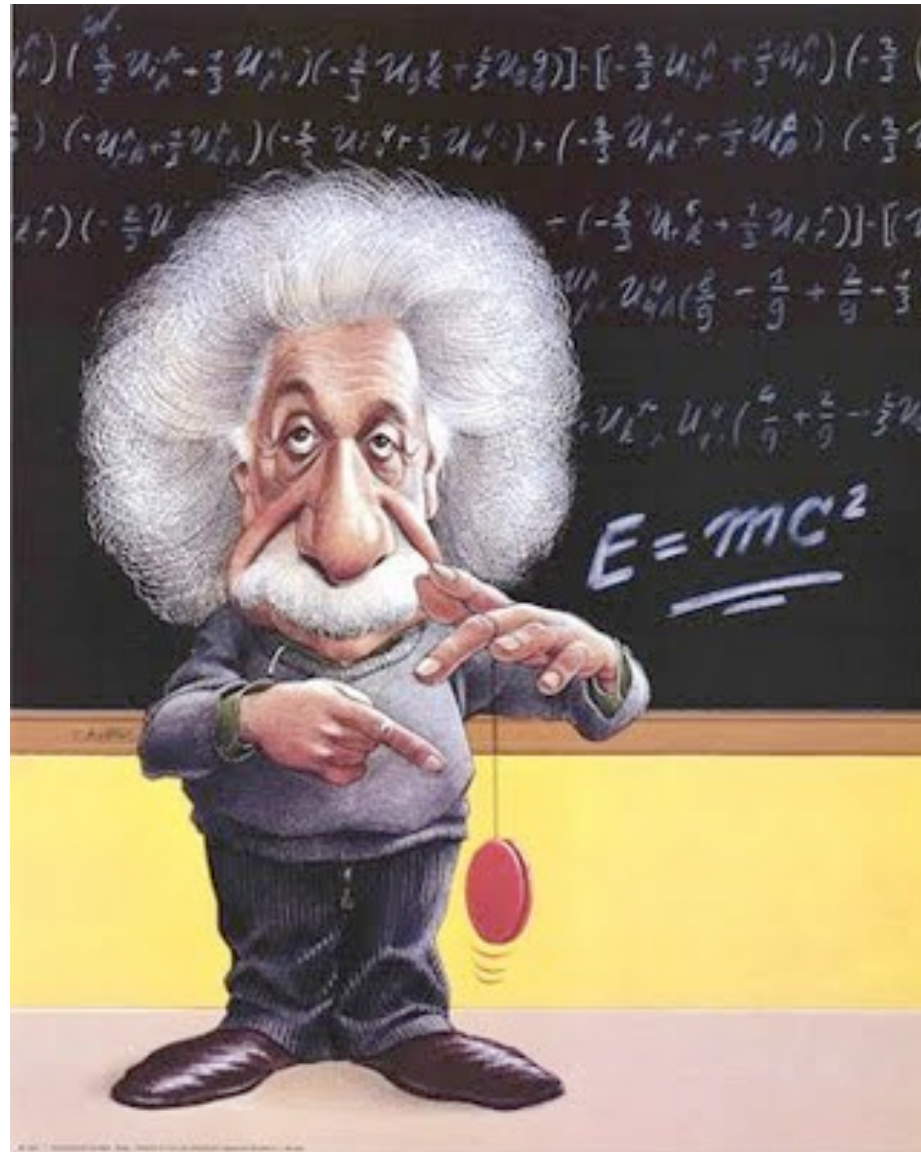
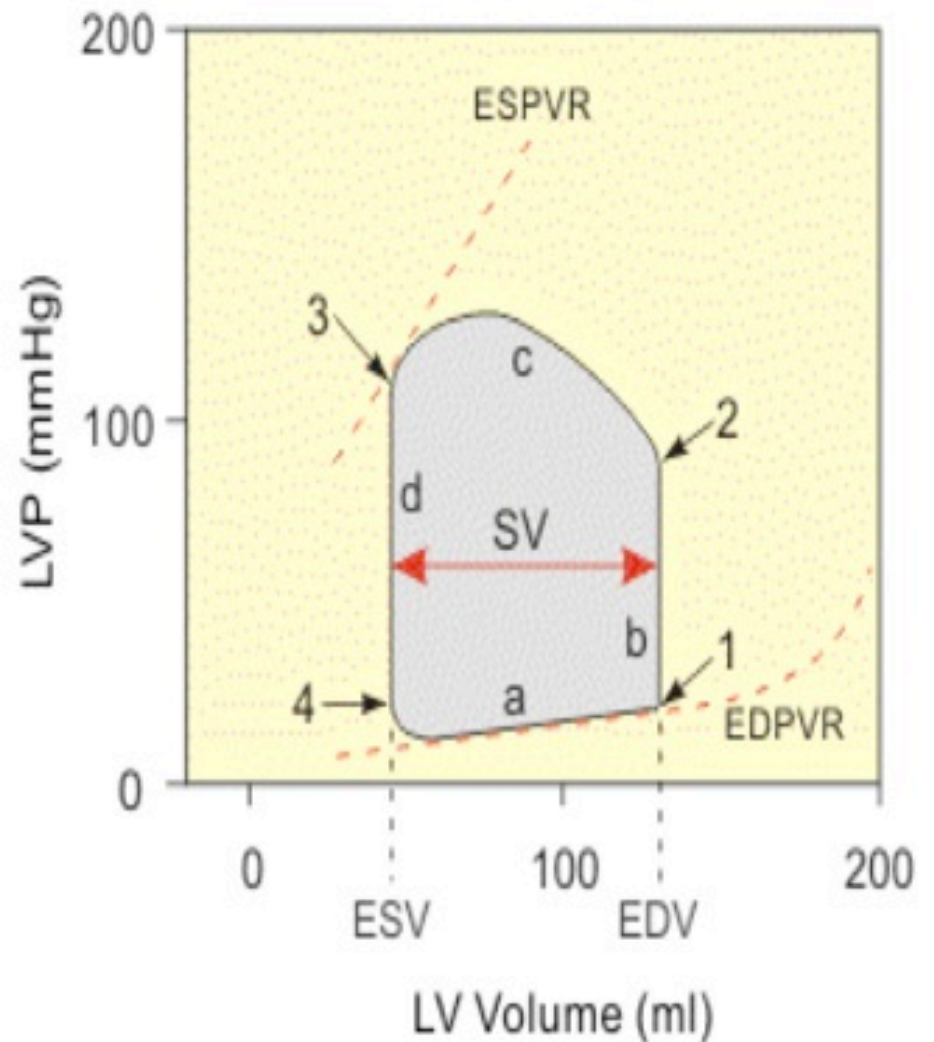
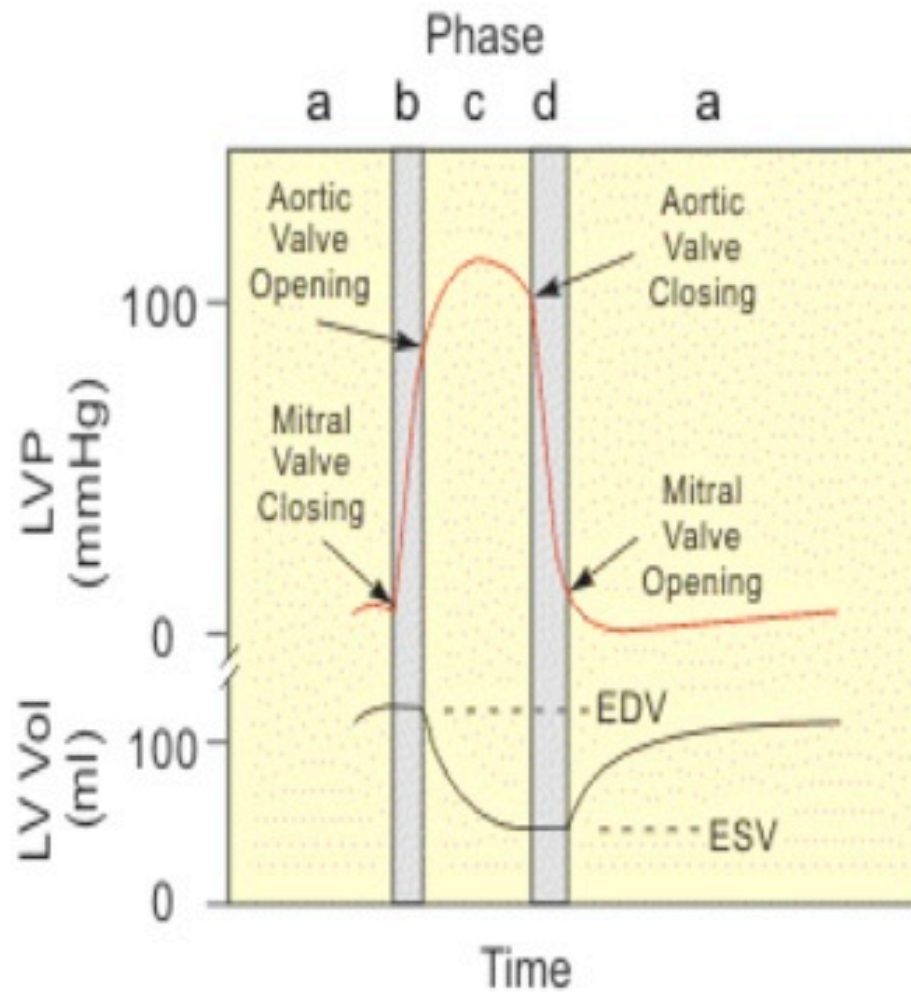


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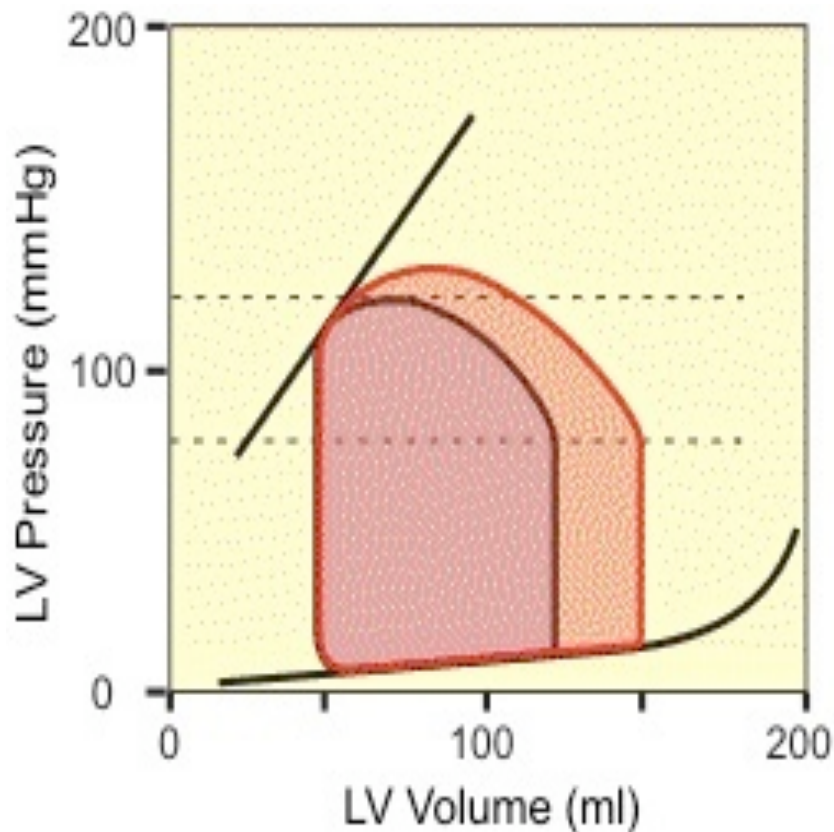


# LV Pressure Volume Loops

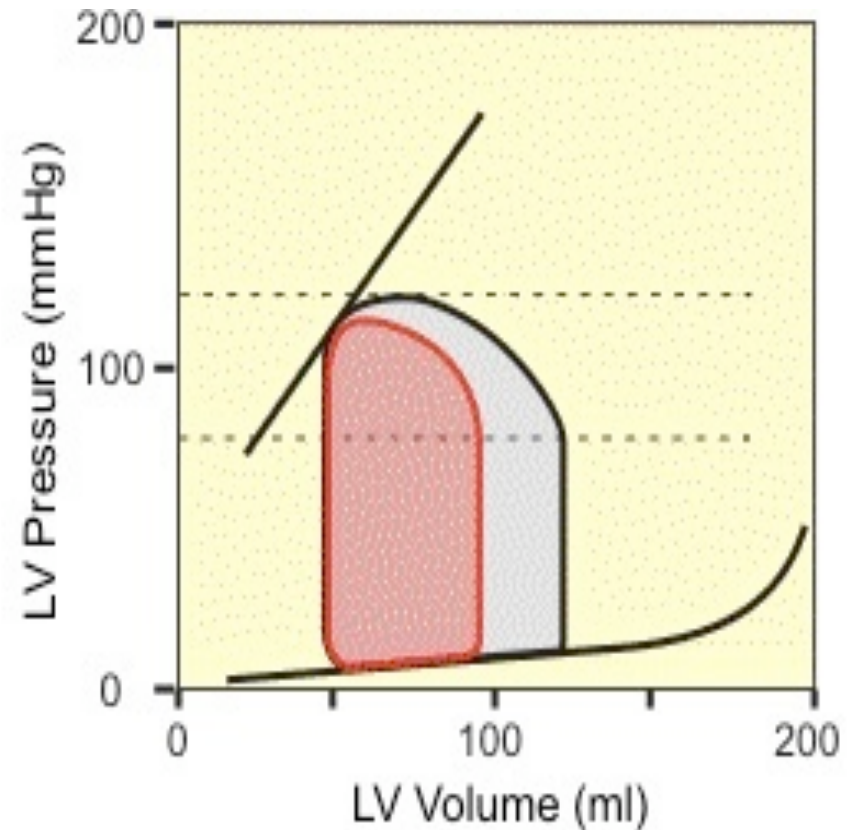


# Effect of Acute Changes in Preload

## Increasing preload



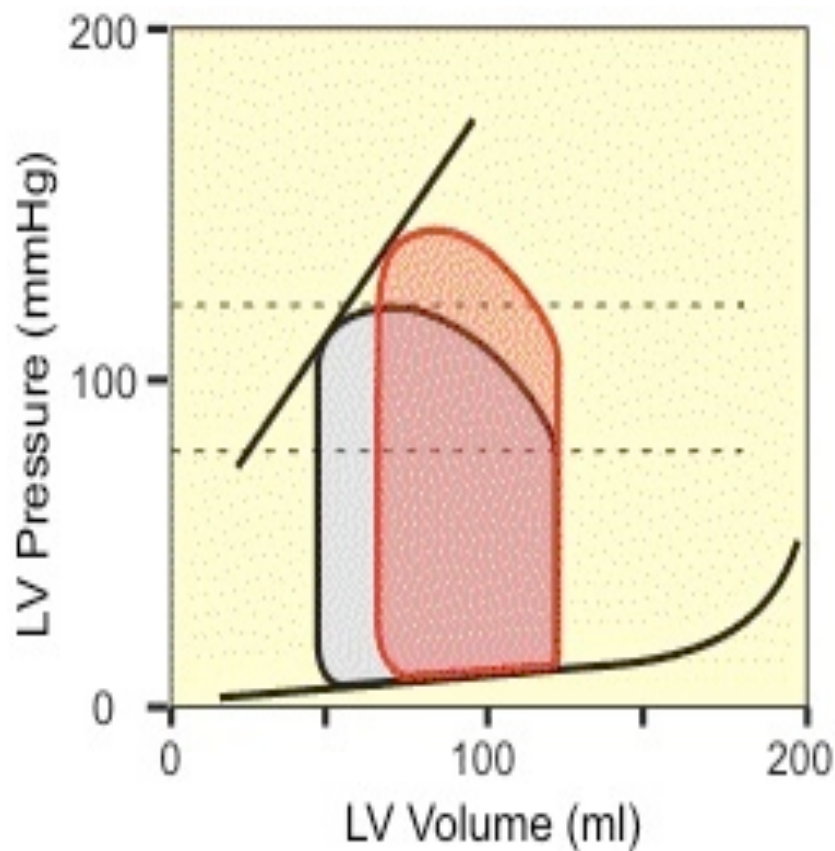
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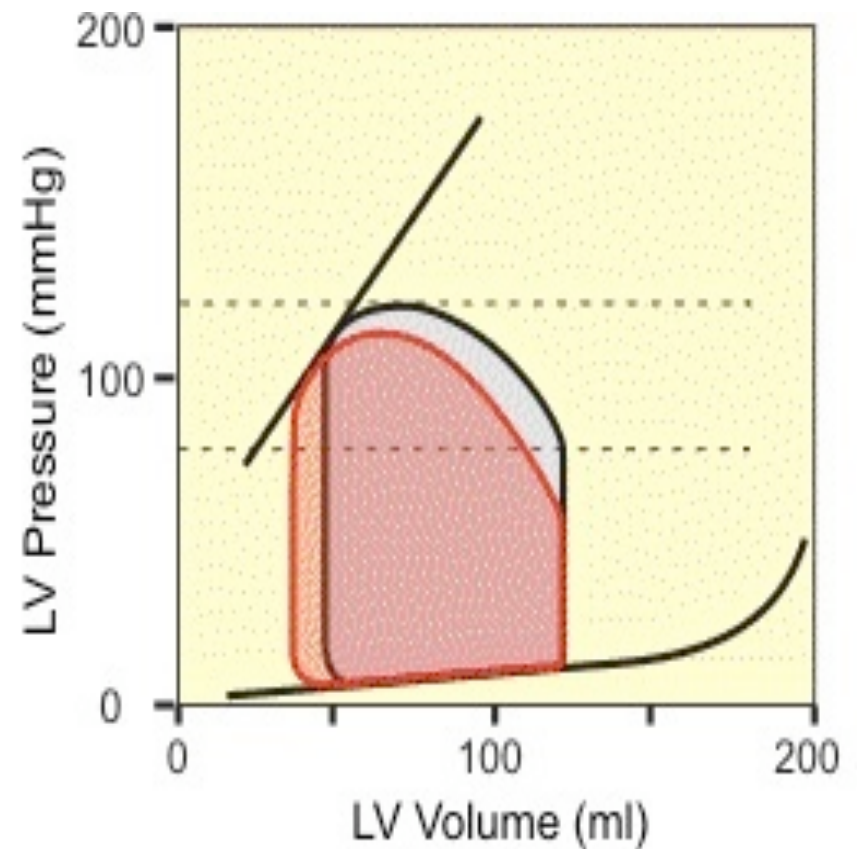


