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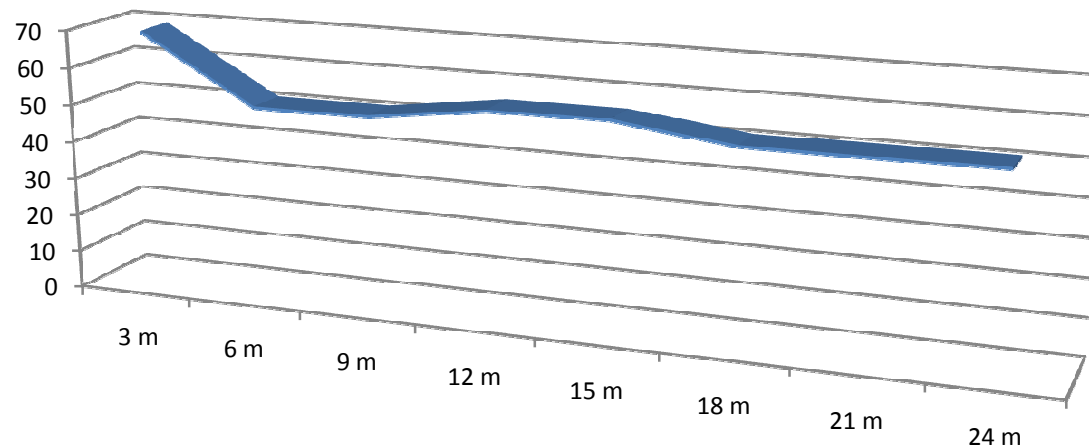


Types of diastolic dysfunction(LV)

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3.Echocardiography: -34% improved LV diastolic function

-80% (1m) 54% (24m)

