



# Monitoring the Emergency Patient



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# Monitoring during ED

## Perspective

What is **monitoring**?

The verb **monitor** (derived from the Latin *monere*, "to warn") means to **check systematically** or to **keep watch over**.

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## Perspective

- To *monitor* means to measure or observe a physiologic parameter either continuously or intermittently.

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- The **monitoring device** may provide a "snapshot in time" or may detect deterioration, track improvement, or measure the effects of interventions.

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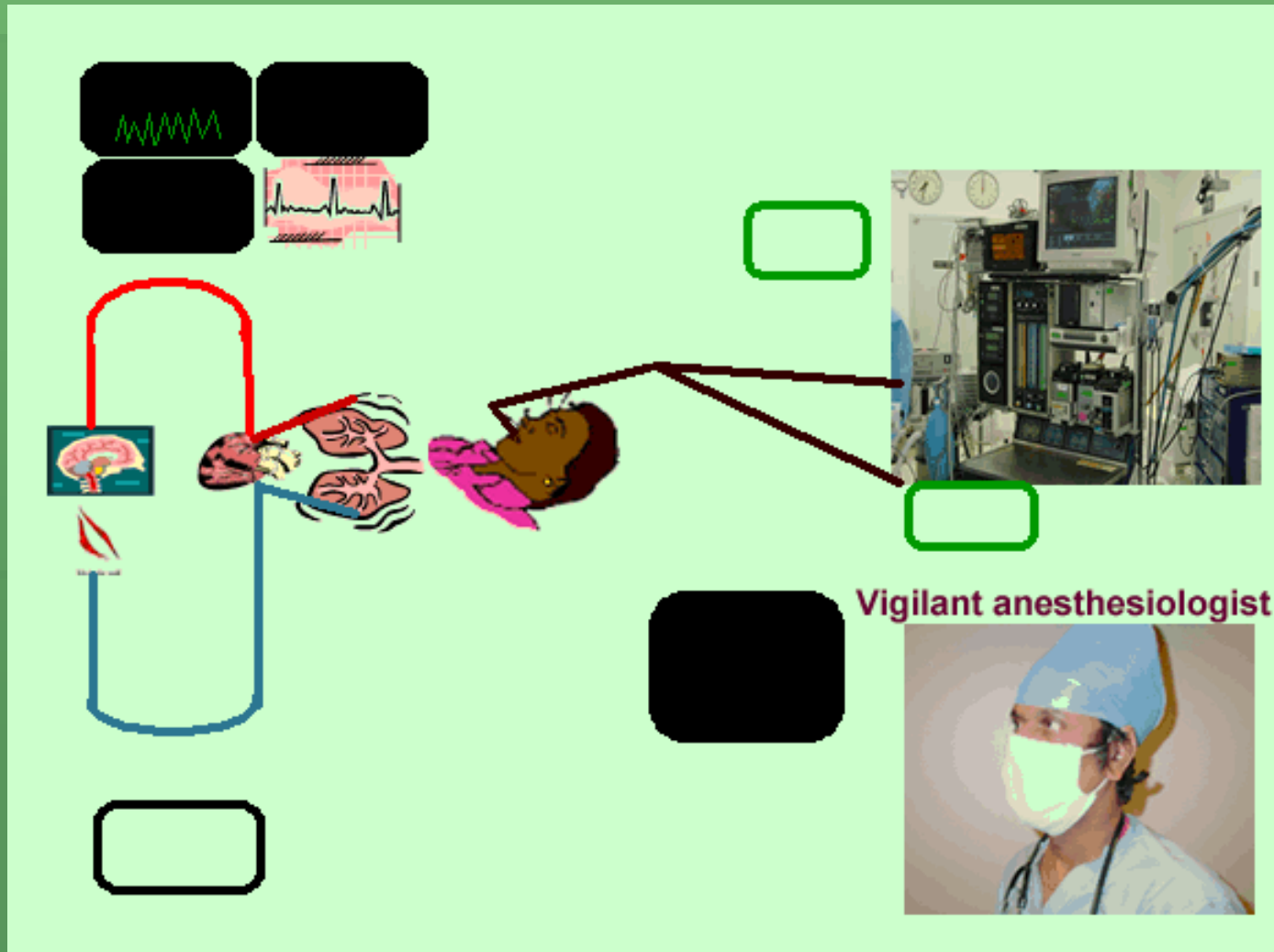
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- Monitoring parameters, such as clinical observation, routine vital sign measurement, and electrocardiogram monitoring, are basic requirements in emergency medicine
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# Who's Watching the Patient?



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Although some might consider **electronic devices** the only cardiovascular monitors, the **fundamental** basis for circulatory monitoring remains in the **eyes, hands, and ears** of the **Emergency Physician**.

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In many ways, the **Emergency Physician's** senses capture more information than even the most sophisticated **electronic monitors**.

# Monitoring during ED

- cornerstones for standard physical examination :
  - **Inspection**(eye)
  - **palpation**(Hand)
  - **Auscultation**(ear)

# Why monitor during ED?

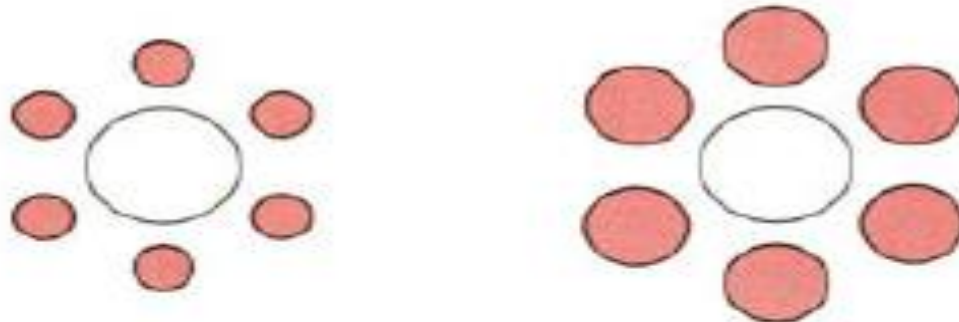
- Maximize safety
- legal requirement



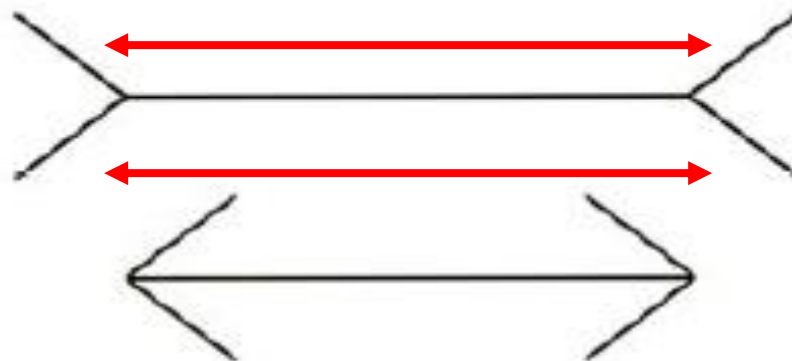
# Why do we need monitoring equipment?

- ❖ Human error
- ❖ Personal satisfaction
- ❖ Legal appointment

# Human error

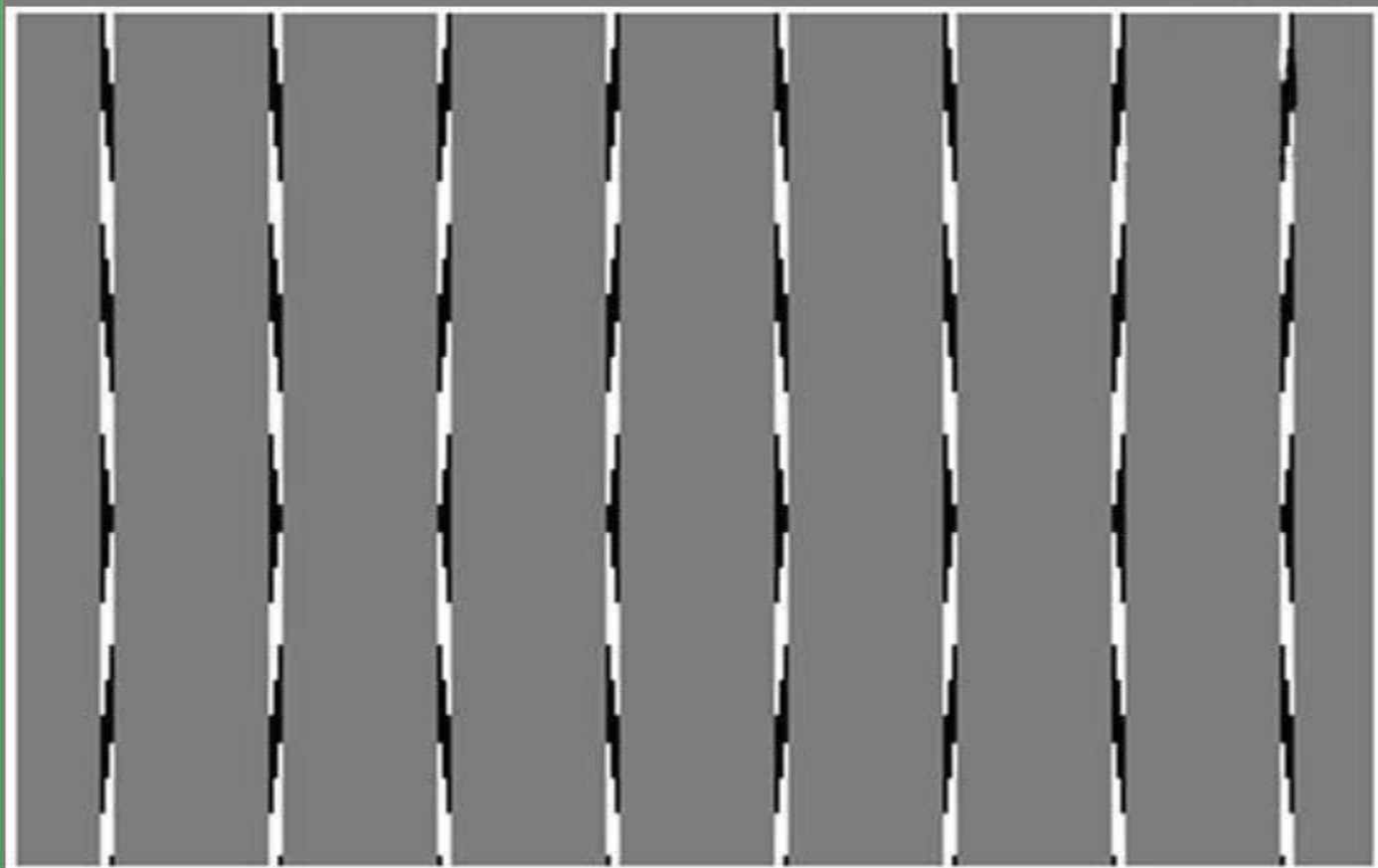


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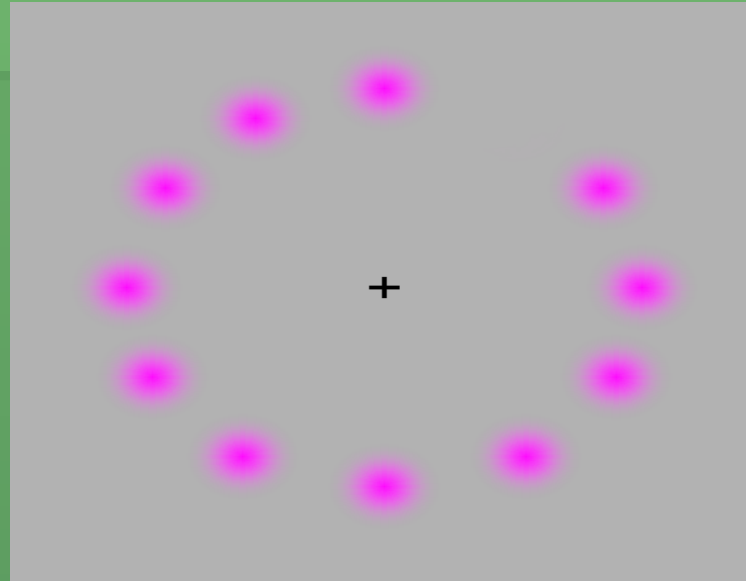


Which line is longer?

این خطوط صاف هستند !  
با چشمانی که اینقدر خطای دید دارند  
دیگران را قضاوت نکنید ...



# Human error



- ۱- در صورتی که حرکت نقطه متحرک را تعقیب کنید تنها یک رنگ را می بینید، صورتی.
  - ۲- حالا لحظاتی به علامت + که در وسط قرار دارد خیره شوید.. نقطه متحرک را پس از لحظاتی به رنگ سبز خواهید دید.
  - ۳- حالا زمان بیشتری را بر روی علامت + تمرکز کنید، پس از لحظاتی نقاط صورتی آهسته آهسته ناپدید خواهند شد.
- عجیب اینجاست که هیچ نقطه سبزی در این عکس در کار نیست و در واقع نقاط صورتی نیز ناپدید نمی شوند. این دلیل محکمی است که ما همیشه دنیای خارج را آنگونه که هست نمی بینیم.

# Monitoring in the Past

# Harvey Cushing



*father of anesthesia monitoring*

# Monitoring in the Past

## Harvey Cushing

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- *Not just a famous neurosurgeon ...  
but the **father of anesthesia monitoring***
- Invented and popularized the anesthetic chart
- Recorded both BP and HR
- Emphasized the relationship between vital signs and neurosurgical events  
( *increased intracranial pressure leads to hypertension and bradycardia* )

# Monitoring in the Past

- Visual monitoring of respiration and overall clinical appearance
- Finger on the pulse
- Blood pressure (sometimes)



# Monitoring in the Past



Finger on the pulse

# Monitoring during ED

Pulse Oxymetry

# Pulse oximetry

Oxygenation (descending or ascending or stable) (visual or auditorial)  
Pulse rate or heart rate (visual or auditorial)  
Rhythm (visual or auditorial)



SPO2=40%



# Pulse oximetry

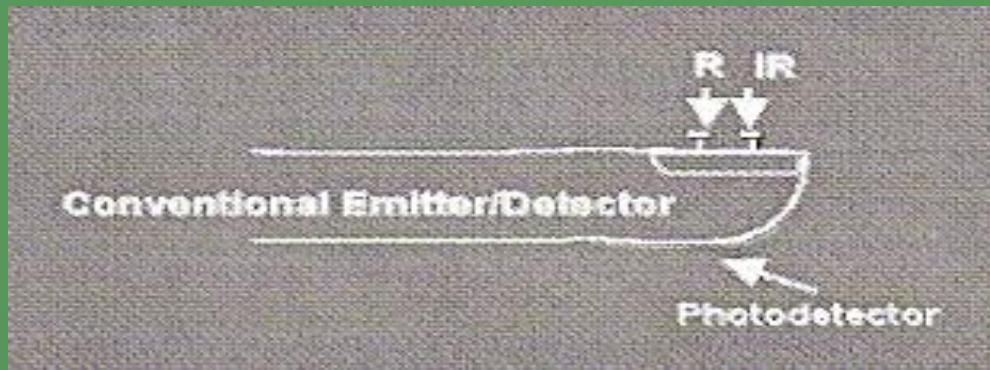


fifth vital  
sign



# PULSE OXIMETRY

- اندازه گیری غیر تهاجمی و مداوم میزان اشباع اکسیژن خون شریانی است.
- اساس کار پالس اکسیمتری اصول اسپکتروفوتومتری است که نشان دهنده جذب نور قرمز ( Red Light ) توسط هموگلوبین احیا شده
- ( de oxygenated ) و جذب نور مادون قرمز ( infra red light ) توسط اکسی هموگلوبین است .
- نور قرمز طول موج حدود 600-750nm و طول موج نور مادون قرمز 950 nm-850 است که توسط یک دیود منتشر کننده نور در پروب پالس اکسیمتری ایجاد میشود و پس از عبور از بافت ها به فتودتکتور در طرف دیگر پروب میرسد .



# What is a Pulse Oximeter

- Pulse oximetry is a non-invasive diagnostic test used for detecting the percentage of hemoglobin (Hb) that is saturated with oxygen.
- Known as the “5<sup>th</sup> Vital sign” assessment tool.



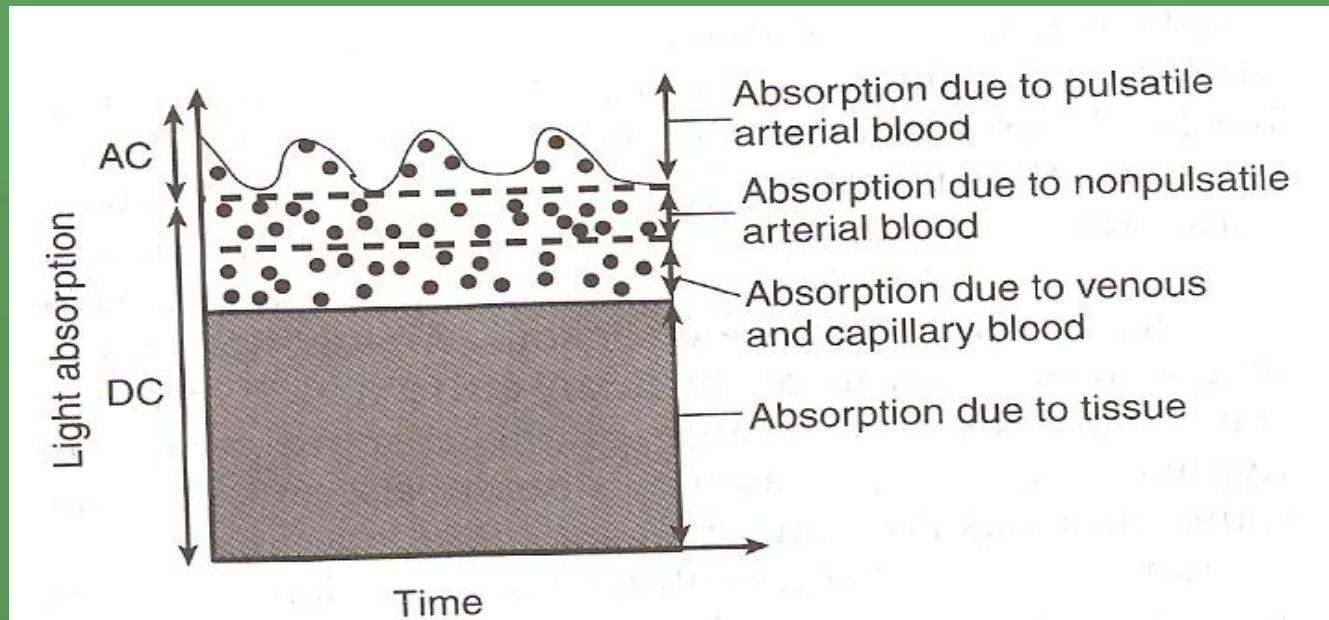
برای افتراق خون شریانی از وریدی نیز از قوانین پلتیسموگرافی استفاده میشود.

1- خون شریانی دارای نبض است

2- نبض در زمان سیستول قلبی ایجاد میشود

3- حجم خون در این زمان افزایش می یابد

$$spo_2 = \frac{Hbo_2}{Hb + Hbo_2}$$



# The Pulse Ox:

## A great monitor

- ease of sensor placement
- lack of user calibration
- noninvasive nature
- low cost
- Valuable information

# Transcutaneous Oximetry

- در نواحی از پوست که جریان خون افزایش دارد  $\text{capillary Pao}_2$  تقریباً معادل  $\text{Pao}_2$  است. بخصوص وقتی ناحیه مورد بررسی گرم باشد. این دستگاه معمولاً یک الکتروود کوچک دارد که میتواند به پوست بچسبد. پوست ناحیه در حد  $40-41$  درجه سانتی گراد گرم میشود و  $\text{O}_2$  از داخل پاپیلاری به داخل پوست شیفست میشود.
- $\text{Po}_2$  بدست آمده با این روش تقریباً برابر  $\text{Pao}_2$  است.
- در بالغین به علت ضخیم بودن پوست و نیز در موارد وازوکانستریکشن محیطی اندازه گیری ممکن است دقیق نباشد.
- این روش در نوزادان مفید است. چرا که جریان خون لوکال پوستی بالا است و نمونه گیری خونی متعدد از آنها میتواند سبب آنمی شود.
- ثابت زمانی در این روش بالا است وافت ناگهانی  $\text{Pao}_2$  با تاخیر نشان داده میشود. در استفاده طولانی از این روش ممکن است سوختگی پوستی ایجاد شود.

# قانون Beer- Lambert

- جذب نسبی یا انعکاس نور توسط مونیتورهای مختلفی می شود اندازه گیری نمود و از این طریق غلظت ماده در معرض نور را تخمین زد (مثلاً دی اکسید کربن در گازهای تنفسی و هموگلوبین پلاسما).
- میدان جذب در اسپکتروفتومتری بر اساس قانون B.L. است که می گوید اگر شدت معینی از نور از محفظه ای با ابعاد معین عبور کند، غلظت مواد محلول موجود در مسیر نور را می توان معین کرد بشرطیکه شدت نور وارد شونده و عبور کننده را اندازه بگیریم.

# Beer-Lambert Law

$$I_{(\text{trans})} = I_{(\text{in})} e^{-DC\acute{\alpha}}$$

Or

$$A = \acute{\alpha}_1 D_1 C_1 + \acute{\alpha}_2 D_2 C_2 + \acute{\alpha}_3 D_3 C_3 + \dots + \acute{\alpha}_n D_n C_n$$

$I_{(\text{trans})}$  = Intensity of transmitted light

$I_{(\text{in})}$  = Intensity of incident light

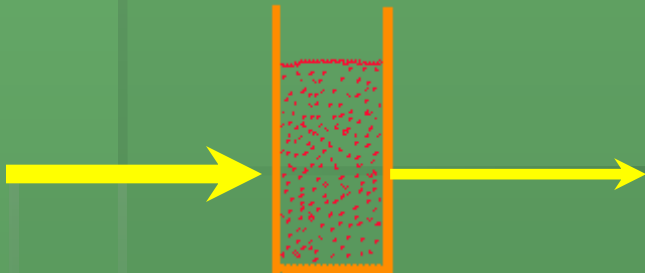
$e$  = base of natural log (2.718)

$D$  = distance

$C$  = concentration of solute

$\acute{\alpha}$  = extinction coefficient

$A$  = Absorption



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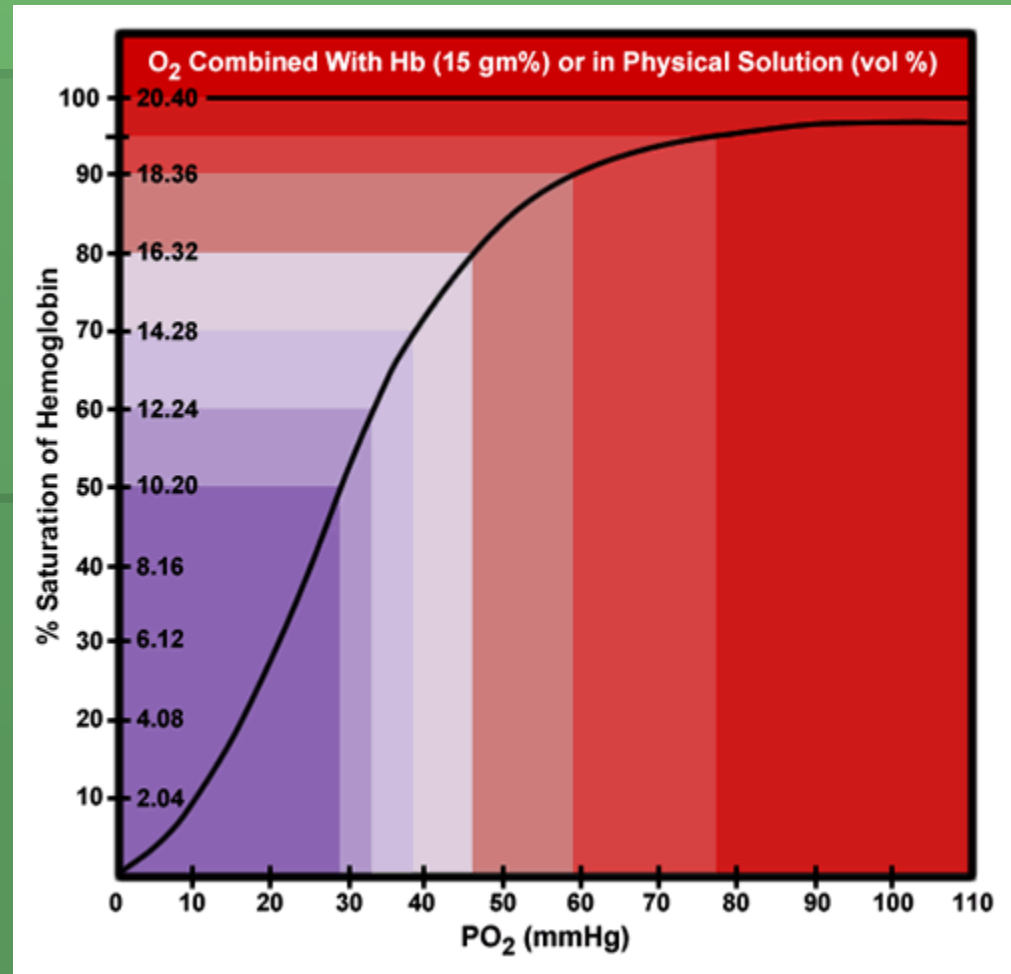
- در اورژانس به علت اینکه موارد اندازه گیری ما (دی اکسید کربن یا هموگلوبین) بیشتر طیف های قرمز و مادون قرمز را جذب می کند بیشتر از این طیف ها استفاده می شود.
- جای خوشبختی است که نور قرمز و مادون قرمز میتواند به بافتها نفوذ کند.

# Monitoring during ED

- نور مادون قرمز توسط مولکولهای ریز جذب می شوند  
منتها مولکولهایی که غیر متقارن و باند شده باشند، مثل  
مولکولهای نیتروژن، اکسیژن و هلیوم توسط مادون قرمز  
قابل اندازه گیری نیستند.
- محدودیت دیگر مادون قرمز آنست که توسط شیشه جذب  
می شود بنابراین محفظه های اندازه گیری این وسایل می  
بایست از جنس یاقوت درست شود که به نور قرمز و  
مادون قرمز نفوذپذیر باشد

# Accuracy of Pulse Oximetry

Arterial oxygen  
content (equation)  
=  
(Hgb x 1.36 x SaO<sub>2</sub>) +  
(0.0031 x PaO<sub>2</sub>)



Presented by: Kevin Dooley & William Etukudo

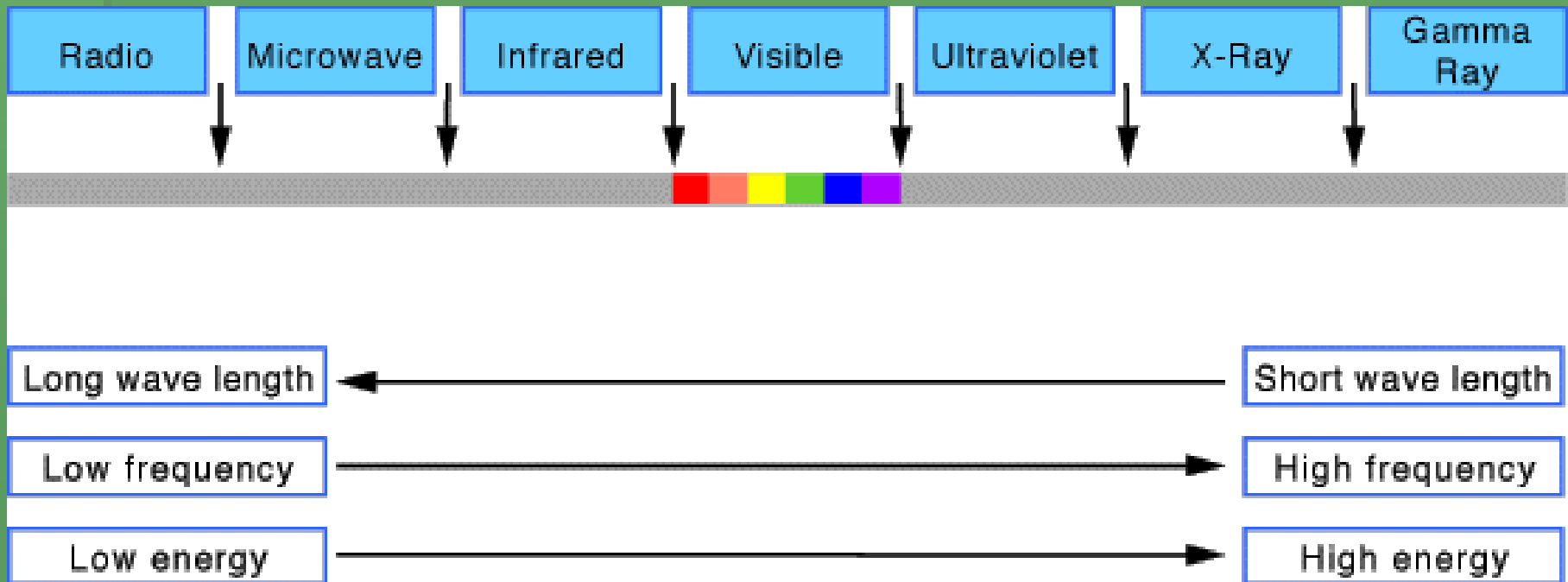
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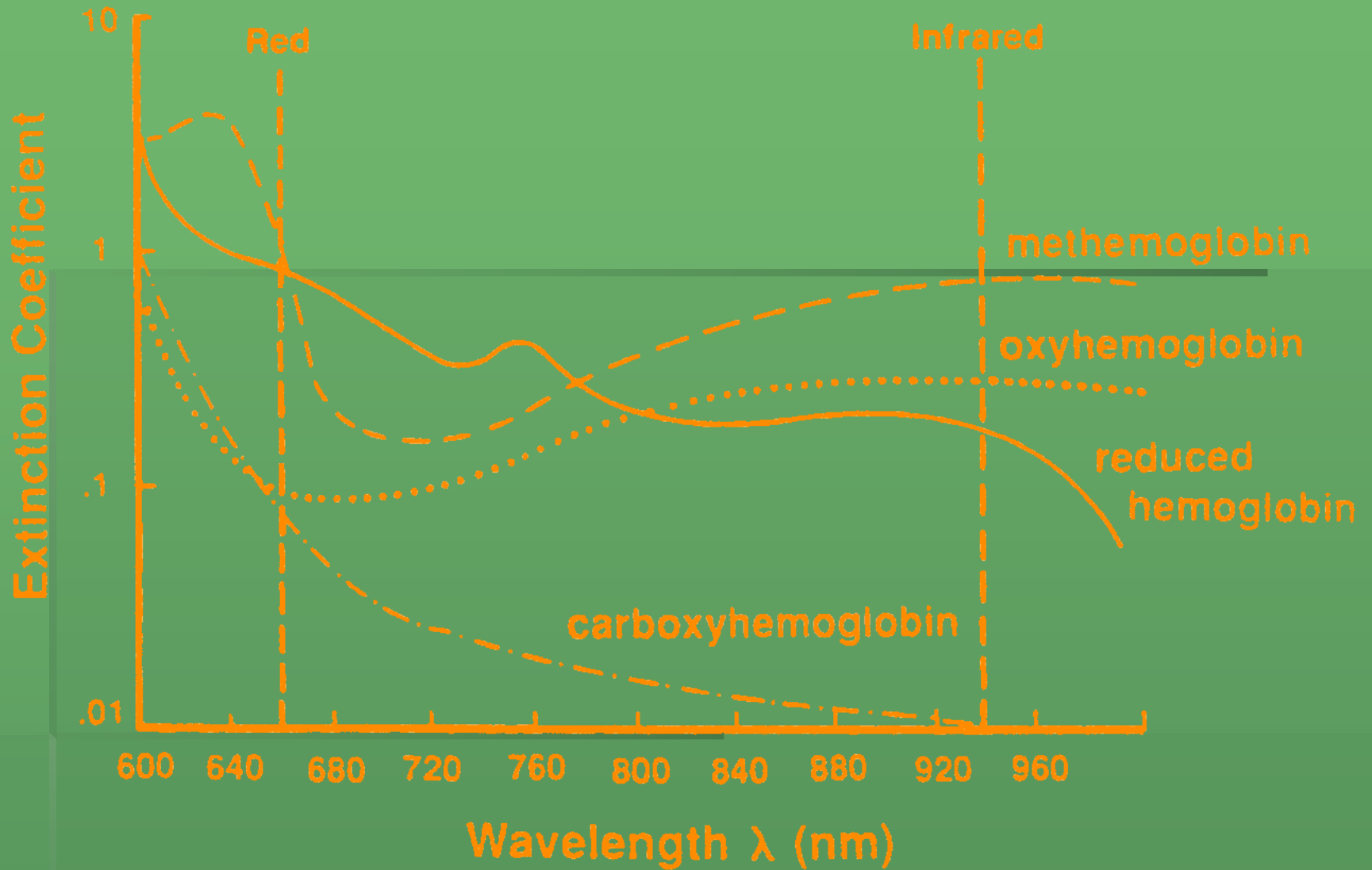
- **Rosen :**

At the wavelength of red light (660 nm), reduced hemoglobin absorbs about 10 times as much light as oxyhemoglobin, whereas at the infrared (IR) wavelength (940 nm), the extinction coefficient of oxyhemoglobin is near that of reduced hemoglobin.