# Effect of Acute Changes in Afterload

Increasing afterload

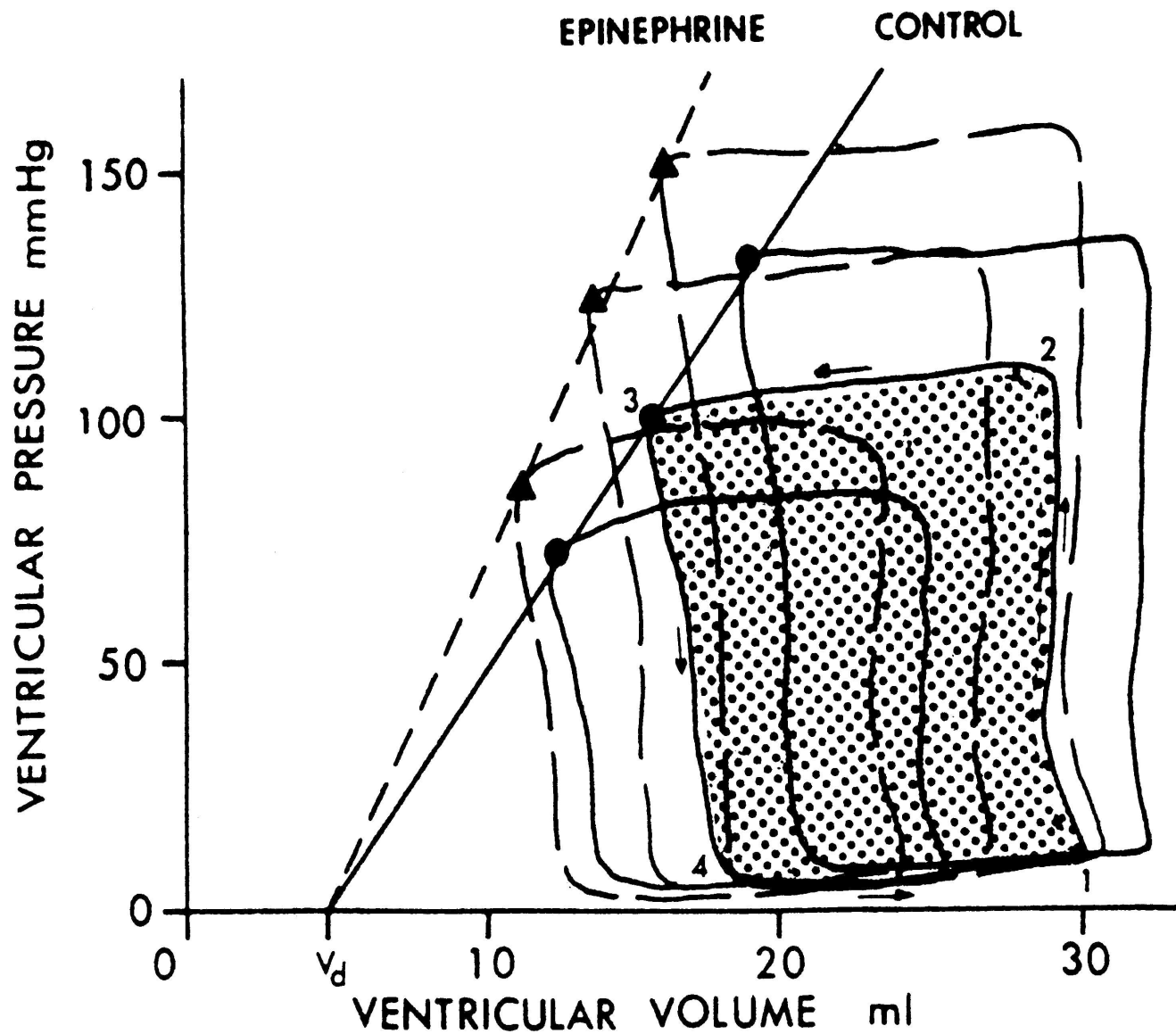


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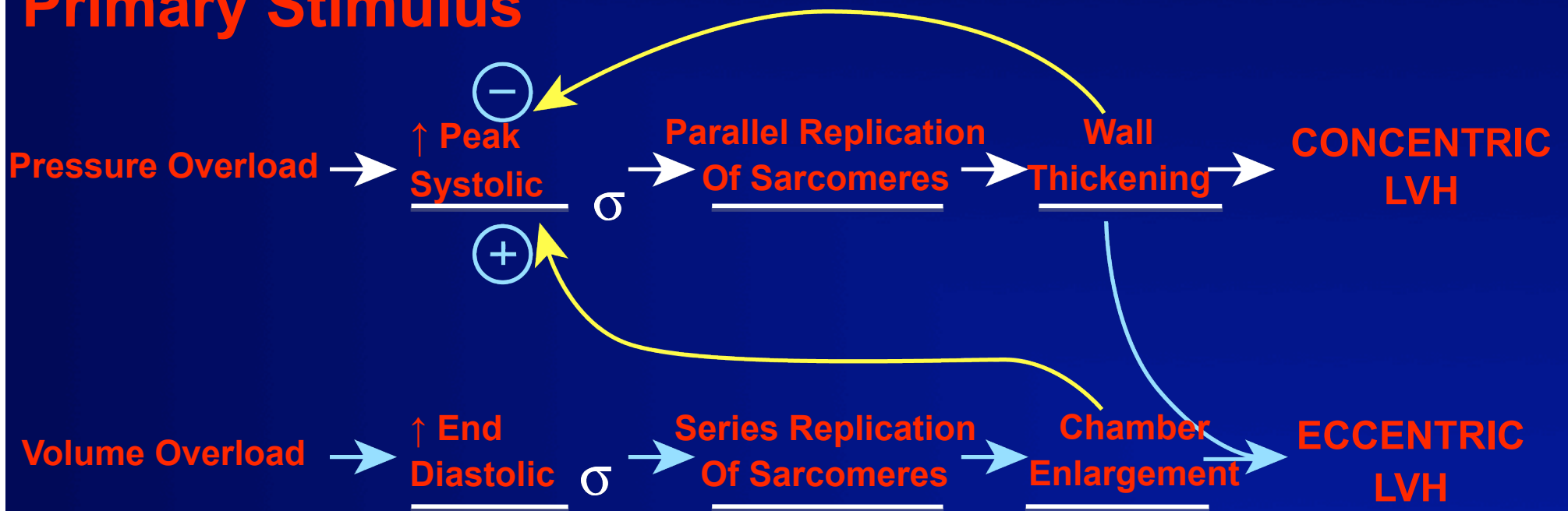


# Assessment of LV Contractility: LV $E_{\max}$

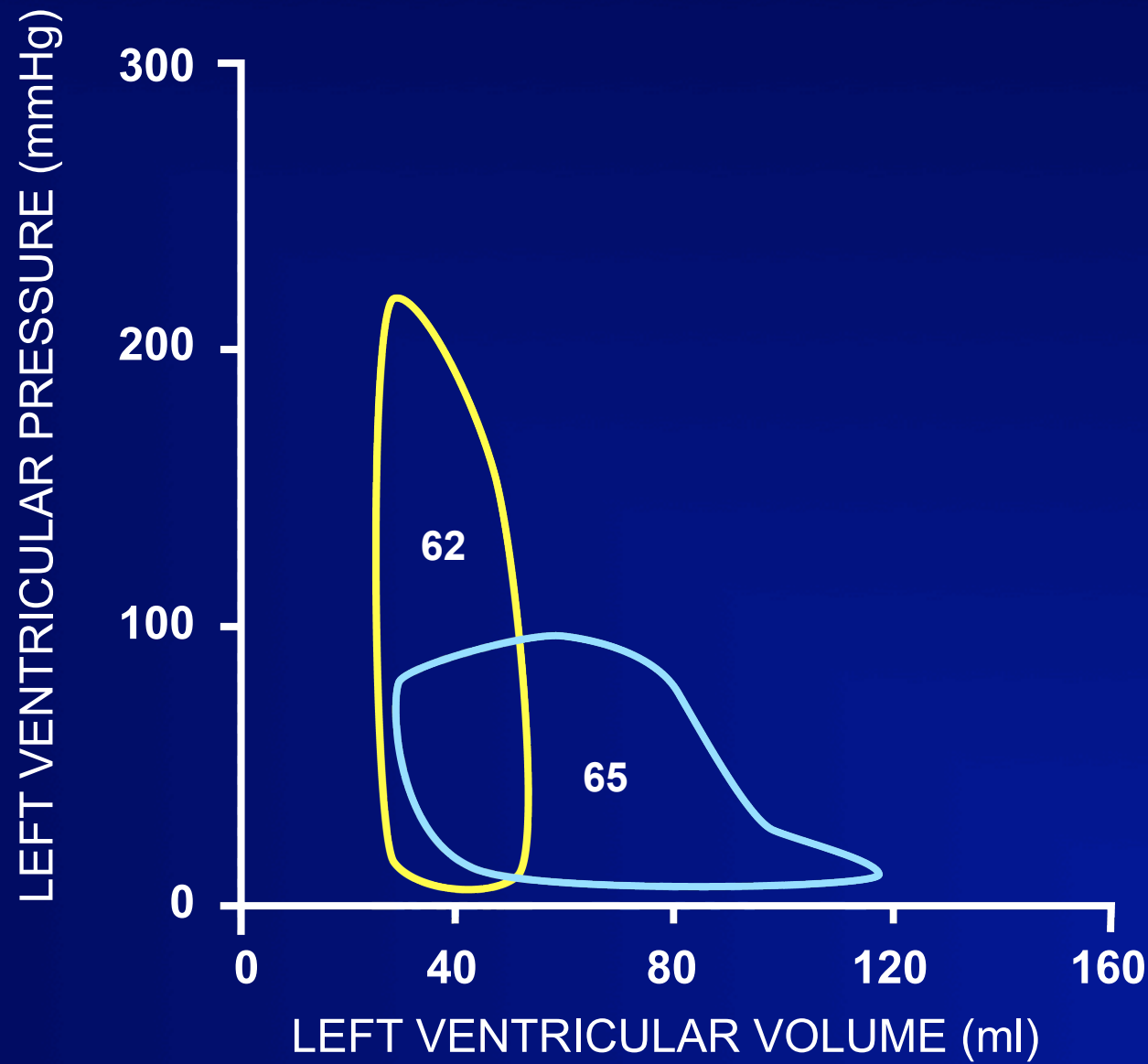


# Effects of Chronic Increases in Preload or Afterload on LV Hypertrophy Pattern

## Primary Stimulus



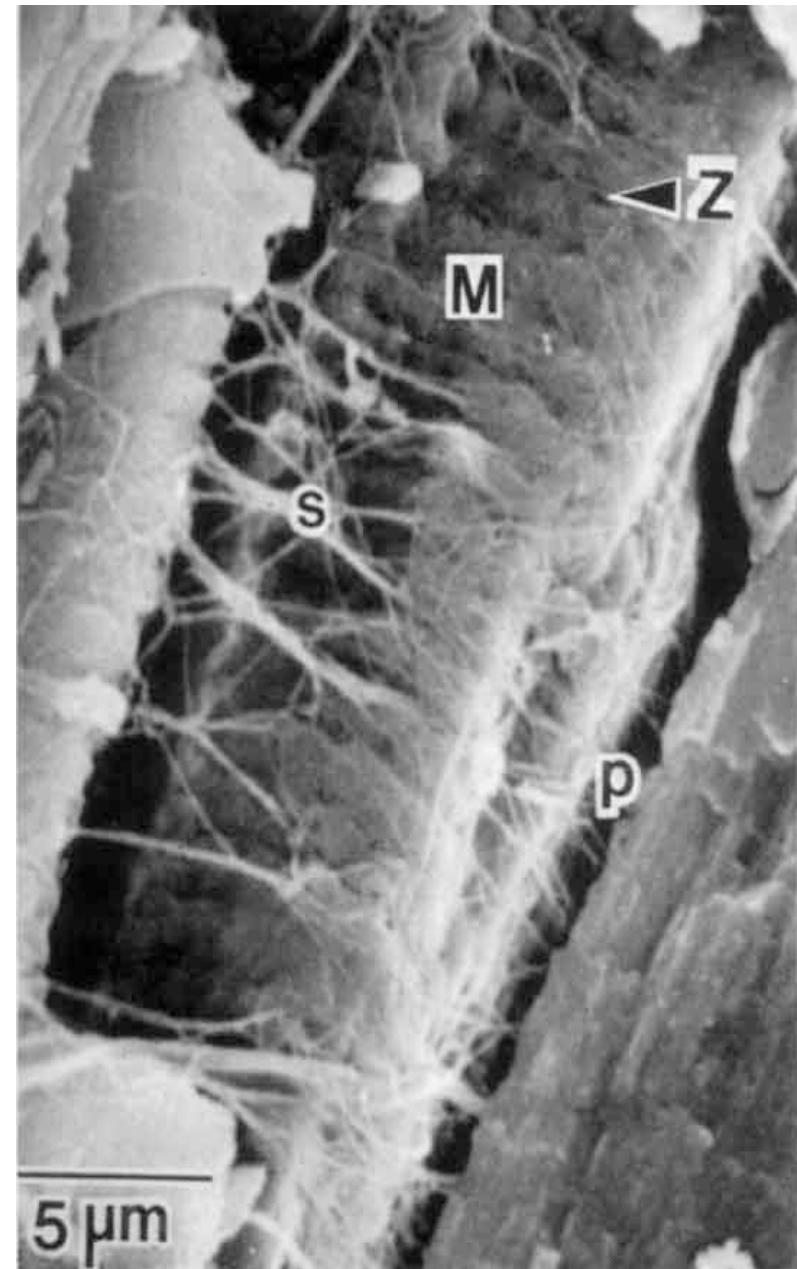
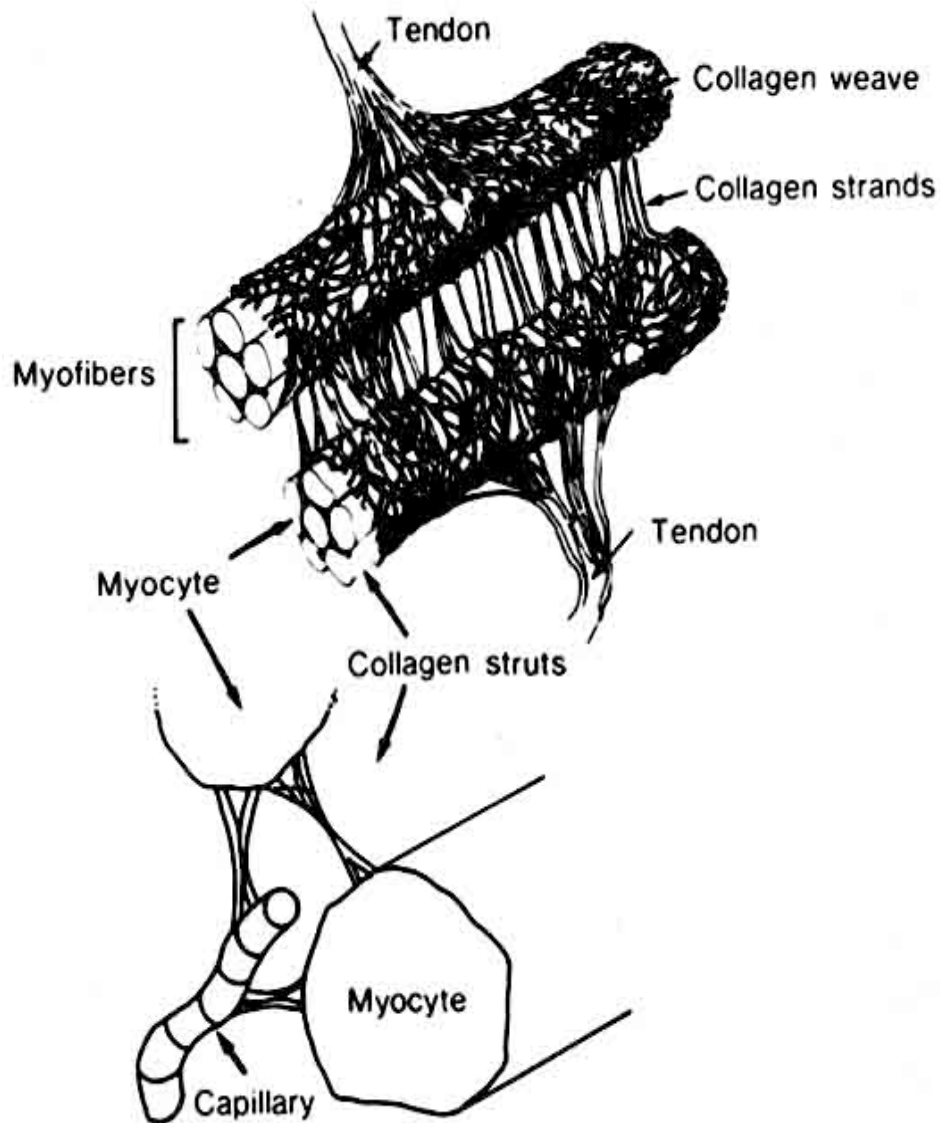
Grossman 1980, Am J Med