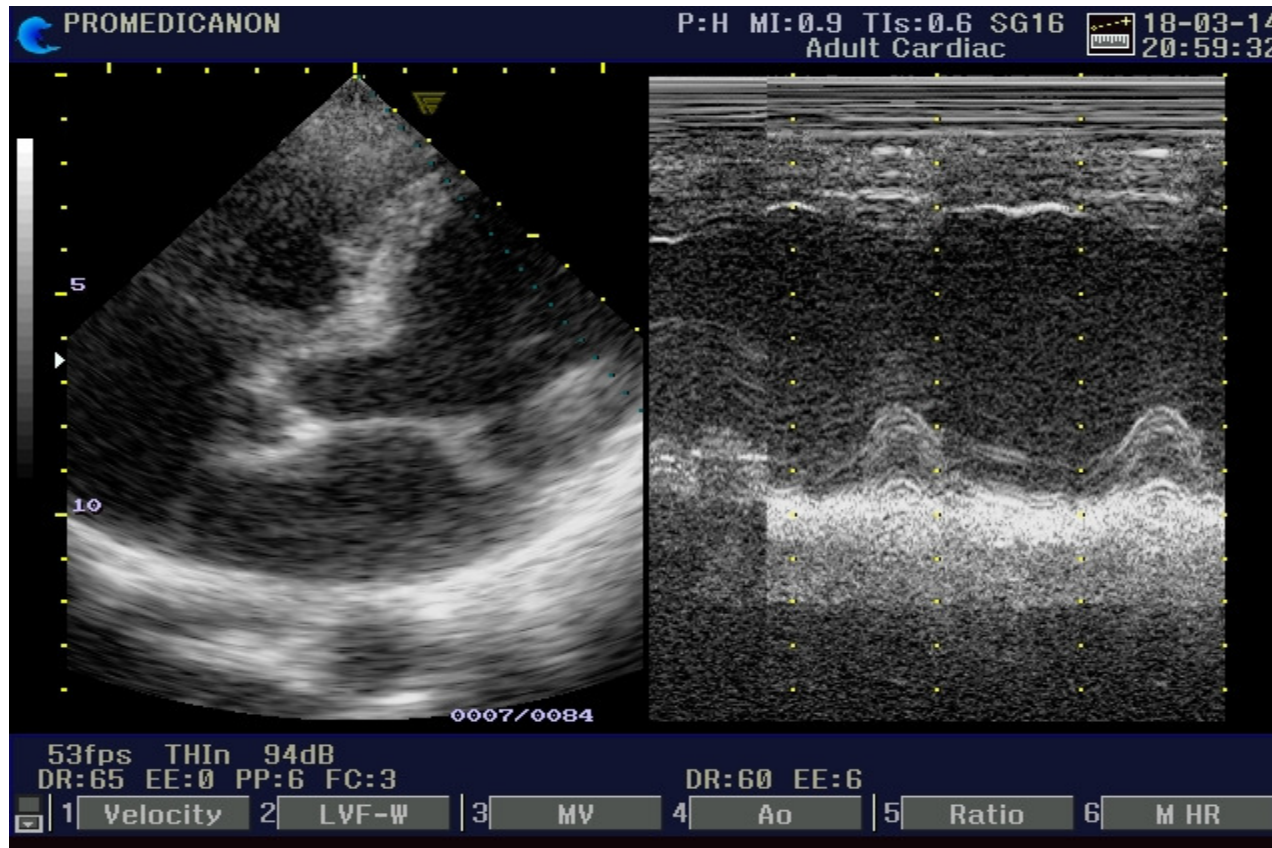


Evolution of LV diastolic dysfunction

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3. Echocardiography:

- **LV systolic dysfunction** : segmentary kinetics



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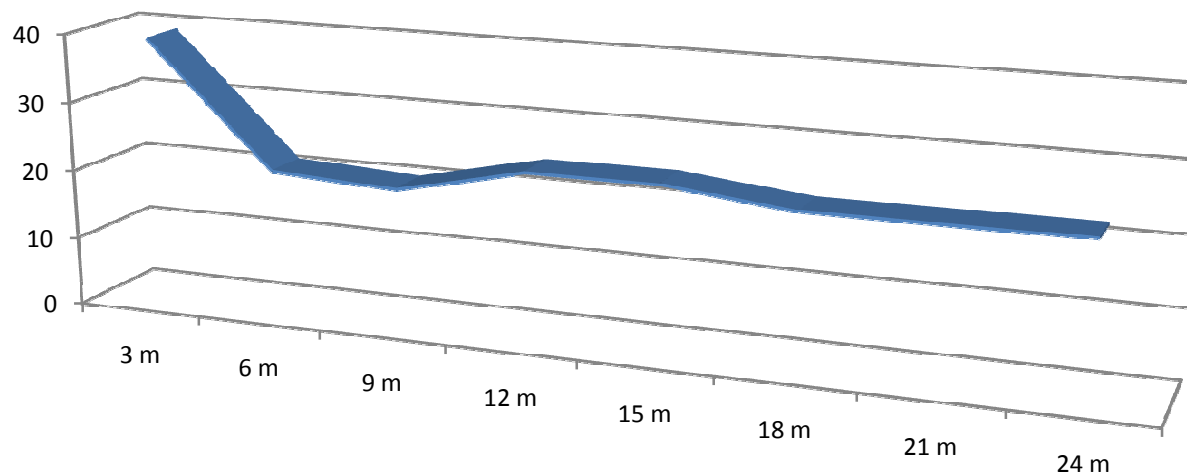
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3. Echocardiography : -28% improved LV EF (EF>30%)

-51% (1m) low EF

23% (24m)