# How Pulse Oximetry Works?

- Oxyhemoglobin absorbs infra red light 940nm
- Deoxyhemoglobin absorbs visible red light 660nm

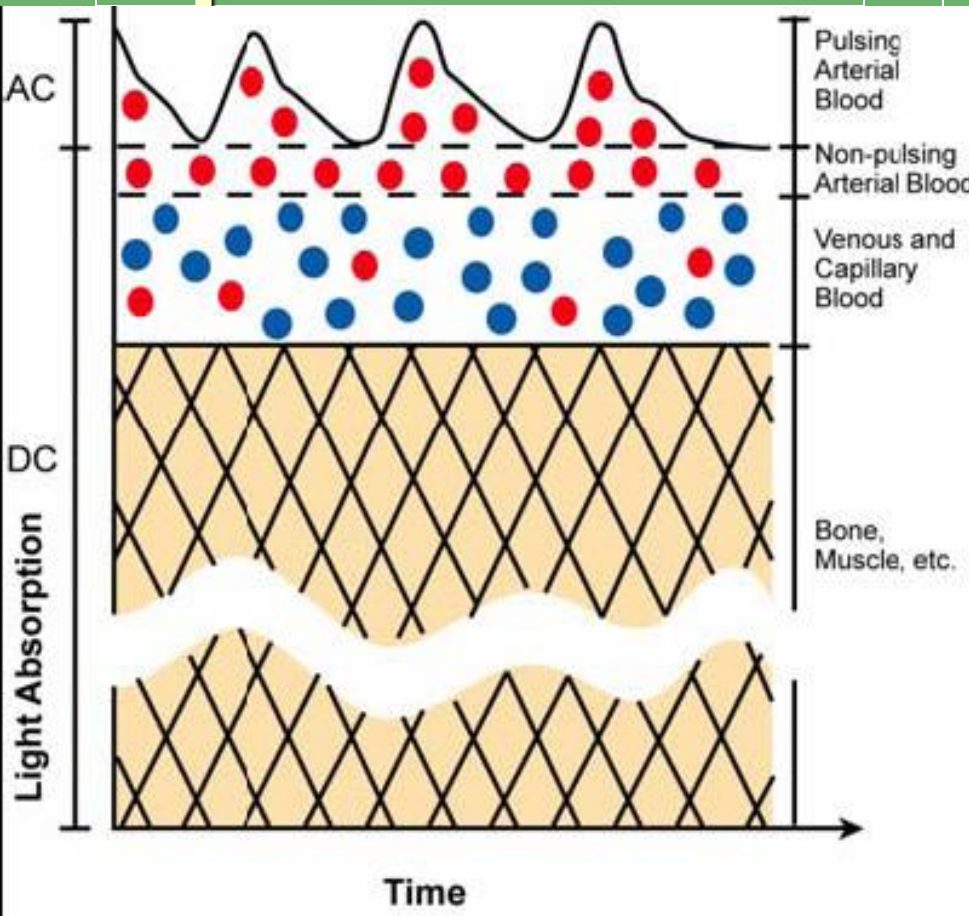




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# Calculating $S_pO_2$

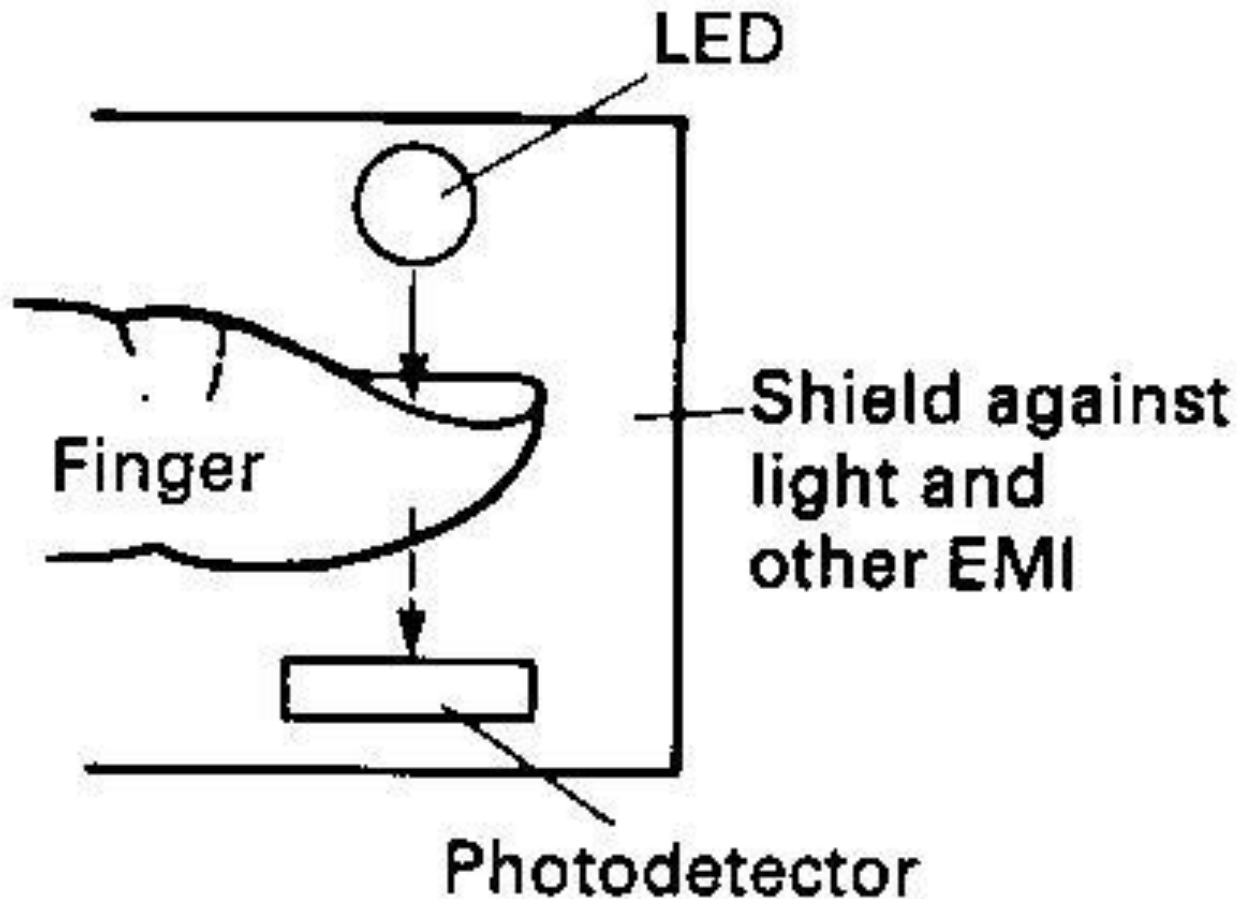
$$R = \frac{AC_{660} / DC_{660}}{AC_{990} / DC_{990}}$$



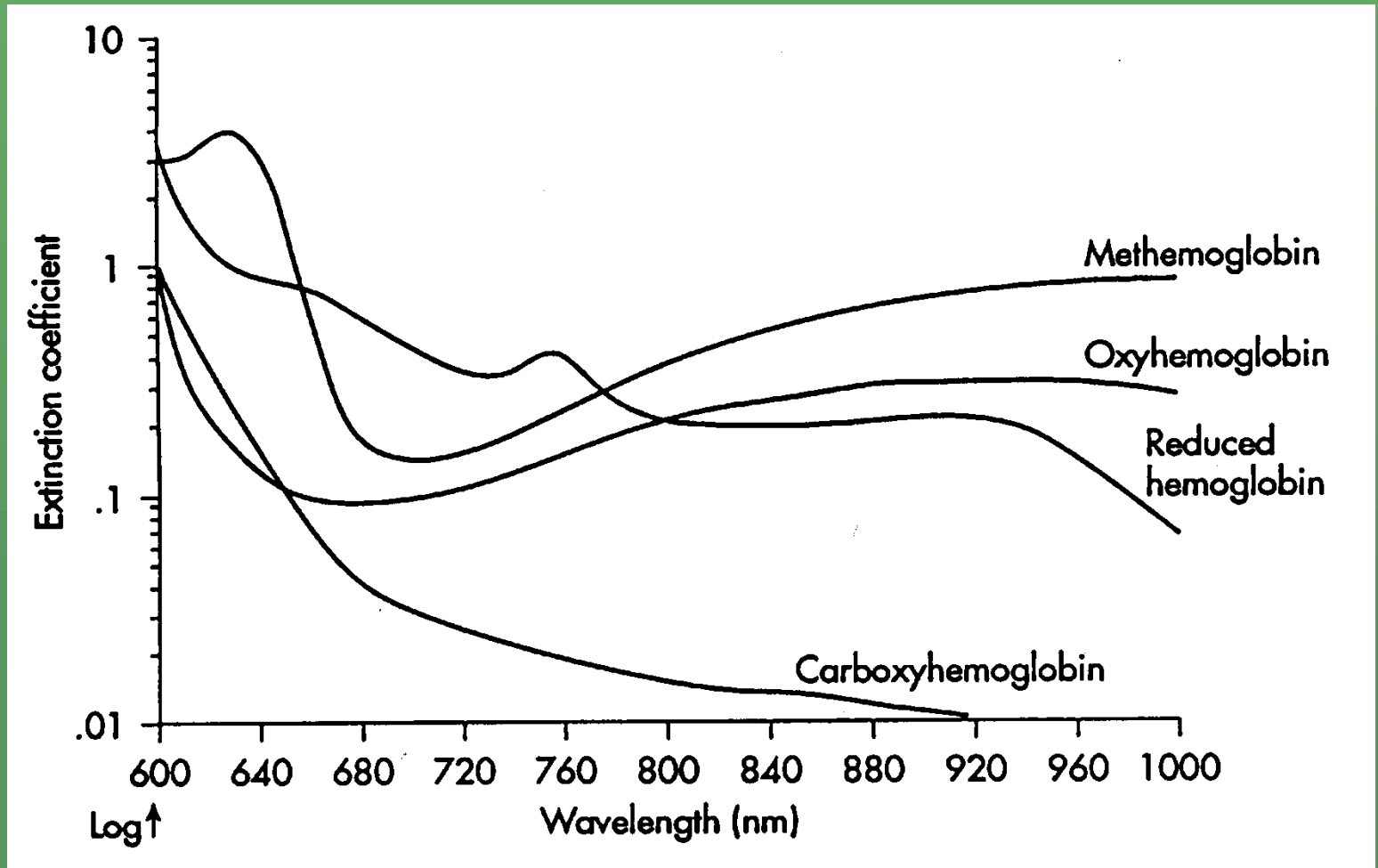
- 2 LED diodes, 1 photodetector
- Each LED lights hundreds of times per second
- Differences in detected intensity of transmitted light at each wavelength are measured to determine the AC and DC components
- All variables in Beer's Law are constant except for distance

# Pulse Oximetry

## Principle of operation



# ABSORPTION SPECTRA



# SOURCES OF ERROR

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- Sensitive to motion
- Standard deviation is certified to 4% down to 70% saturation
- Sats below 85% increase the importance of error in the reading
- Calibration is performed by company on normal patients breathing various gas mixtures, so calibration is certain only down to 80%

# SOURCES OF ERROR

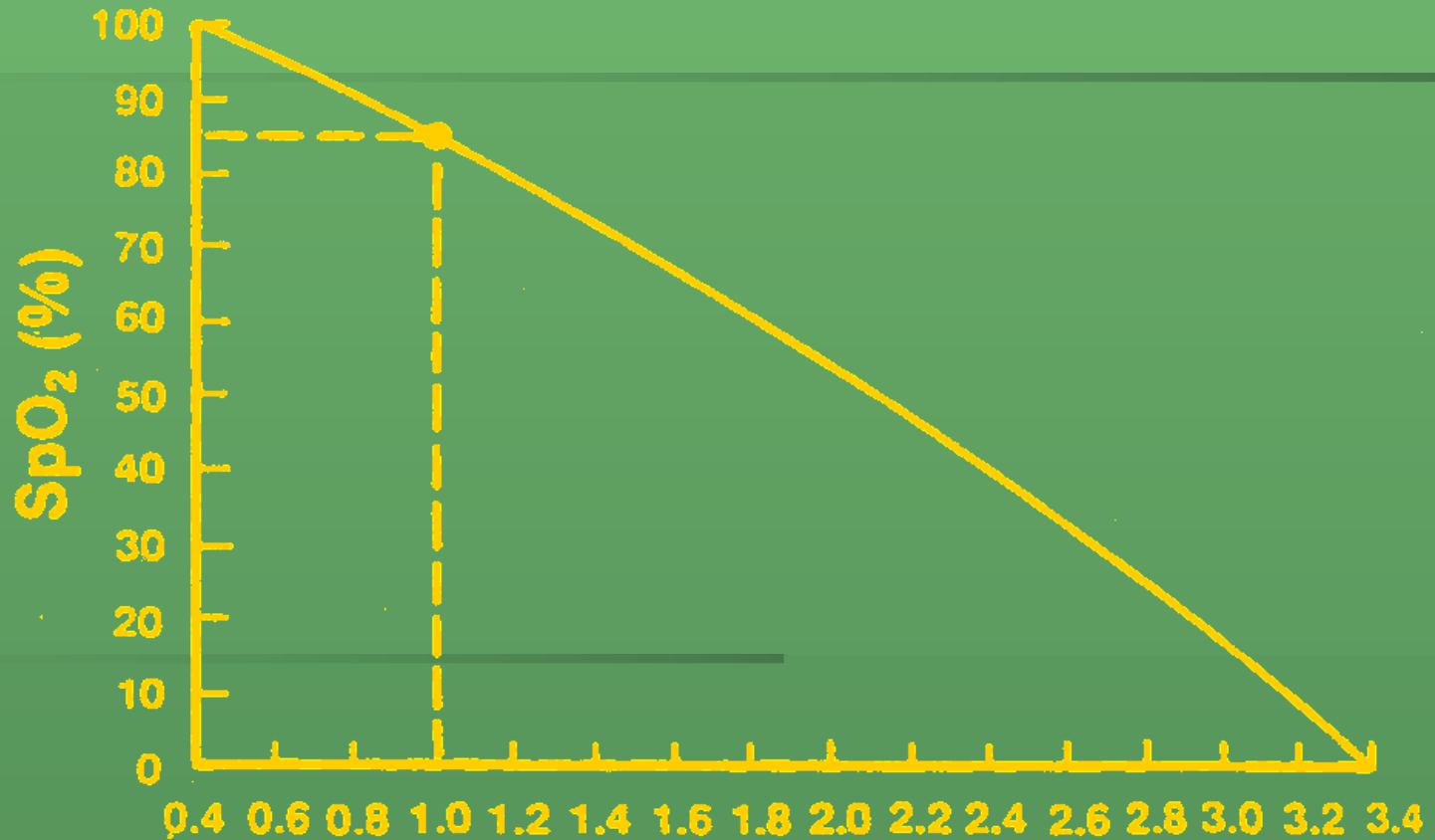
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- Skin Pigmentation
  - Darker color may make the reading more variable due to optical shunting.
  - Dark nail polish has same effect: blue, black, and green polishes underestimate saturations, while red and purple have no effect
  - Hyperbilirubinemia has no effect
- Low perfusion state
- Ambient Light
- Delay in reading of about 12 seconds

# SOURCES OF ERROR

- Methylene blue and indigo carmine underestimate the saturation
- Dysfunctional hemoglobin
  - Carboxyhgb leads to overestimation of sats because it absorbs at 660nm with an absorption coefficient nearly identical to oxyhgb
  - Methgb can mask the true saturation by absorbing too much light at both 660nm and 940nm. Saturations are overestimated, but drop no further than 85%, which occurs when methgb reaches 35%.

# Calibration Curve



$$R = \frac{AC_{660}/DC_{660}}{AC_{940}/DC_{940}}$$

# SOURCES OF ERROR

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- Affect of anemia is debated
- Oxygen-Hemoglobin Dissociation Curve
  - Shifts in the curve can affect the reading
  - Oximetry reading of 95% could correspond to a  $P_aO_2$  of 60mmHg (91% saturation) or 160mmHg (99% saturation)

# Accuracy of Pulse Oximetry

**SpO<sub>2</sub> overestimated SaO<sub>2</sub>. It has been found that SpO<sub>2</sub> value of 96% is reliable to ensure SaO<sub>2</sub> > or = 90%.**

- **Pulse oximetry is accurate above 90% oxyhaemoglobin saturation(2-3%), but much less so below 70%, and inaccurate below 50%.**
- **Factors adversely affecting:**
  - **transducer movement**
  - **peripheral vasoconstriction**
  - **nonpulsating vascular bed**
  - **Hypotension**
  - **Anemia 5 g/dl**
  - **Dyshemoglobinemias (COHb, MetHb 85%, HbF, HbSS)**
  - **changes in systemic vascular resistance**
  - **Hypothermia**
  - **presence of intravascular dyes**
  - **nail polish (Blue, black, green)**
  - **Methylene blue 65%**
  - **Edema**
  - **Skin pigmentation: Dark skin**
  - **Ambient Light (Florescent lights)**

# Pulse Oximetry

- In general, signals are **weaker from ears than from fingers except in hypotension or peripheral vasoconstriction, but ear responses are faster.**
- **Nasal bridge probes** have been reported to read falsely high.
- **In children particularly**, it is essential to be certain the signals are adequate; a valid pulse reading can be of some reassurance

# Capnography

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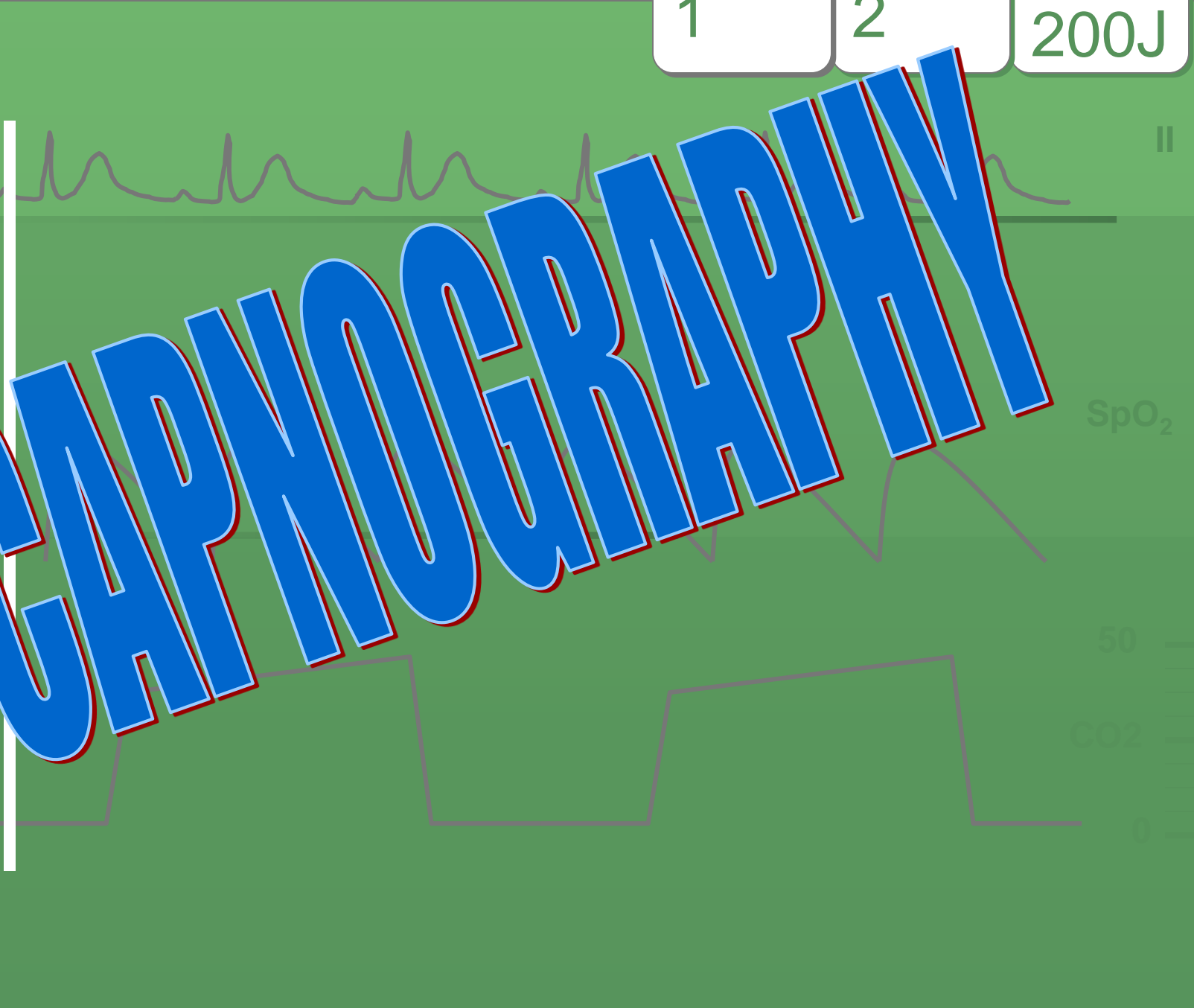
SpO2 98

CO2 mr 4  
14RR

NIBP mmHg 112

88 80

# CAPNOCRYPHY



# CAPNOGRAPHY

- Term **capnography** comes from the greek work **KAPNOS**, meaning **smoke**.
- **Anesthesia contex**: inspired and expired gases sampled at the Y connector, mask or nasal cannula.
- Gives insight into alterations in **ventilation, cardiac output, distribution of pulmonary blood flow and metabolic activity**.

# What is capnography?

- کاپنو گرافی ثبت عملی مقدار  $\text{CO}_2$  دمی و باز دمی است
- منحنی کاپنوگرام نمایش گرافیکی فشار نسبی  $\text{CO}_2$  در سراسر تنفس است

# Why Capnography?

اطلاعاتی در باره میزان تولید CO<sub>2</sub>

پرفیوژن ریه

ونتیلیسیون الوئولی

الگوهای تنفسی

دفع CO<sub>2</sub> از سیر کوئیت بی هوشی و ونتیلاتور

نشان داده شده که کاپنو کافی در کشف به موقع حوادث مضر تنفسی خیلی موثر است

به کار گیری توام کاپنو گرافی و پالس اکسیمتری 93٪ از حوادث مضر حین بیهوشی جلوگیری می کند (مطالعه ASA)

# Physiology

- هوای دمى حاوى مقادير قابل اغماض دى اكسيد كربن است
- دى اكسيد كربن از كاپيلر هاى ريوى به داخل الوئولها انتشار مى يابد
- هنگام باز دم ابتدا هوای راههای هوایی فوقانی وبعد تحتانی وبعد از ان الوئولها خارج مى شوند
- كاپنو گرام نمايش حرکت دى اكسيد كربن به بيرون در سراسر باز دم است
- در تمامی بیماران سالم و نرمال میزان دى اكسيد كربن توليدى برابر است
- تغيير در منحنى نرمال مى تواند ناشى تغييرات حالات فیزیولوژی باشد و يا يك حالت پاتولوژی ويا ناشى از بد كاری تجهيزات

# ادامه Physiology

- هر فاکتوری که تولید و انتشار و دفع دی اکسید کربن تاثیر بگذارد در کاپنوگرام تاثیر خواهد گذاشت
- یک متخصص طب اورژانس باید قادر به تشخیص منحنی های غیر طبیعی ناشی از بد کاری تجهیزات و شرایط فیزیولوژیک و پاتولوژیک باشد

## ASA Standards of Care - Capnography

هر بیماری که بیهوشی عمومی دریافت می کند کاپنوگرافی جزو مونیتورهای پایه  
و اساسی است .

حداقل استفاده تائید انتوباسیون صحیح و جاگذاری صحیح لارینژال ماسک است

ASA& AHA

کاپنوگرافی را در بیهوشی اجباری می داند مگر با فیلد عمل تداخل کند  
و یا امانت نباشد

# What is Capnography?



## ■ “SMOKE”

- CO<sub>2</sub> produced by the metabolism of glucose
- transported to the pulmonary capillaries
- diffuses into alveoli and eliminated via exhalation



# Levels of Capnography Depend On

- Amount of CO<sub>2</sub> being produced (**metabolism**)
- Whether the CO<sub>2</sub> is being carried to the lungs (**circulation**)
- Whether the alveoli are being **ventilated**

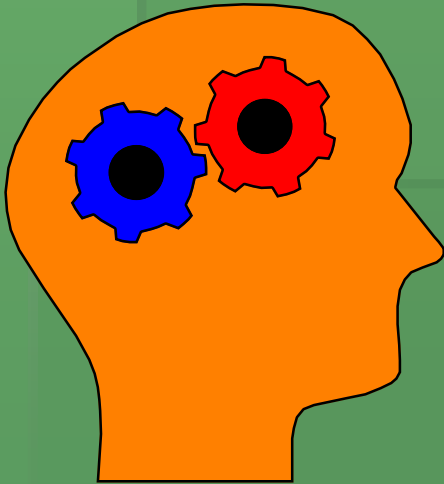


*EtCO<sub>2</sub>*

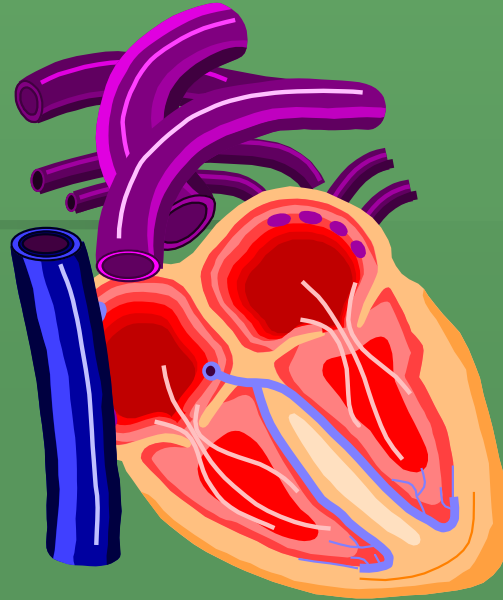


Inspiration (Phase 0)

METABOLISM



PERFUSION



VENTILATION



# Why Measure ETCO<sub>2</sub>?

- Three reasons: ABC

- ❖ **A = Airway**

- ❖ Verify ET tube placement
    - ❖ Ensure ongoing ET tube placement
    - ❖ Assess changes in airway

- ❖ **B = Breathing**

- ❖ Assess ventilation (movement of air)
    - ❖ Monitor respiration (exchange of gases)
    - ❖ Assess treatment

- ❖ **C = Circulation**

- ❖ Pulmonary blood flow
    - ❖ Check CPR efforts
    - ❖ Identify ROSC

# Pulse Oximetry and Capnography

- You cannot measure ventilation with a pulse oximeter and you cannot measure oxygenation with capnography