Carabello et al 1992, Am J Physiol

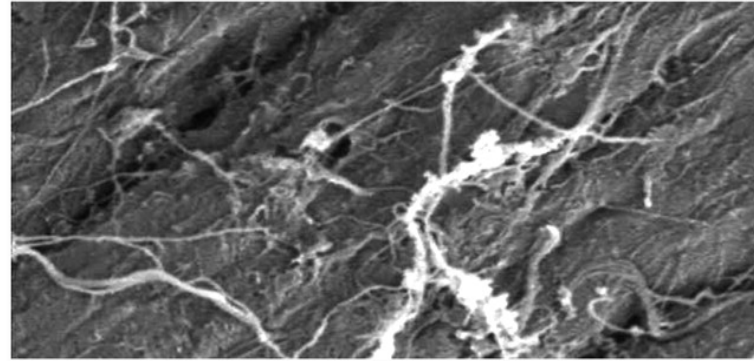
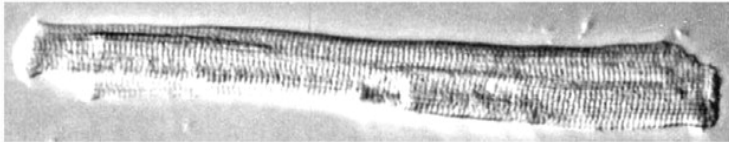


# Collagen Skeleton of the Heart

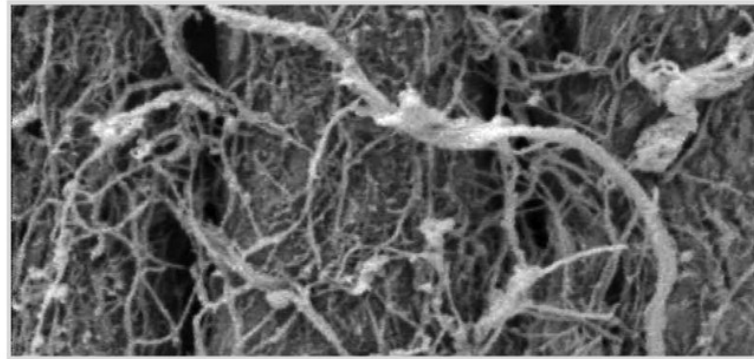
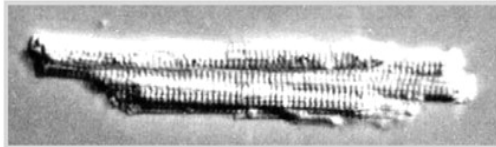


# Diastolic Dysfunction

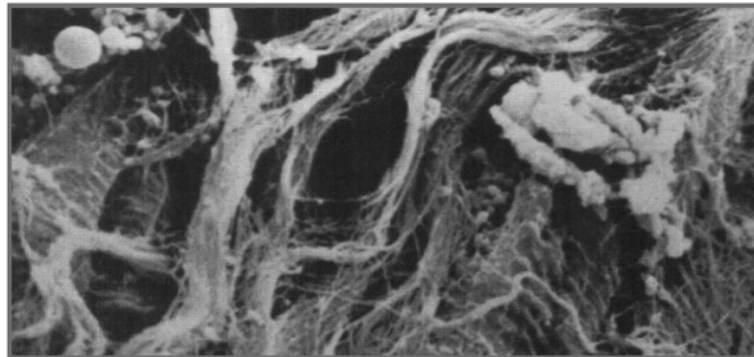
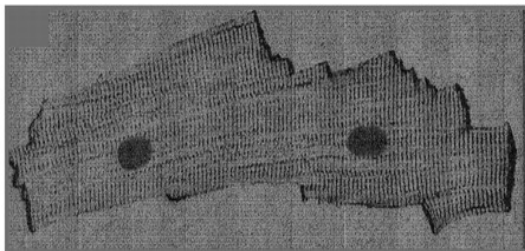
DCM-Systolic Heart Failure

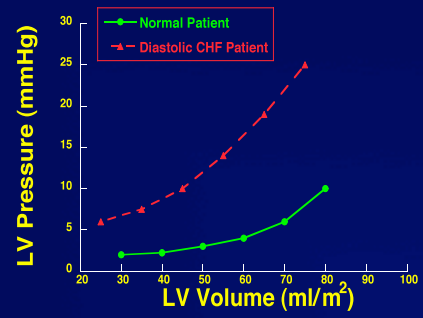


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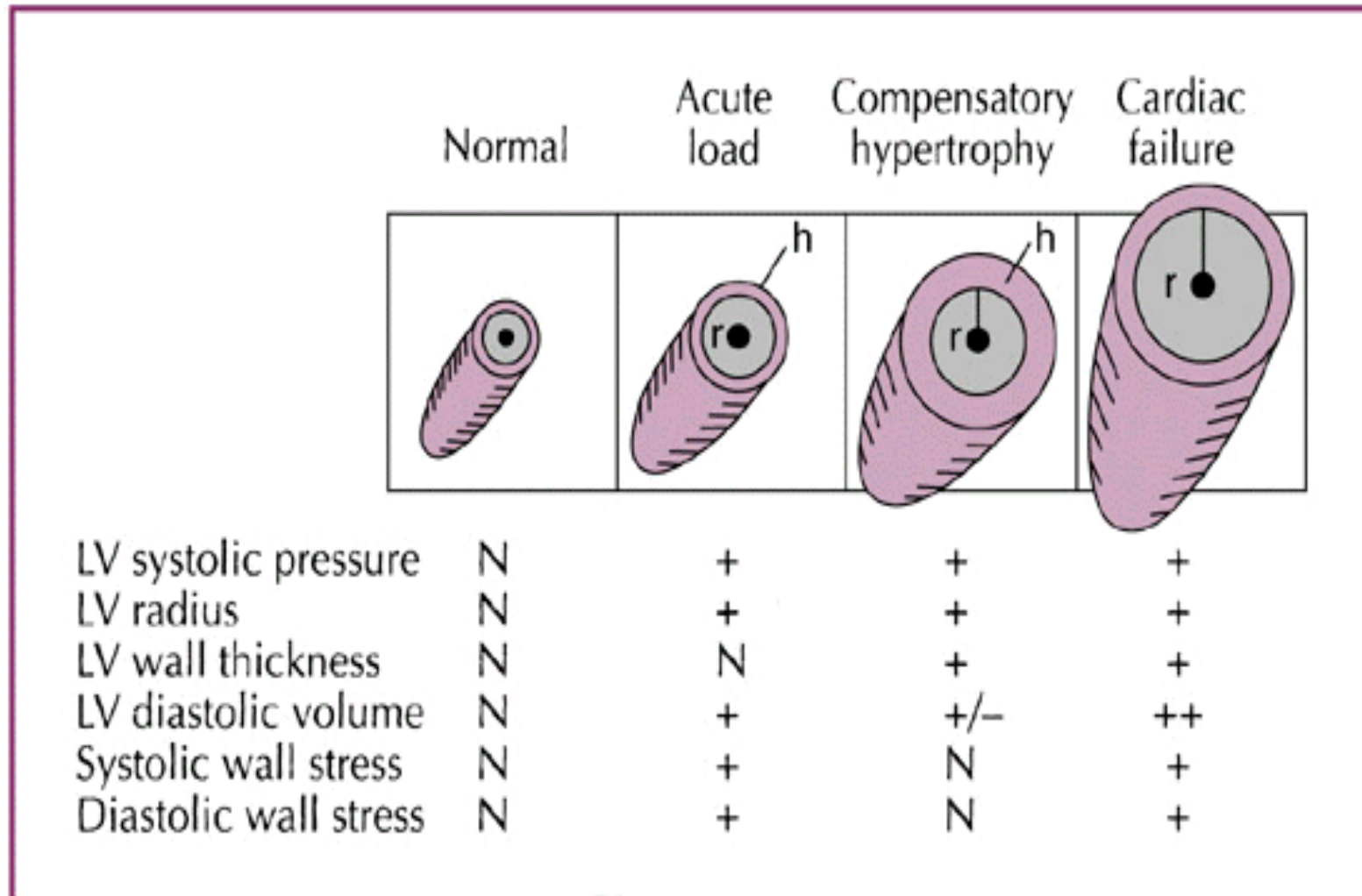
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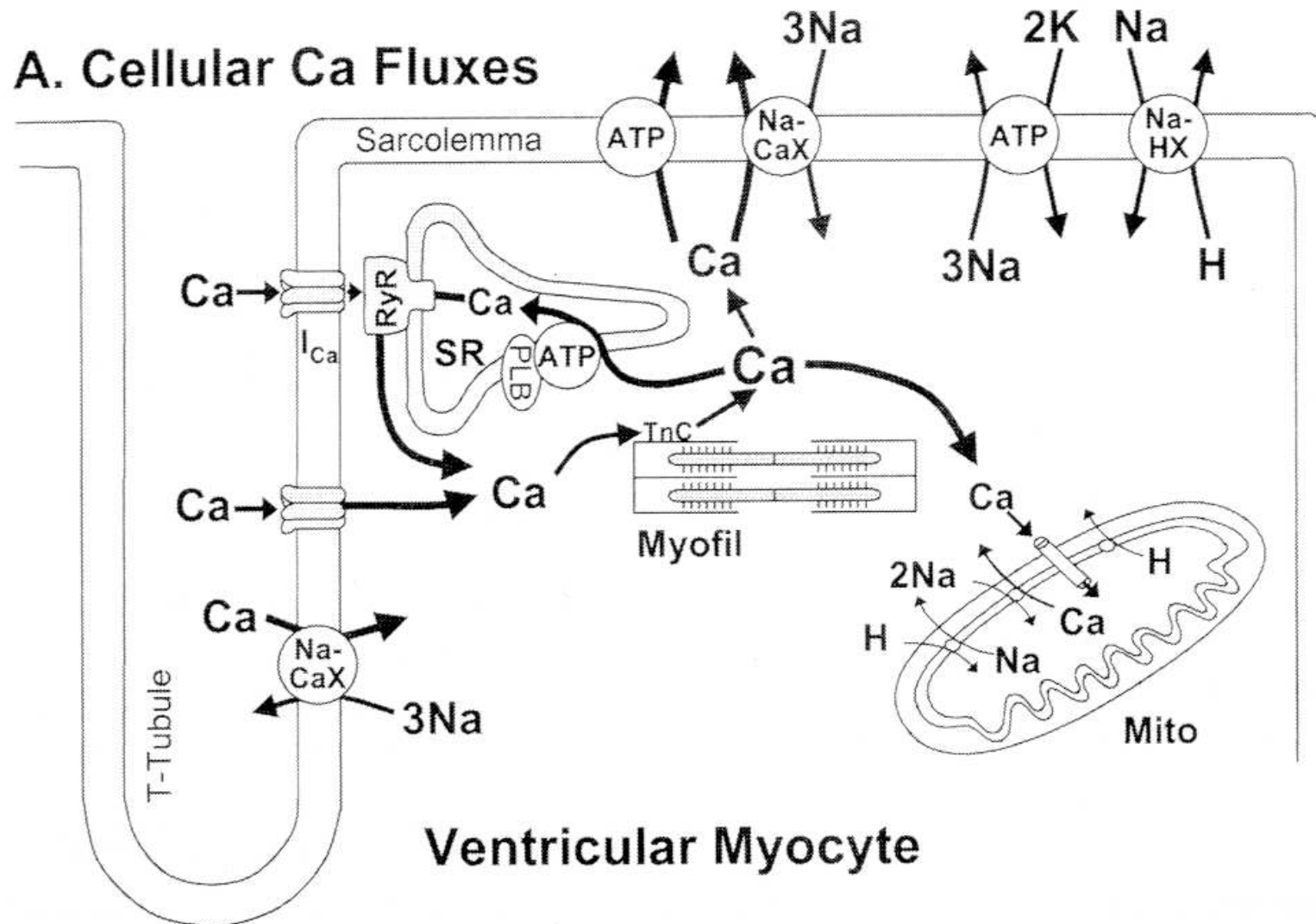