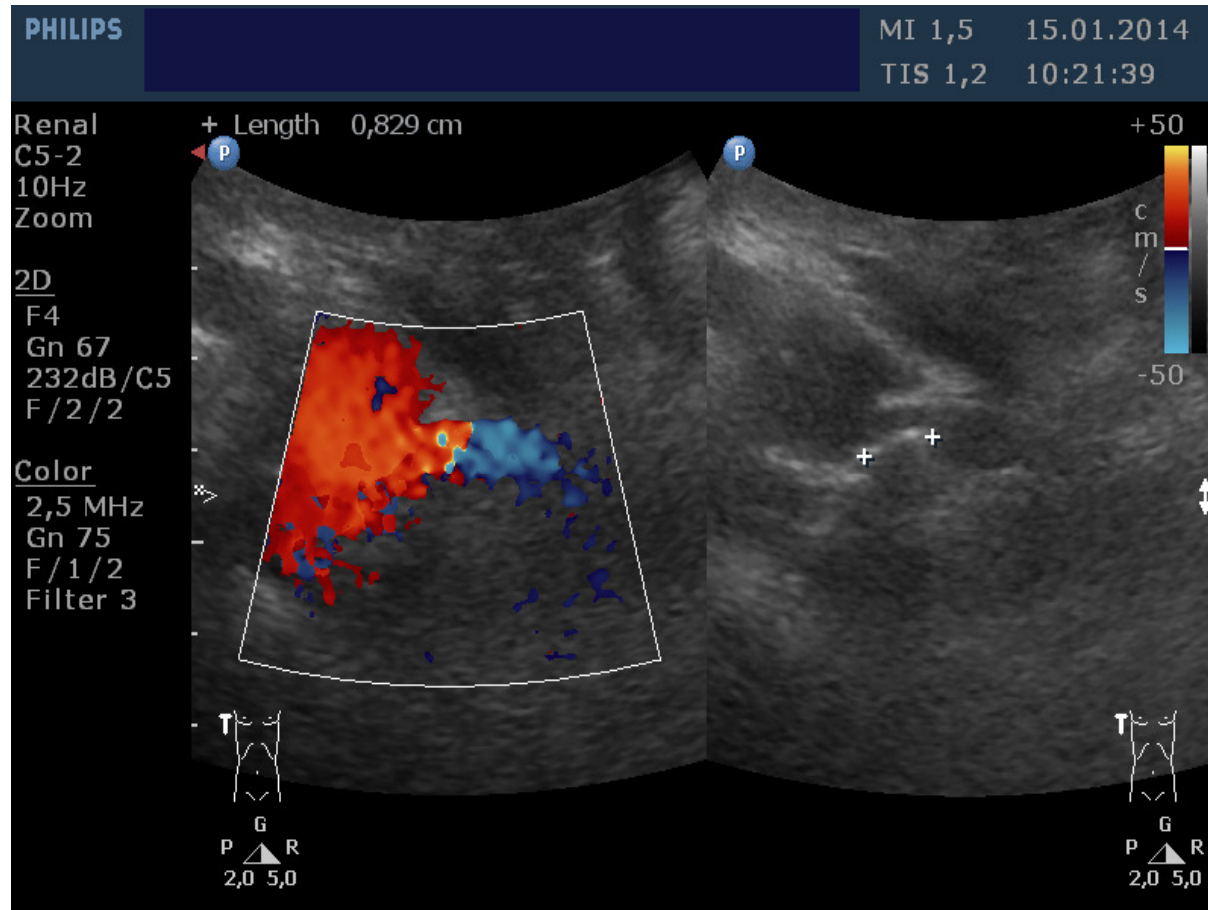
28%



Evolution of significant LV systolic dysfunction (EF < 30%)

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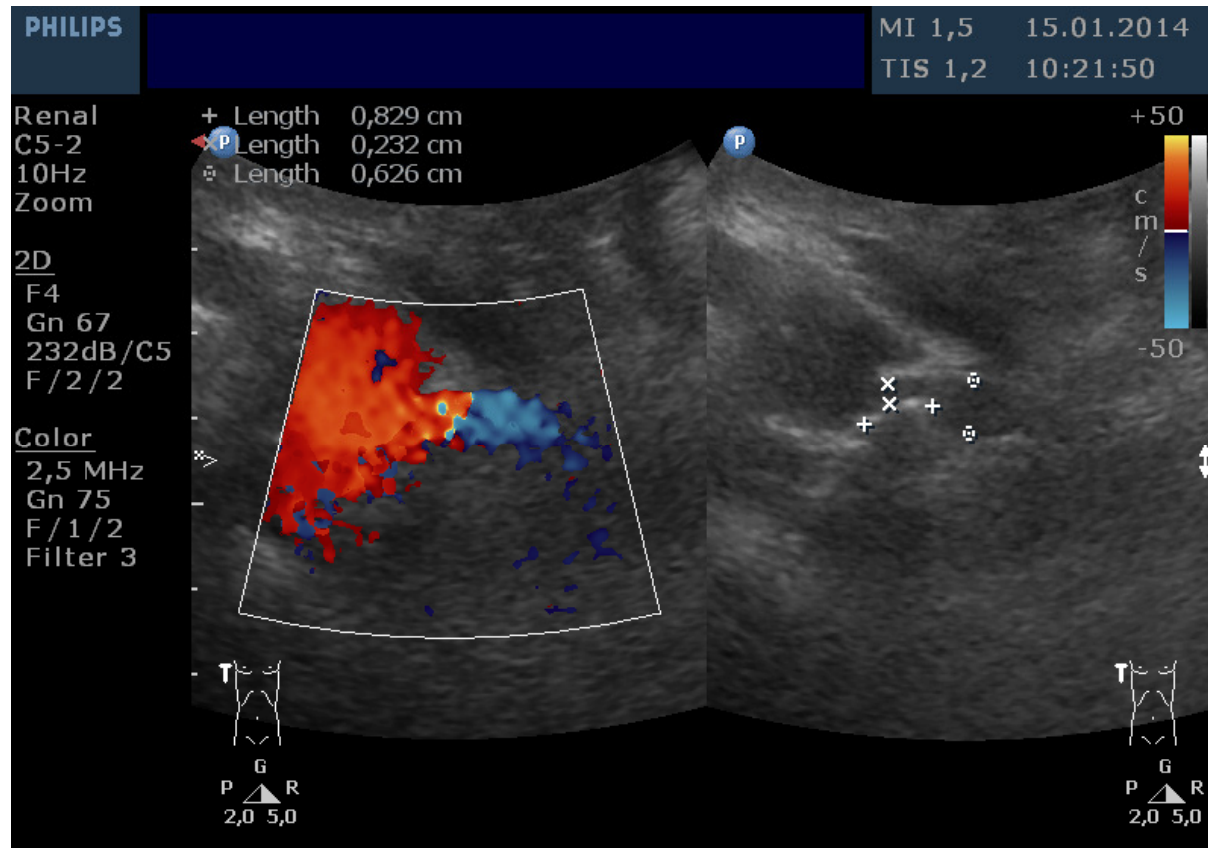
4. Renal arteries sonogram:



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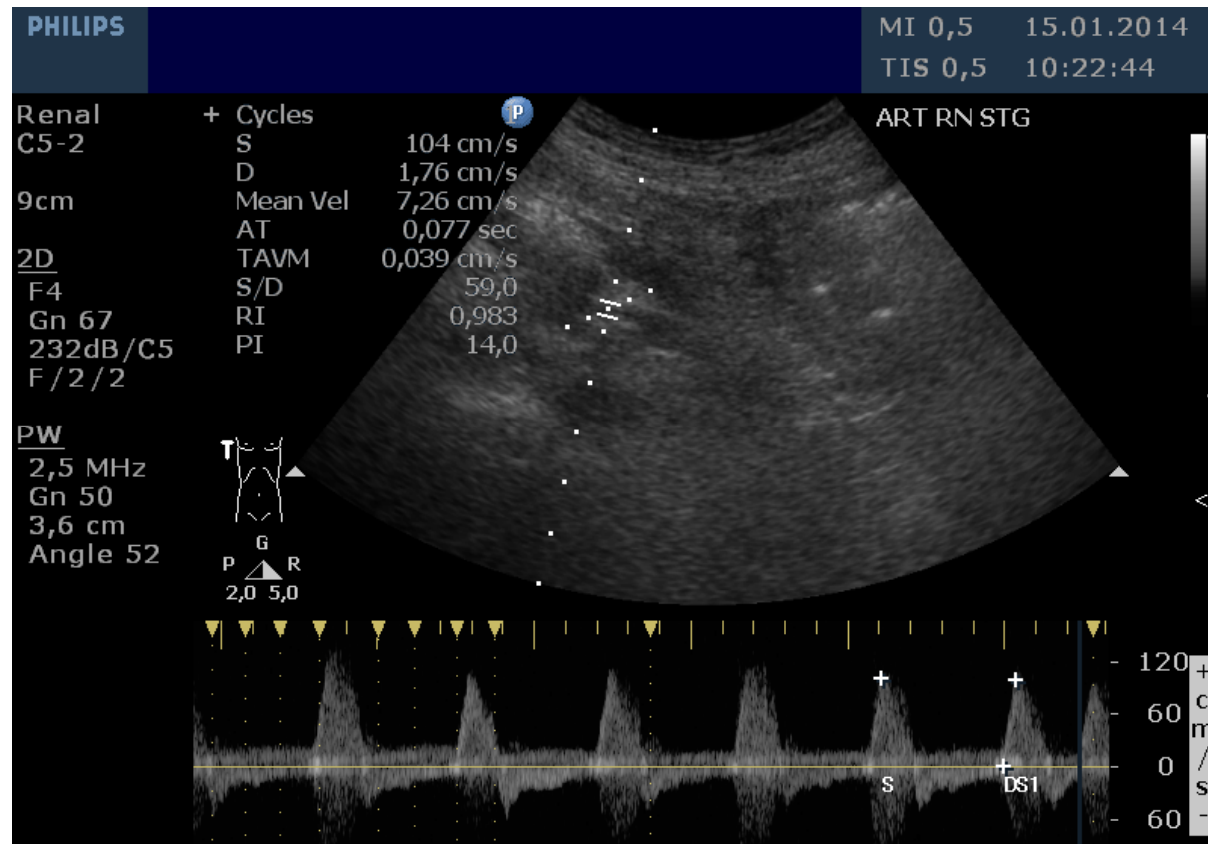
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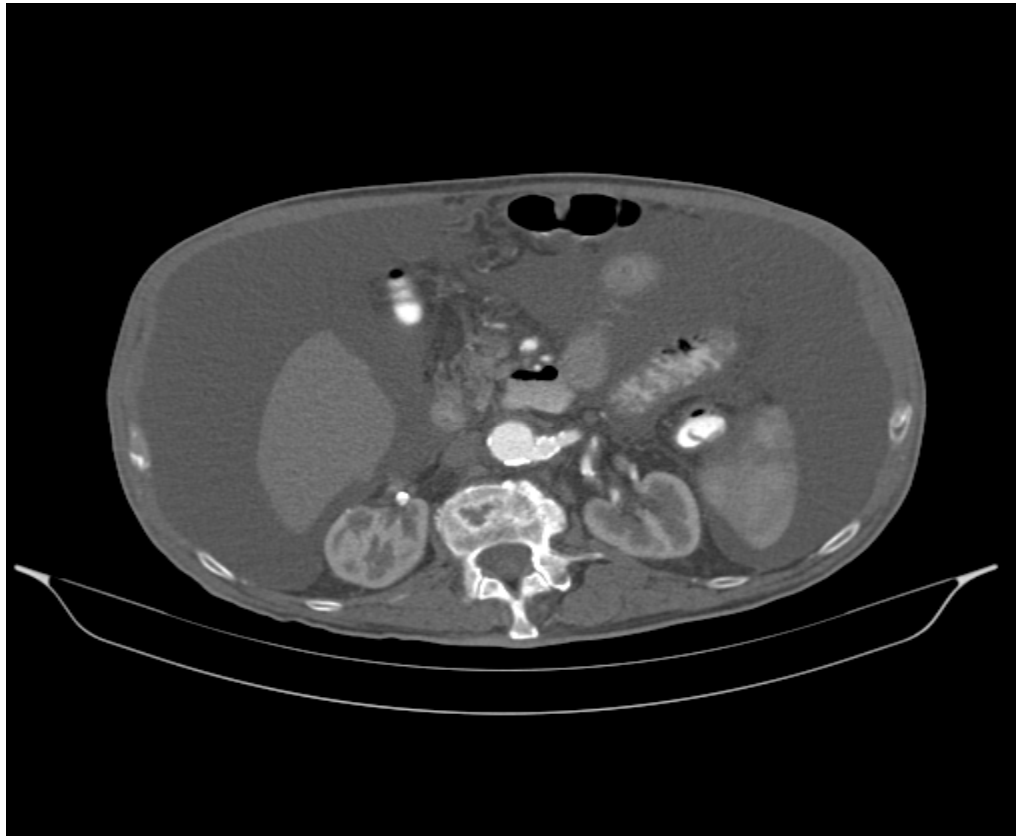