PULSE OXIMETRY IS THE VITAL SIGN FOR

Oxygenation

CAPNOGRAPHY IS THE VITAL SIGN FOR

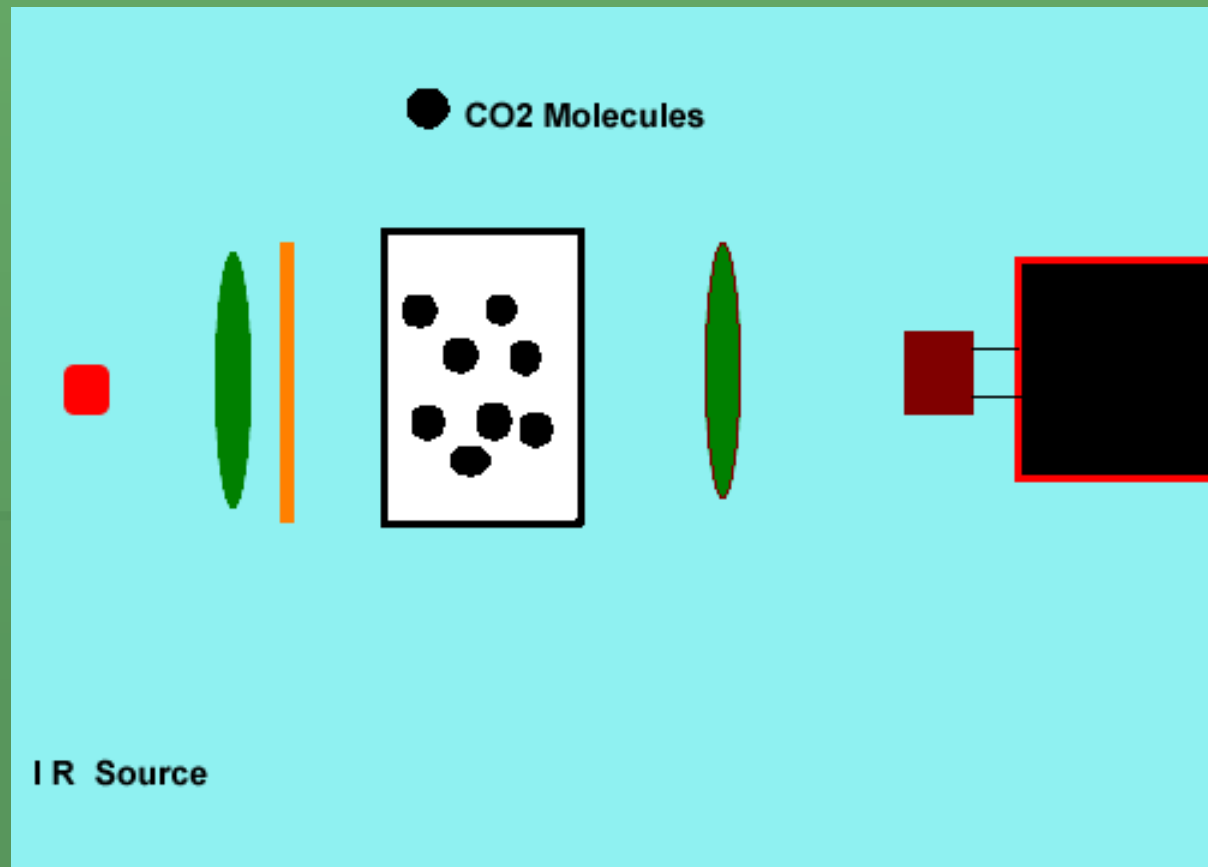
Perfusion

# **How Capnography Works**

# Physics of capnography

## Infra Red Spectrography

# دی اکسید کربن نور مادون قرمز را جذب می کند



# فاکتورهای موثر در اسپکترو گرافی مادون قرمز



**Atmospheric Pressure**



**Nitrous Oxide**



**Oxygen**



**Water Vapor**

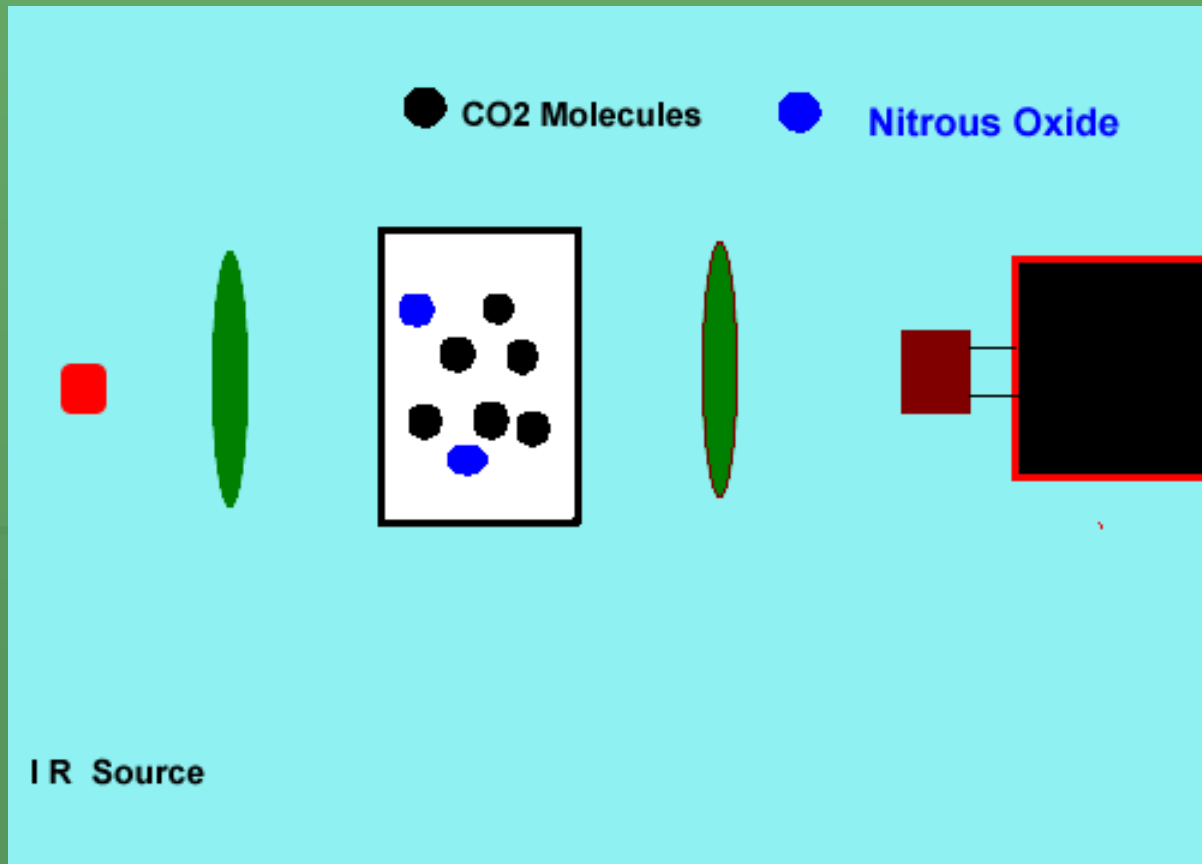


**Inhalational Agents**

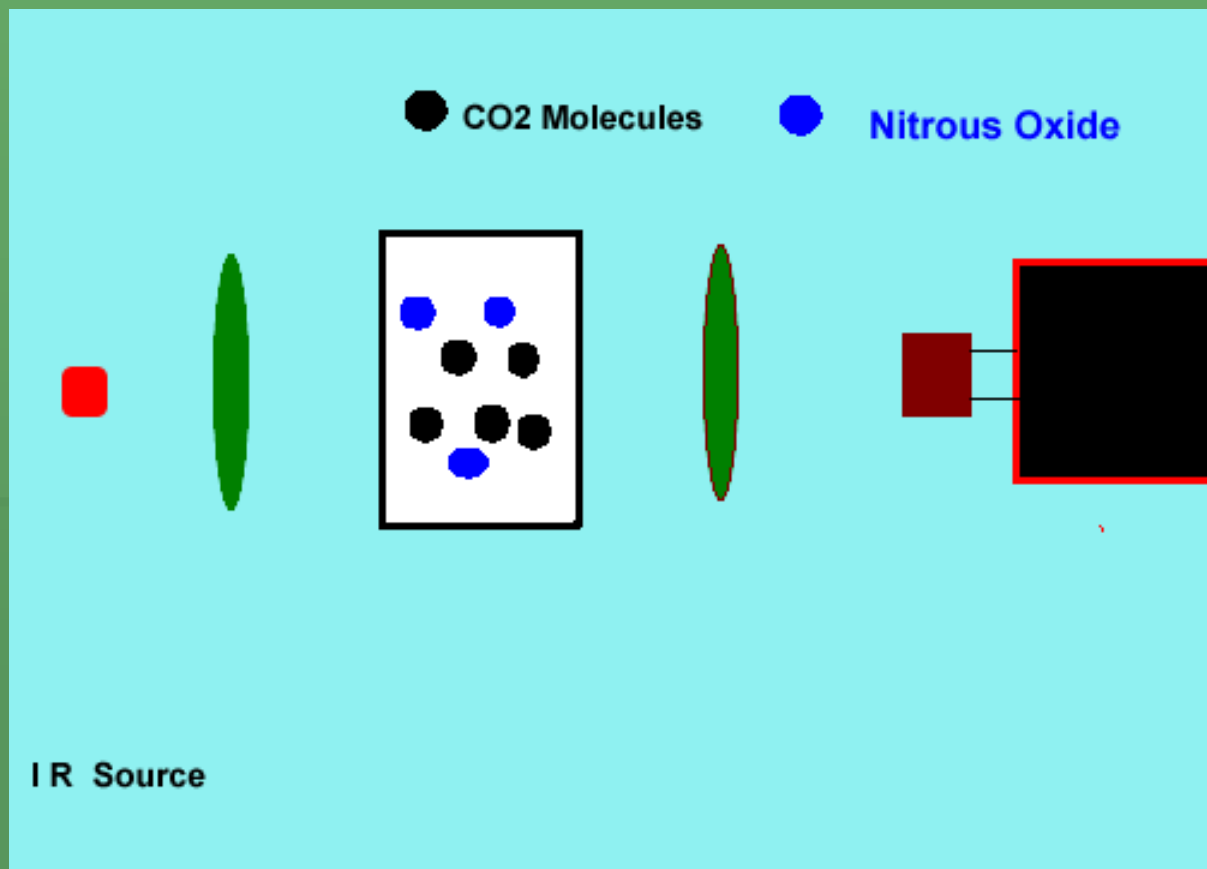


**Response Time**

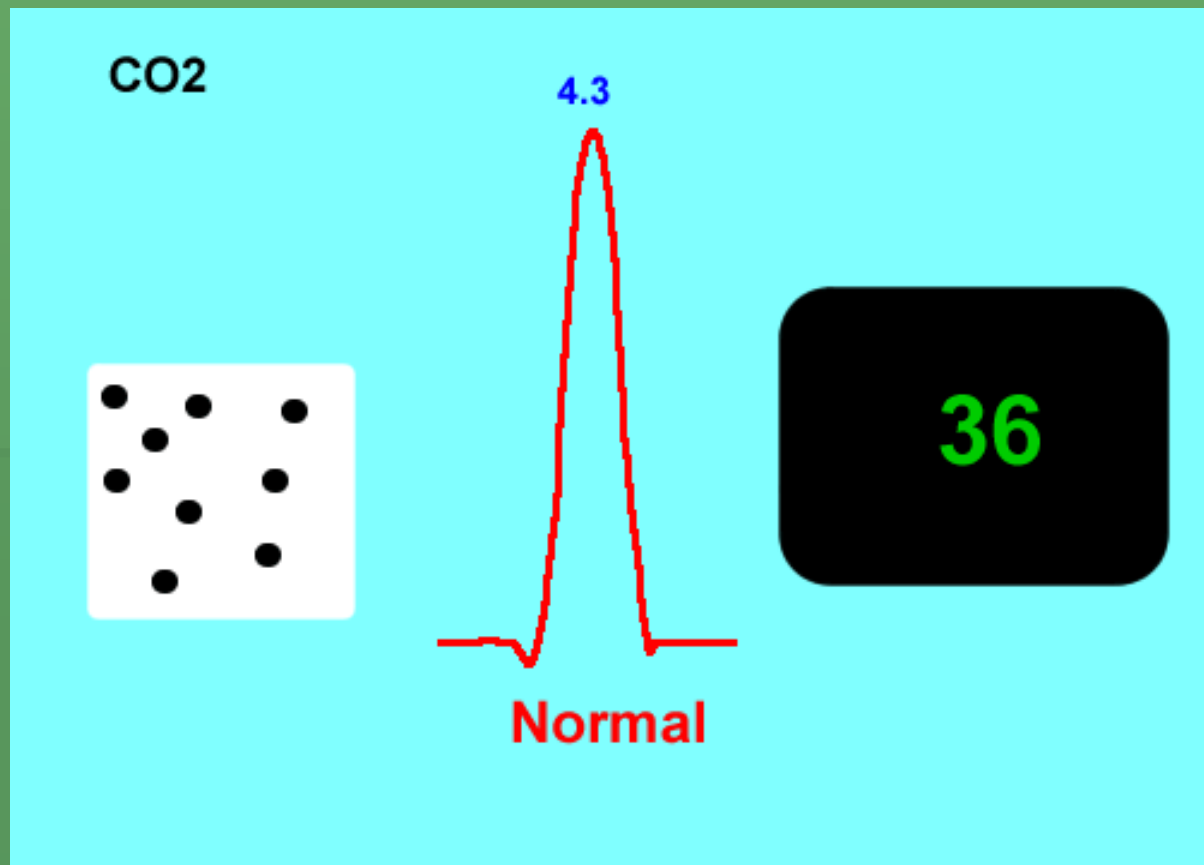
# نیتروس اکساید چگونه با اندازه گیری دی اکسید کربن تداخل می کند؟



# جذب نور مادون قرمز در طول موج $4.3 \mu m$ حداقل است

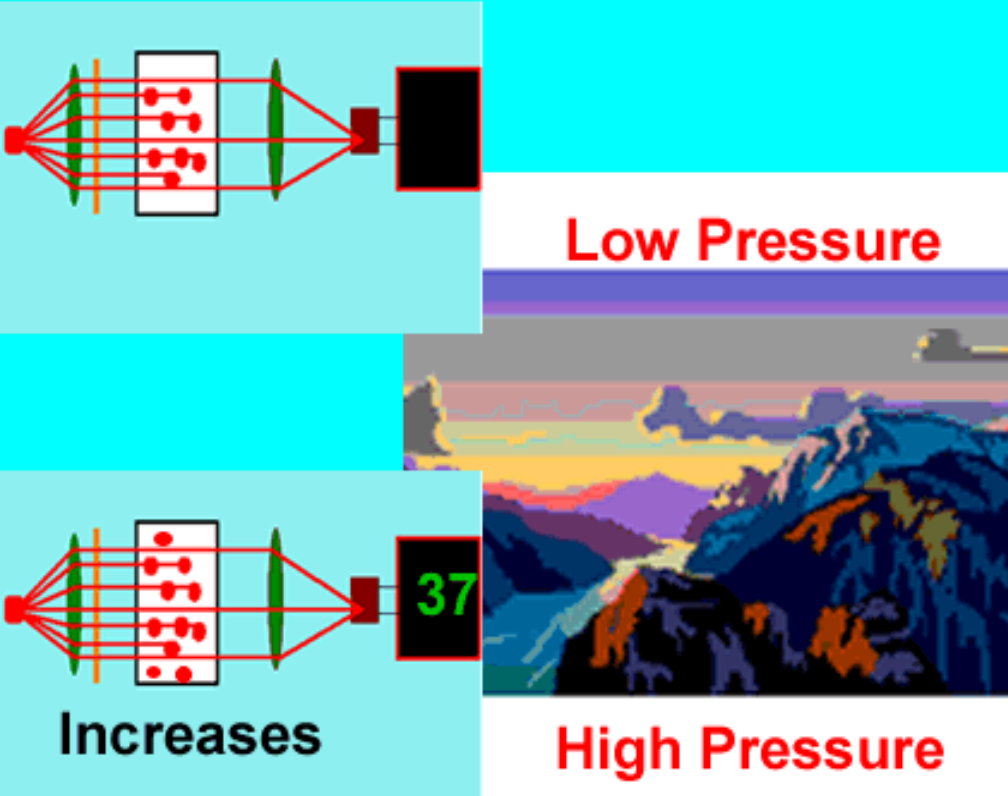


# اثر $\text{N}_2\text{O}$ collision BROADENING در میزان دي اکسيد کربن



## Factors affecting IR Spectrography

### Effect of Atmospheric Pressure



## How does atmospheric pressure affect CO<sub>2</sub>?

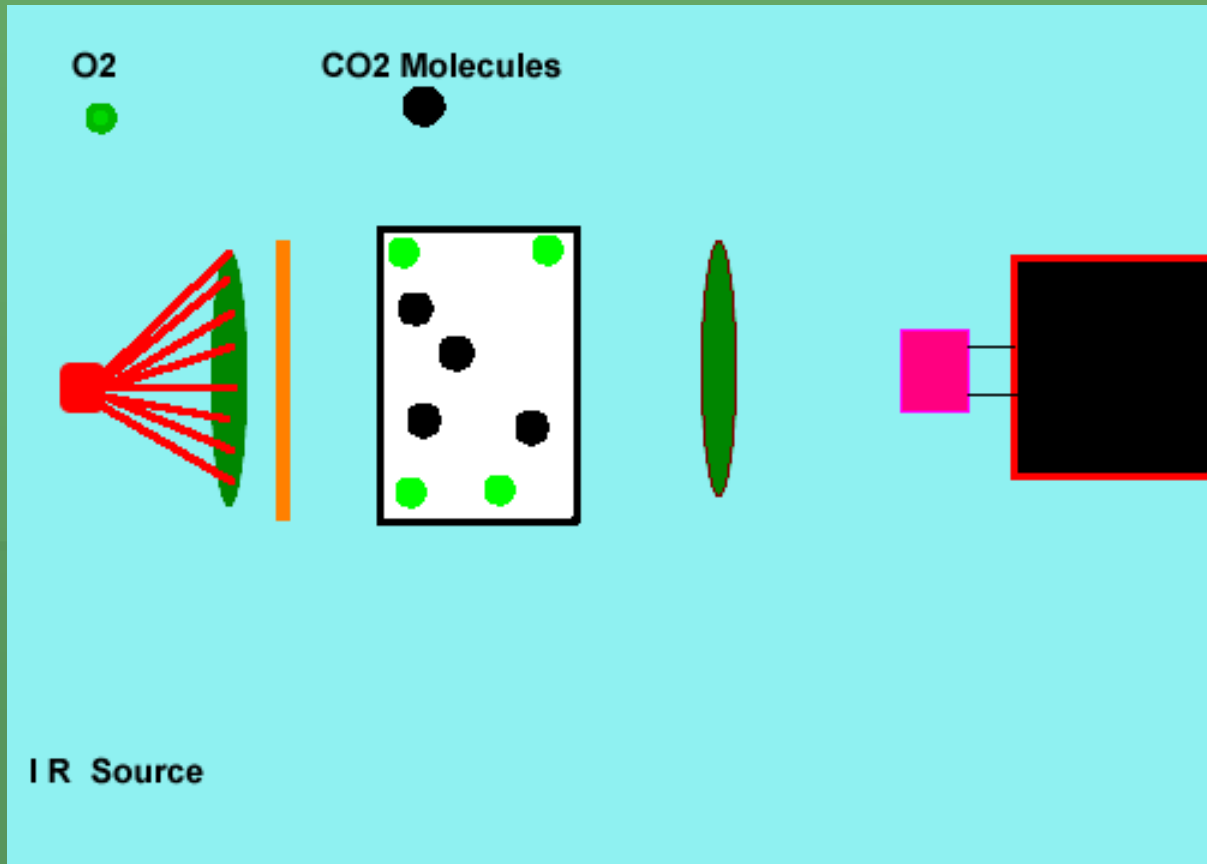
Increases in atmospheric pressure result in an increase in the PETCO<sub>2</sub> values by increasing number of IR absorbing molecules and increasing intermolecular forces

**The effect of Atmospheric pressure can be minimised by:-**

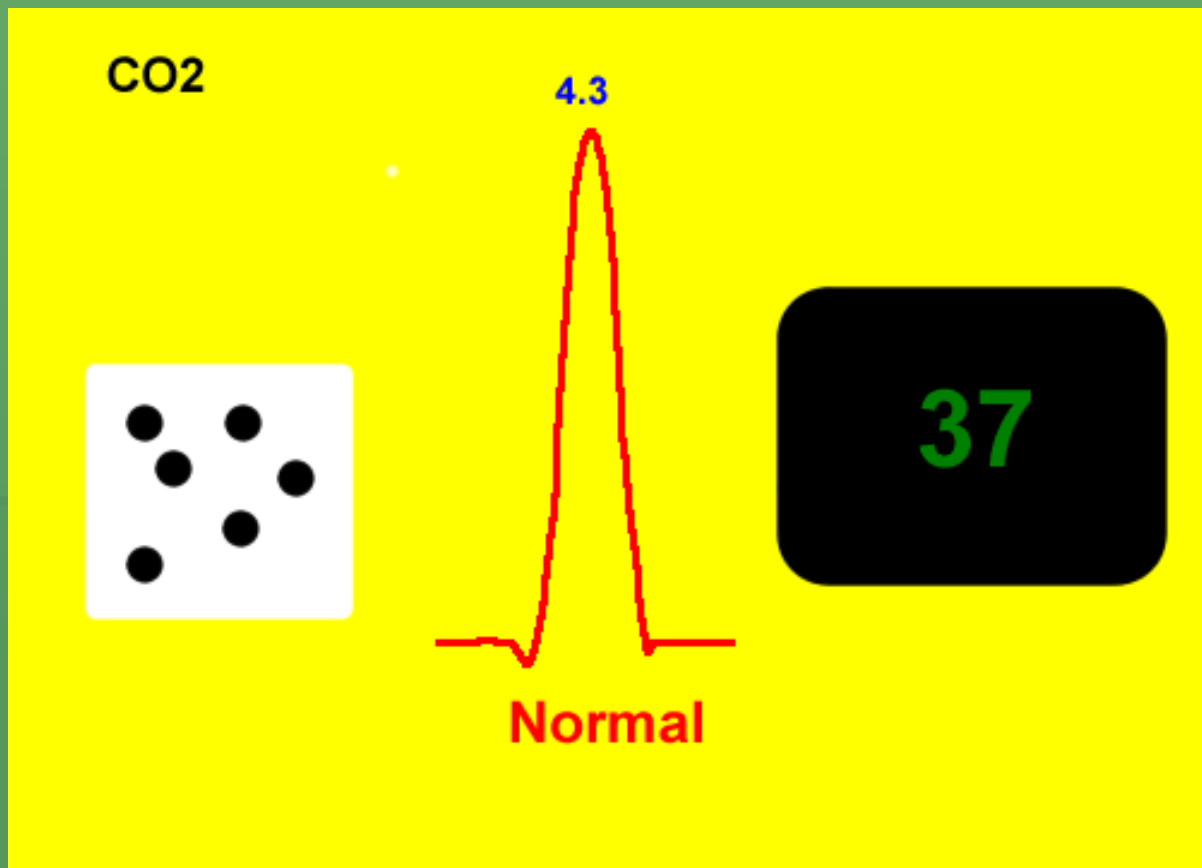
Measuring CO<sub>2</sub> as partial pressures

Calibrating with a known concentration of CO<sub>2</sub> as partial pressure at the site of measurement

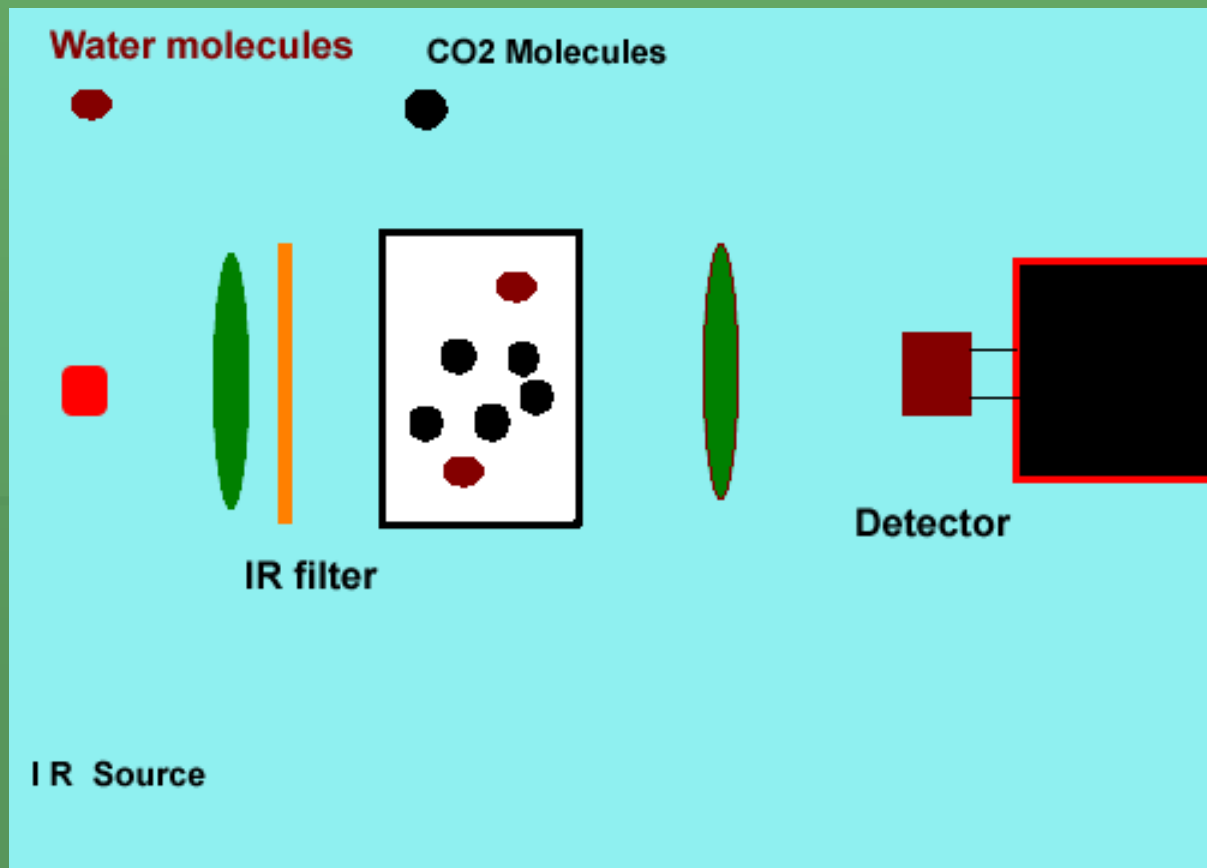
# اکسیژن نور مادون قرمز را جذب نمی کند



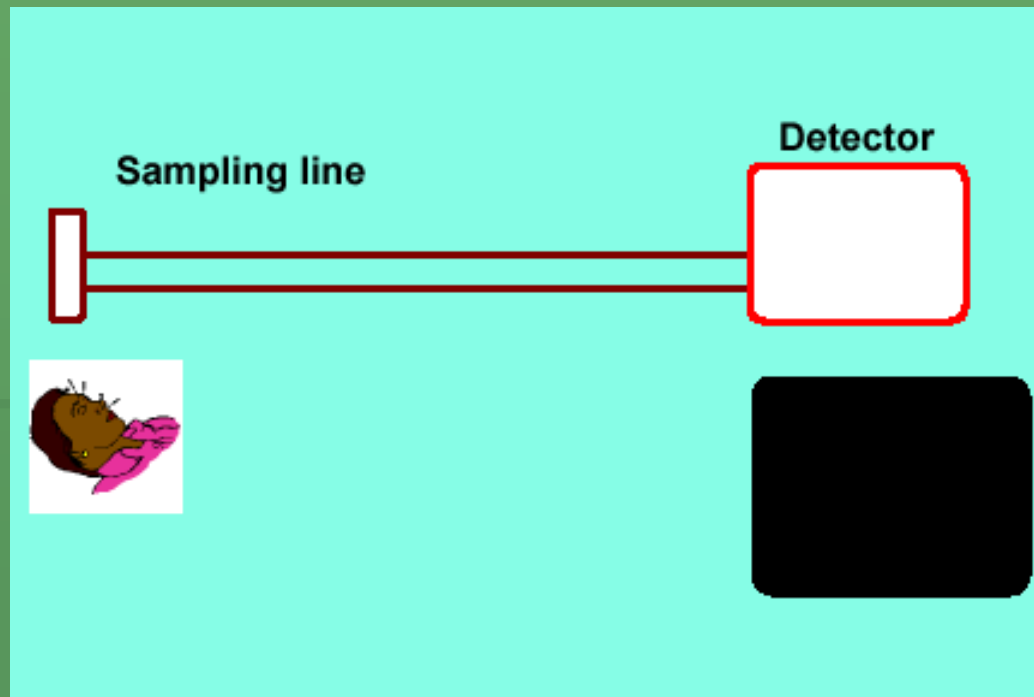
# Collision broadening affect of Oxygen



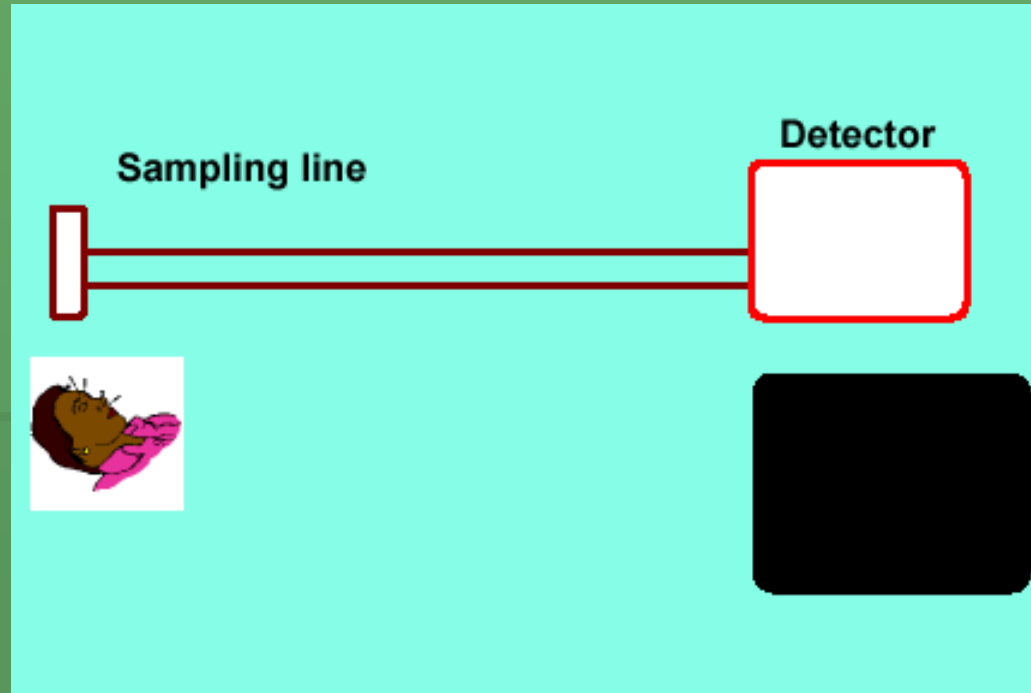
# بخار آب می تواند تغلیظ شود و نور مادون قرمز را هدایت بکند