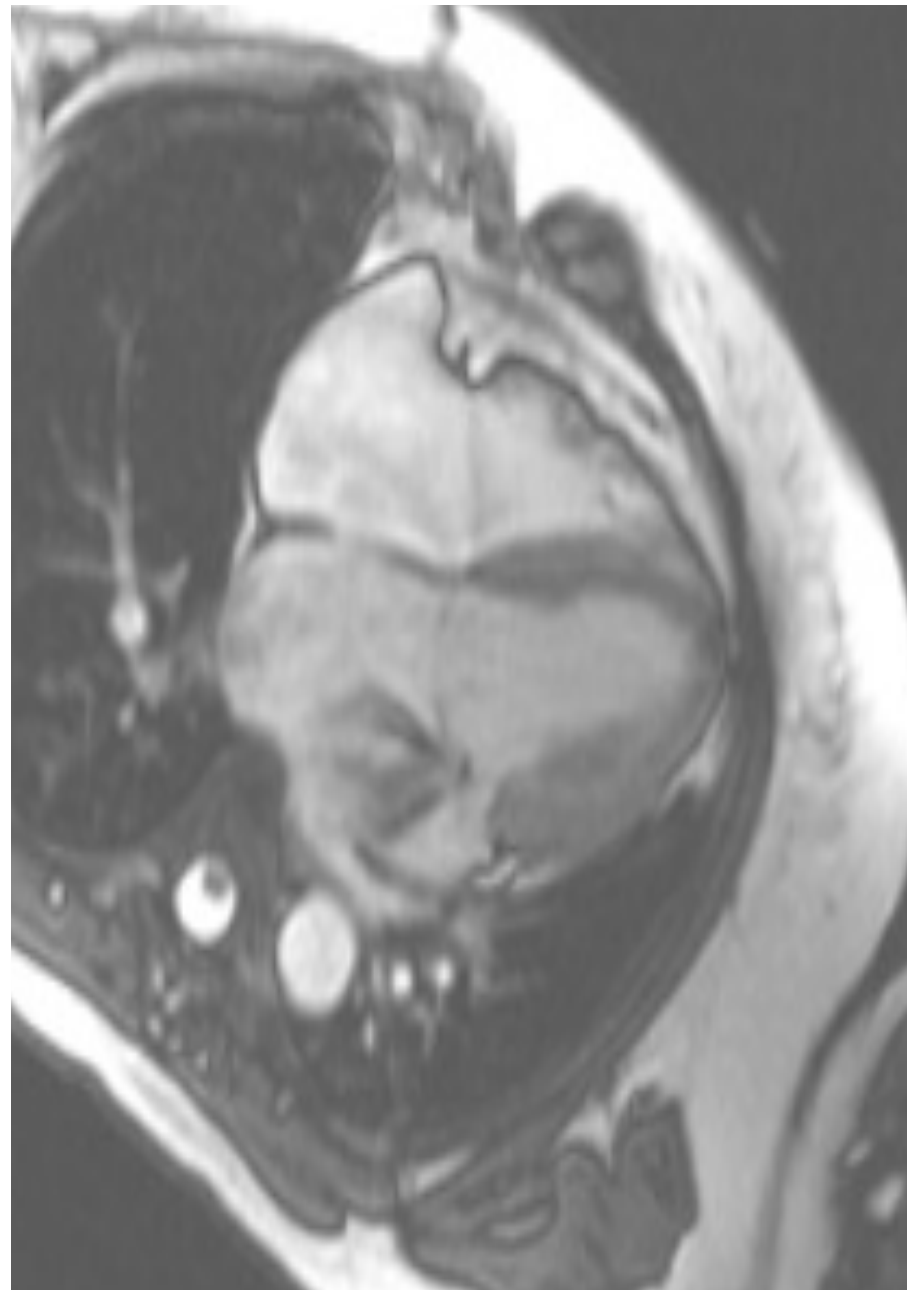
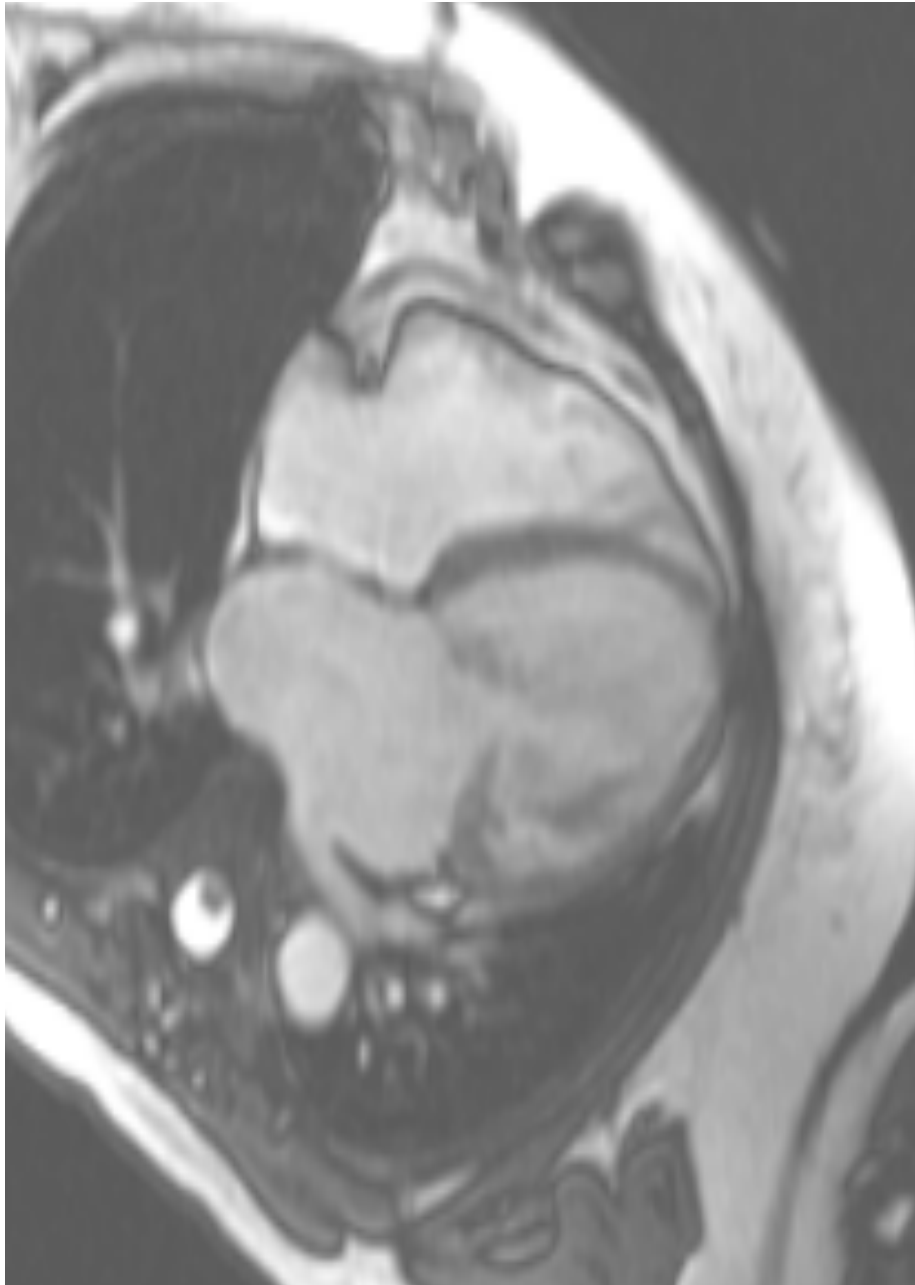
# Transition to Heart Failure



# Calcium Homeostasis in Cardiomyocyte



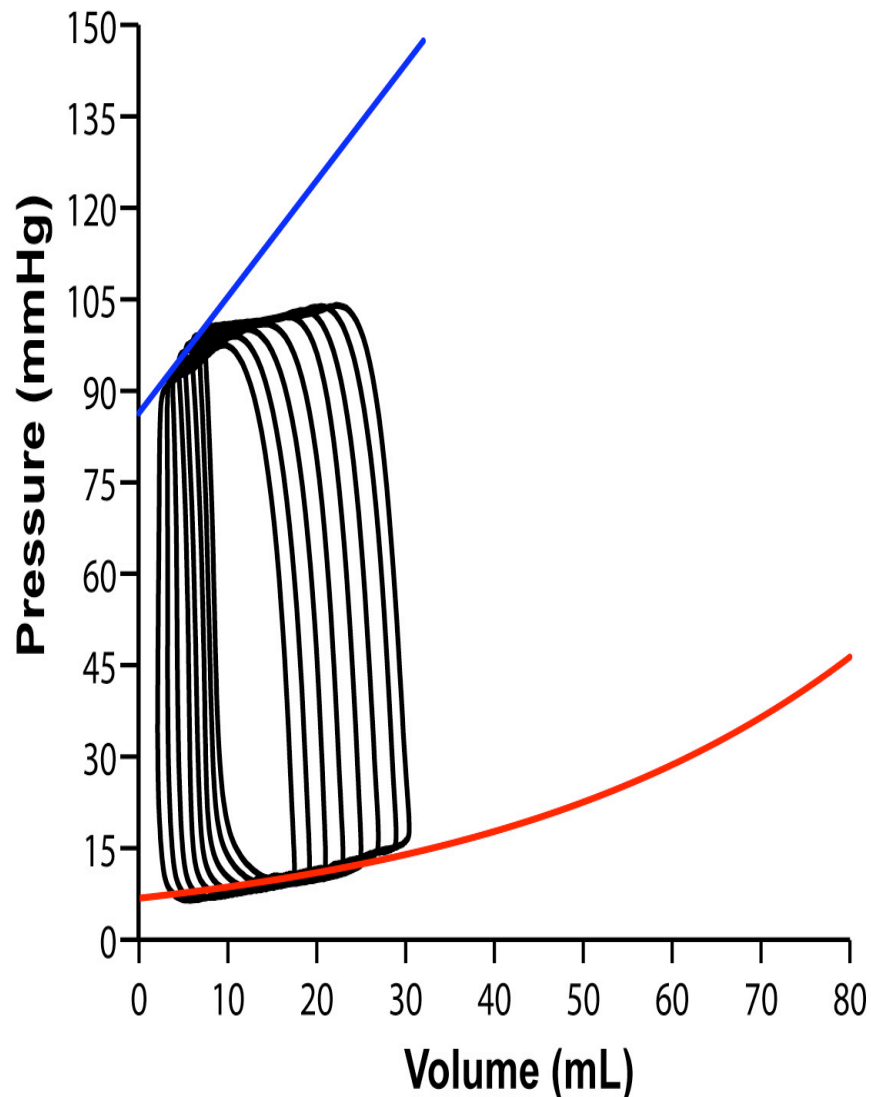
# Patient with Isolated MR



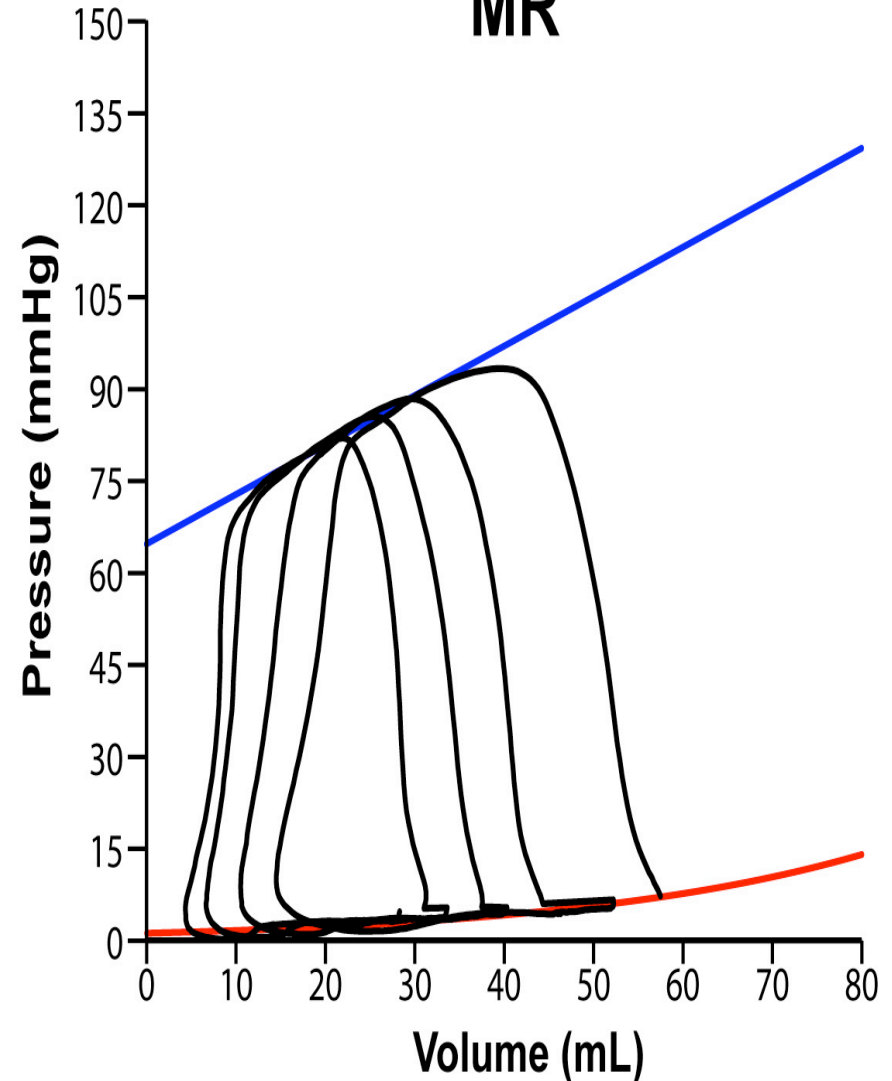


# Ejection Dynamics in Chronic MR: Decreased LV $E_{\max}$ Despite Normal LVEF

**NORMAL**



**MR**

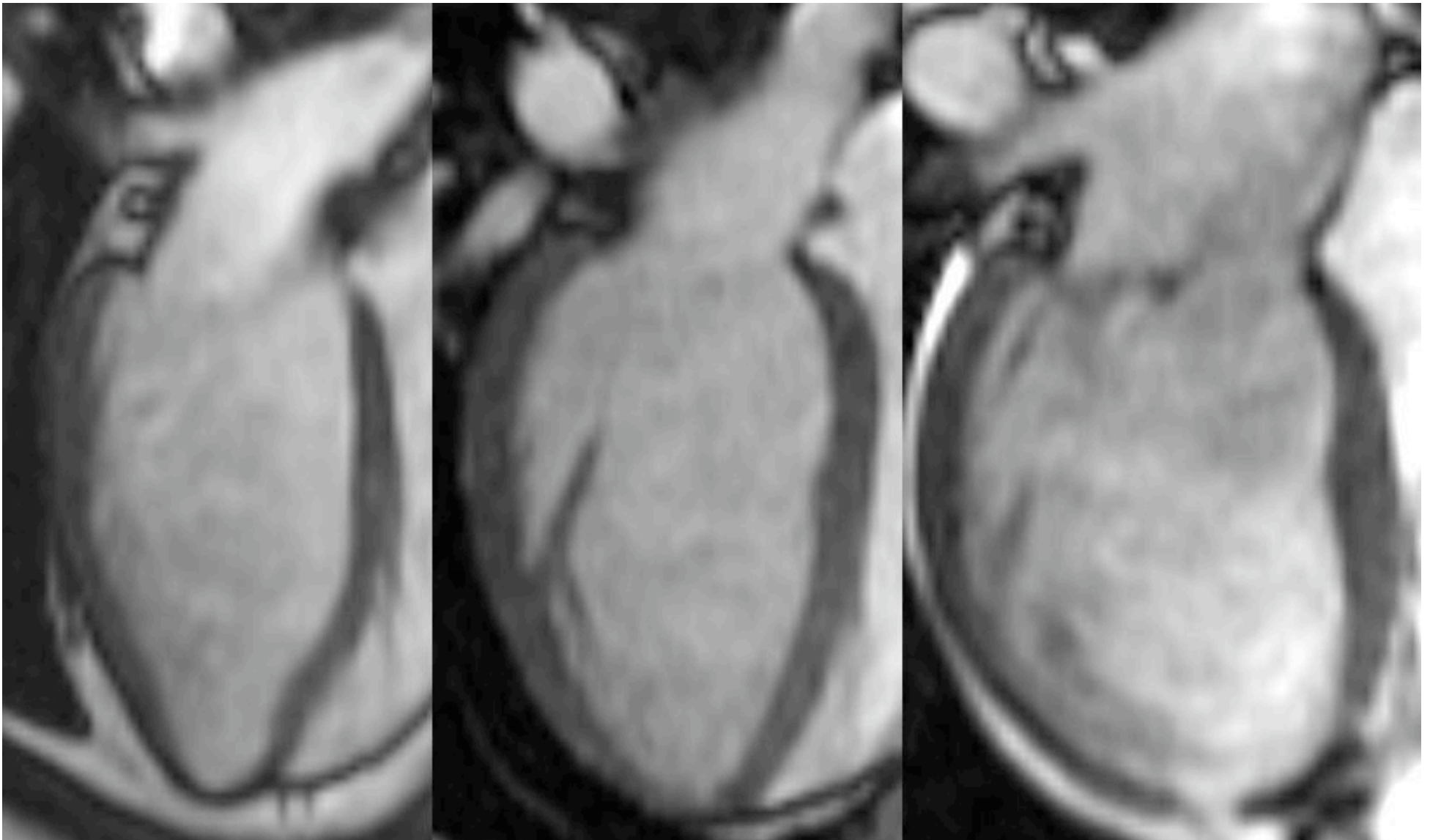


# Pathologic vs Physiologic LVH

Normal

Marathon Runner

Chronic Mitral Regurgitation



# Magnetic Resonance Imaging After 4 Months of MR

Dell'Italia, *AJP* 269:H2065, 1995

## BASELINE

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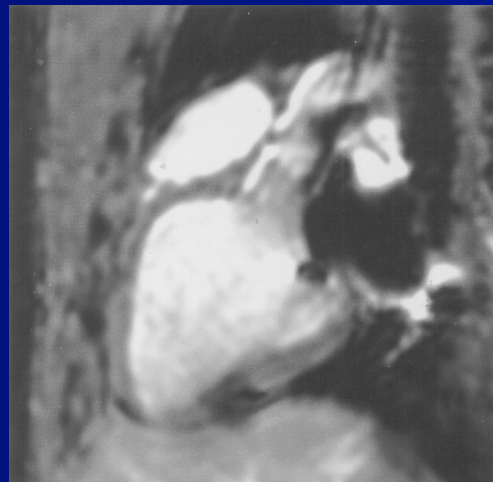