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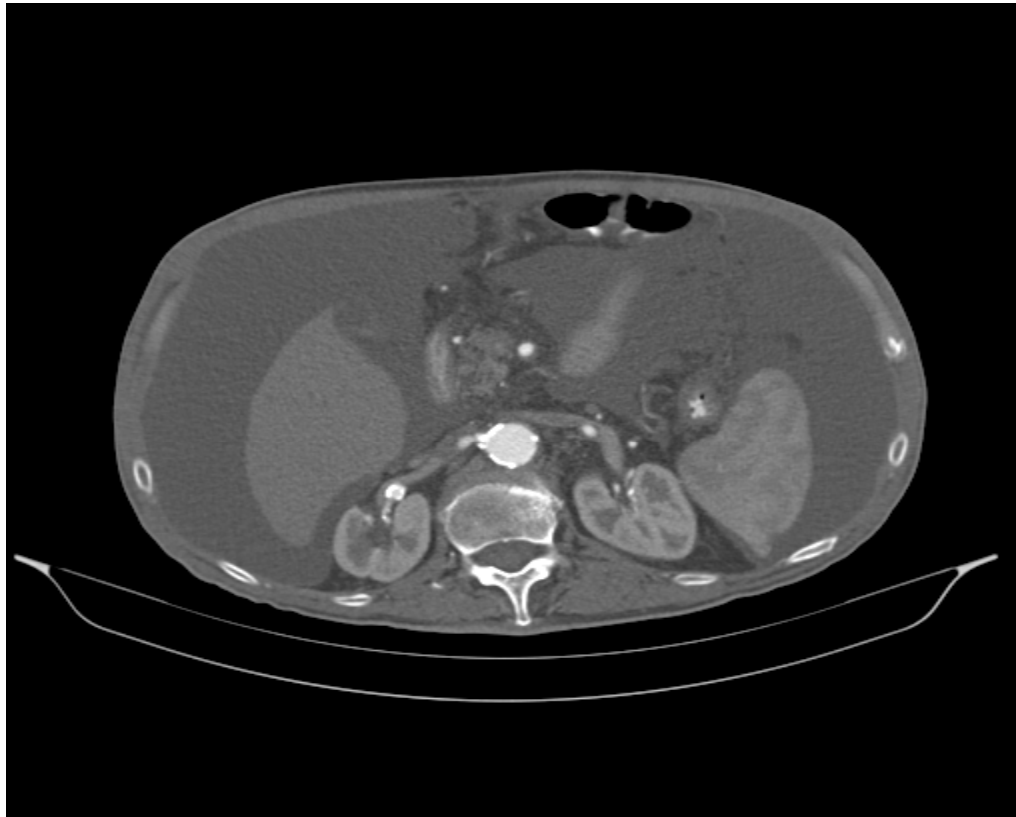
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5. Abdominal computed tomography angiogram