# بخار اب متراکم می شود و فشار نسبی دی اکسید کربن را بالا می برد

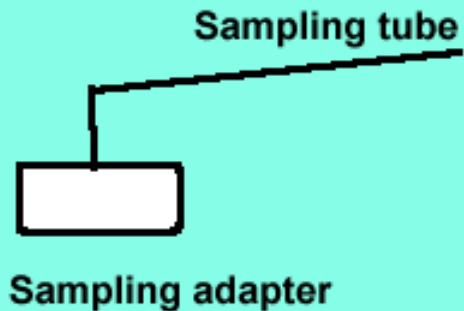


# بخار آب متراکم شده می تواند باعث بلوک کاتر نمونه برداری شود

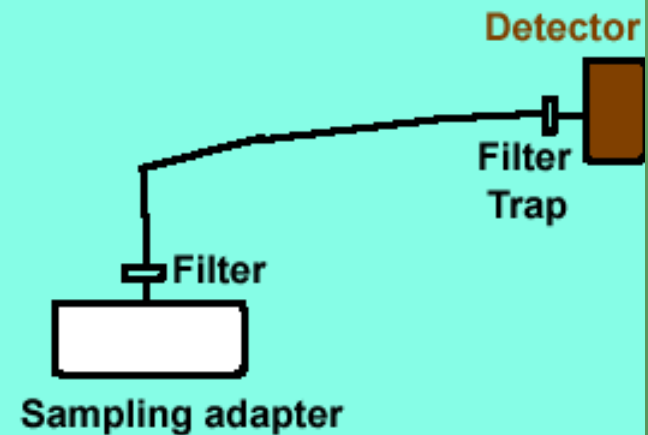


# روشهایی برای کاهش الودگی لاین نمونه برداری از مایعات و ترشحات بیمار<sup>s1</sup>

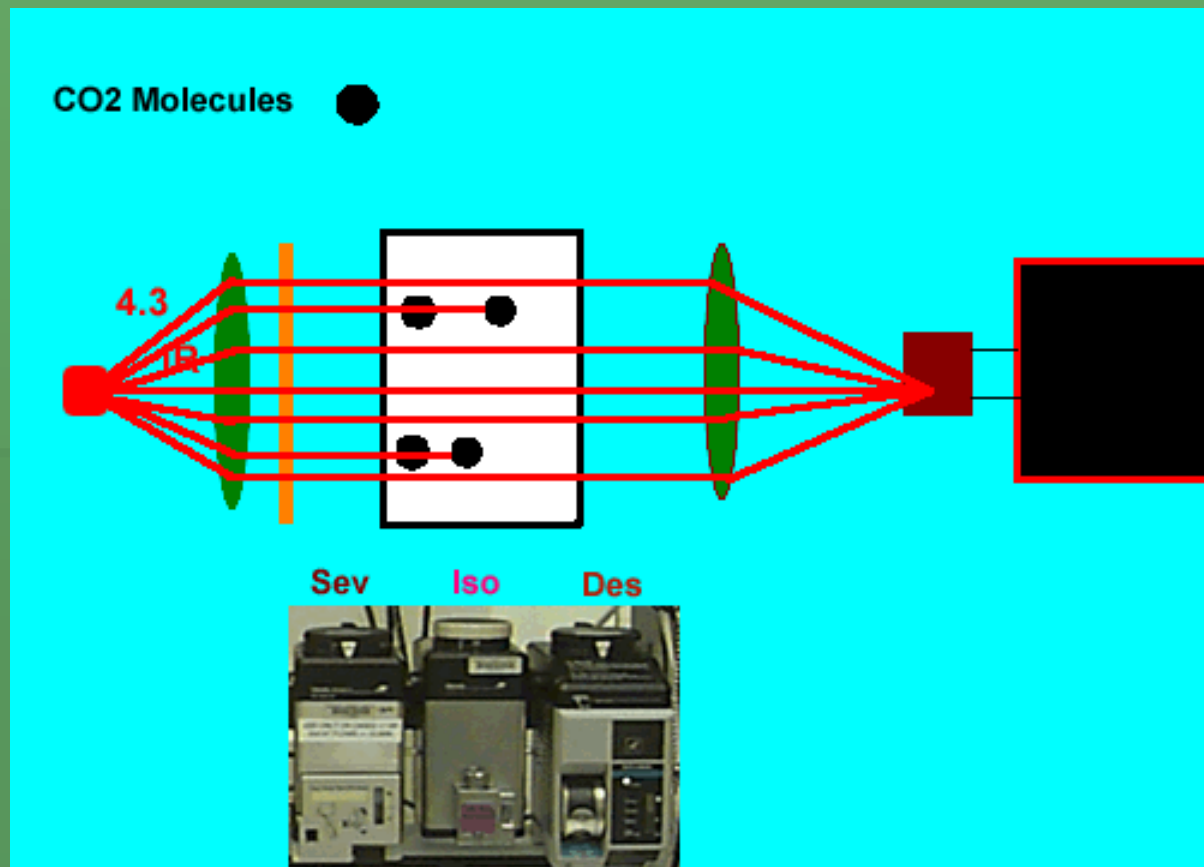
Position the sampling vertically upwards<sup>1</sup>



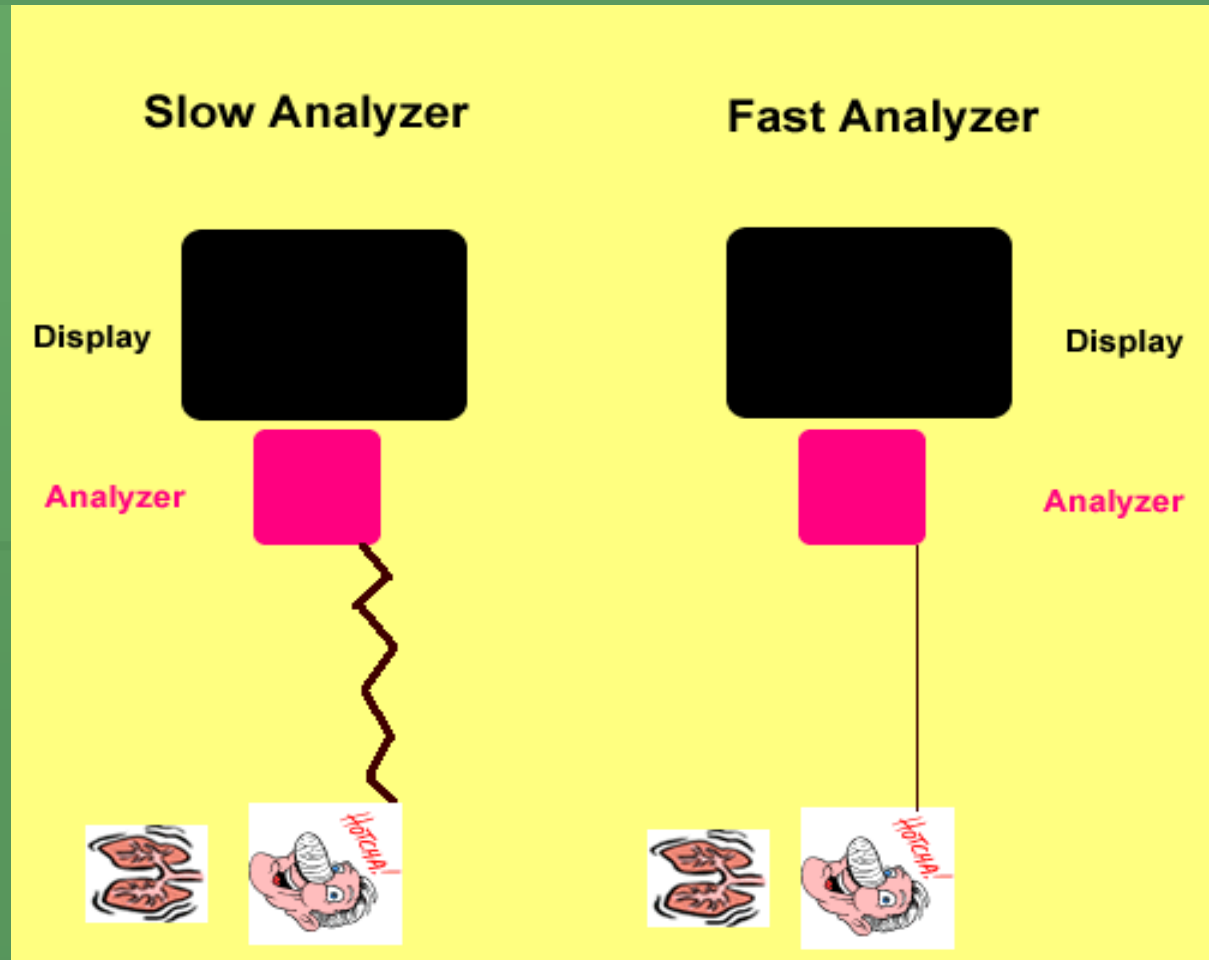
Use water filters at both ends of sampling tube<sup>5</sup>



# هوشبرهای استنشاقی در میزان دی اکسید کربن تاثیری ندارند



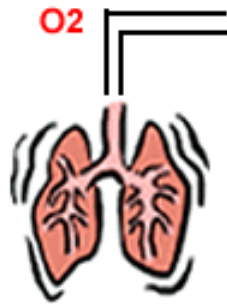
# زمان پاسخگوئی آنالیزر باعث کج وید شکلی منحنی دی اسید کرین می شود



# روش شیمیائی اندازه گیری دی اکسید کربن

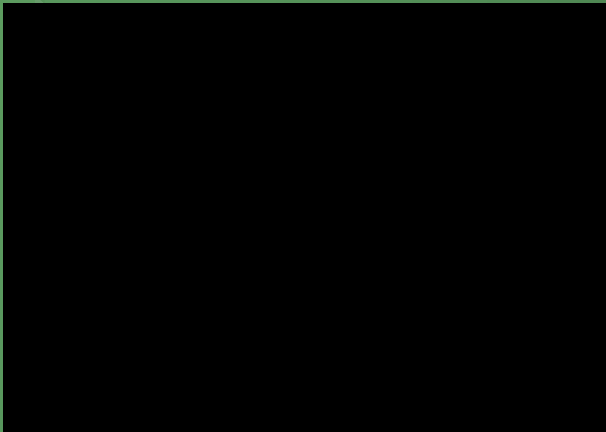
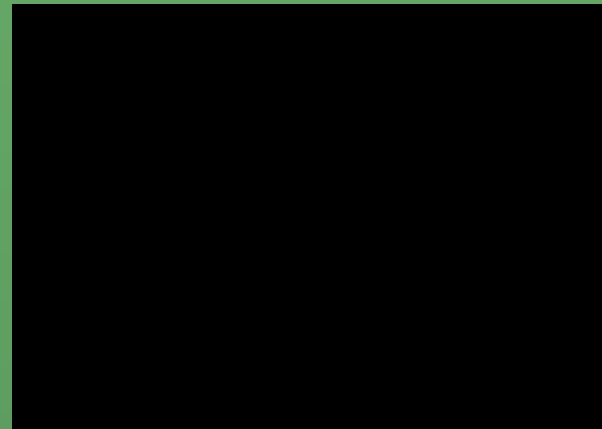
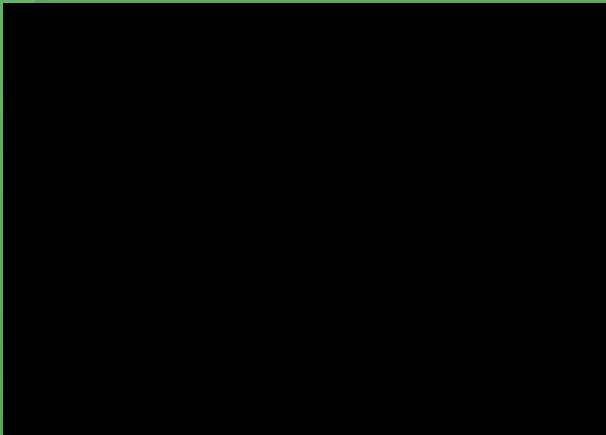


# Basic Physiology

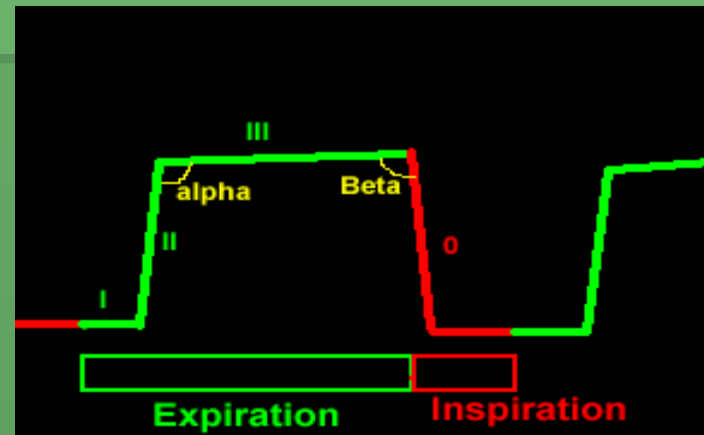


Inspiration (Phase 0)

# Terminology



## Current Terminology



Inspiratory segment

**Phase 0:** Inspiration **Beta Angle** –

Angle between phase III and descending limb of inspiratory segment

**Expiratory segment**

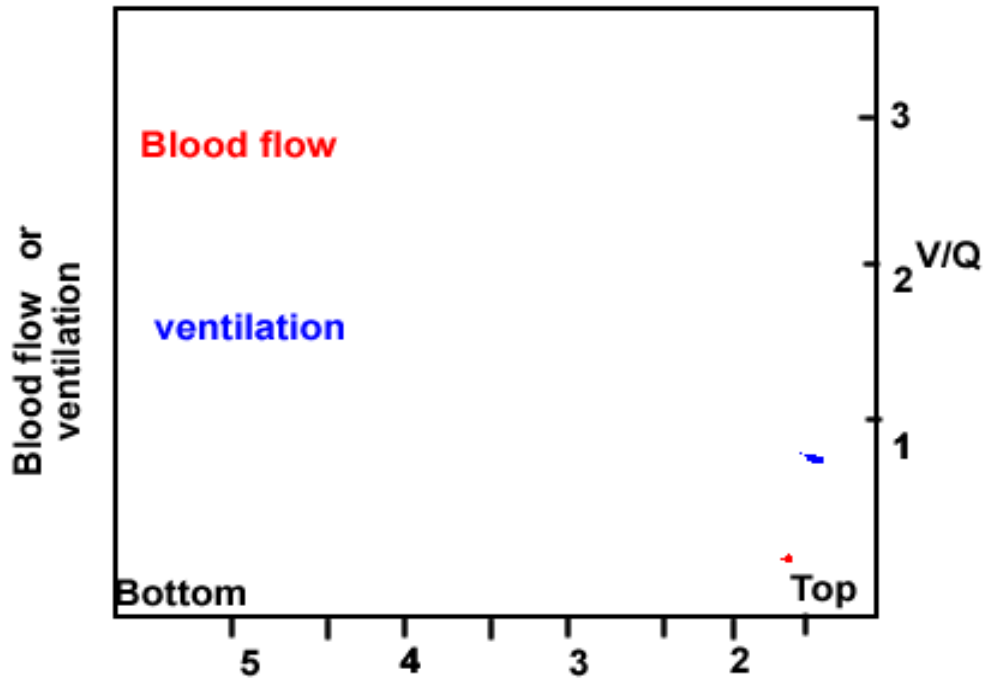
**Phase I** - Anatomical dead space

**Phase II** - Mixture of anatomical and alveolar dead space

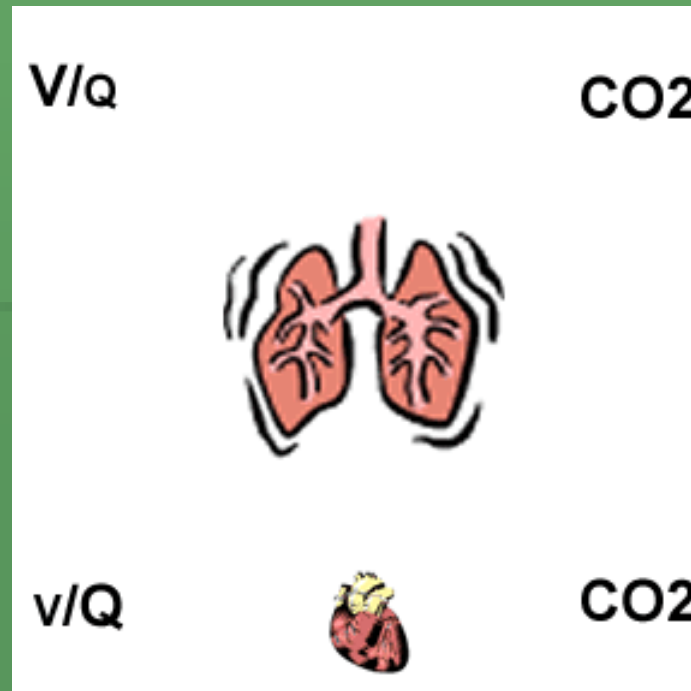
**Phase III** - Alveolar plateau

**Alfa angle** - Angle between phase II and phase III (V/Q status of lung).

# Ventilation and Perfusion in the Lung



**Lower part of lung is relatively more perfused than ventilated, resulting in spectrum of alveoli with higher V/Q ratio (lower CO<sub>2</sub>) on the top of the lung, and lower V//Q (higher CO<sub>2</sub>) at the bottom of the lung**



**Any factor that affects the V/Q ratio of the lung can influence**

**the height and slope of phase III.**

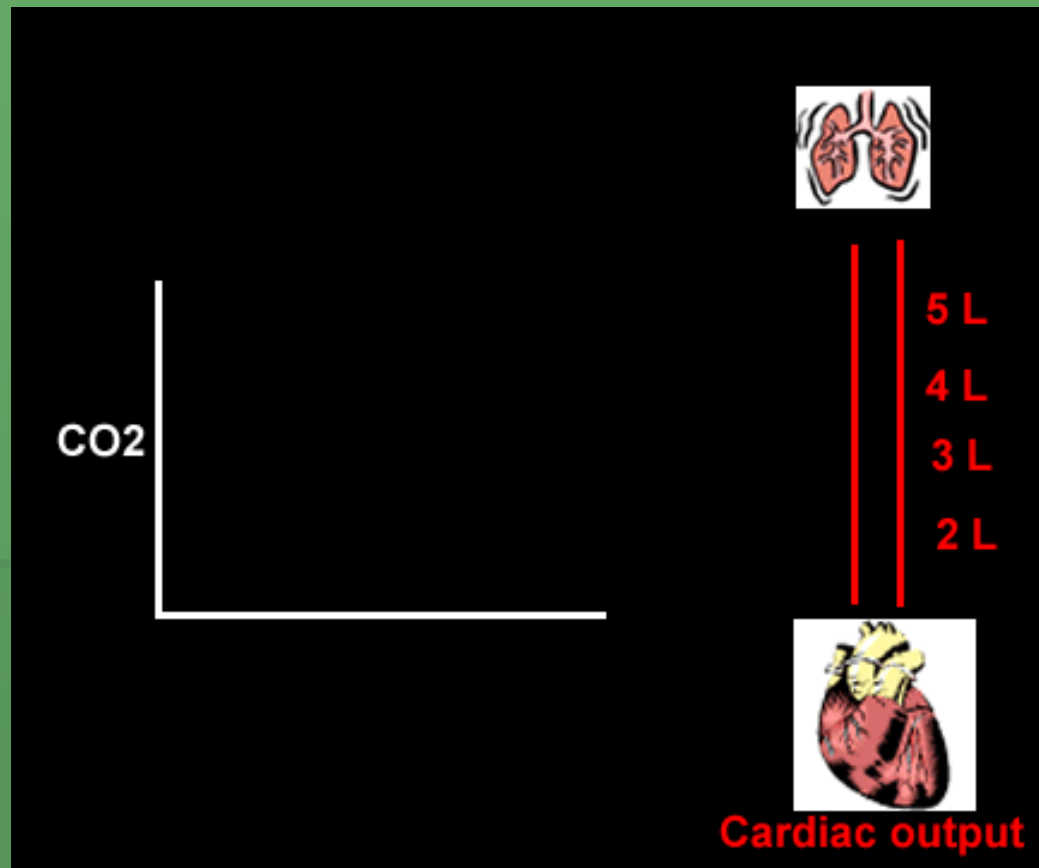
**Cardiac output,**

**CO<sub>2</sub> production,**

**Airway resistance,**

**Functional residual capacity**

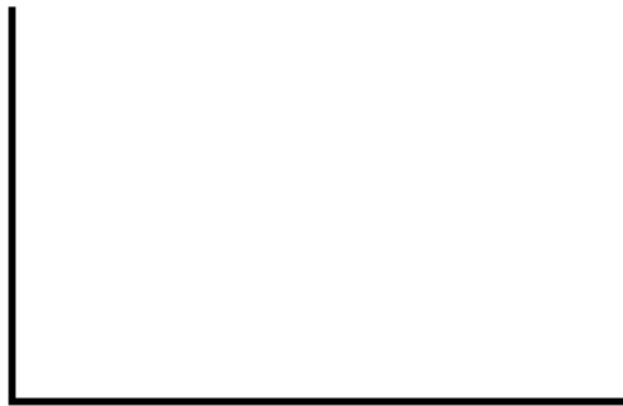
# How does cardiac output affect PETCO<sub>2</sub>



# ارتباط کاپنوگرام با حجم جاری



# مشخص نمودن اجزا حجم جاری در کاپنوگرام



Increased (a-ET)CO<sub>2</sub>

With advancing age

COPD

Hypovolemia

Pulmonary embolism

(a-ET)PCO<sub>2</sub> decreases

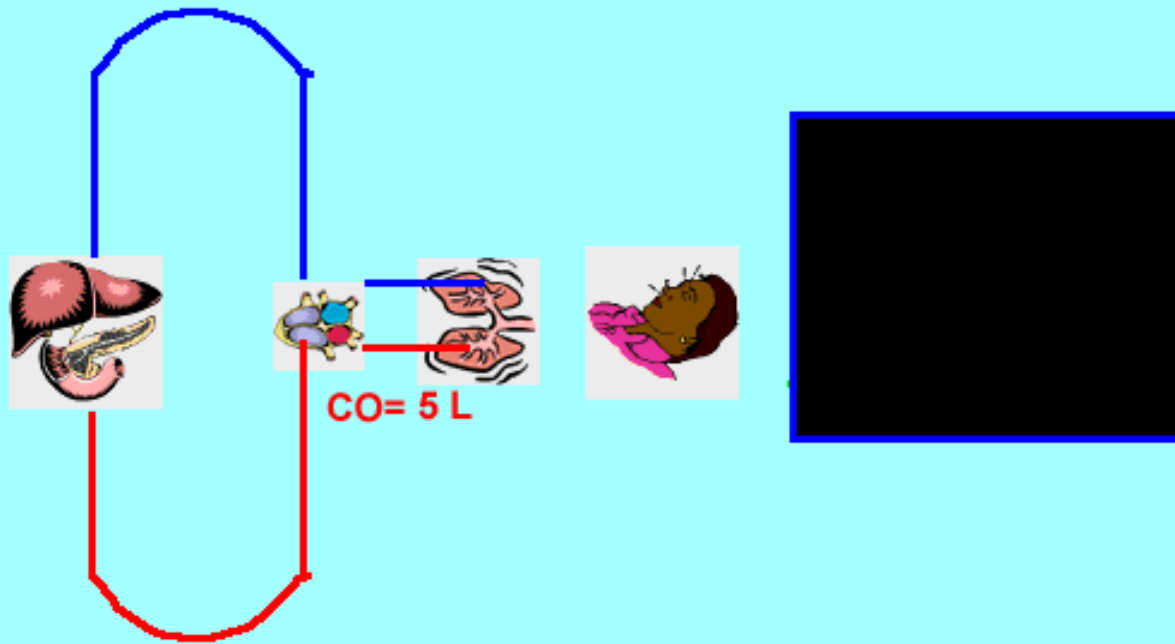
Low frequency, high tidal volume  
ventilation in healthy adults

Children

Pregnant Subjects

(a-ET)PCO<sub>2</sub>

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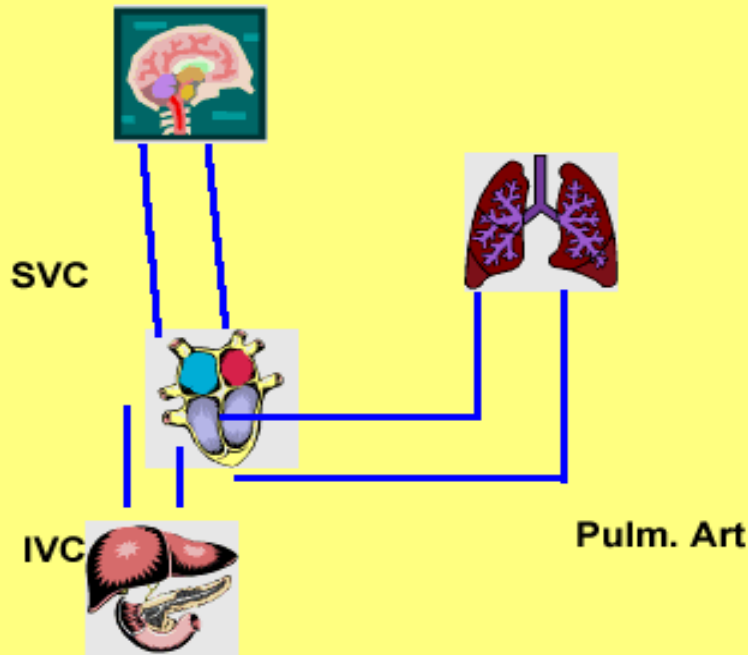


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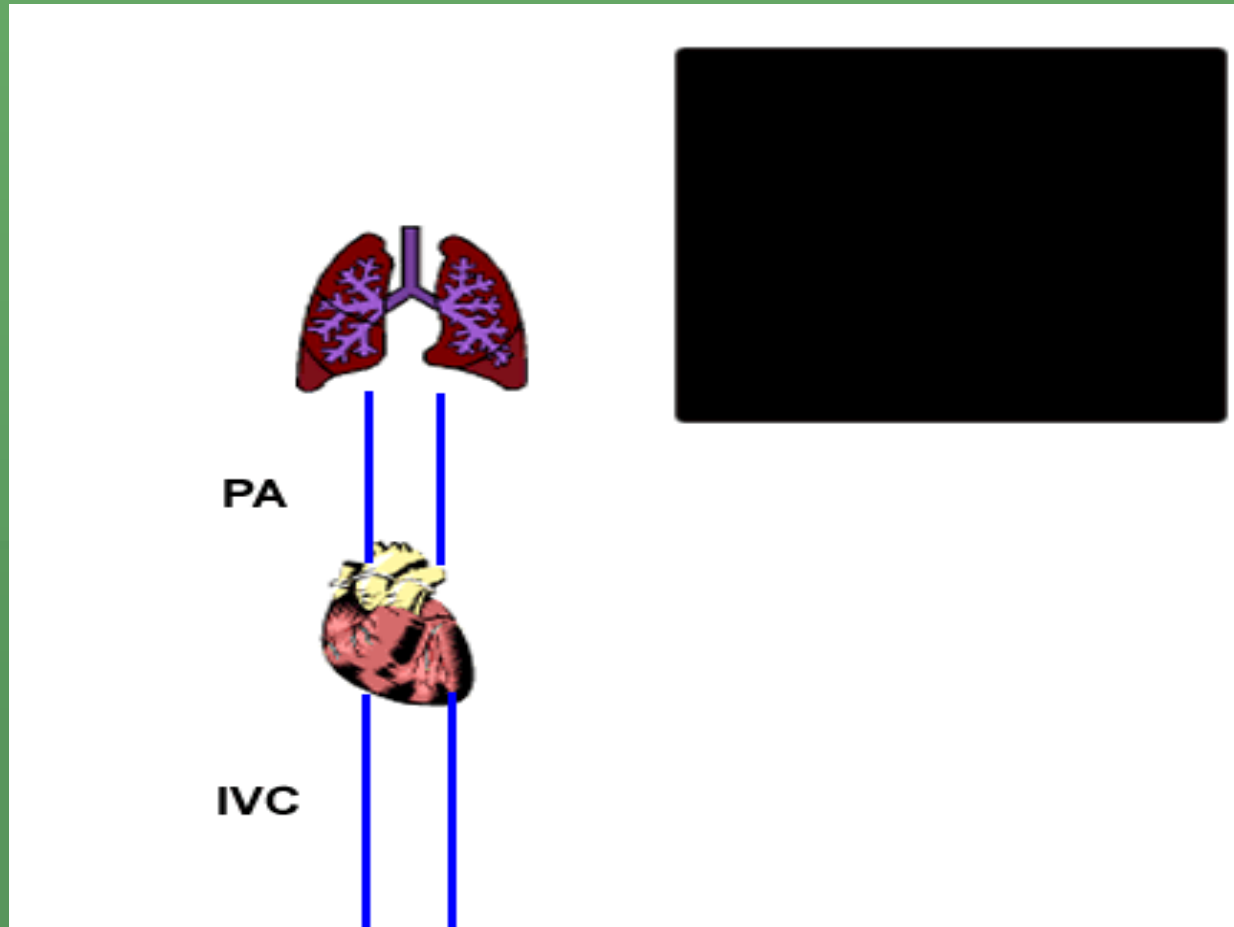
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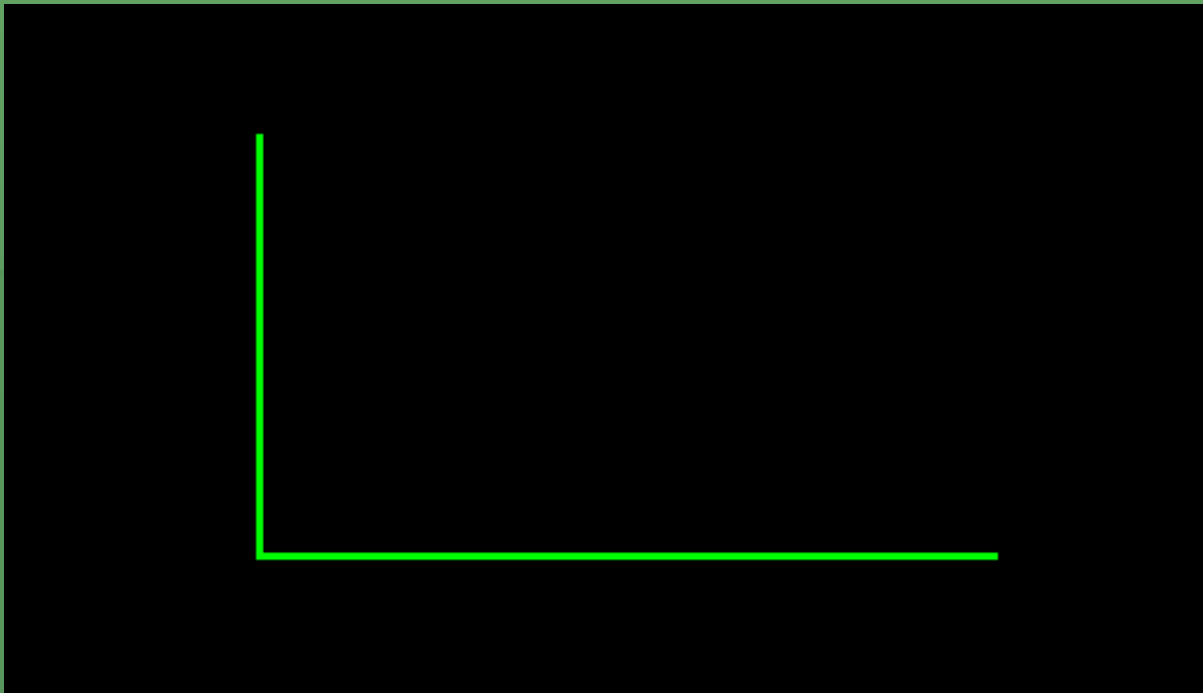


ترومبو امبولی  
فضای مرده الوثول را زیاد  
دی اکسید کربن را انتهای باز دمی را کم  
زیاد می کند **a-Etco2**



# PETCO<sub>2</sub> as a non-invasive monitor of PaCO<sub>2</sub>

تا زمانی که فضای مرده الونول ثابت است  $et\ CO_2$  انعکاسی از  $aco_2$  است



# Clinical applications of capnography

# Capnography provides three sources of information

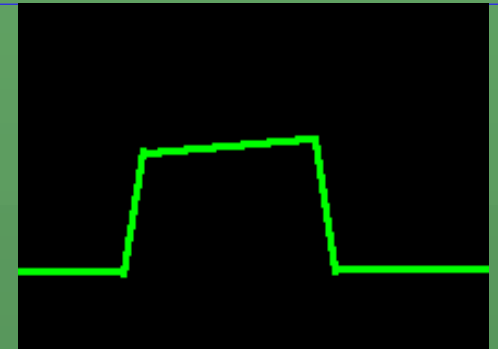
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From Numbers- PETCO<sub>2</sub> values-  
Capnometry