END-SYSTOLE



## MITRAL REGURGITATION

END-DIASTOLE

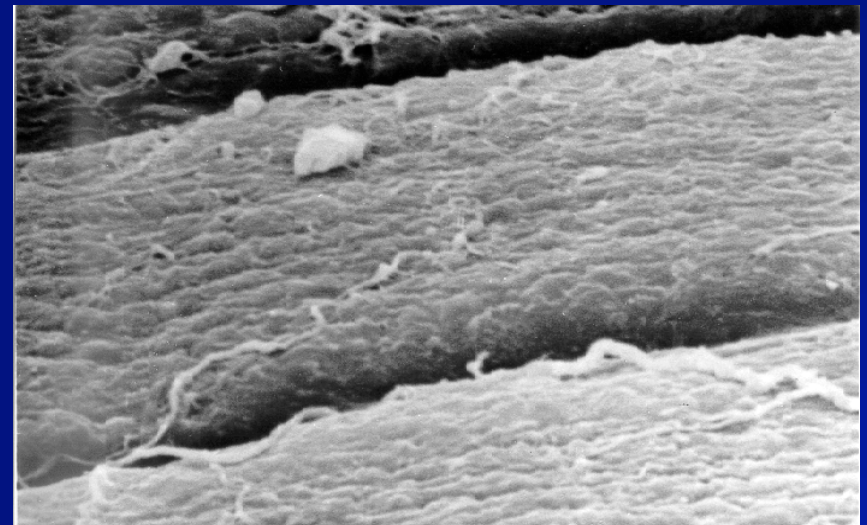
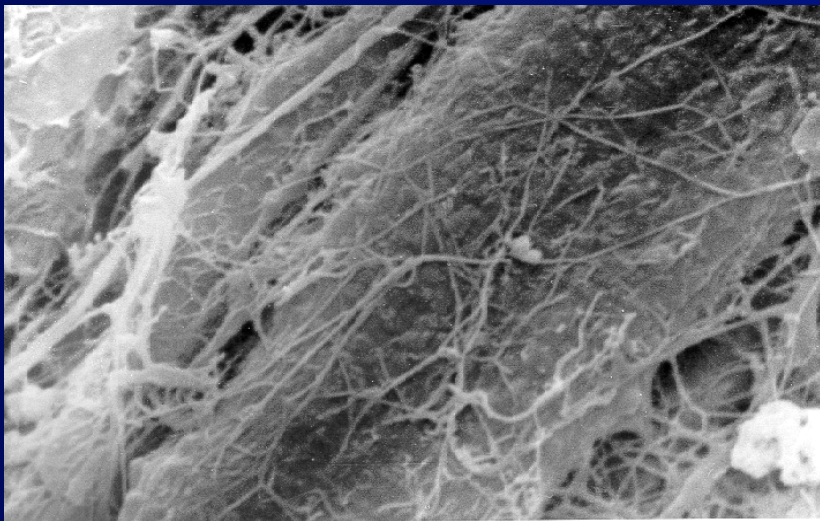
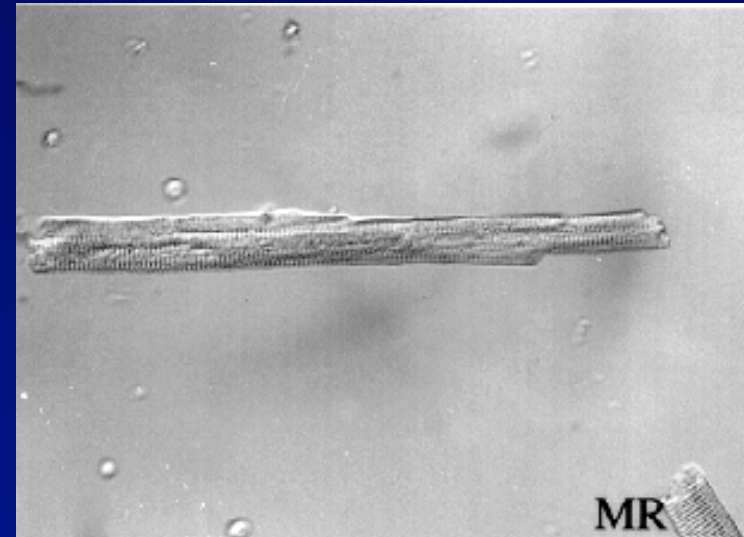
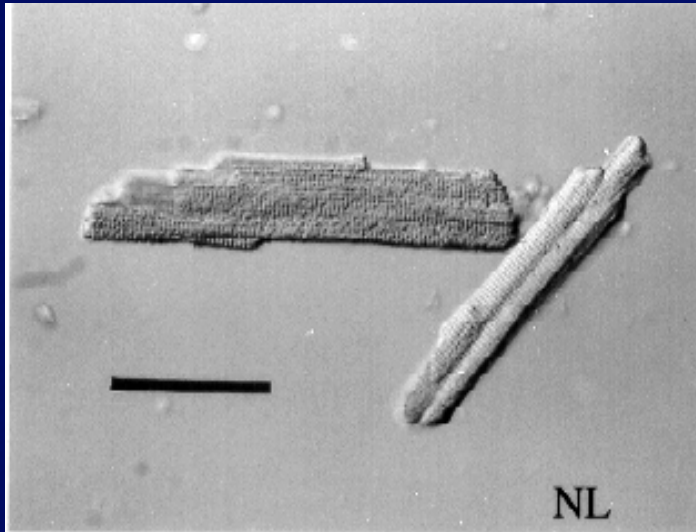


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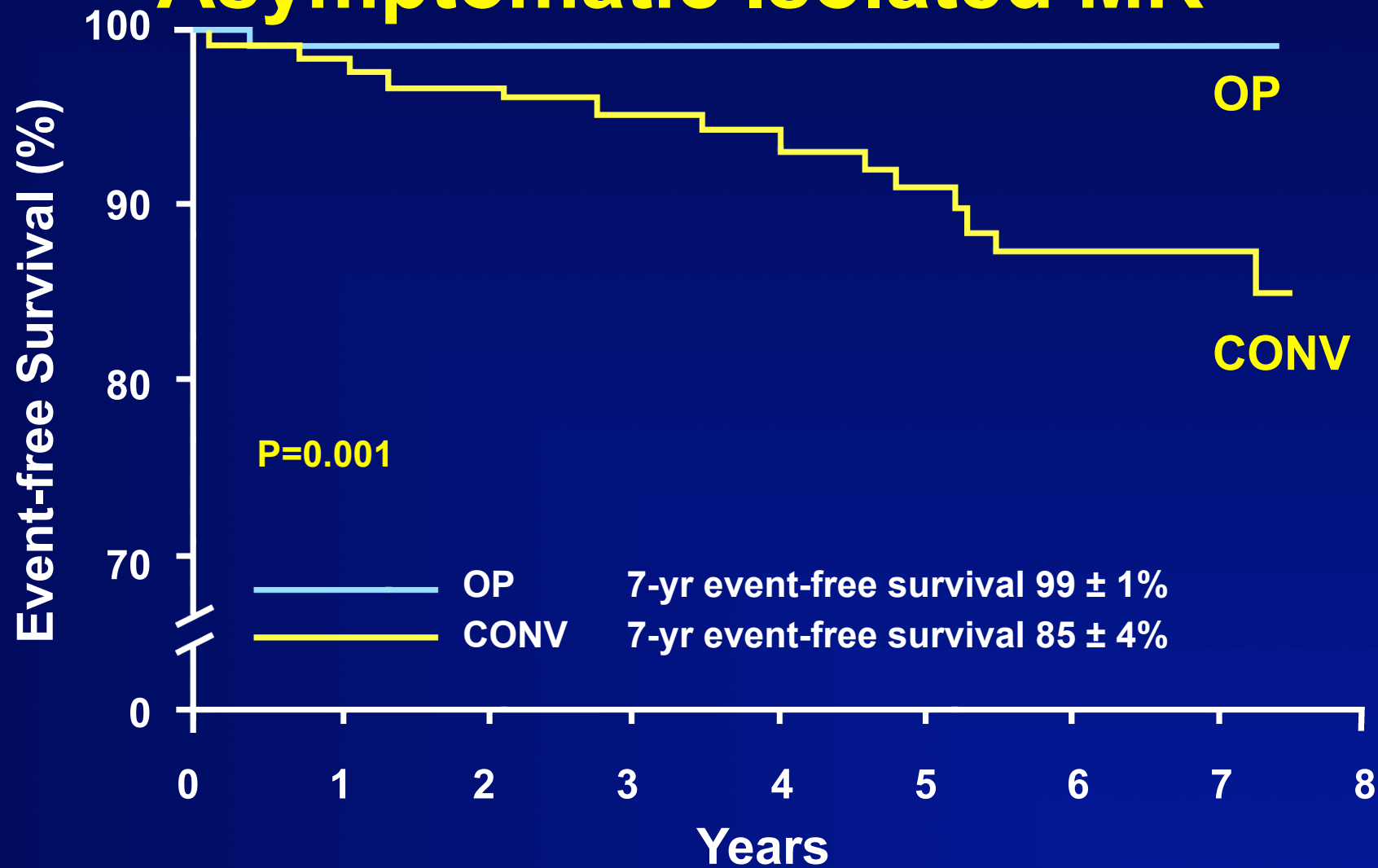




# LV Remodeling of Cardiomyocyte and Extracellular Matrix in Canine MR



# Asymptomatic Isolated MR



## Pts. at risk:

<b>OP</b>	127	125	106	72	43
<b>CONV</b>	127	125	105	78	44

# **Increased Oxidative Stress and Cardiomyocyte Myofibrillar Degeneration in Patients With Chronic Isolated Mitral Regurgitation and Ejection Fraction >60%**

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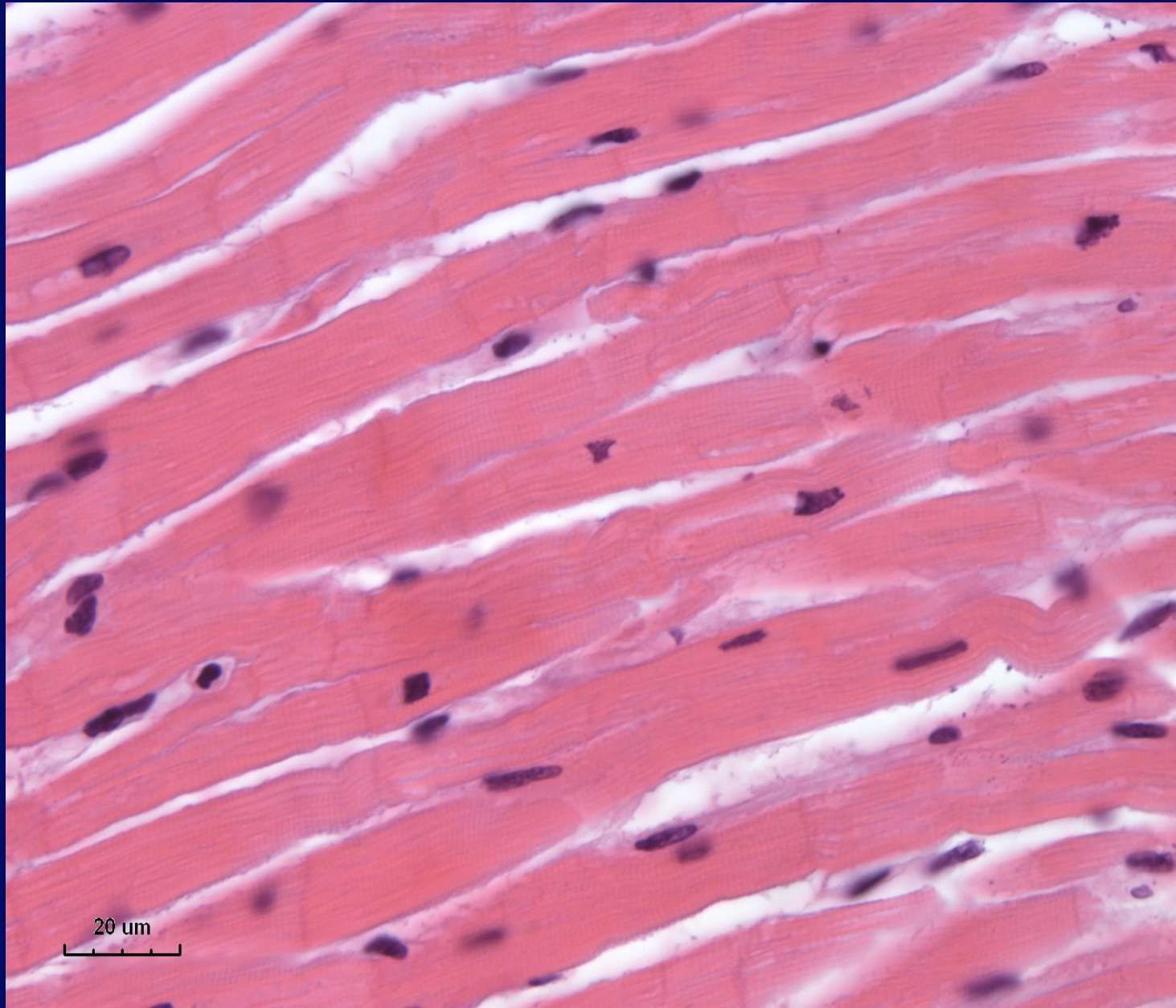
**Ahmed J Am Coll Cardiol Feb 16, 2010**

## LV MRI Parameters in MR Patients

	Normal (n = 39)	Pre-MV Repair (n = 23)	6 Months post op (n = 23)
LVEDD (mm)	51 ± 1	62 ± 1*	55 ± 2 <sup>#</sup>
LVEDS	33 ± 1	38 ± 2*	37 ± 2
LV Mass (g)	96 ± 4	145 ± 9*	113 ± 6 <sup>#</sup>
LVEDVI (ml/ m <sup>2</sup> )	68 ± 2	116 ± 5*	79 ± 5 <sup>#</sup>
LVESVI (ml/ m <sup>2</sup> )	24 ± 2	43 ± 3*	38 ± 4*
LV SV (ml)	82 ± 3	136 ± 10	81 ± 4 <sup>*#</sup>
LV EF (%)	65 ± 1	65 ± 2	54 ± 2 <sup>*#</sup>
LVEDV / Mass	1.39 ± 0.06	1.58 ± 0.11*	1.35 ± 0.09 <sup>*#</sup>