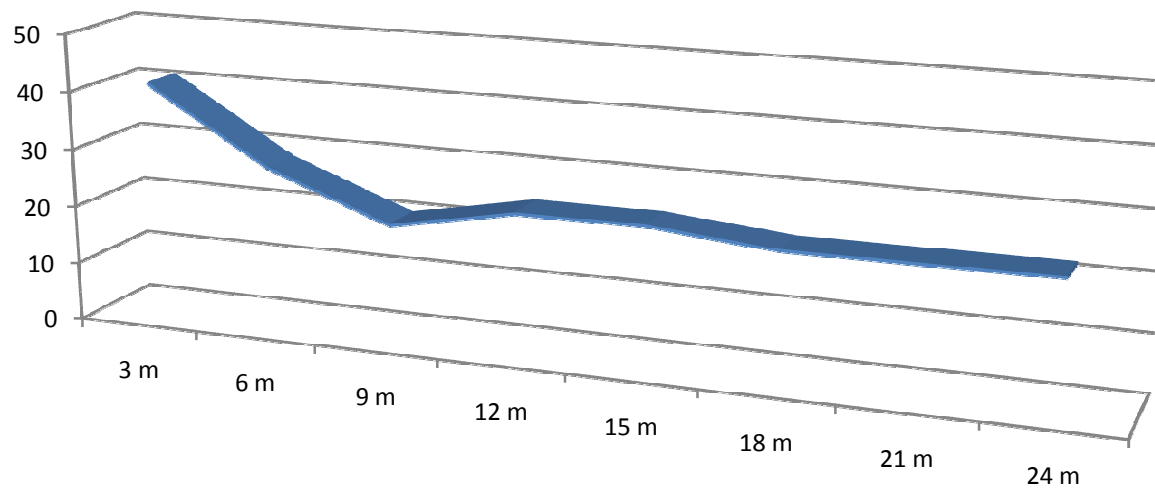
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6. Laboratory findings:- 25% improved Creatinine clearance