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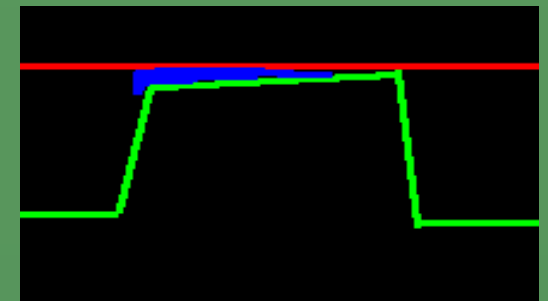
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**From Lines and Curves--  
Shapes of capnograms -  
Capnography**



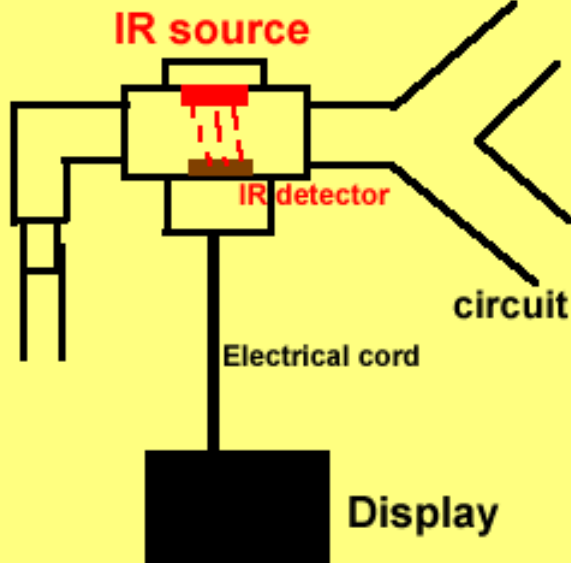
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**From (a-ET)PCO<sub>2</sub> gradients or  
differences- Alveolar dead space**

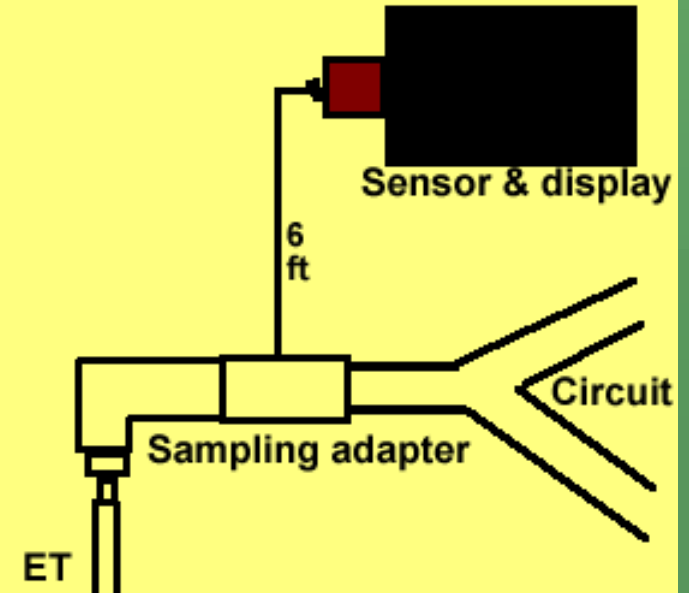


# انواع کاپنو گراف ہا

## Main-stream capnographs



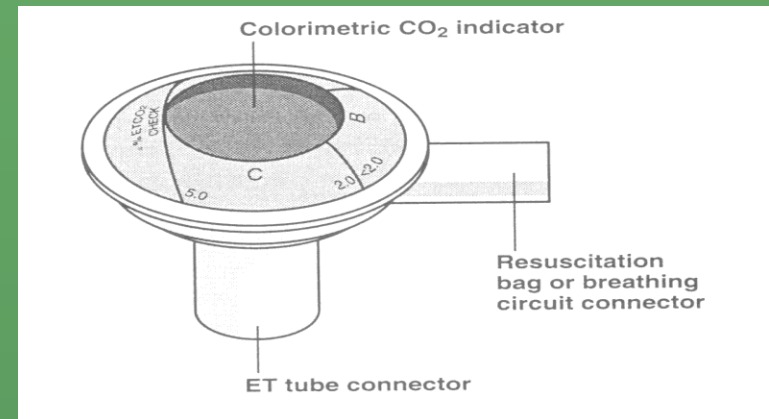
## Side-stream capnographs



# **Physiology and terminology of capnography**

# EtCO<sub>2</sub> - How is it Measured?

- Colormetric
- Capnometer
- Capnograph



# *what is Capnography?*

- **Capnography**- Continuous analysis and recording of Carbon Dioxide concentrations in respiratory gases (I.E. waveforms and numbers)
- **Capnometry**- Analysis only of the gases no waveforms

ETCO<sub>2</sub>  
34  
RR  
15



## Capnography

- Measurement and display of both ETCO<sub>2</sub> value and capnogram (CO<sub>2</sub> waveform)
- Measured by a capnograph

ETCO<sub>2</sub>

34 RR  
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## Capnometry

- Measurement and display of ETCO<sub>2</sub> value (no waveform)
- Measured by a capnometer

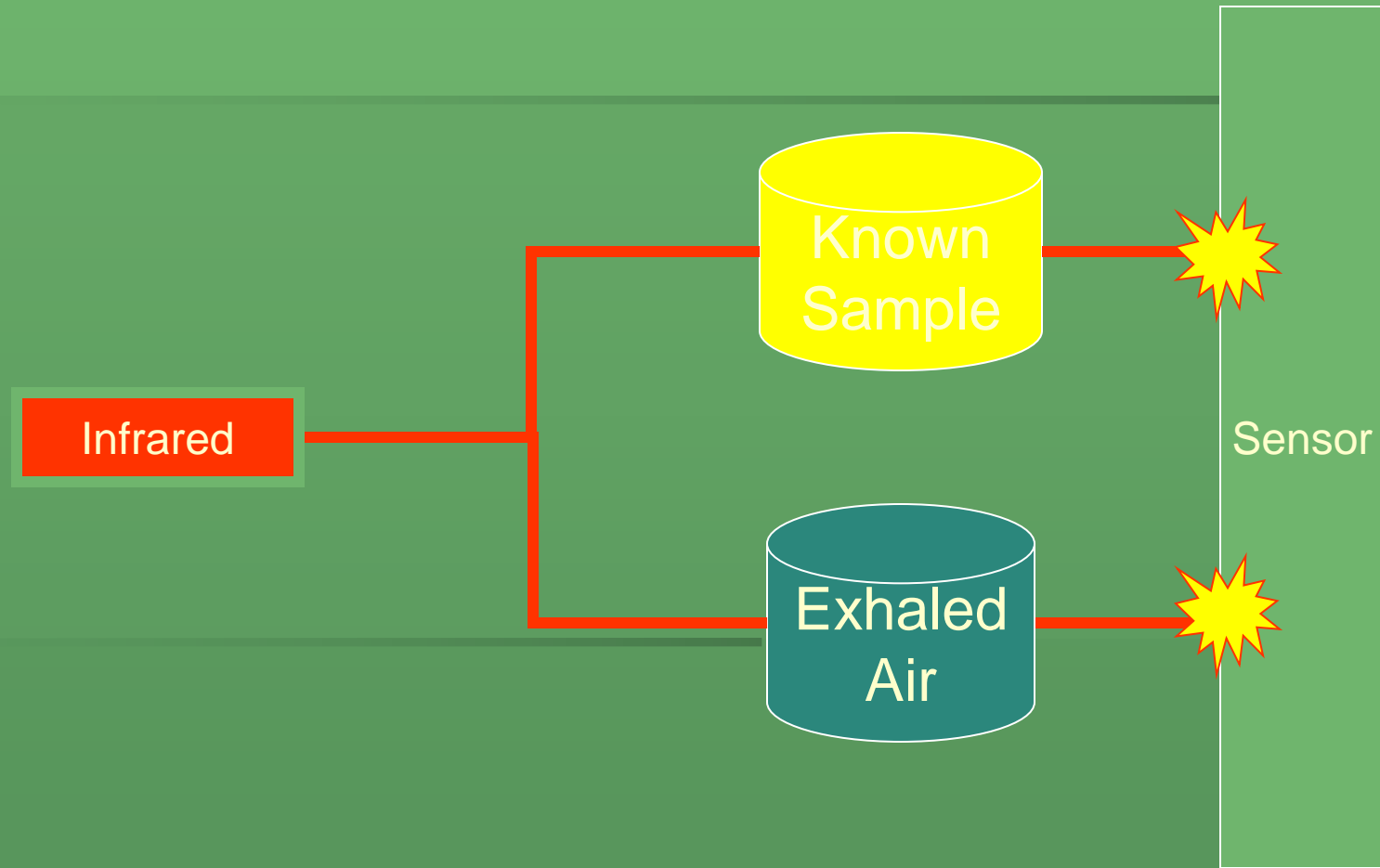
# *EtCO<sub>2</sub> Values*

Normal 35 – 45 mmHg

Hypoventilation > 45 mmHg

Hyperventilation < 35 mmHg

# How Capnography Works



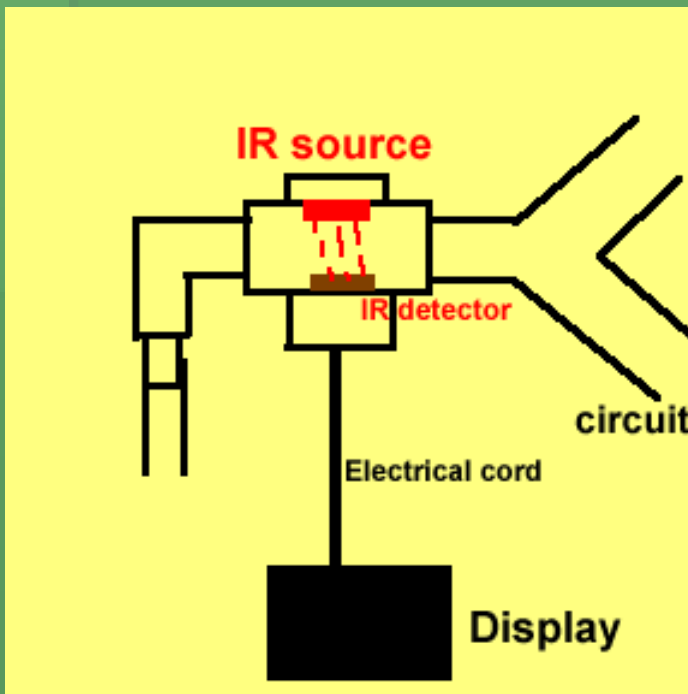
# Techniques for Monitoring ETCO<sub>2</sub>

methods for obtaining gas sample of analysis:

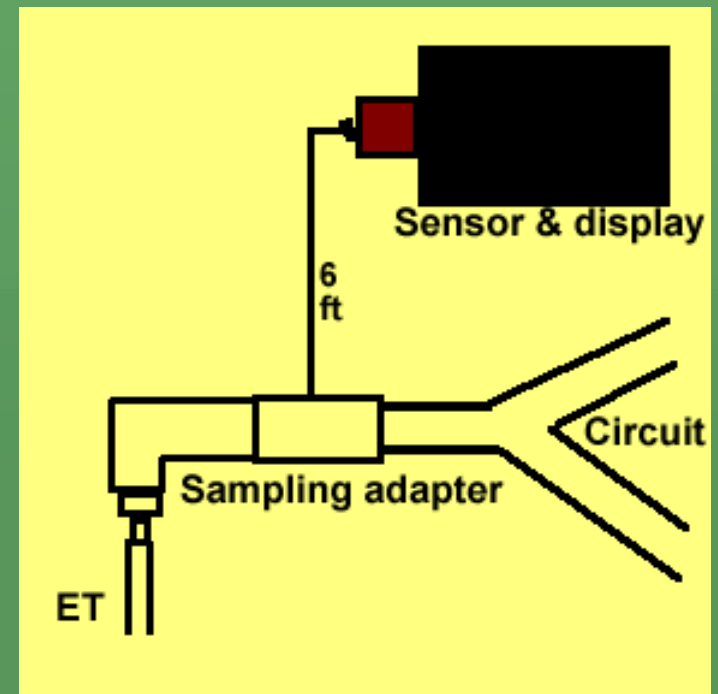
- Mainstream Technology
- Sidestream Technology
- Microstream Technology
- Mainstream (Flow-through or In-line)
  - Adapter placed in the breathing circuit
  - No gas is removed from the airway
  - Adds bulk to the breathing system
  - Electronics are vulnerable to mechanical damage

# capnographs

## Main-stream capnographs



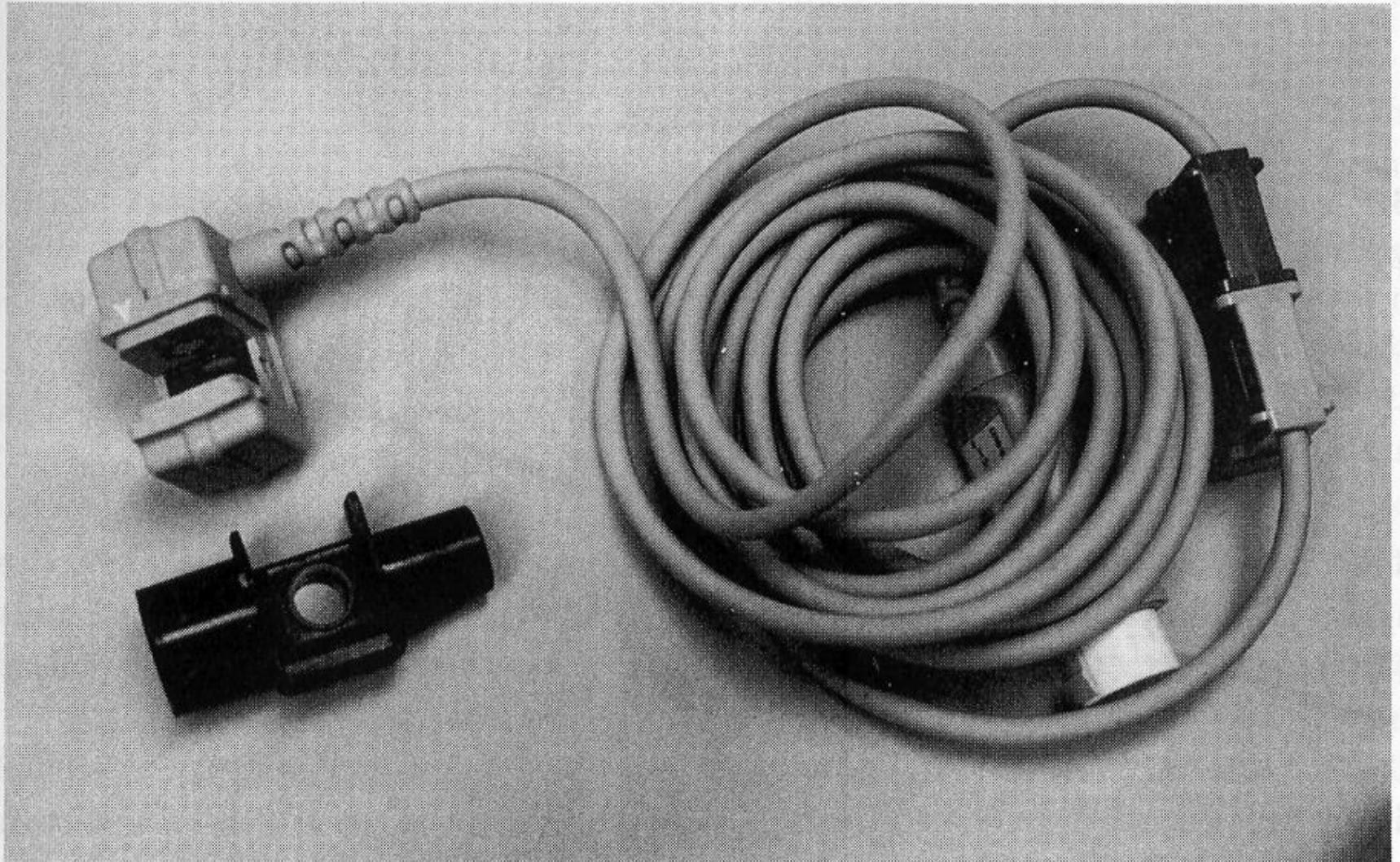
## Side-stream capnographs



# Mainstream

- For use on intubated patients
- Sensor on ETT; no lag time
- Sensor adds weight
- Sensors must be heated
- Sensors may cloud over or become fouled with secretions reducing accurate measurements

# Mainstream Analyzer



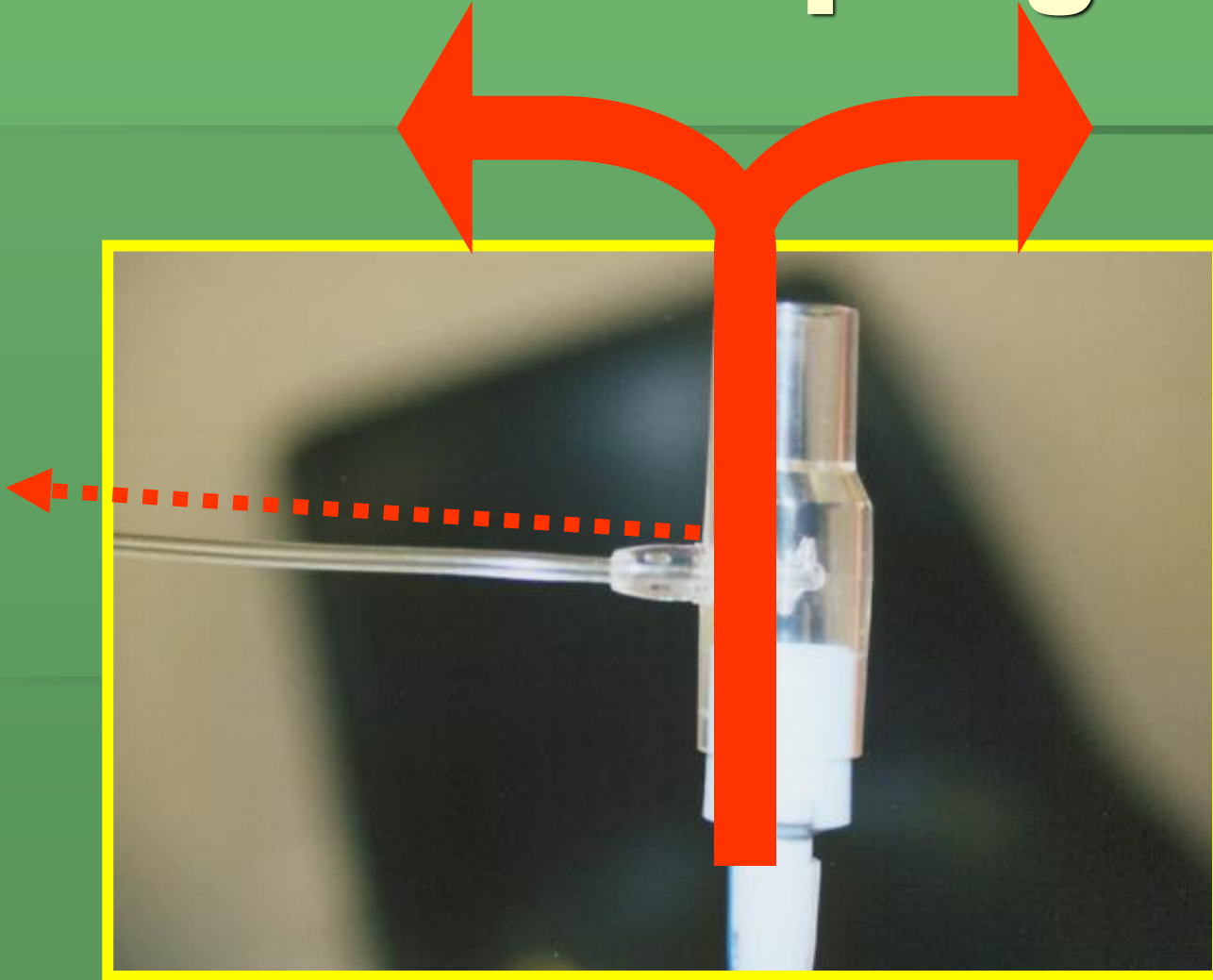
# Mainstream Analyzer



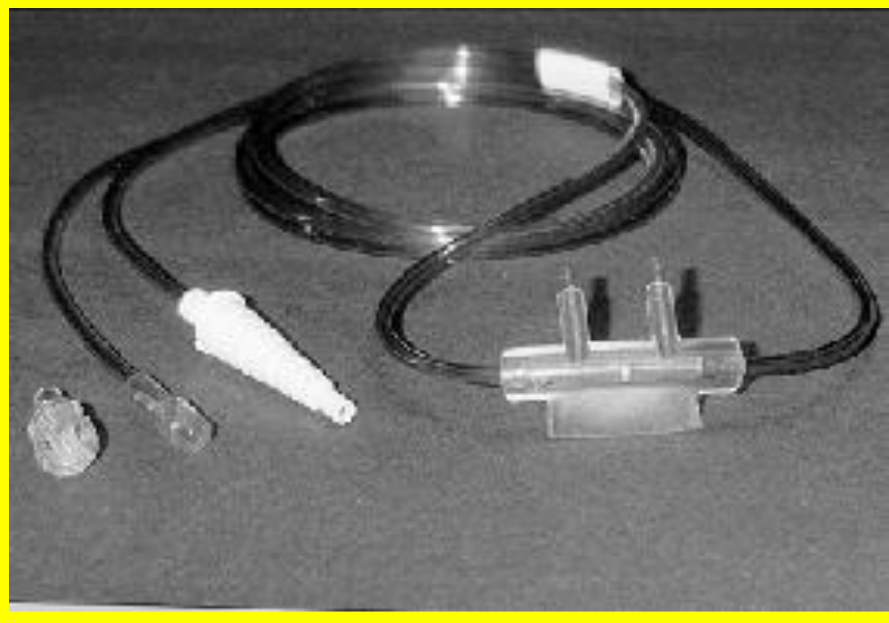
# Sidestream

- Sensor in device at bedside; not the ETT
- Can be used on non-intubated patients
- Draws CO<sub>2</sub> from exhaled breath
- Utilizes 150 to 180 ml sampling rate
- Orientation of adapter & monitor critical to performance
- Not suitable for neonates due to high sampling flow rates

# Sidestream Sampling

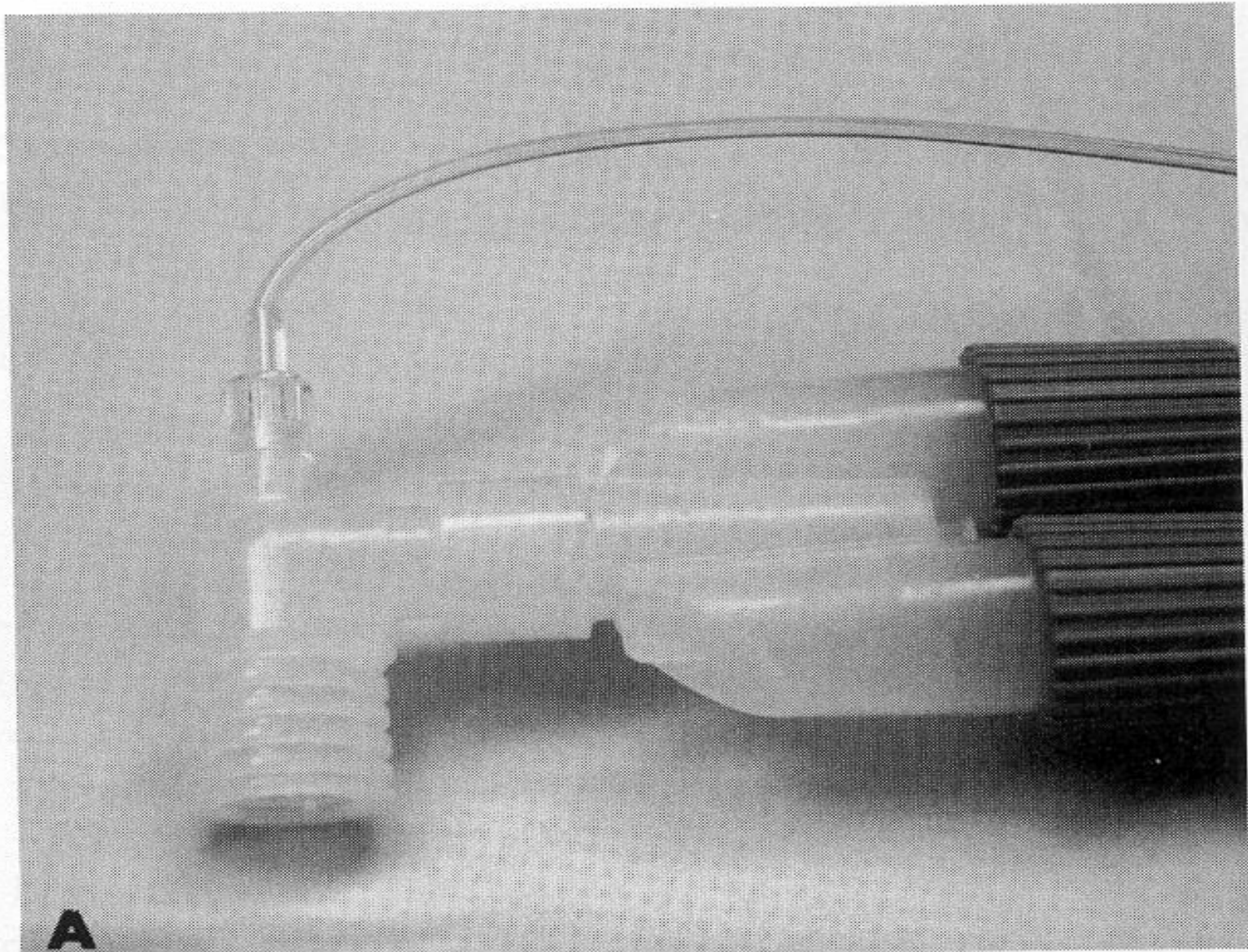


# Sidestream Sampling



- A special type of sampling nasal cannula is available for use in spontaneously breathing patients

# Sidestream Analyzer



# Microstream

- Latest release for capnography technology
- Circuits sample  $\text{ETCO}_2$  via an airway adapter or nasal cannula
- Requires lower sampling flowrates (50ml/min)
- Collects sample from middle of air stream
- Good for intubated/nonintubated patients
- Good for adults, paediatrics and neonates
- Fast response time
- Position independent adapters

# **Normal and Abnormal Capnography Values**

# Capnography Values

ETCO<sub>2</sub> = 35-45 mm Hg



# Capnography Values

Hypoventilation or  $\uparrow$  Metabolism

Hyperventilation or  $\downarrow$  Metabolism

50  
40  
30  
20  
10  
0

45  
35

50

20

# Capnography Waveform

The entire cycle!