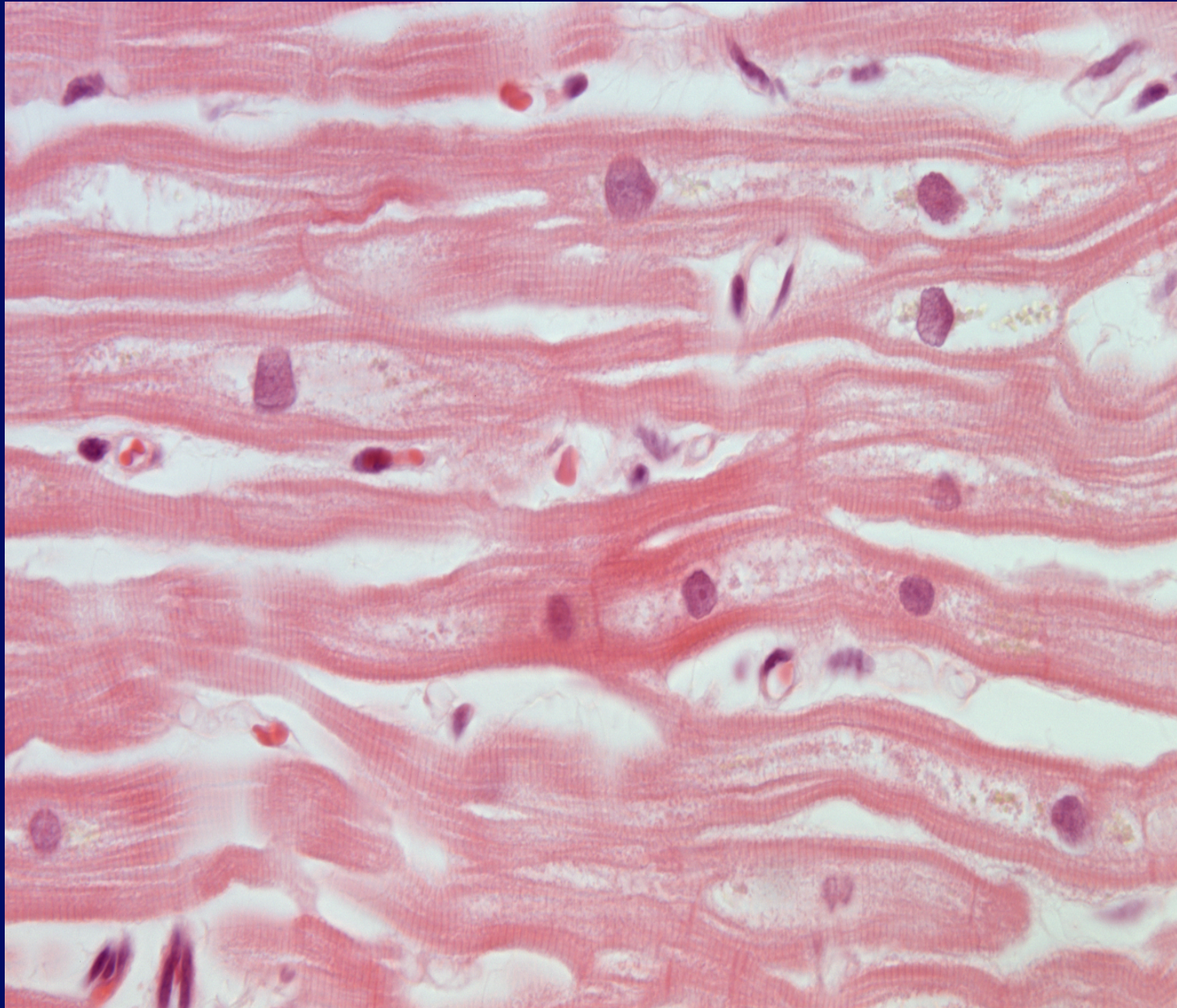


# Normal Human Cardiomyocyte



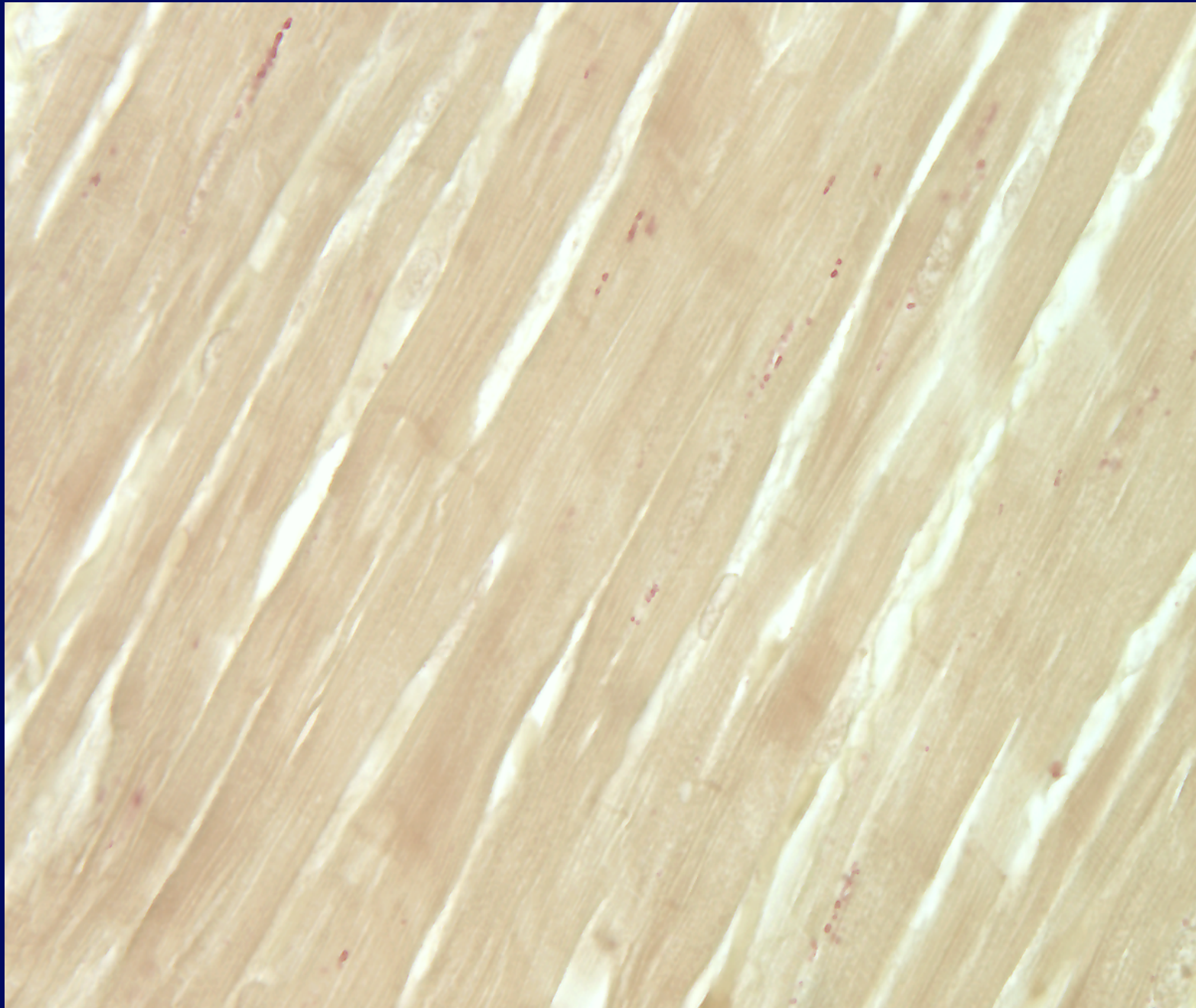


# Myofibrillar Degeneration in Human MR



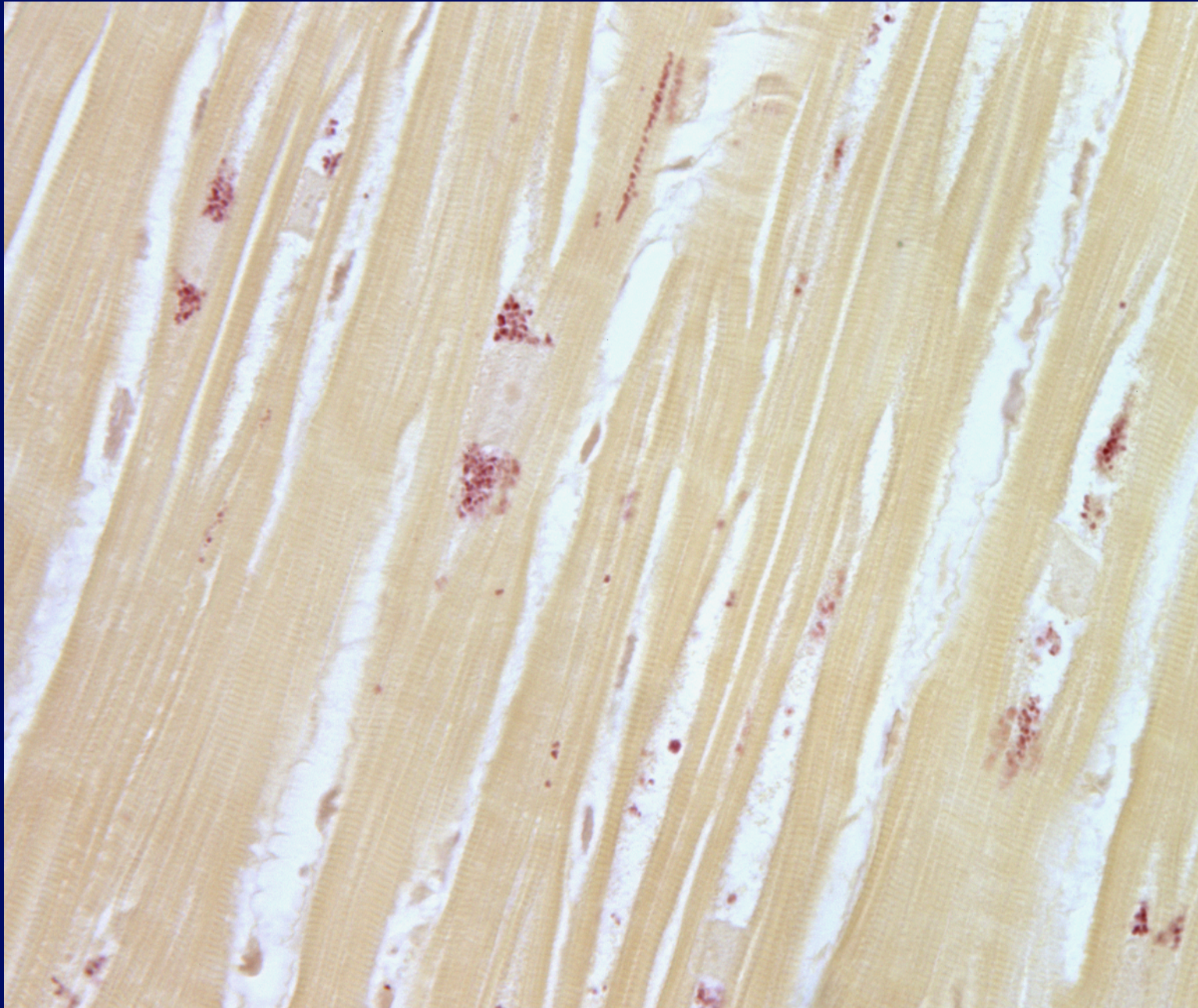


# Lipofuscin in Normal Human Cardiomyocyte



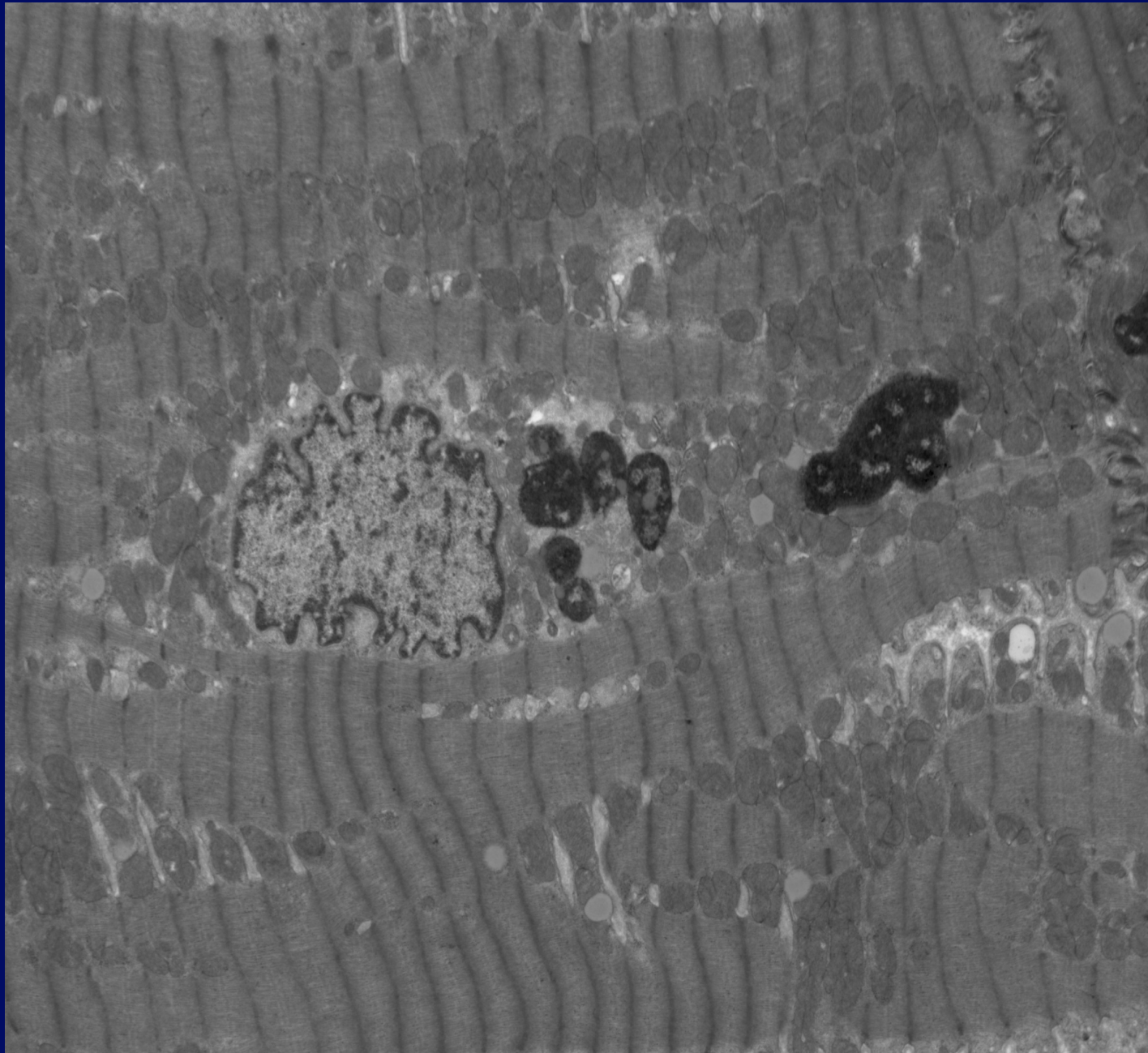


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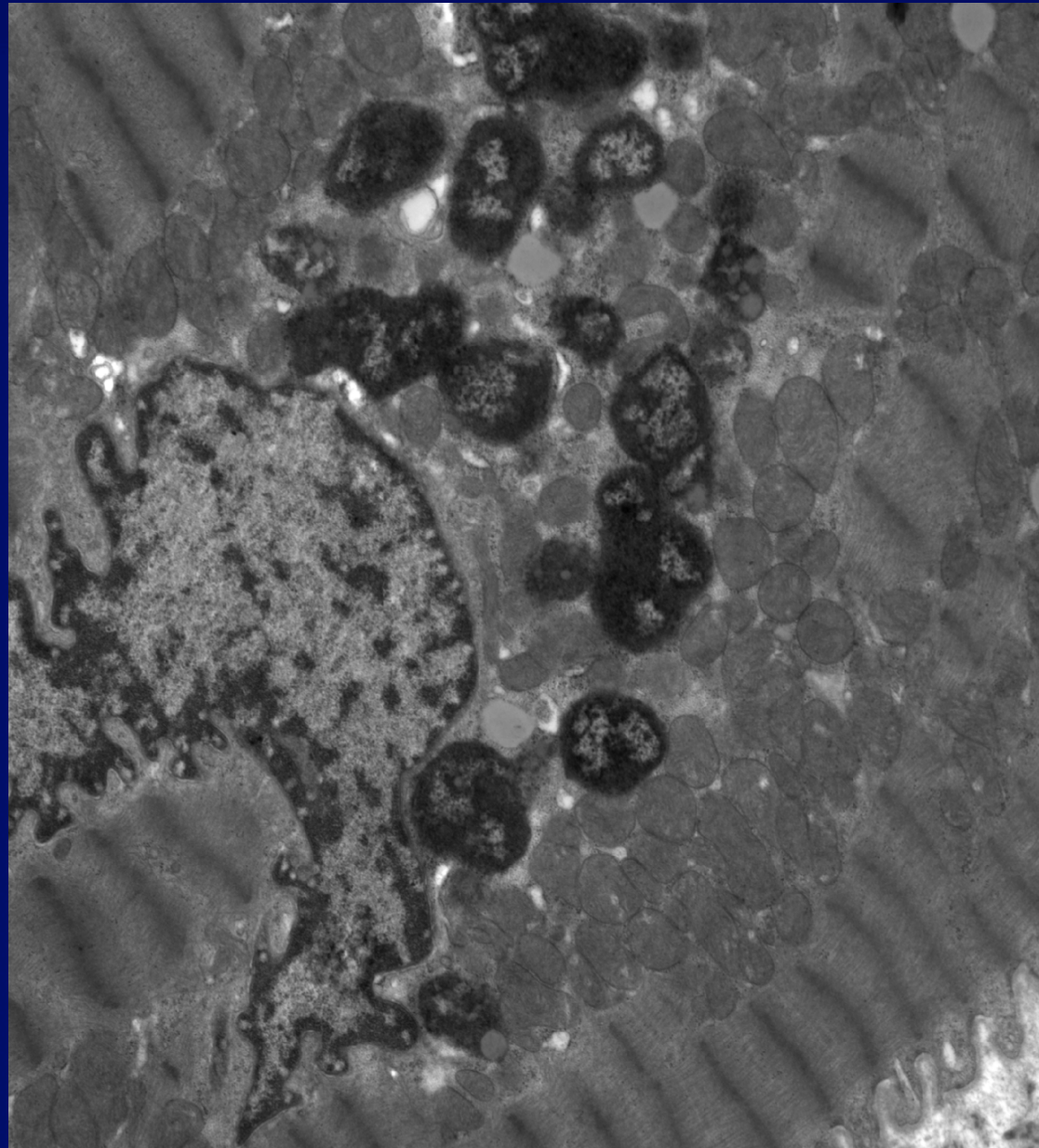