- 53% (1m) low Cr clearance 28% (24m)

25%

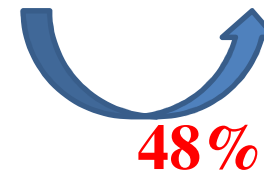


Evolution of reduced Creatinine clearance

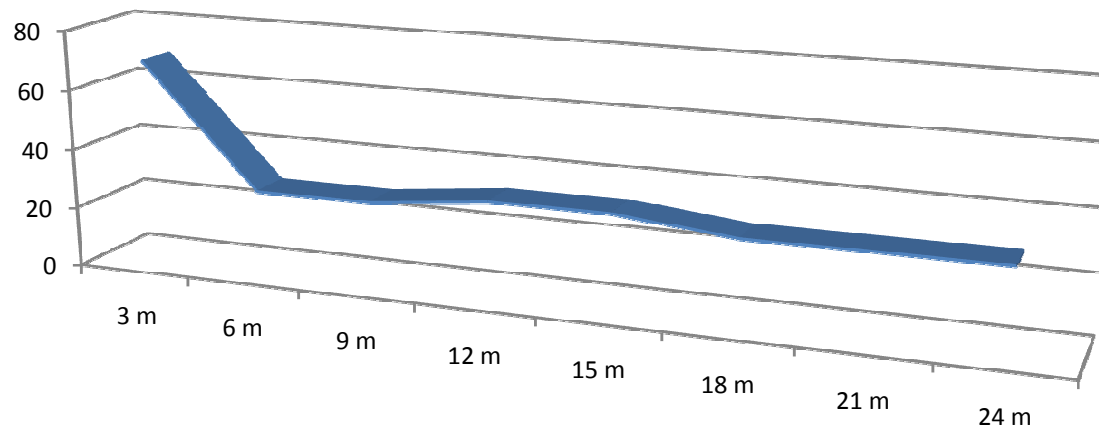
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6. Laboratory findings: -48% diminished hs CRP (24m)

-high hsCRP 78% (1m) 30% (24 m)



-30% high hs CRP/ 28% low Creatinine clearance(p=0.006)



Evolution of pathological hs-CRP values

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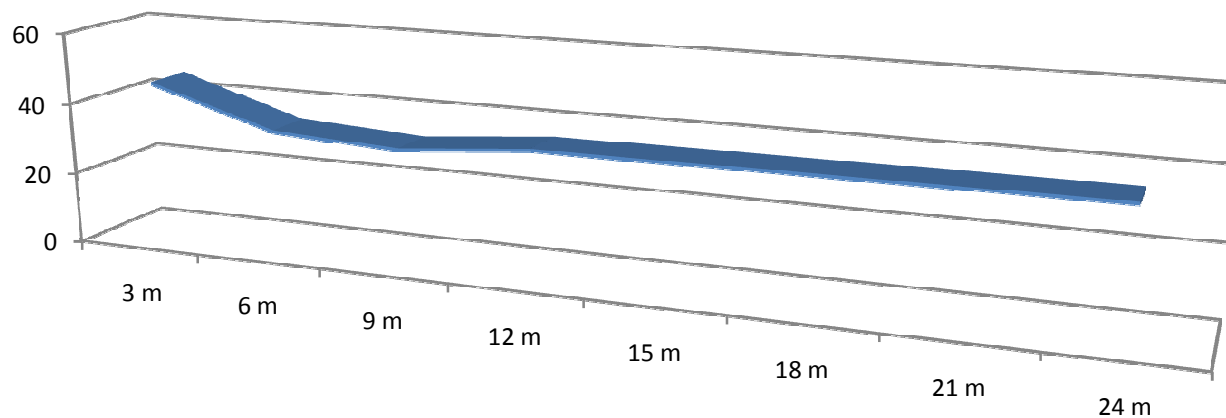
6.Laboratory findings :-12% diminished microA uria(24m)

-micro A uria 58%(1m)

46%(24 m)




-46% micro Auria / 28% low Creatinine clearance (p=0.004)



Evolution of pathological micro Auria

CONCLUSIONS

1. After 24 m:
 - improved LV EF** **28%**
 - improved LV diastolic function** **34%**
 - diminished LVH (mass)** **19%**
 - improved Creatinine clearance** **25%**
 - diminished hs CRP** **48%**
 - diminished microA uria** **12%**
2. **hs CRP = a better prognosis marker then microAuria**
30% high hs CRP / 46% microAuria / 28% low Creatinine clearance
3. **Originality : dental treatment**  **renovascular hypertension prognosis**
4. Future direction: **analysis of the renal artery atheromatous plaque(biopsy)**

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