# Capnometer is “End Tidal CO<sub>2</sub>”

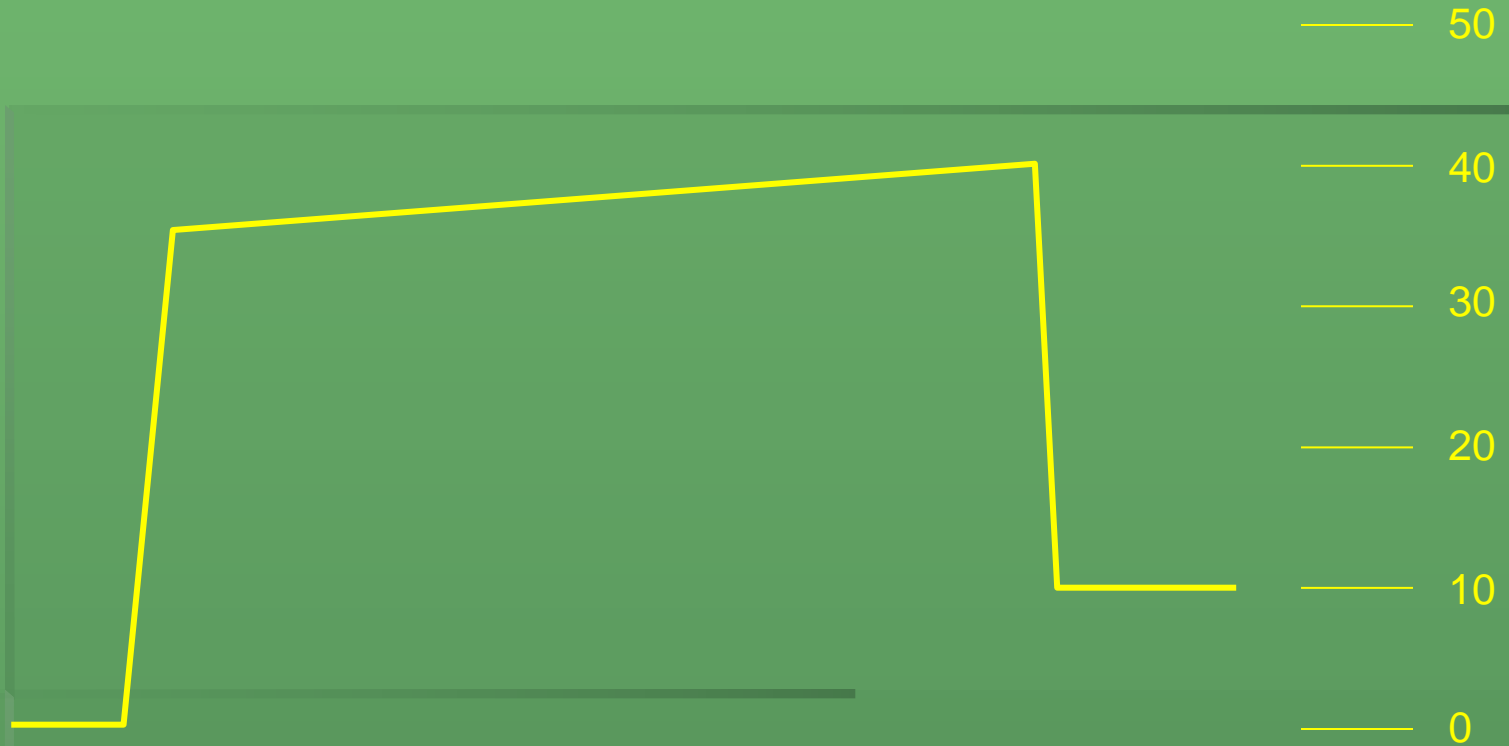
Measured right here



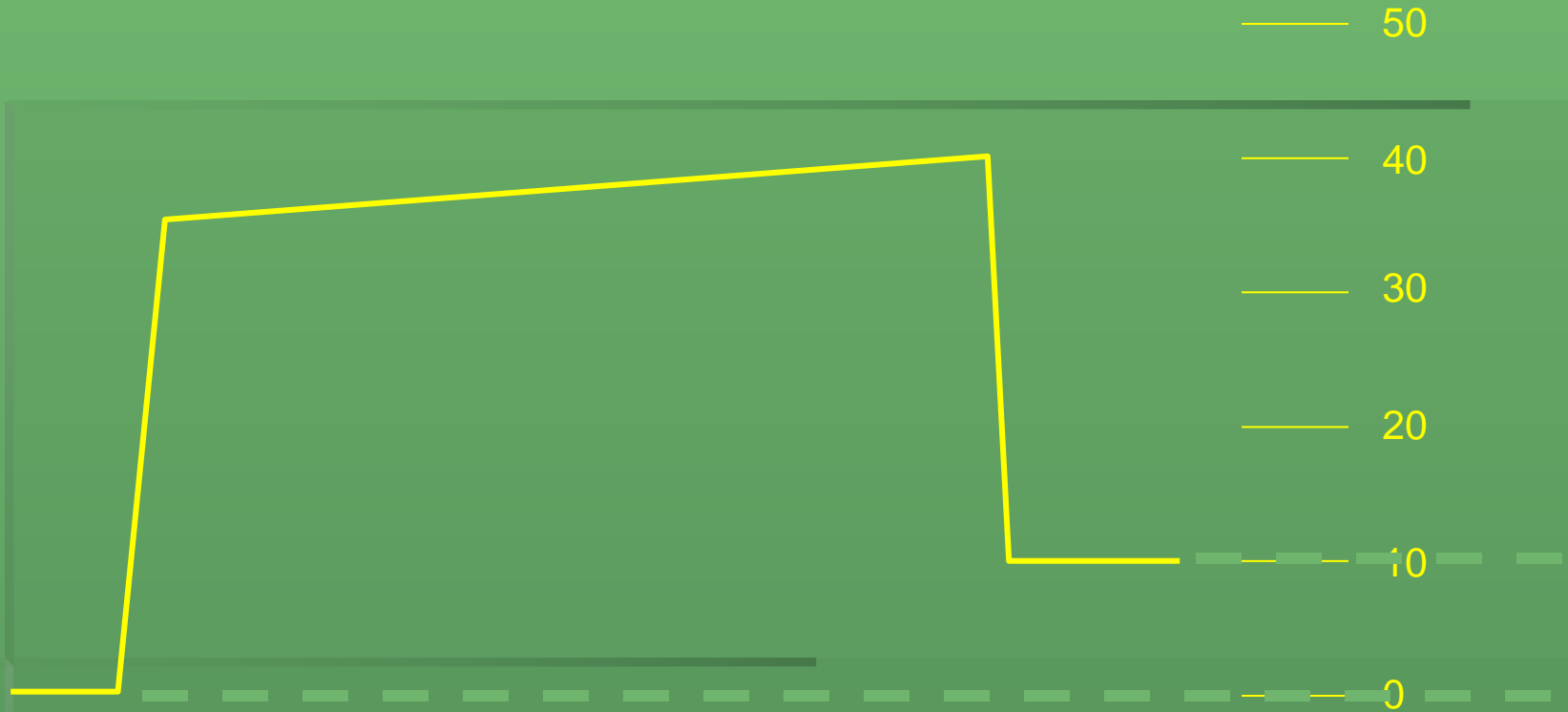
# Abnormal Capnogram Patterns

If the waveform is abnormal, there  
**IS** an airway problem

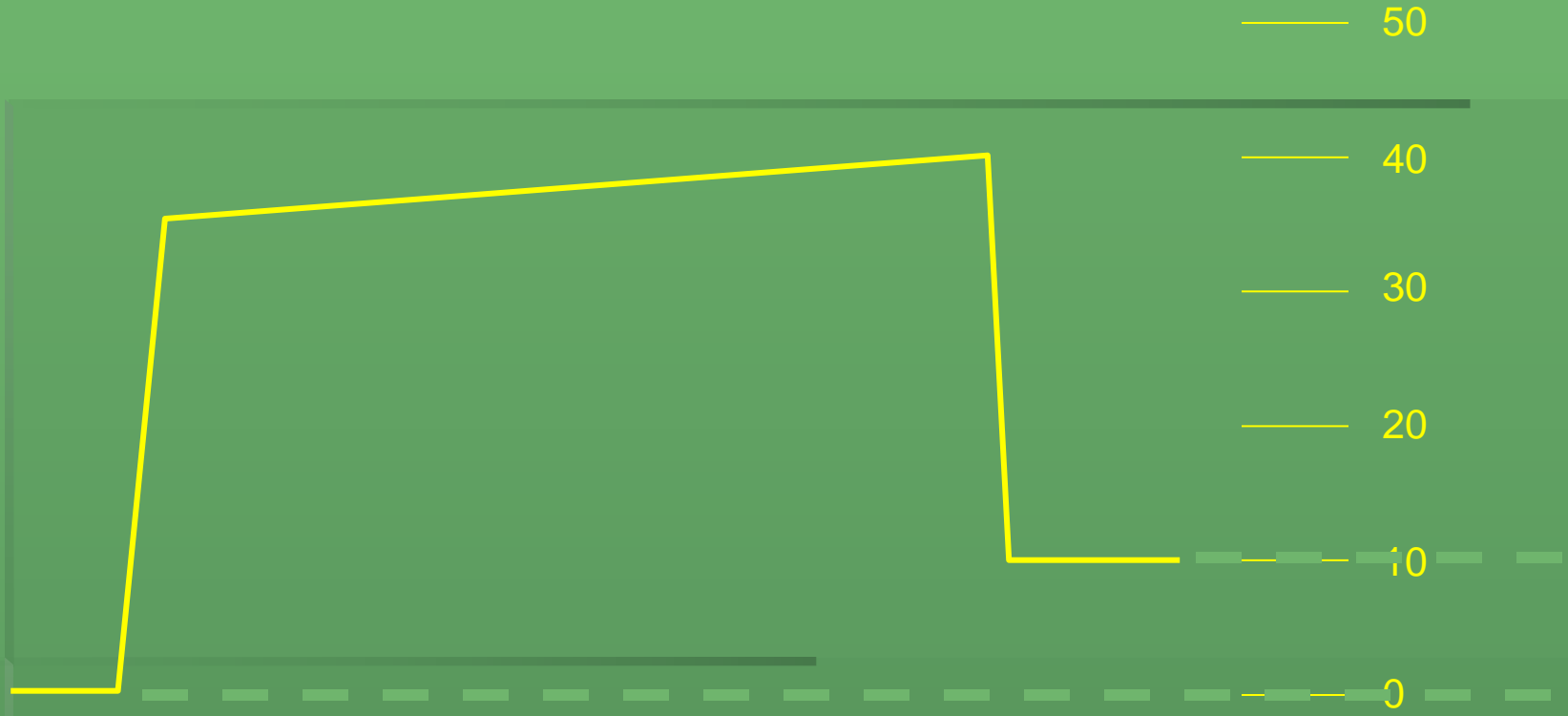
# What is Wrong Here?



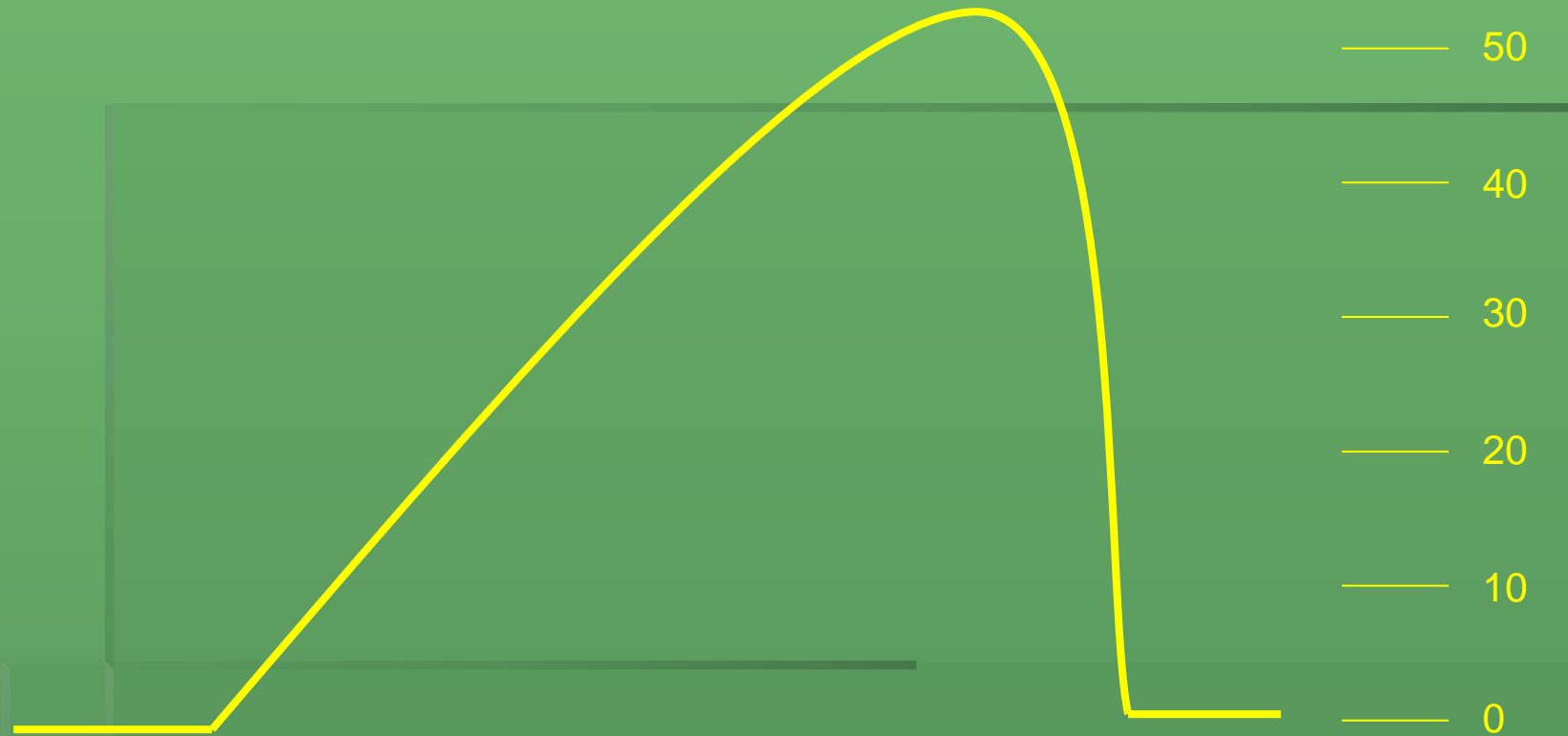
# Rising Baseline



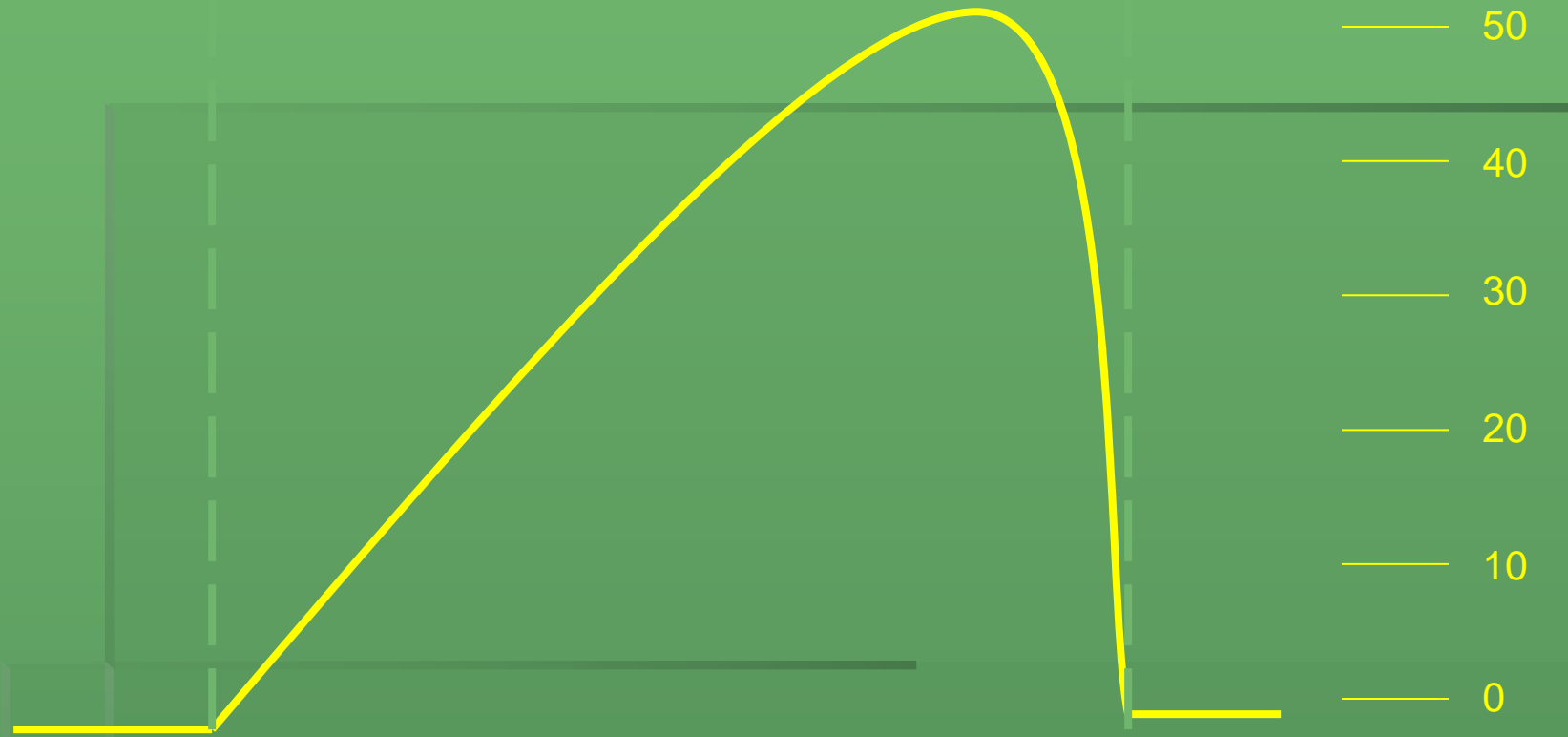
# Rebreathing CO<sub>2</sub>



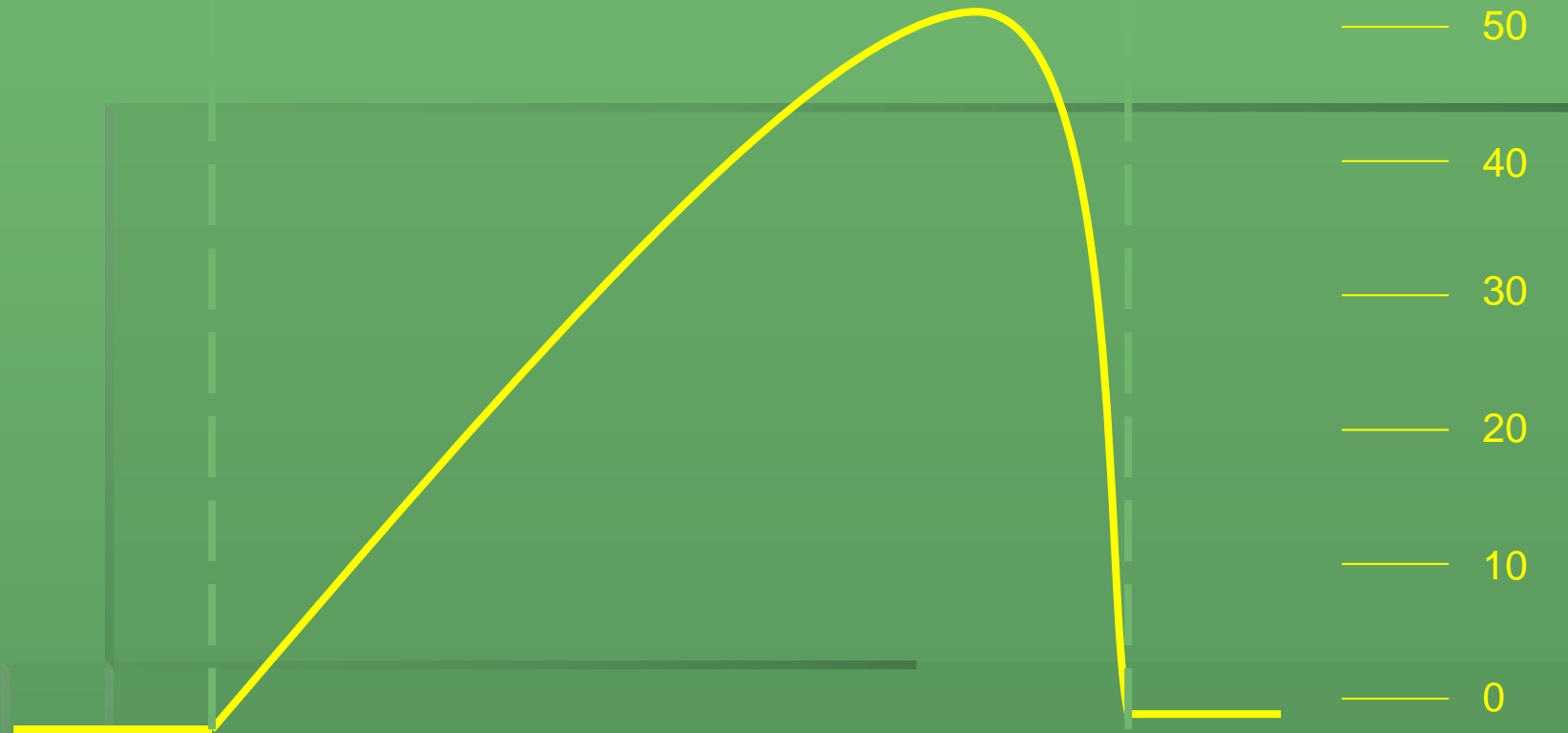
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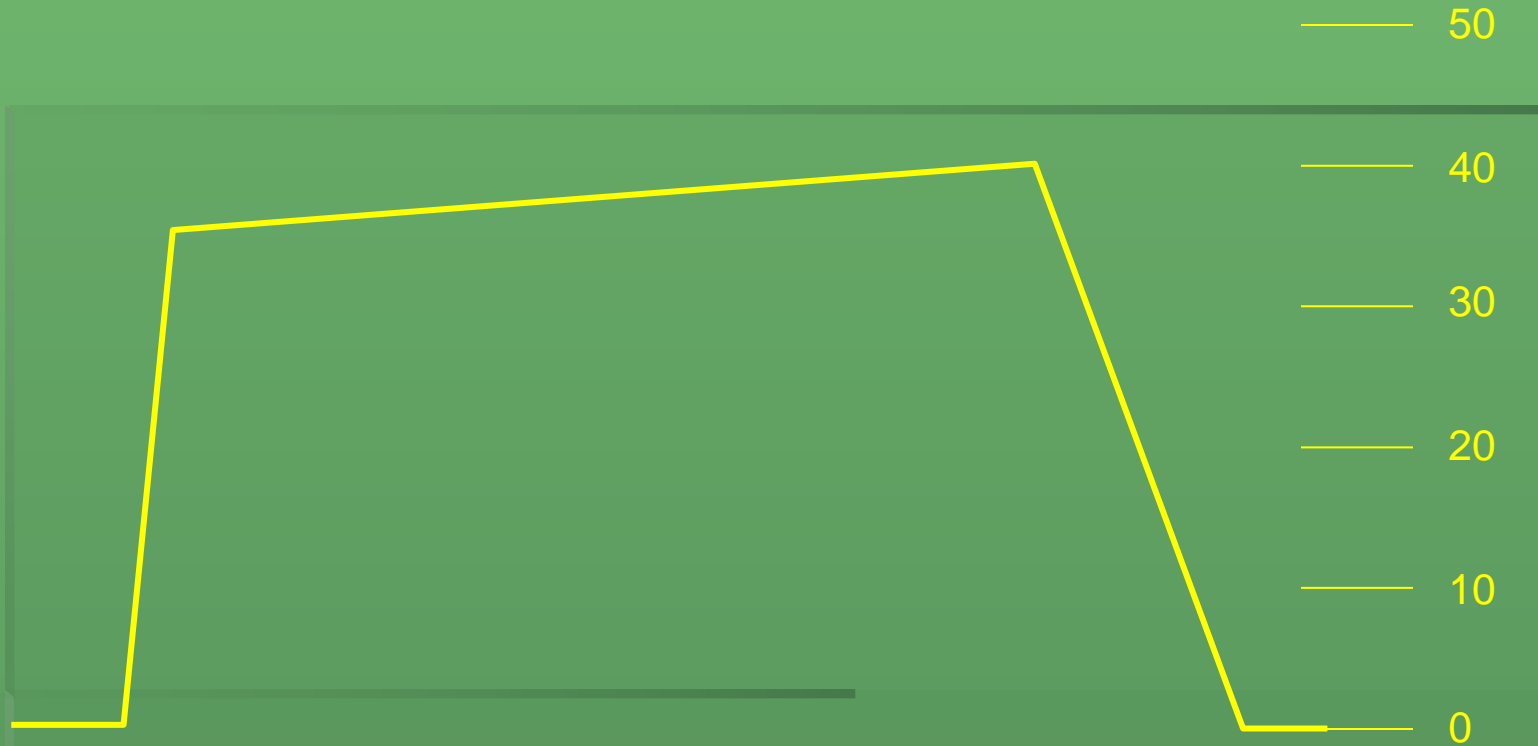
# Delayed Upstroke



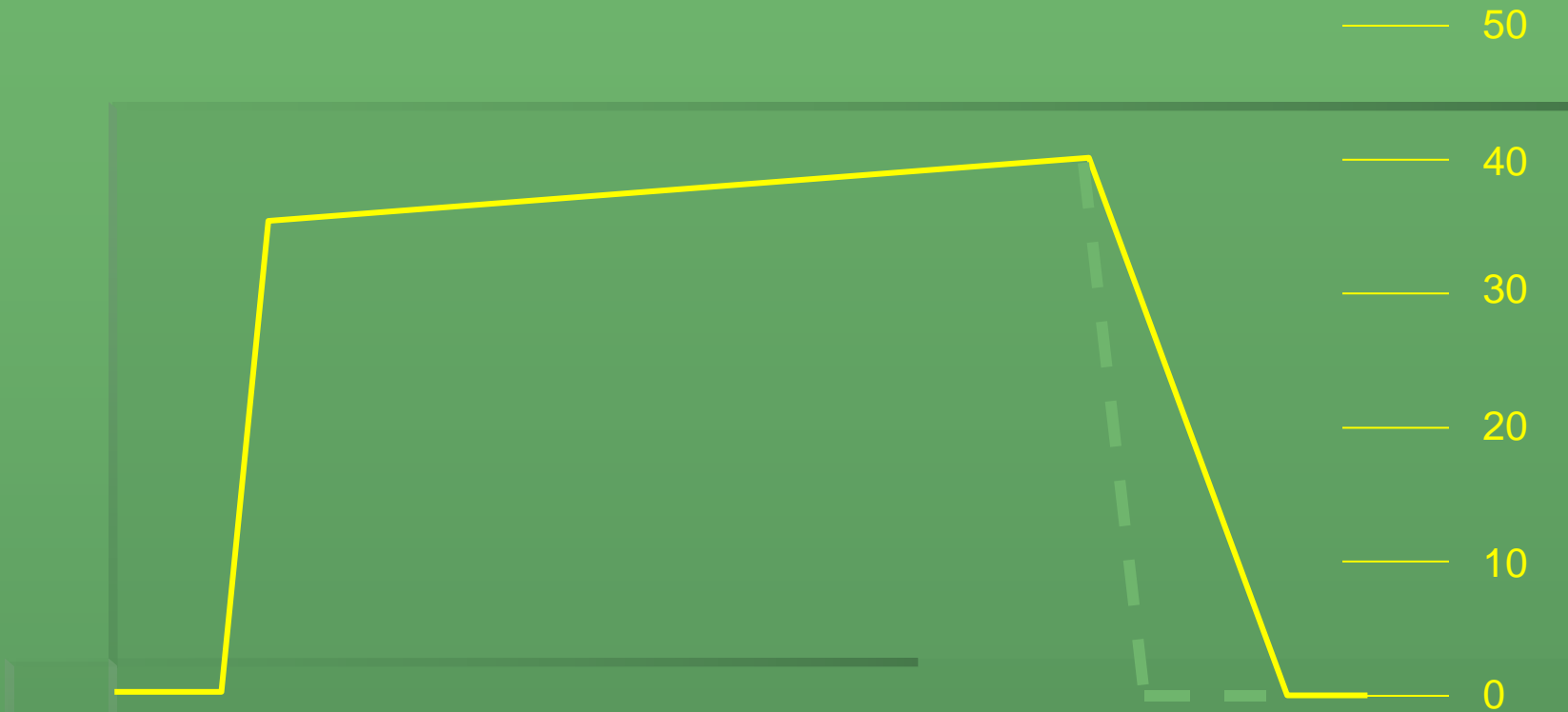
# Bronchoconstriction



# What is Wrong Here?



# Prolonged Phase IV



# Deflated ETT Cuff or (in peds) ETT too Small

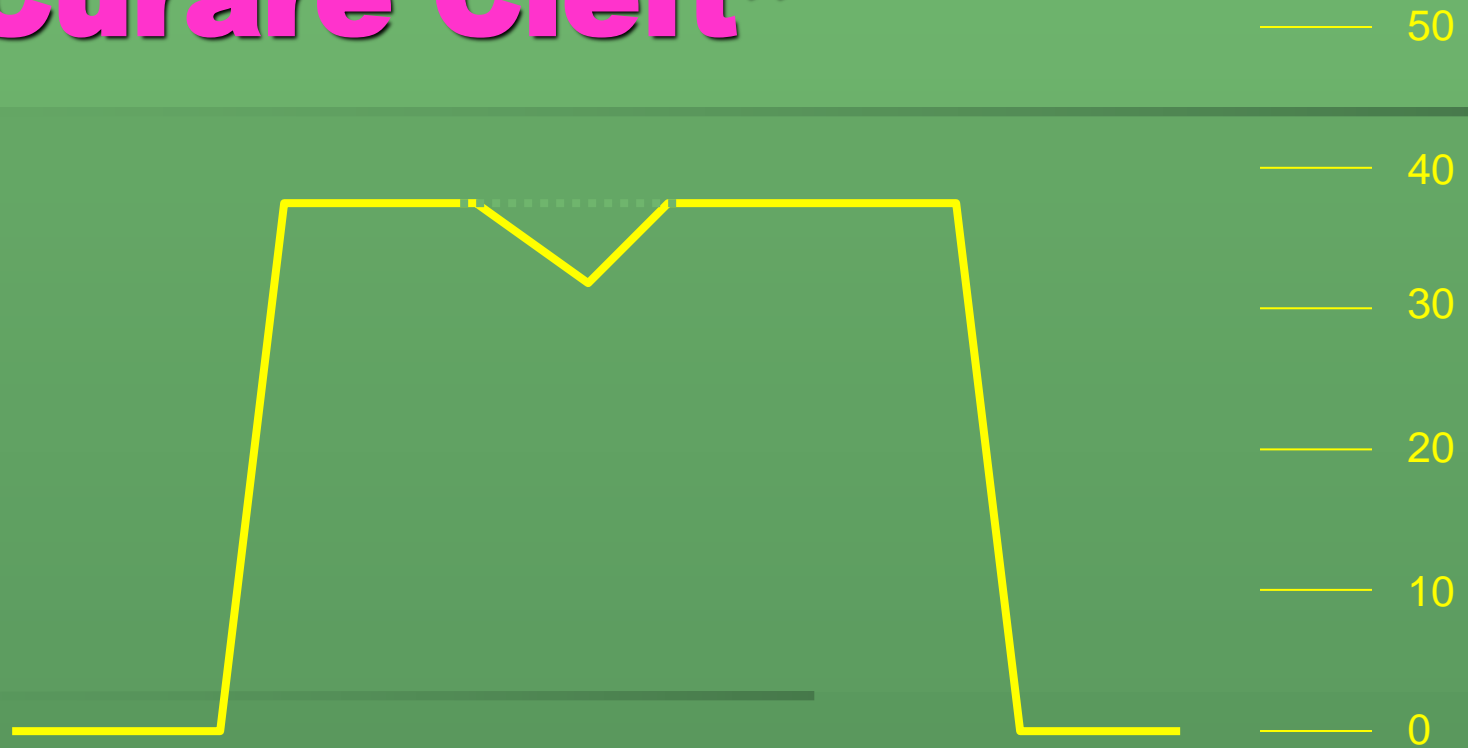


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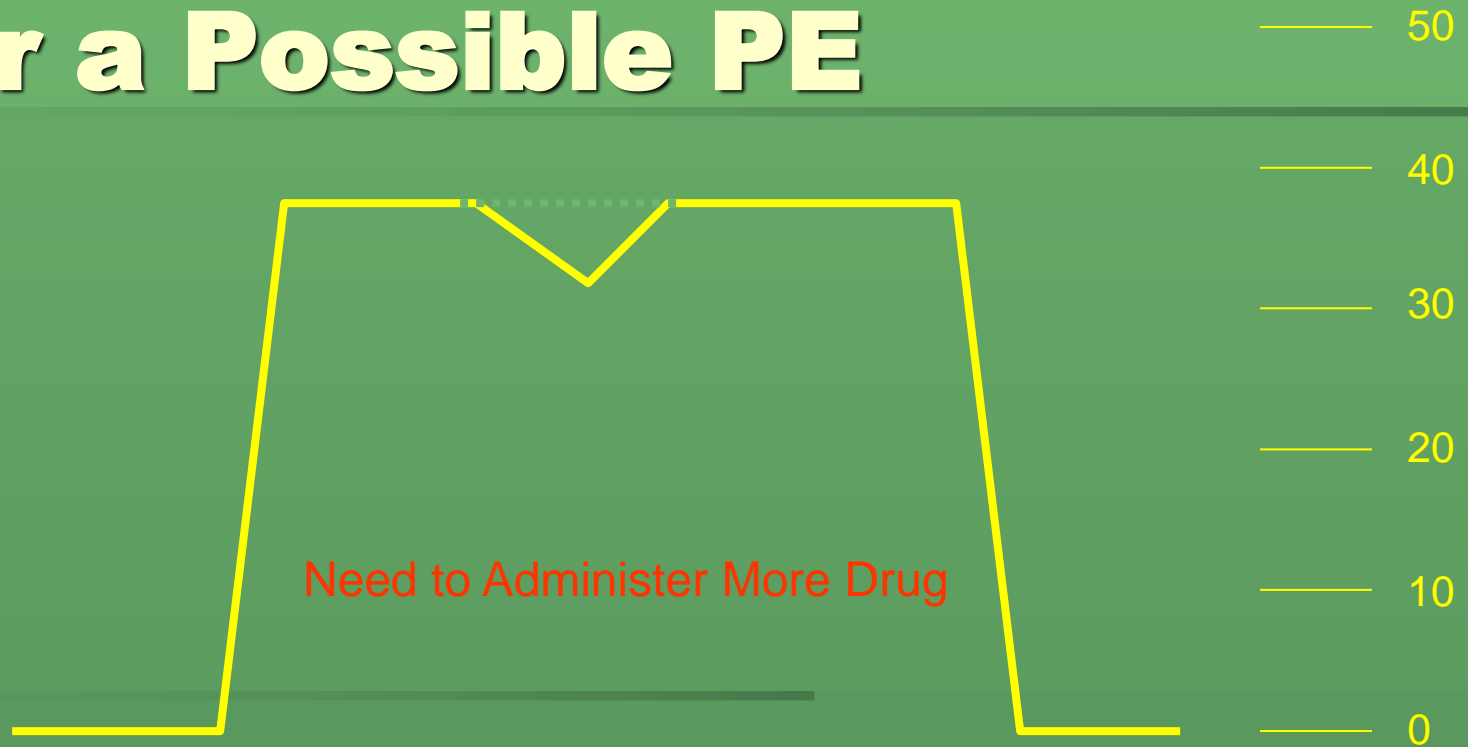