# Lipofuscin in Human MR by TEM



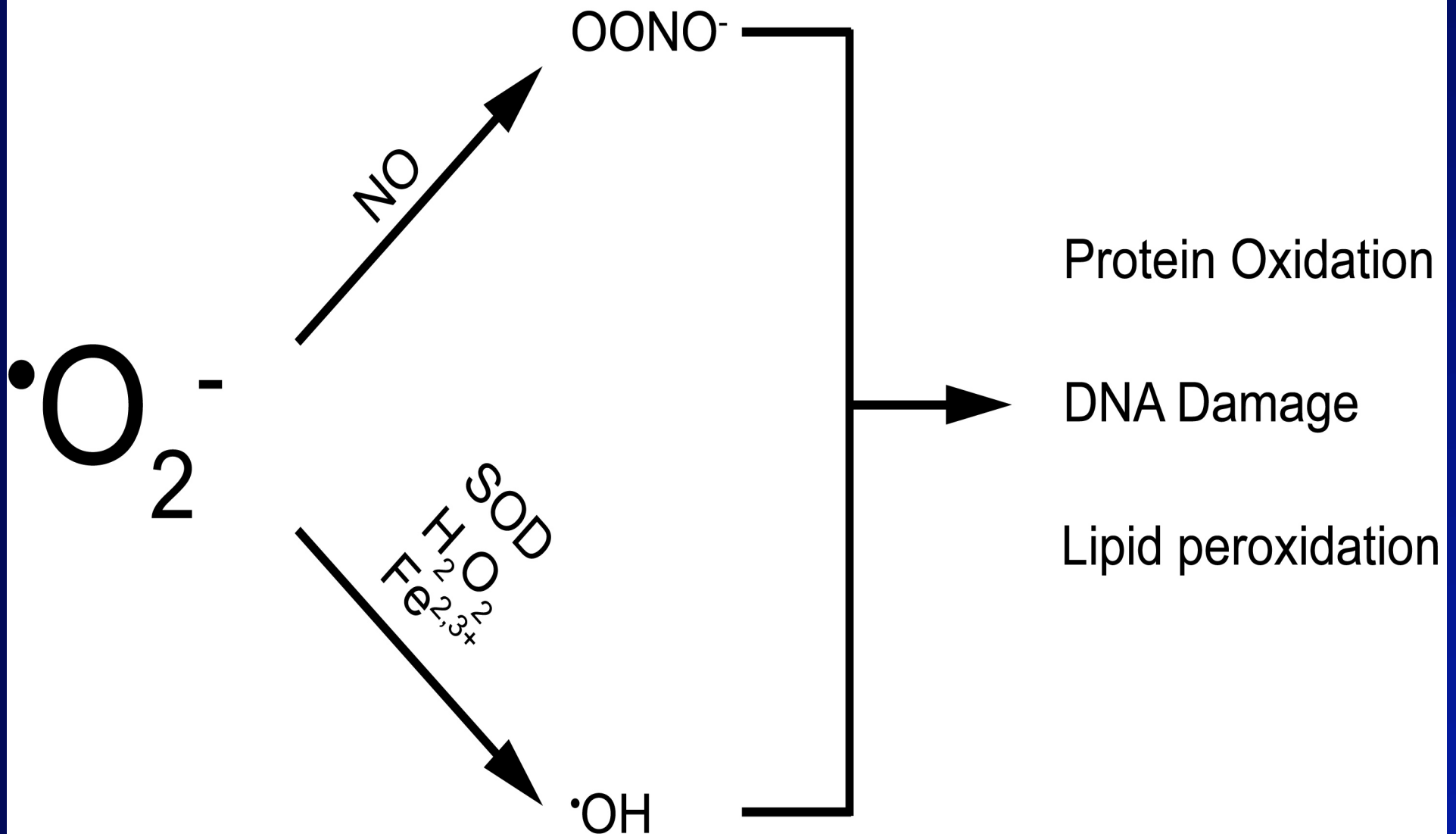
# Lipofuscin in Human MR by TEM



# Lipofuscin

- Nondegradable material primarily composed of oxidatively modified protein and lipid degradation residues
- Accumulation is usually seen in the aging heart and is considered to be the end product of **excessive oxidative stress** and overwhelmed protective mechanisms of the proteosome
- Deleterious effects on cellular function include triggering of mitochondrial pro-apoptotic pathways in cardiomyocytes and fibroblasts
- Oxidative stress enhances lipofuscin formation while administration of antioxidants decreases its formation

# Why is XO Important?



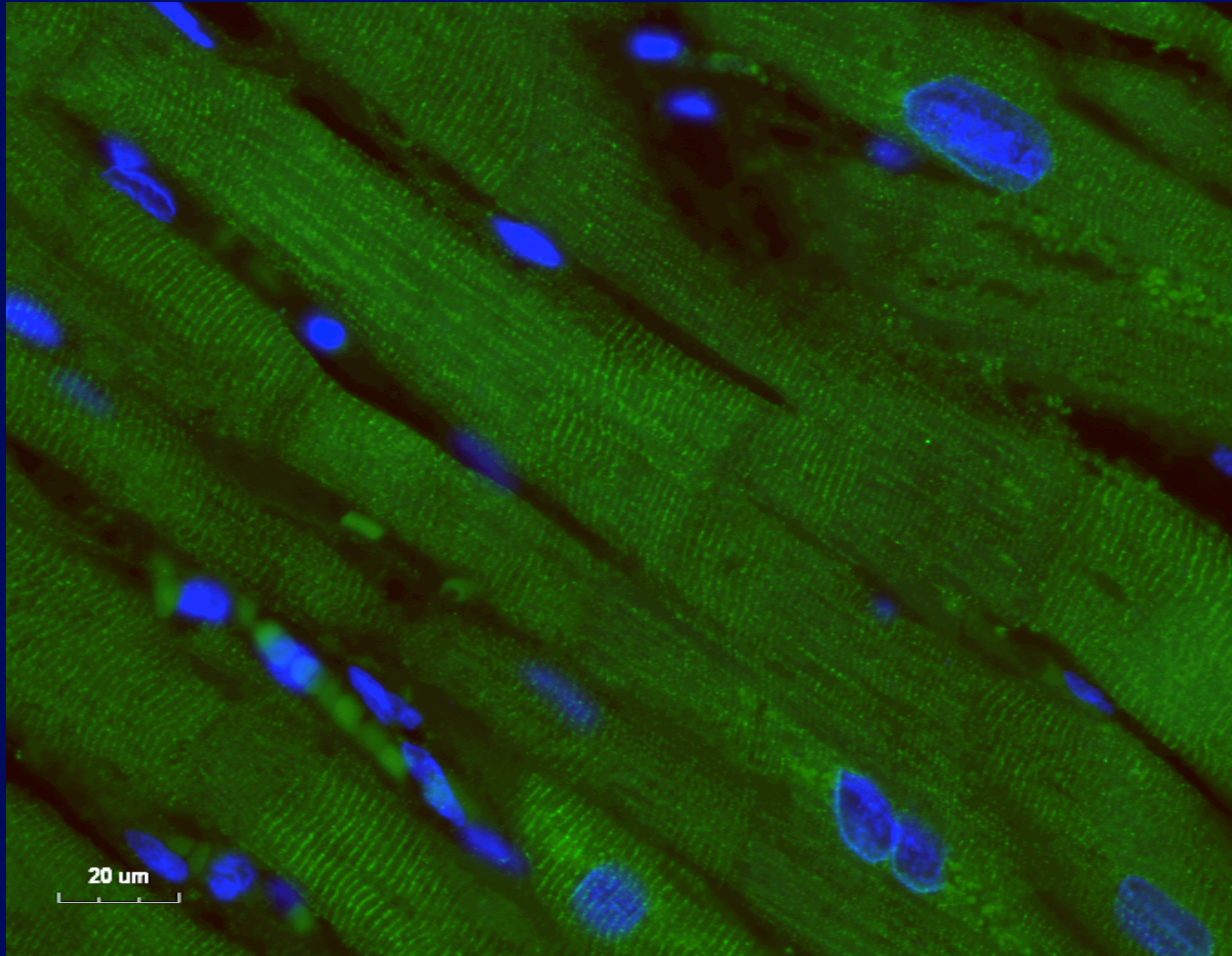


# Xanthine Oxidase

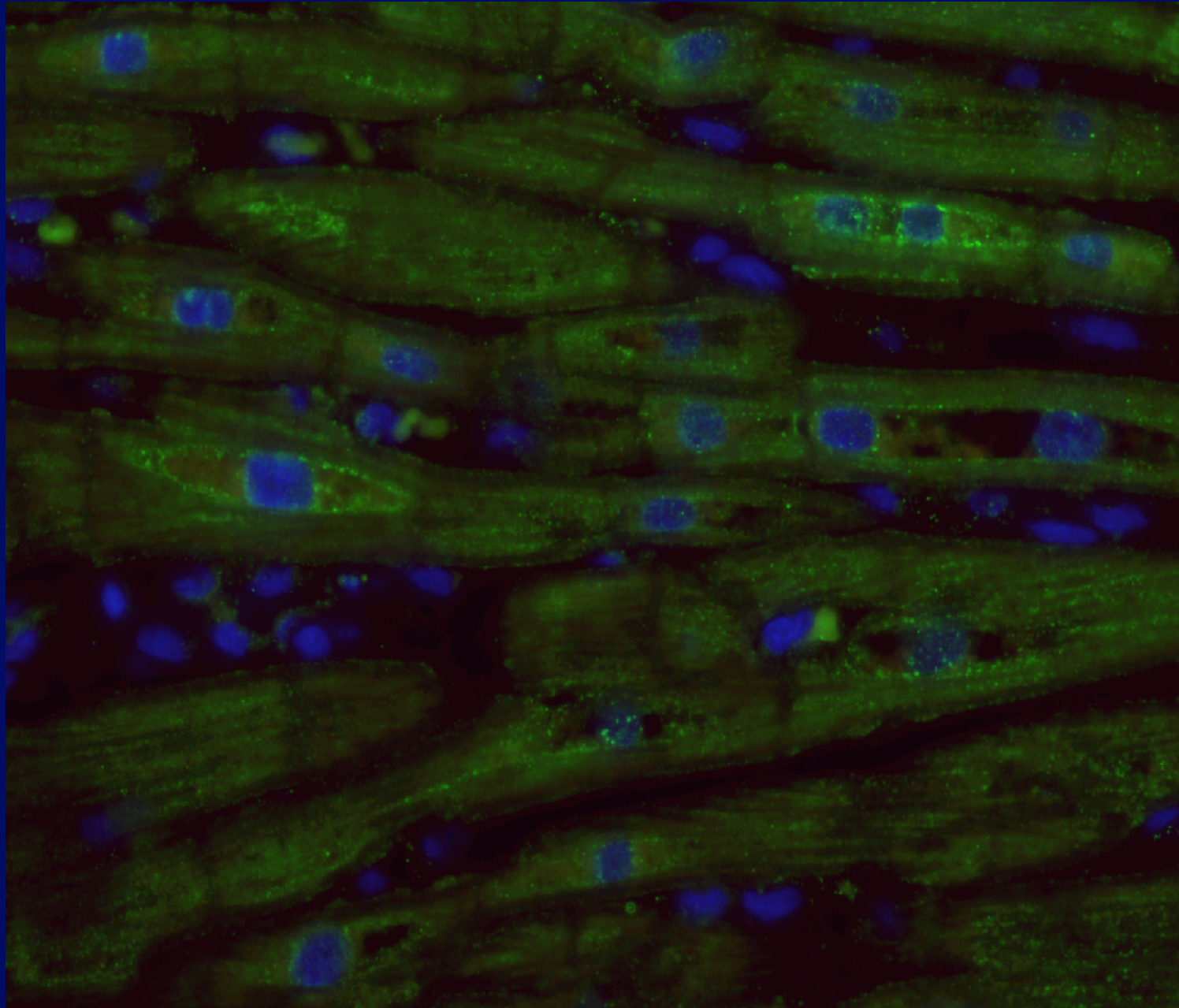
- Xanthine oxidase is widely distributed: liver, gut, lung, kidney, heart, brain, and plasma
- XO is capable of producing superoxide and hydrogen peroxide
- XO may have profound effects on the myocardium
  - XO depresses myofilament sensitivity to calcium
  - co-localises with nitric oxide synthase in SR and can cause oxidative myofilament damage



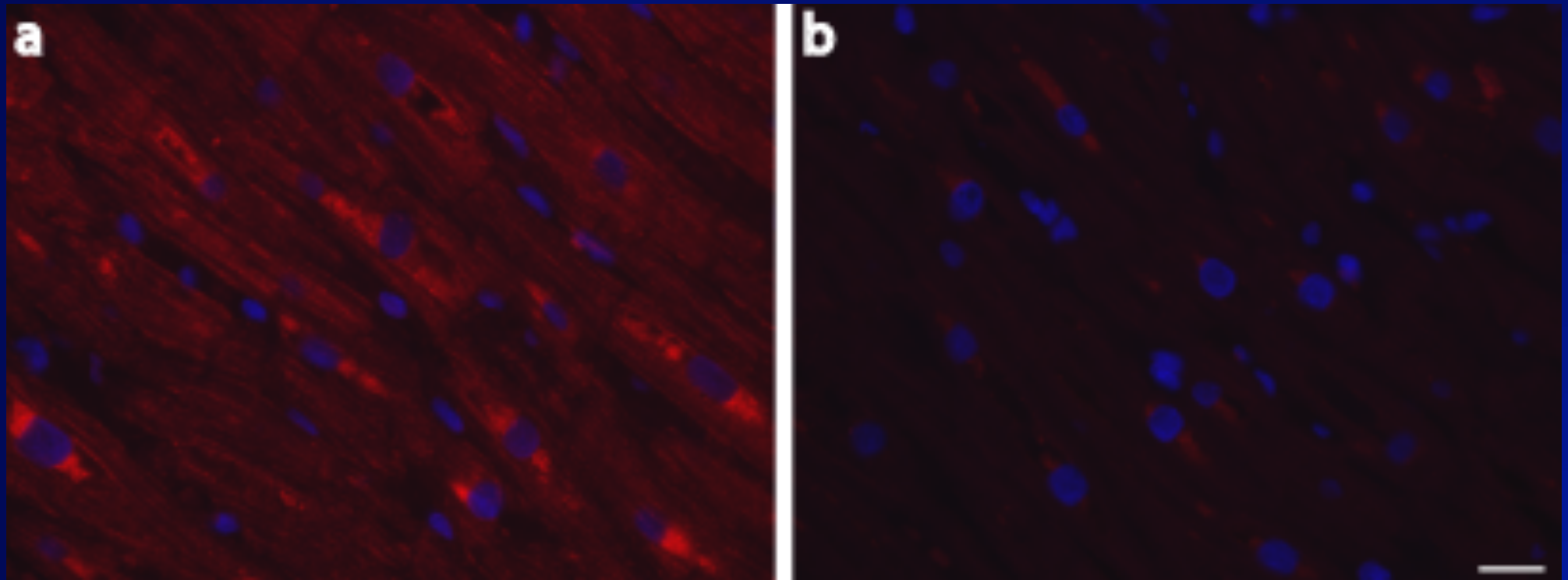
# XO in Normal Human Cardiomyocyte



# XO in Cardiomyocytes with Myofibrillar Degeneration in Human MR LV



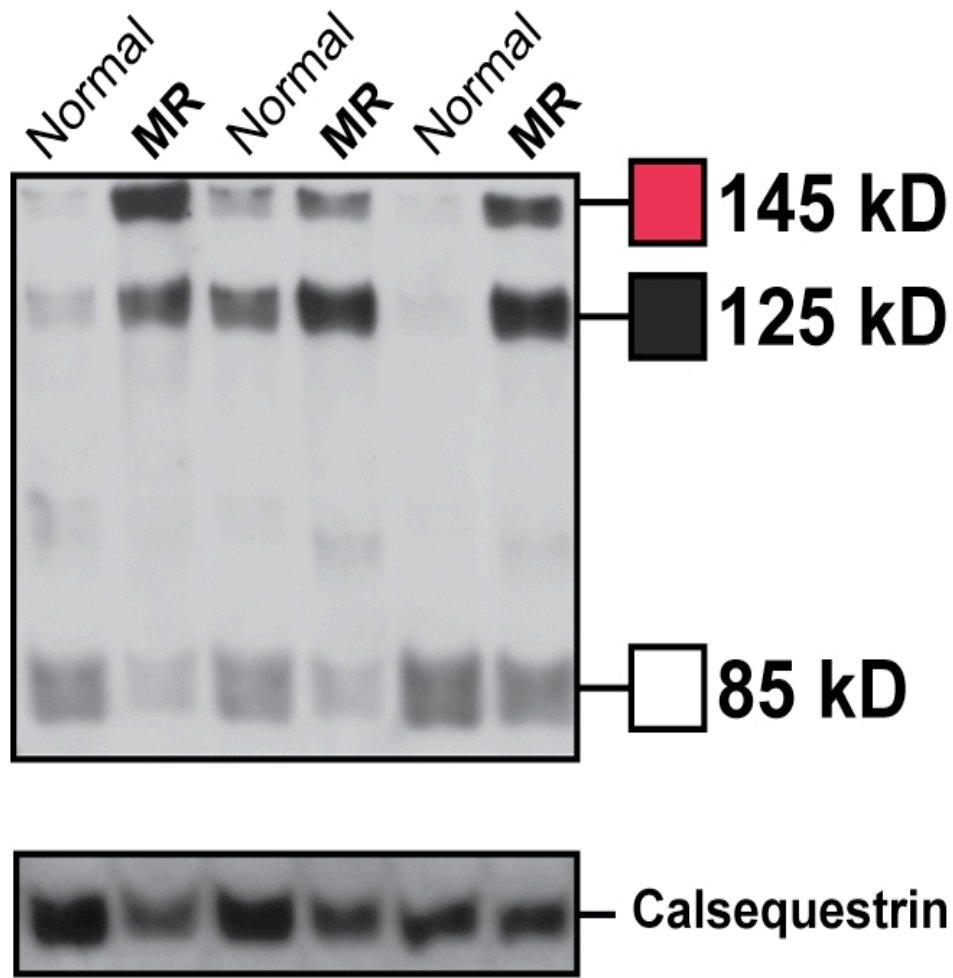
# Increased Nitrotyrosine Staining in Areas of Lipofuscin Accumulation (a) with Corresponding Image With Immunoabsorbed Antibody (b) in MR LV



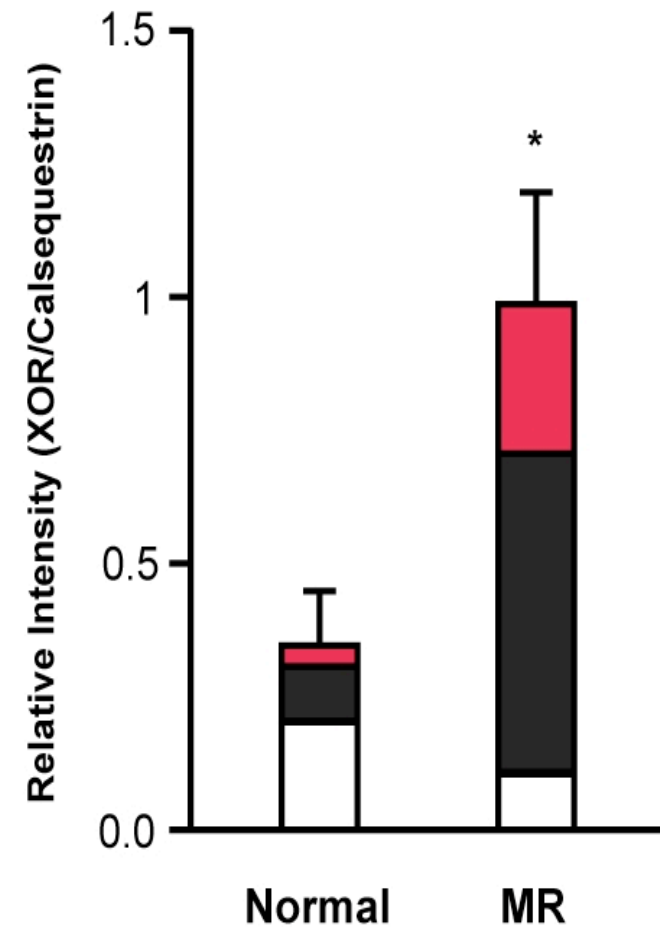


# Increased Xanthine Oxidase in Human MR Left Ventricle

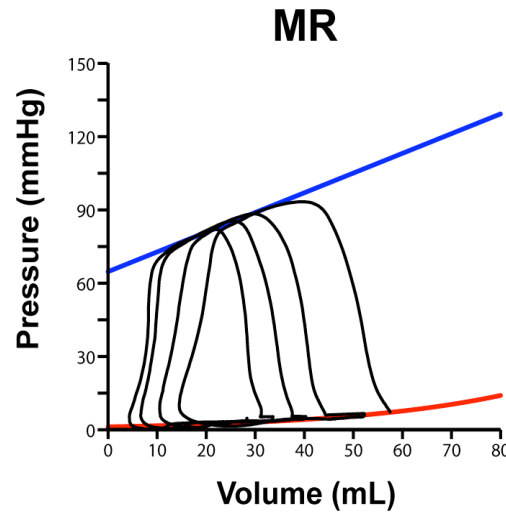
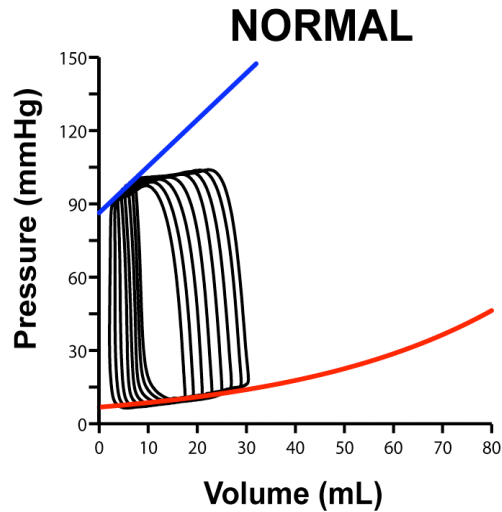
A



B



# The Vicious Cycle of XO-Mediated Oxidative Stress in VO



**Increased ATP Demand  
of Volume Overload**

**Increased catabolism  
of ATP/ADP**

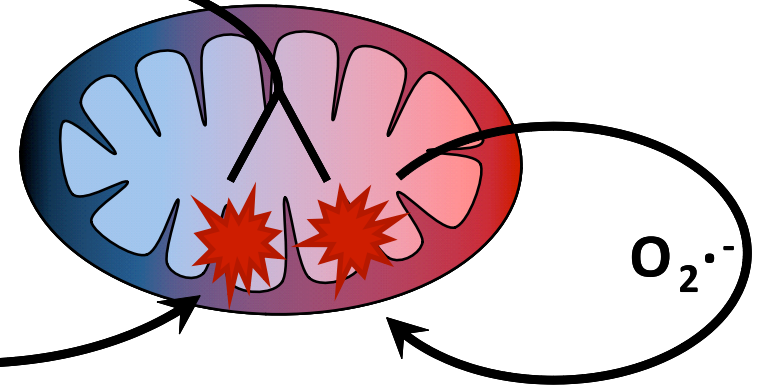
**↓ATP/ADP Ratio**

**HX**

**Xanthine  
Oxidase**

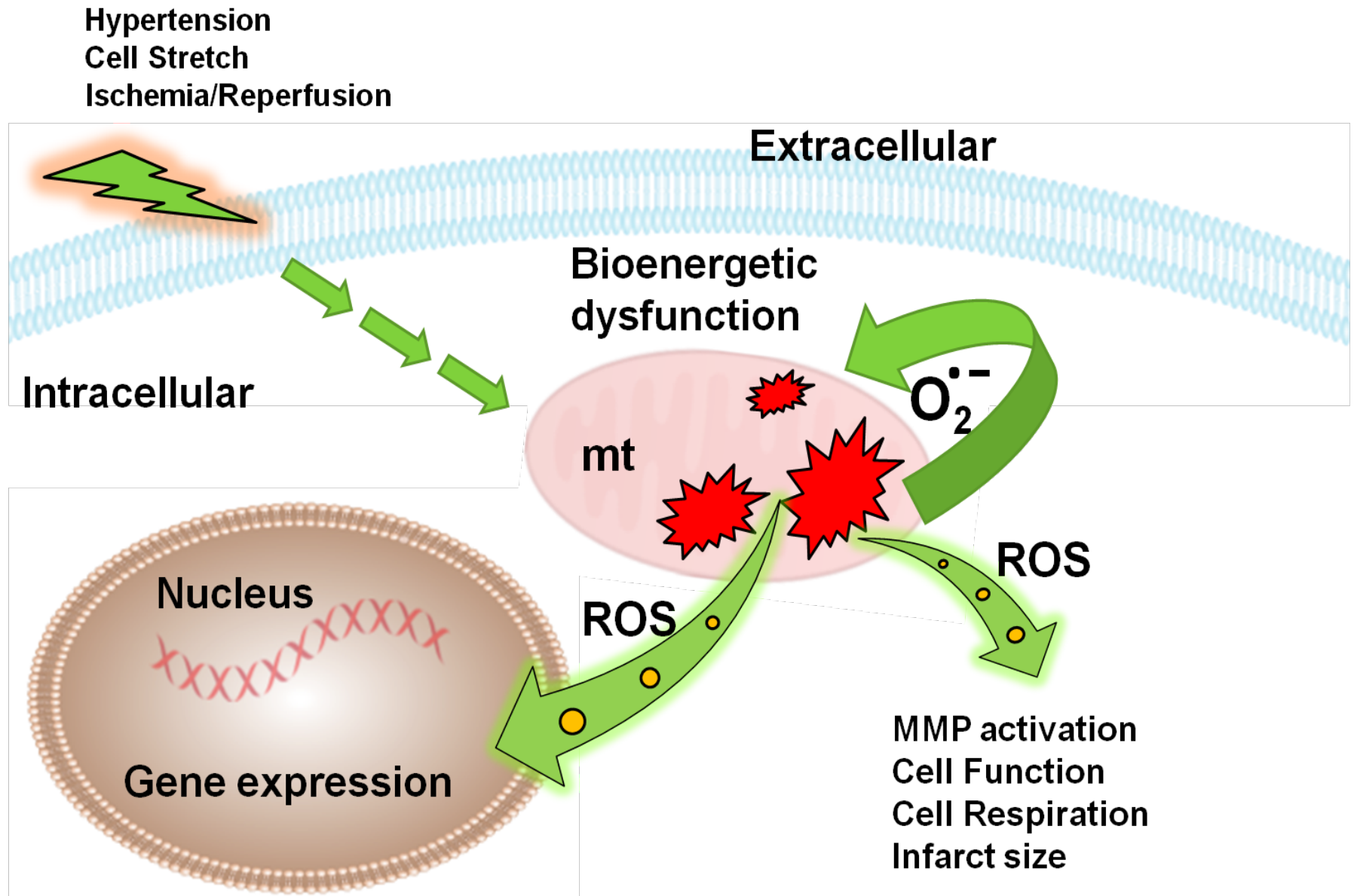
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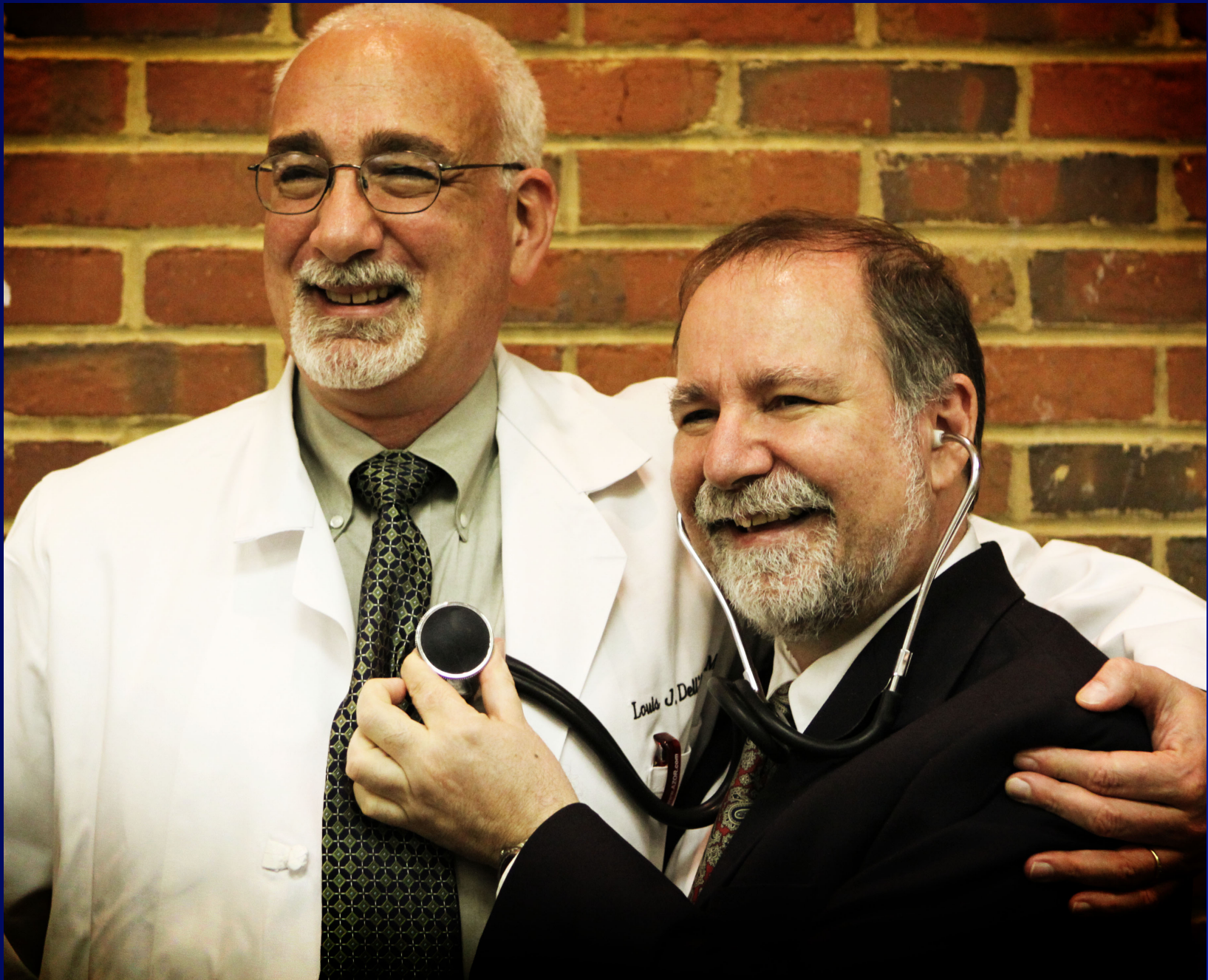
# Mitochondria as Targets and Sources of Oxidative Stress In Cardiovascular Disease



# Future Directions in VO

- Determine the connection
  - Increased oxidative stress
  - Mitochondrial dysfunction and reserve capacity
  - LV contractility

# Translational Research





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