# Notched Alveolar Plateau

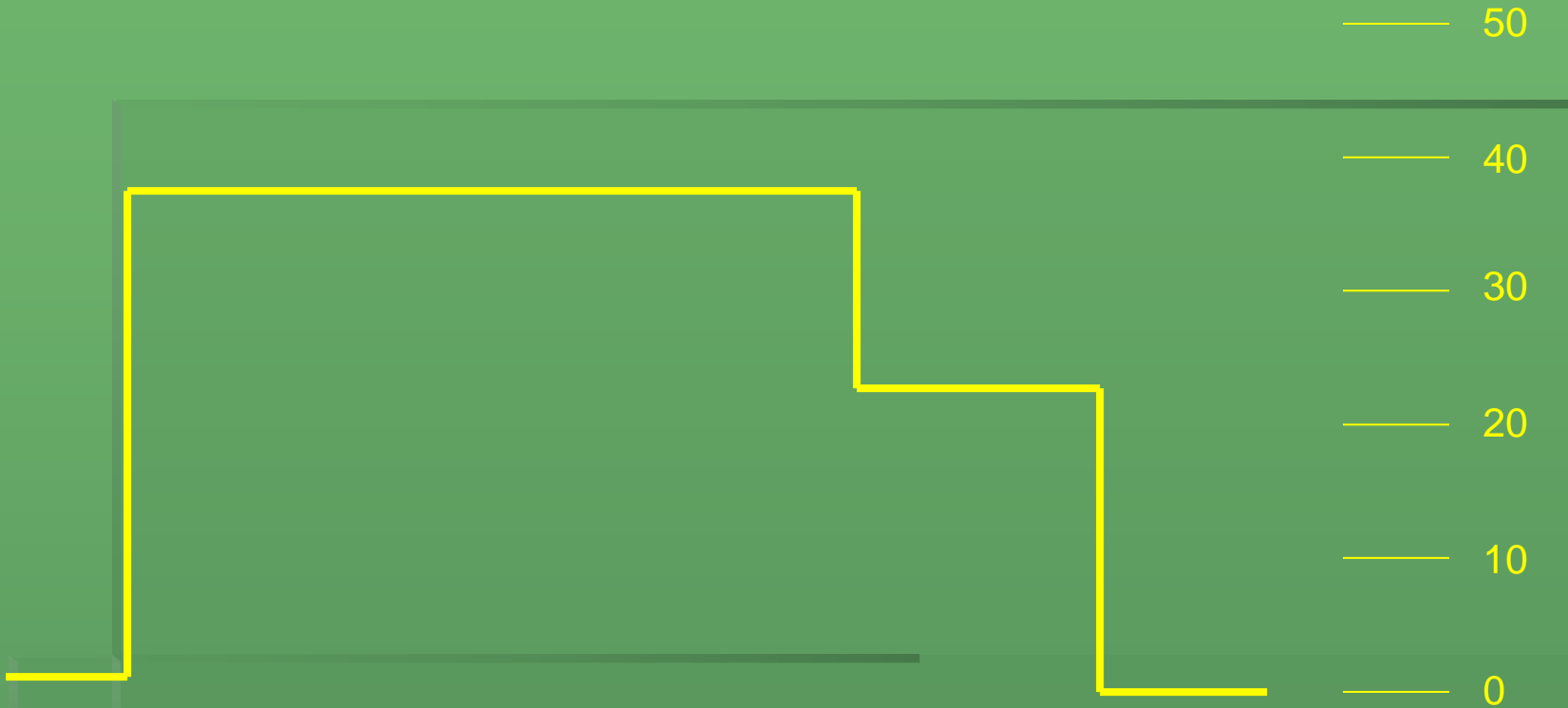
“Curare Cleft”



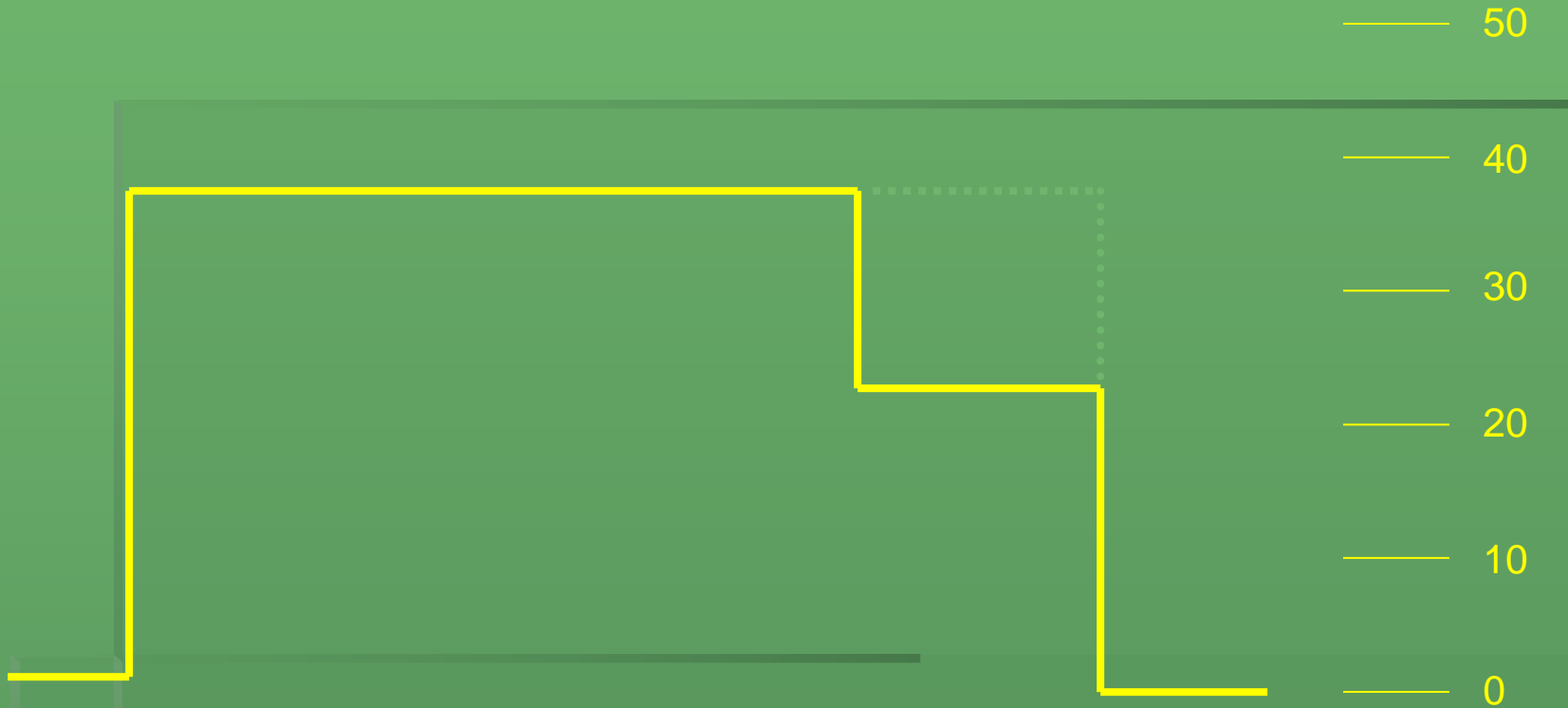
# Paralytic Medication Wearing Off Or a Possible PE



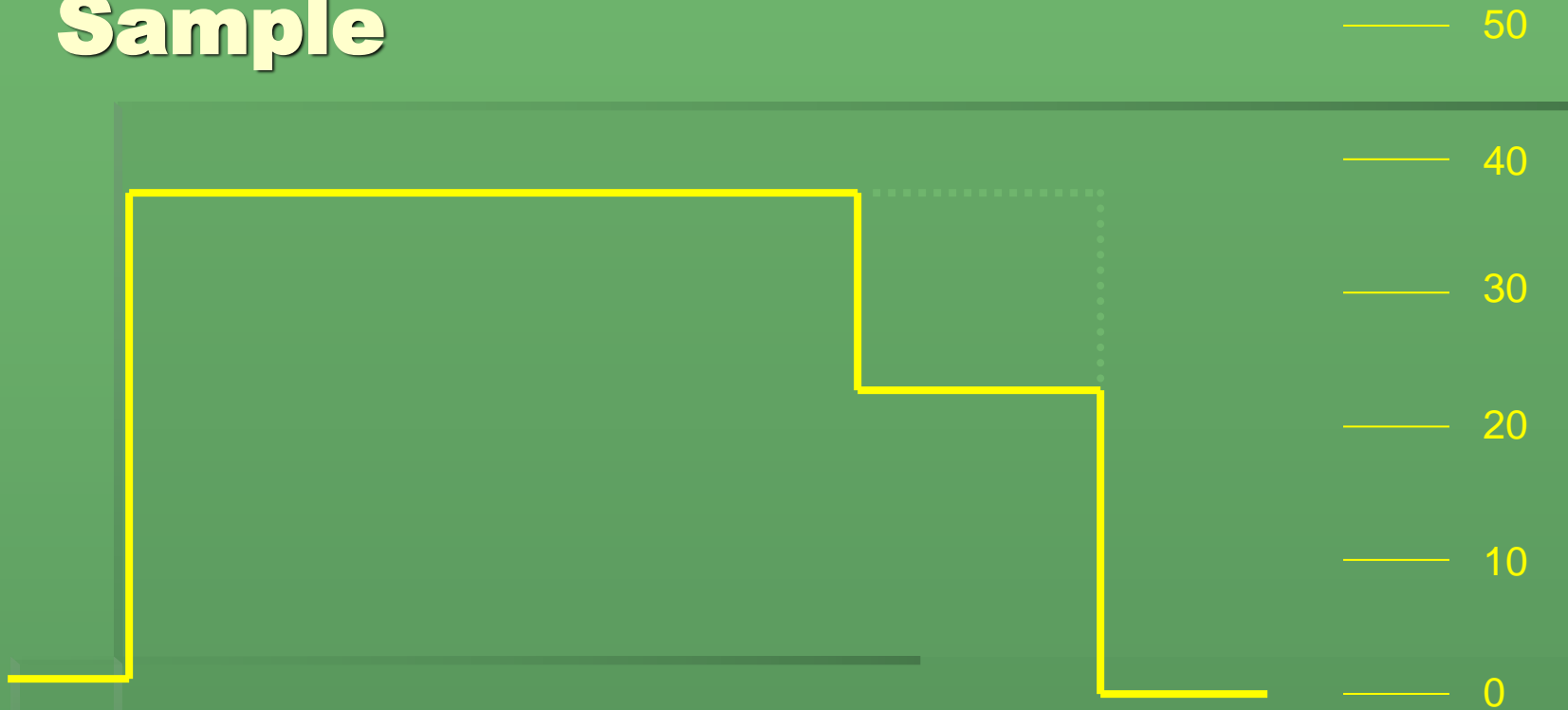
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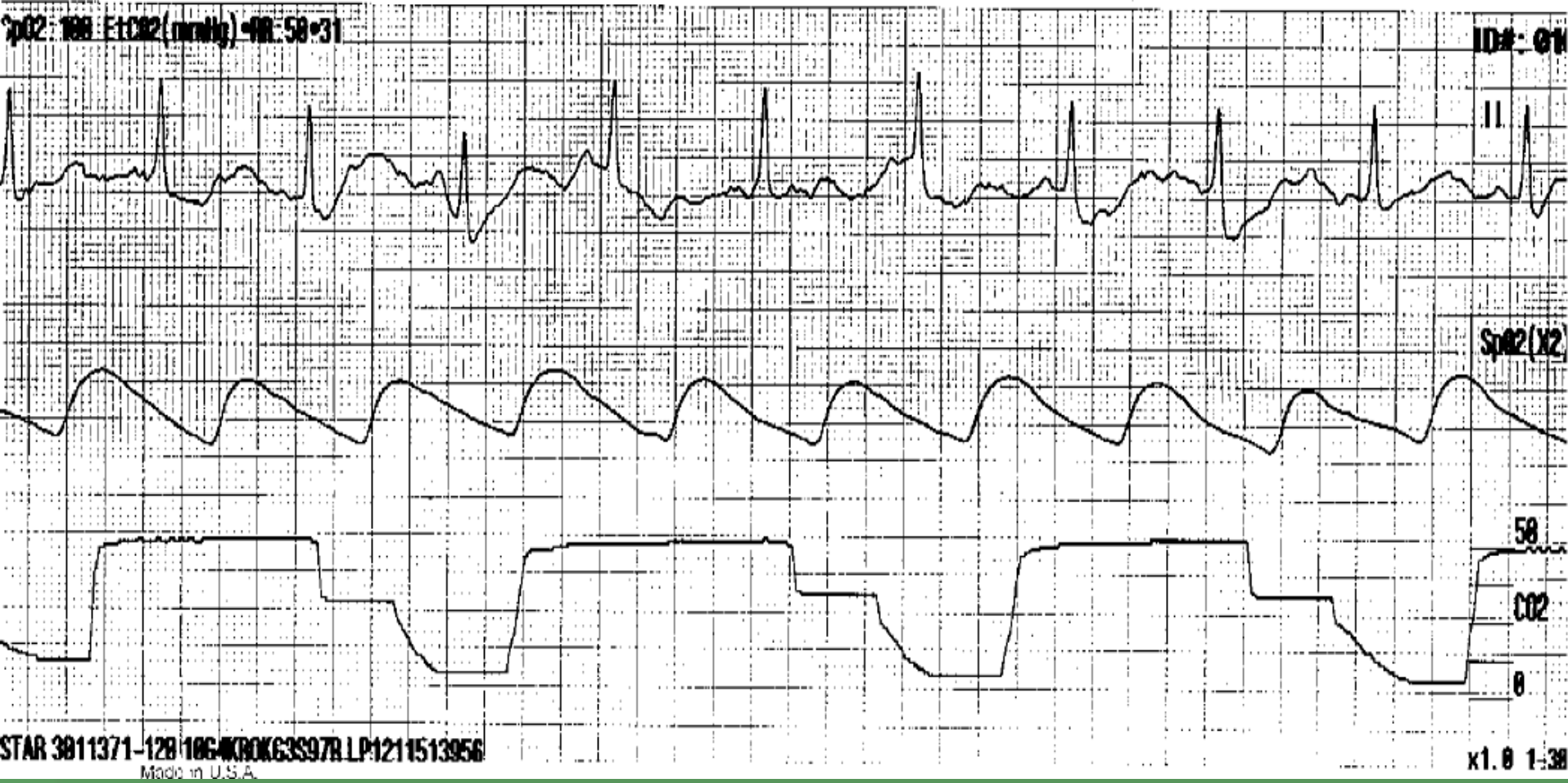
# Stair Step Alveolar Plateau



# Pressure of Expelled Air Decreasing Allowing Oxygen to Dilute the Sample



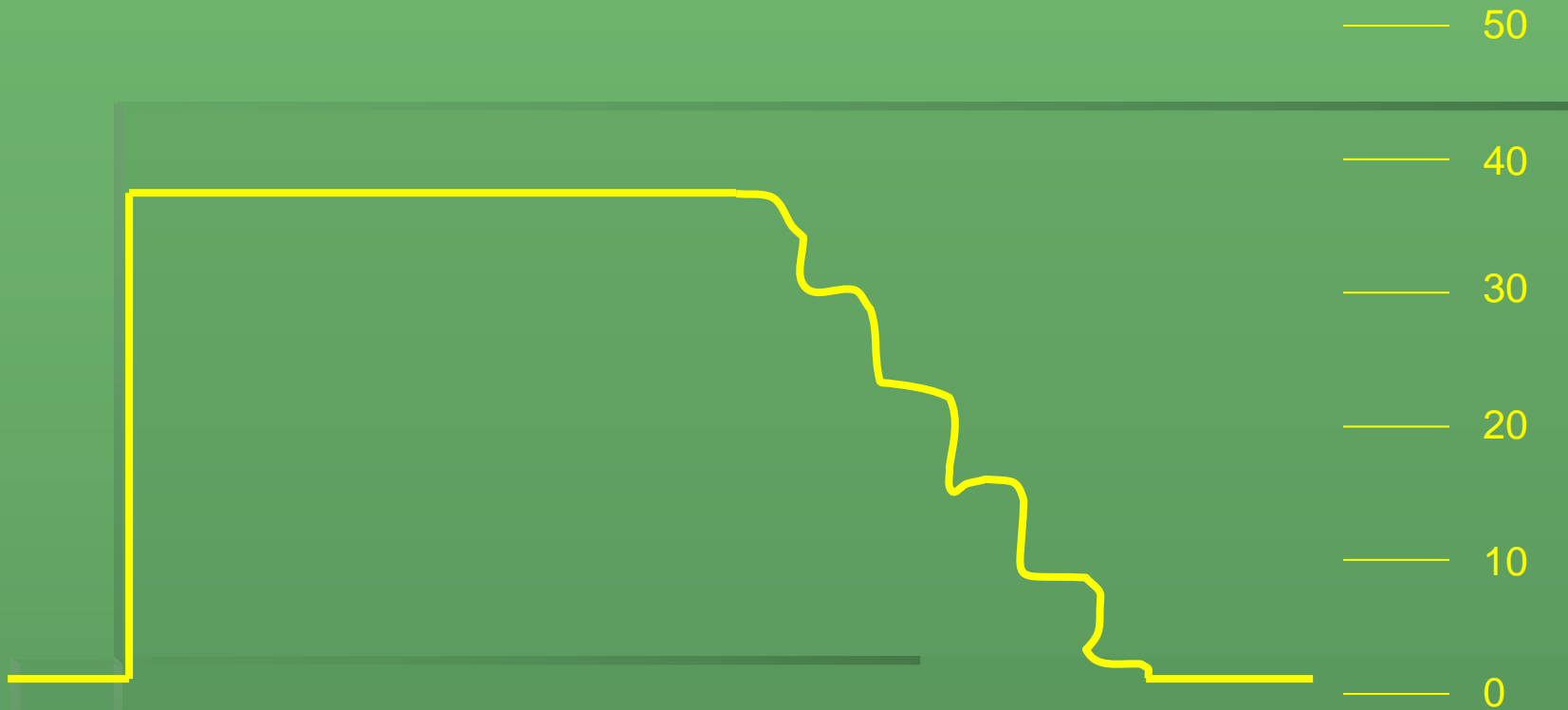
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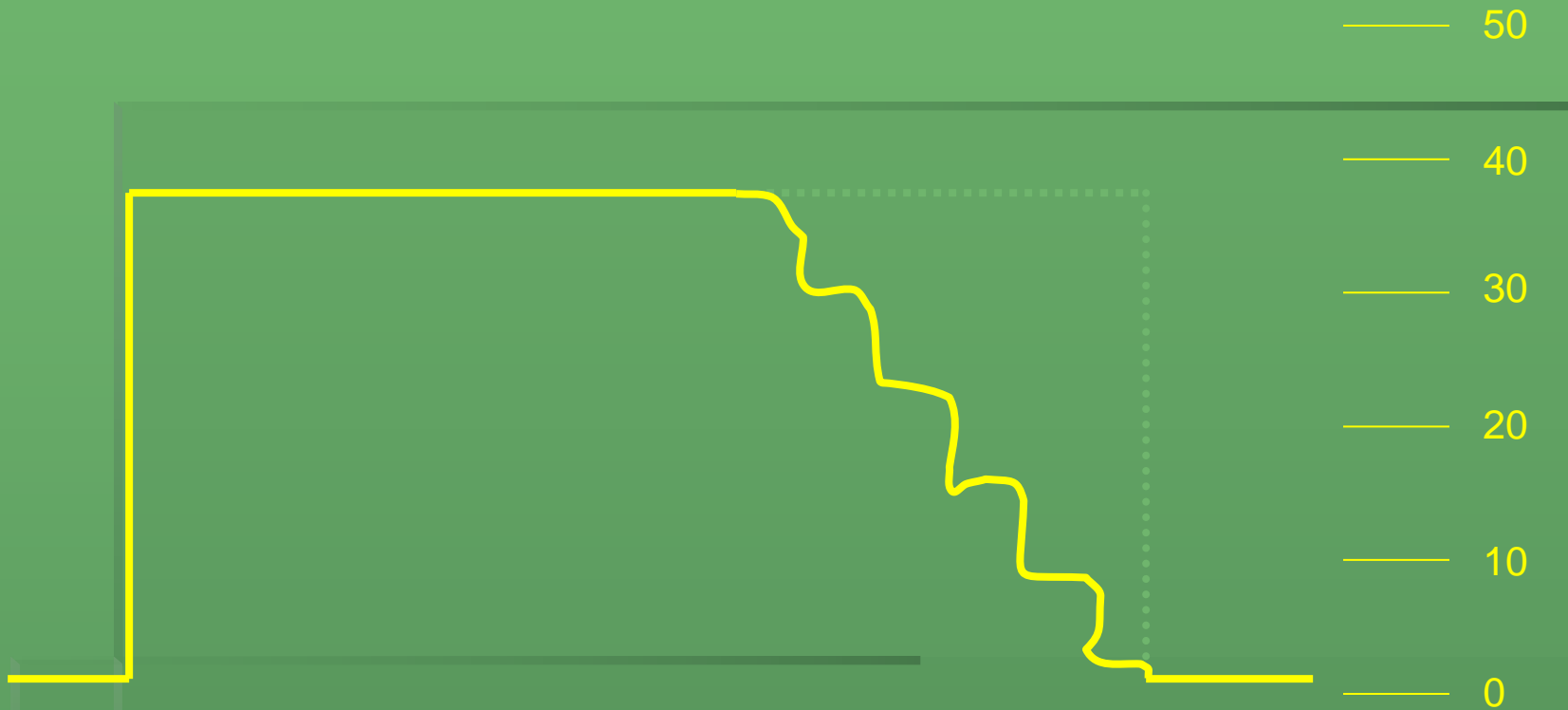
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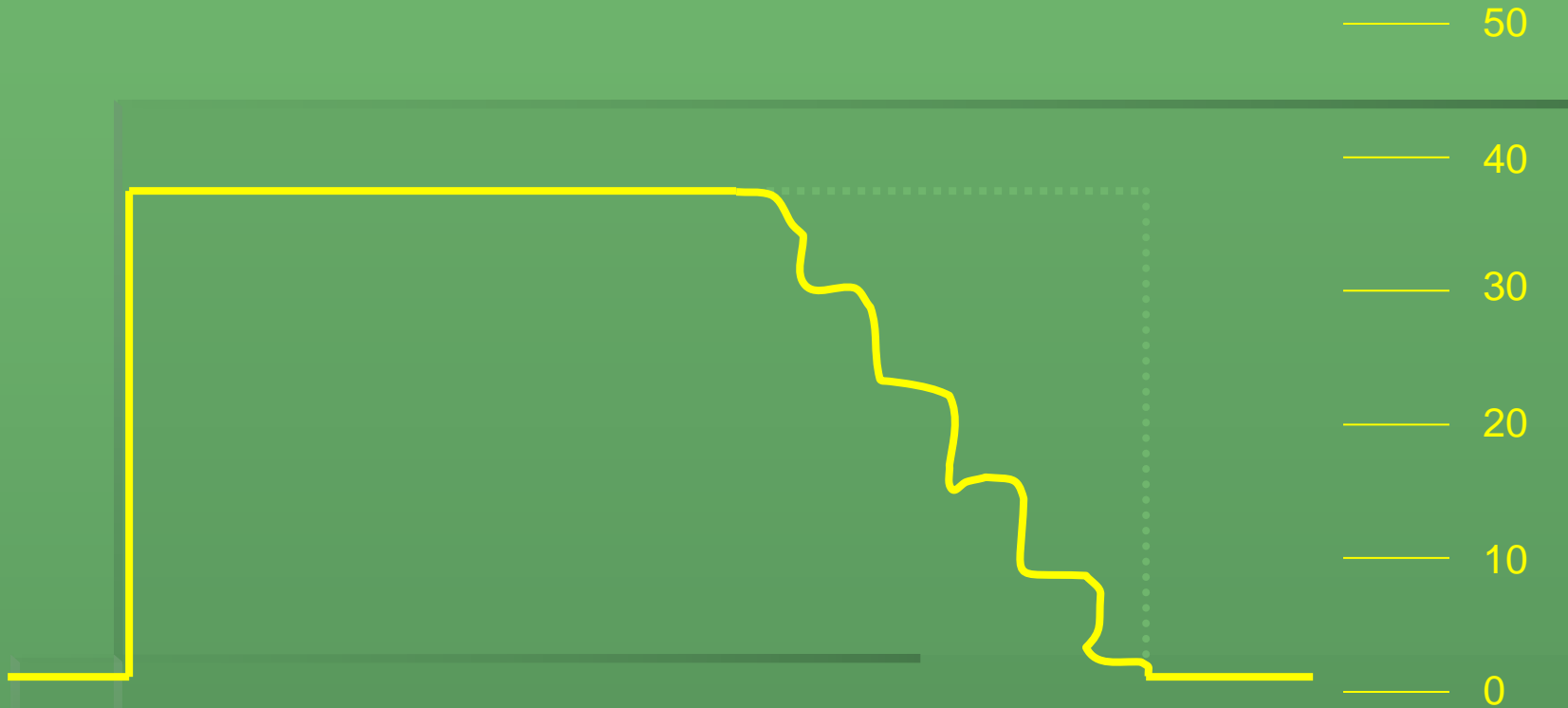
# What is wrong here?



# Ripple Effect

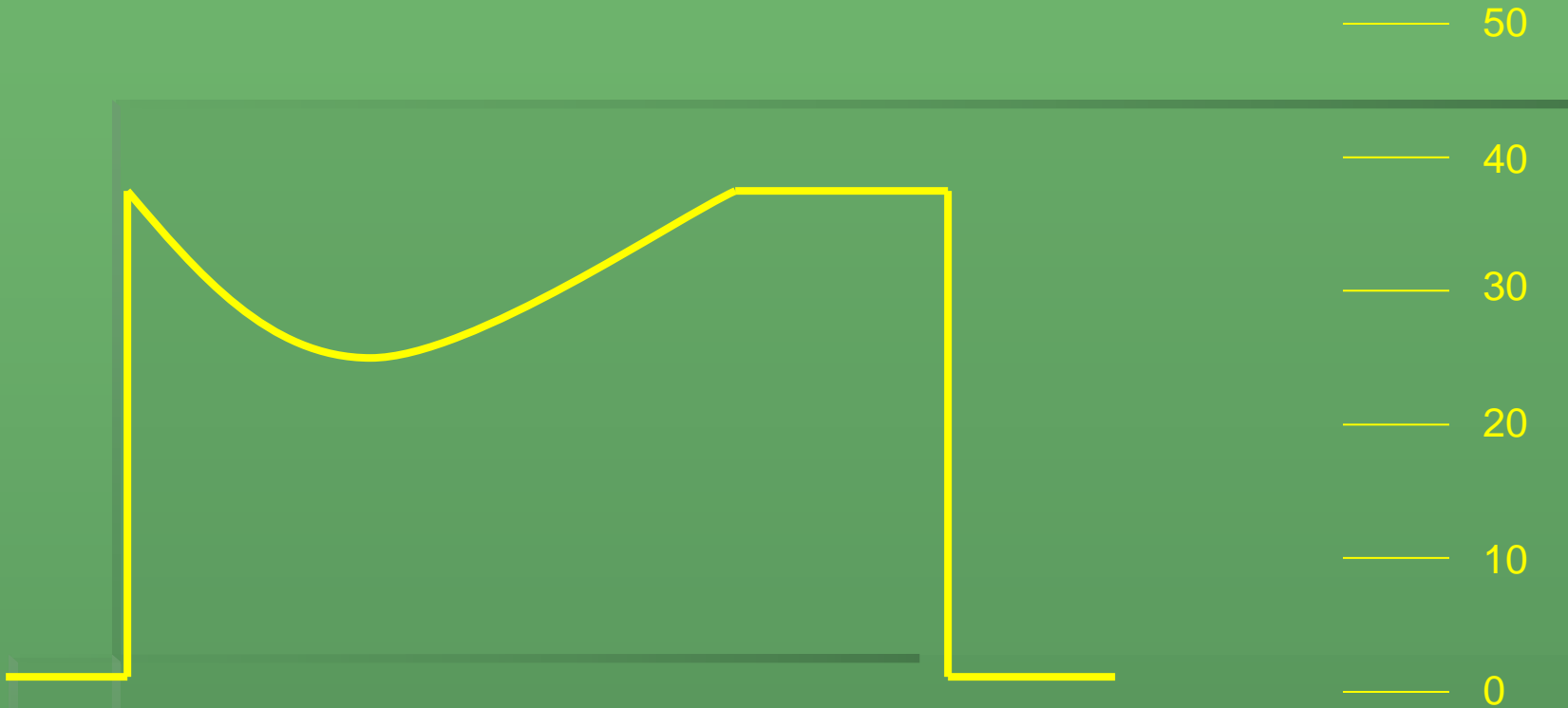


# Cardiogenic Oscillations

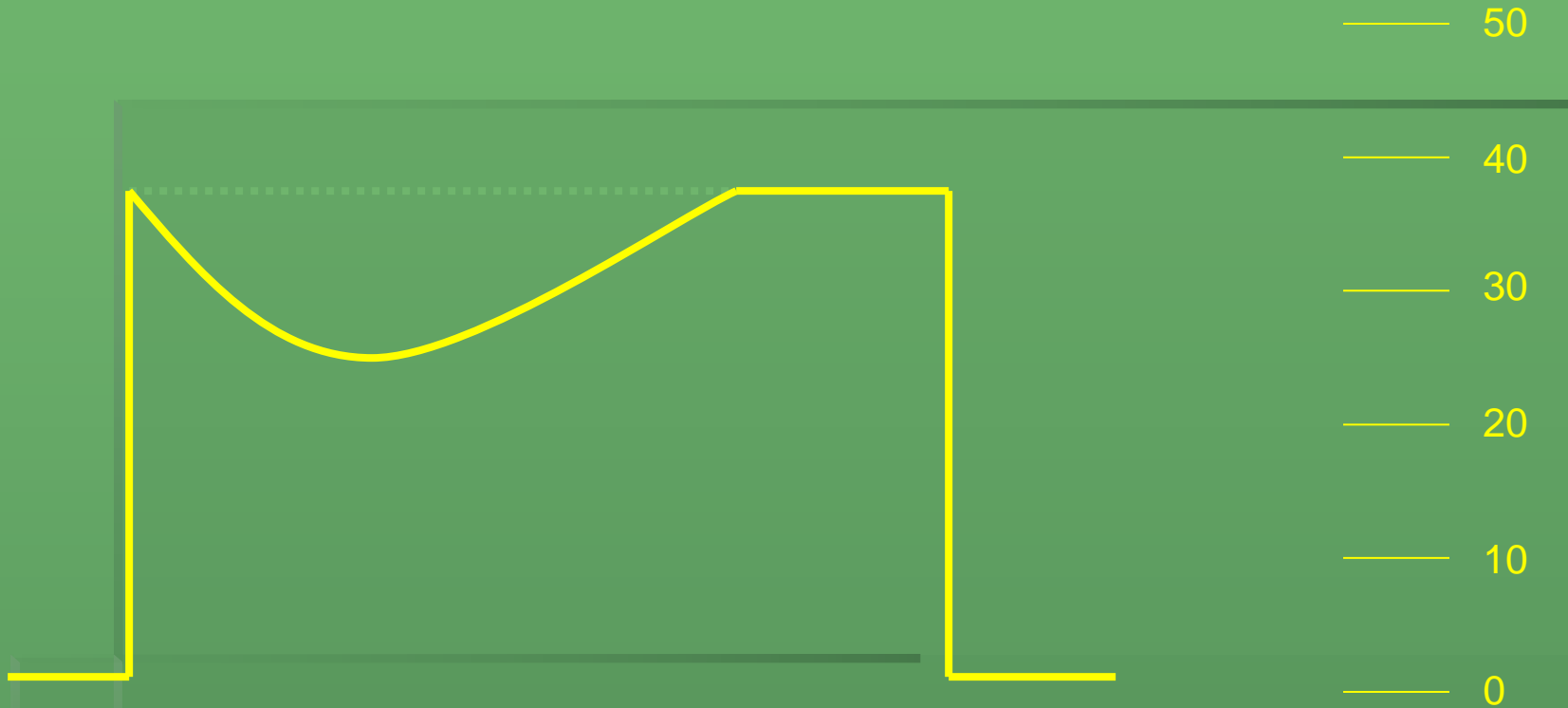


Due from cardiac pulsations

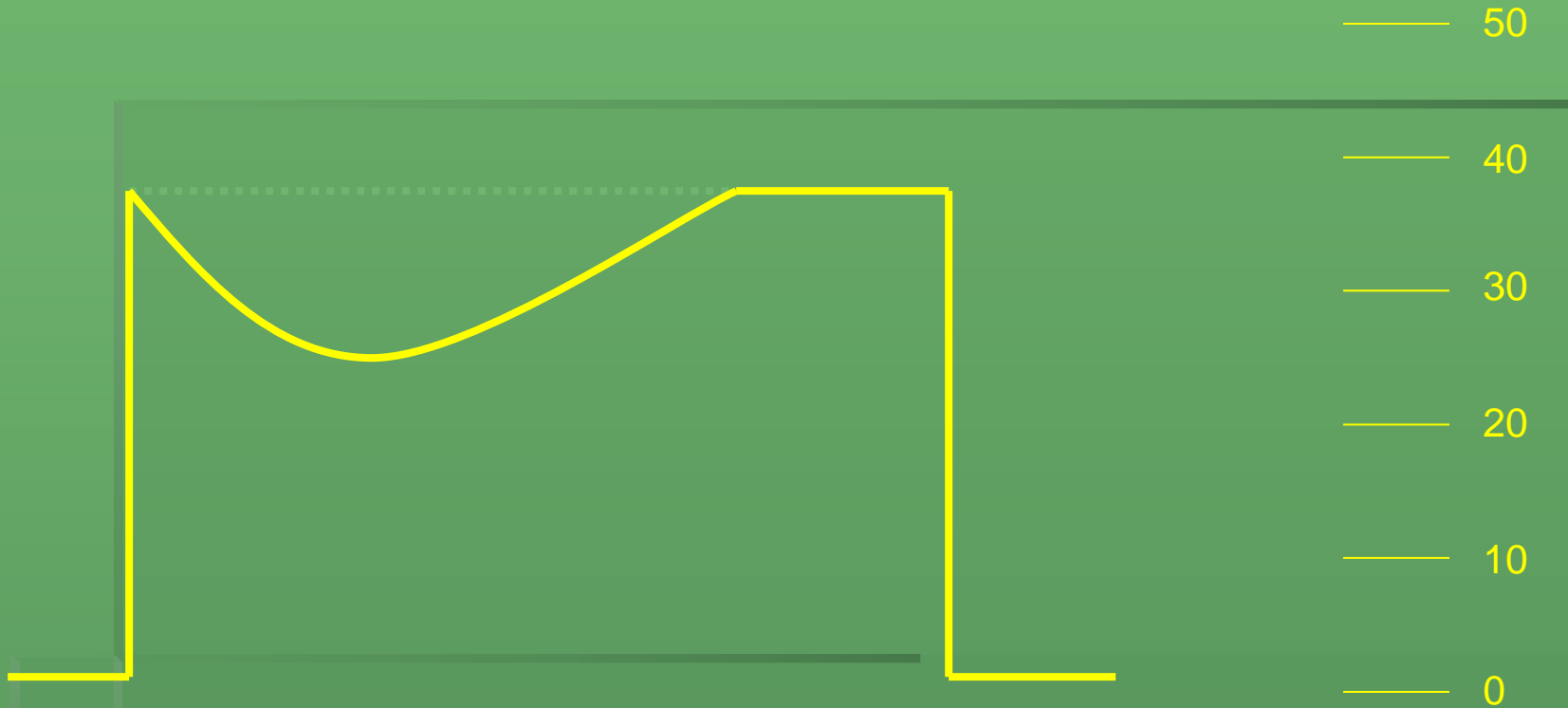
# What is wrong here?



# Biphasic Alveolar Plateau



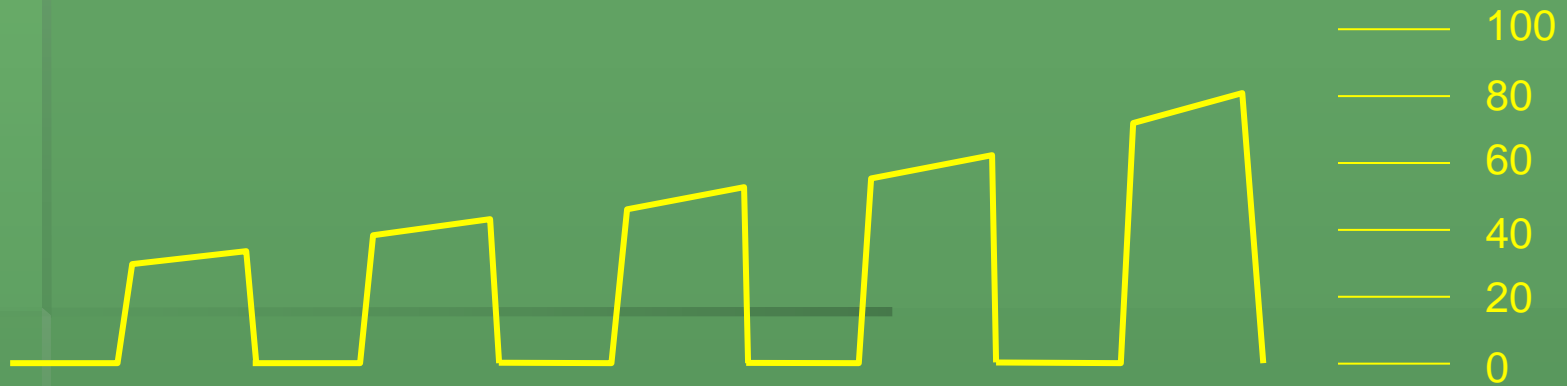
# Severe Kyphoscoliosis



Due from a compressed lung.

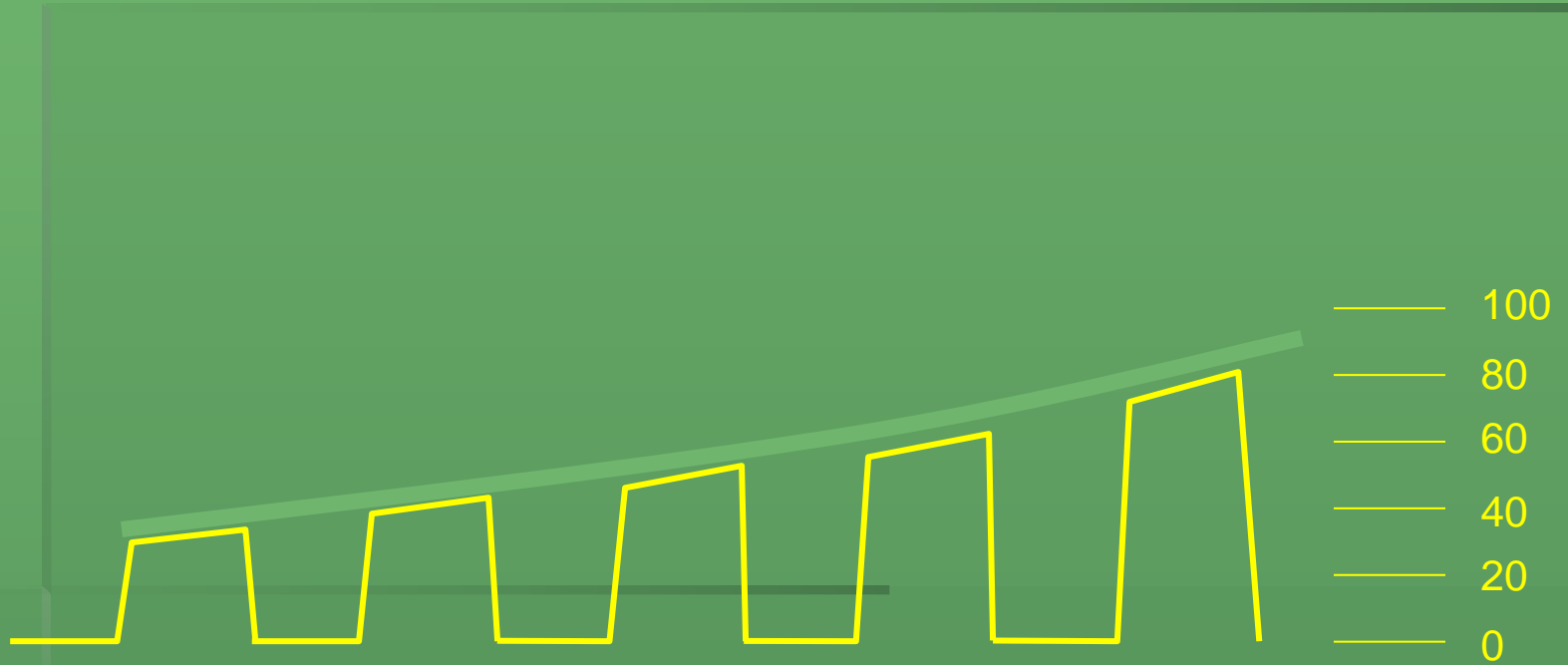
**Normal Waveform,  
but.....**

# What is Wrong Here?

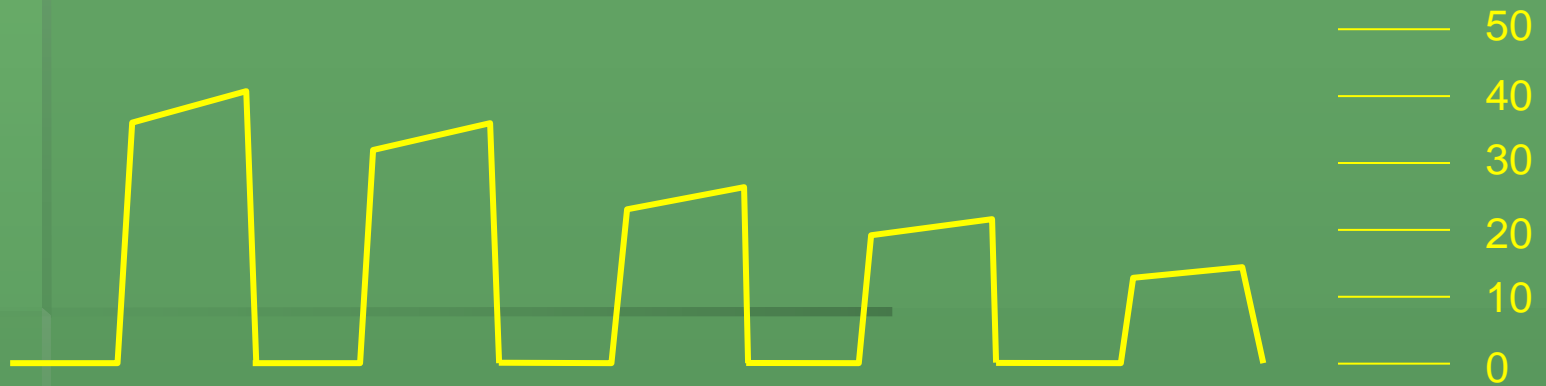


Respiratory Rate is 6 bpm

# Hypoventilation

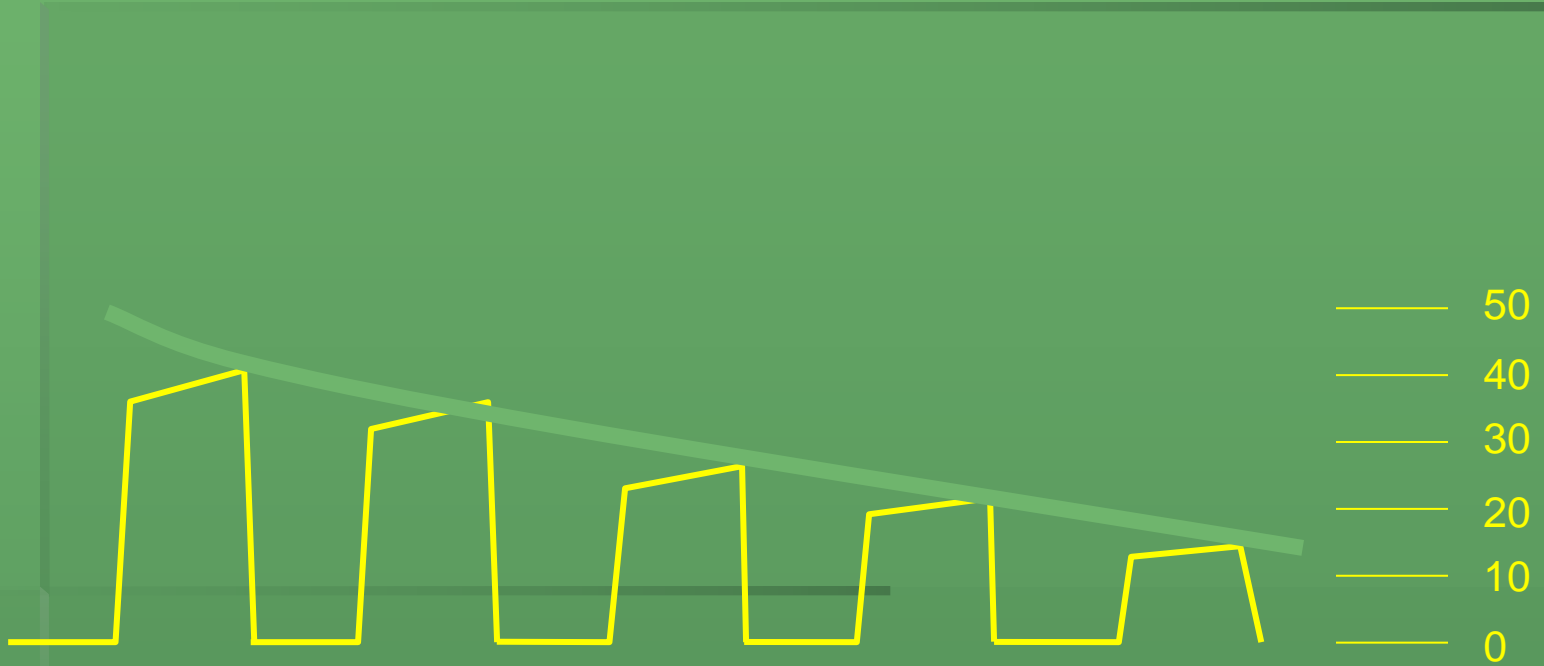


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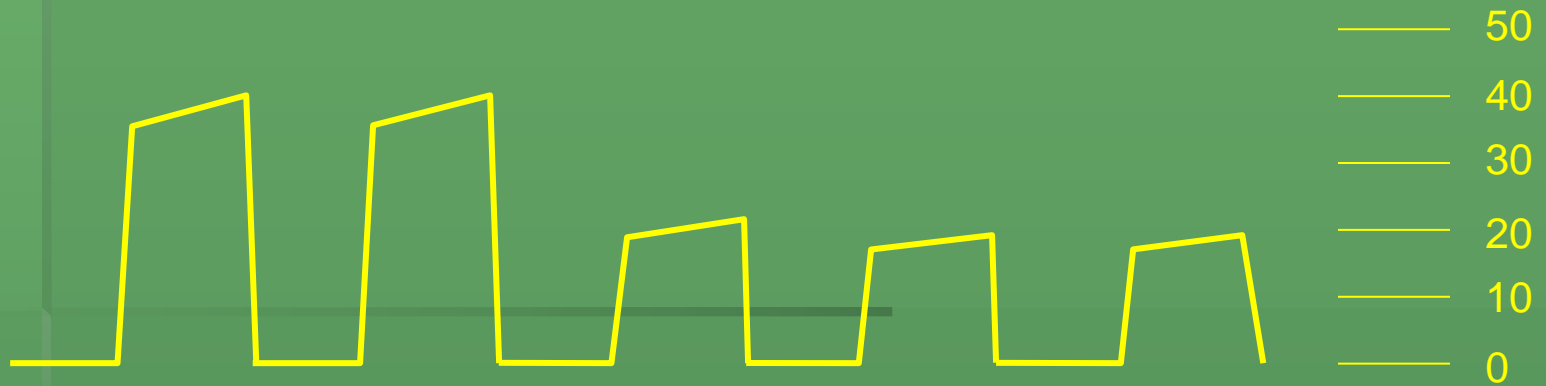


Respiratory Rate is 40 bpm

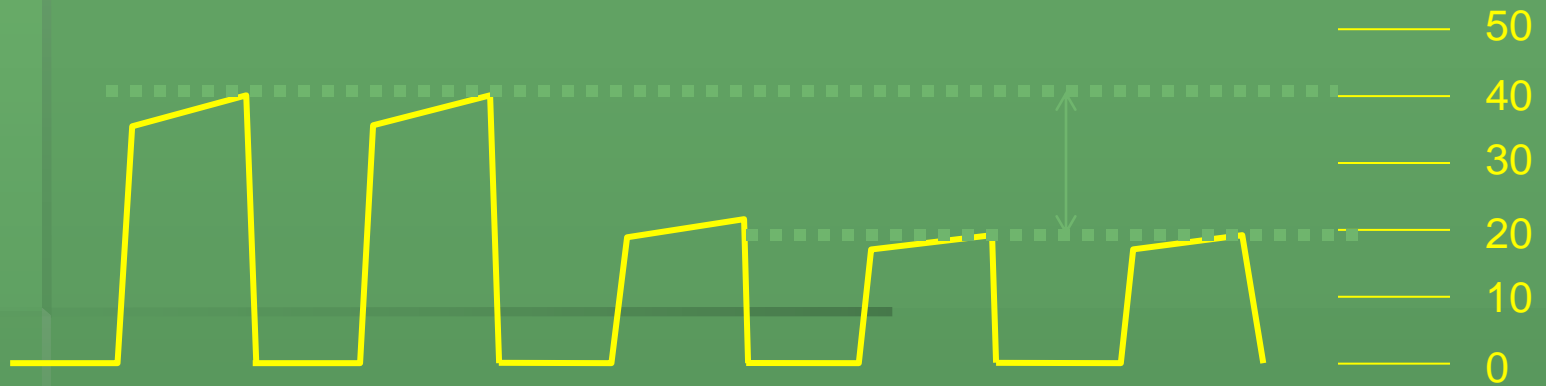
# Hyperventilation



# What is Wrong Here?



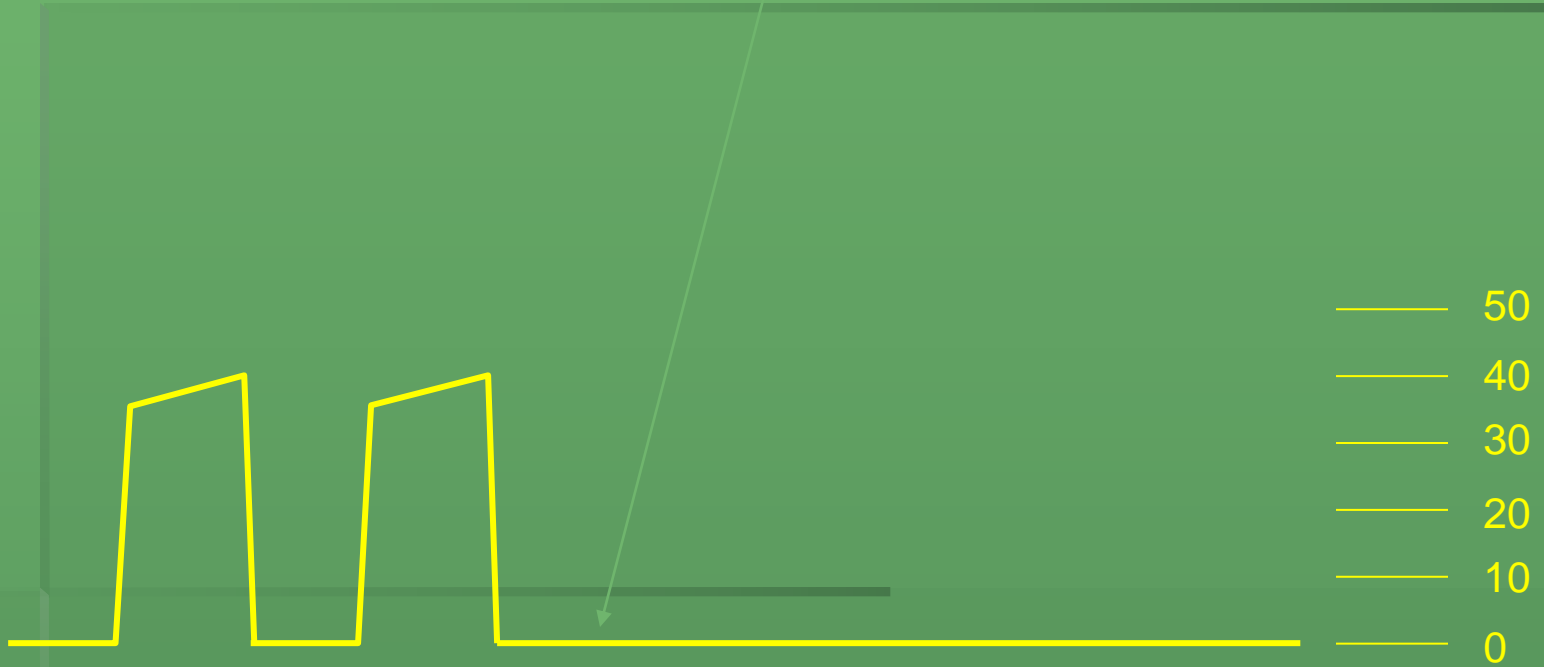
# Sudden Drop in Cardiac Output



# What is Wrong Here?



# Apnea or ETT Dislodged

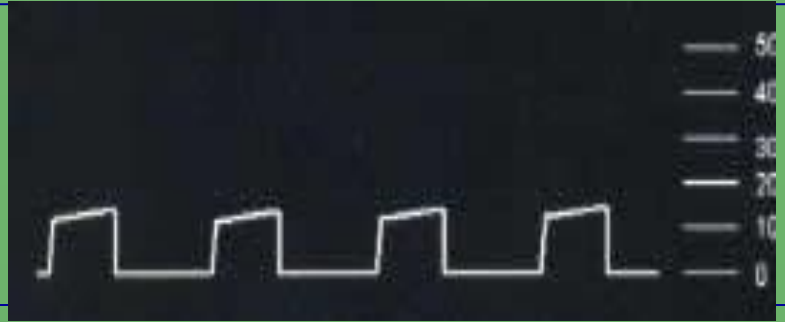


# Capnography (End tidal carbon dioxide)



PaCO<sub>2</sub>-PetCO<sub>2</sub> gradient = Usually <6mm Hg

# CPR



- Square box waveform
- ETCO2 10-15 mm Hg (possibly higher) with adequate CPR
- Management: Change Rescuers if ETCO2 falls below 10 mm Hg



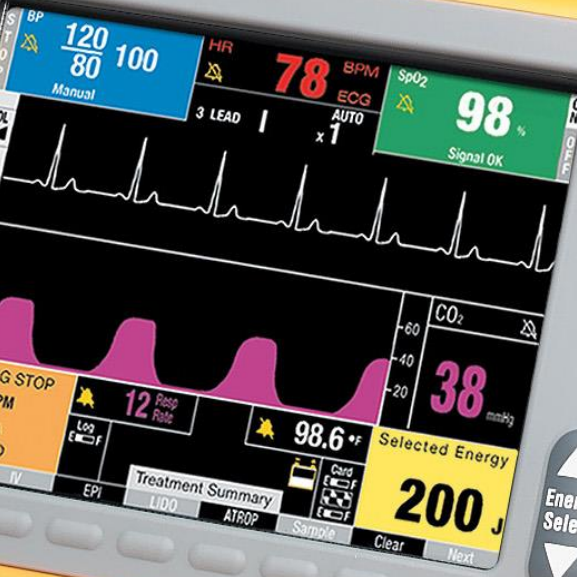
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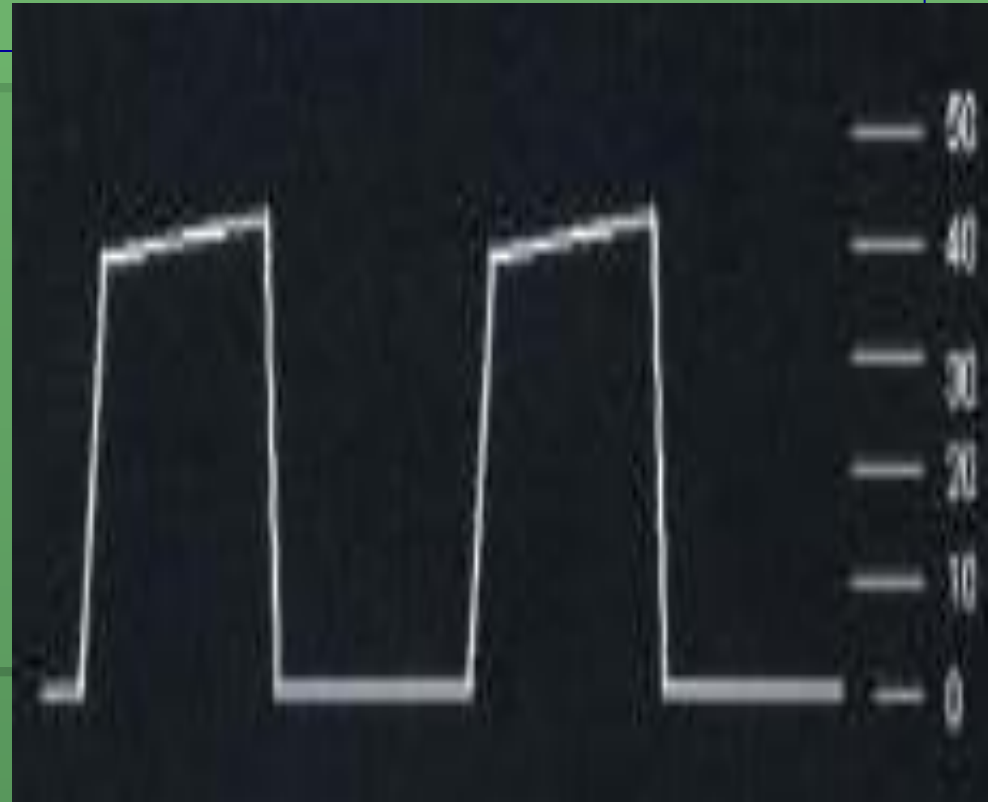
DEFIBRILLATOR

Disarm

POWER

# Normal Wave Form

- Square box waveform
- ETCO<sub>2</sub> 35-45 mm Hg
- Management:  
Monitor Patient



# ABNORMALITIES

- Gradual ↓
  - Hyperventilation
  - Decreasing temp
  - Gradual ↓ in volume
- Sudden increase in  $\text{ETCO}_2$ 
  - Sodium bicarb administration
  - Release of limb tourniquet
- Gradual increase
  - Fever
  - Hypoventilation
- Increased baseline
  - Rebreathing
  - Exhausted  $\text{CO}_2$  absorber

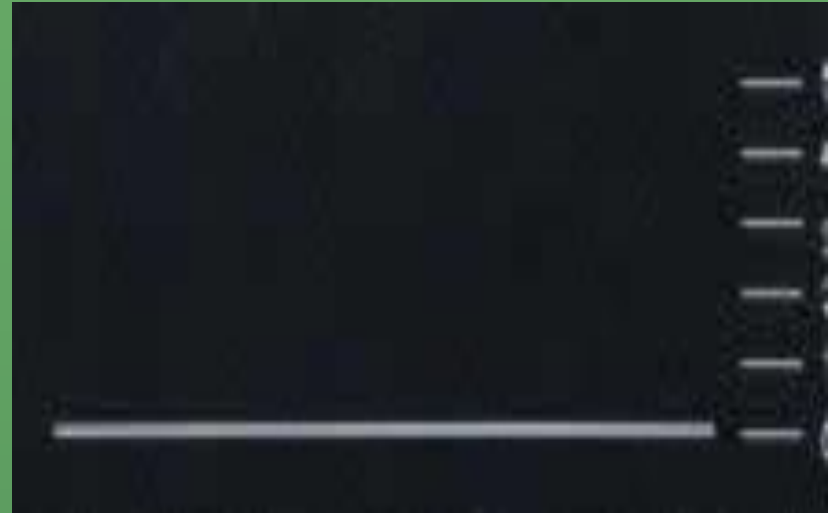
# Dislodged ETT

- Loss of waveform
- Loss of ETCO<sub>2</sub> reading
- Management:  
Replace ETT



# Esophageal Intubation

- Absence of waveform
- Absence of ETCO<sub>2</sub>
- Management: Re-Intubate



# Obstructive Airway

- Shark fin waveform
- With or without prolonged expiratory phase
- Can be seen before actual attack
- Indicative of Bronchospasm( asthma, COPD, allergic reaction)
- Management:  
Bronchodilators (albuterol, atrovent, or Epinephrine)



# ROSC (Return of Spontaneous Circulation)

- During CPR sudden increase of ETCO<sub>2</sub> above 10-15 mm Hg
- Management: Check for pulse



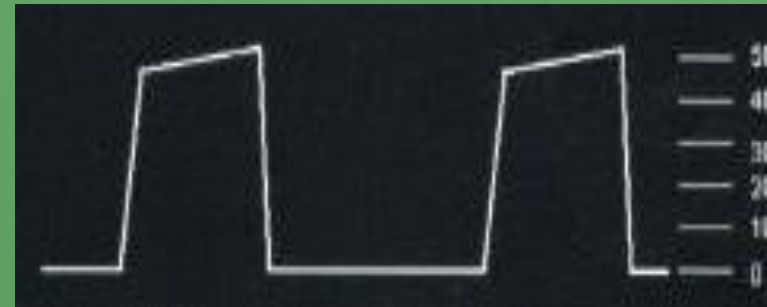
# Rising Baseline

- Patient is re-breathing CO<sub>2</sub>
- Management: Check equipment for adequate oxygen flow
- If patient is intubated allow more time to exhale



# Hypoventilation

- Prolonged waveform
- ETCO<sub>2</sub> >45 mm Hg
- Management: Assist ventilations or intubate as needed



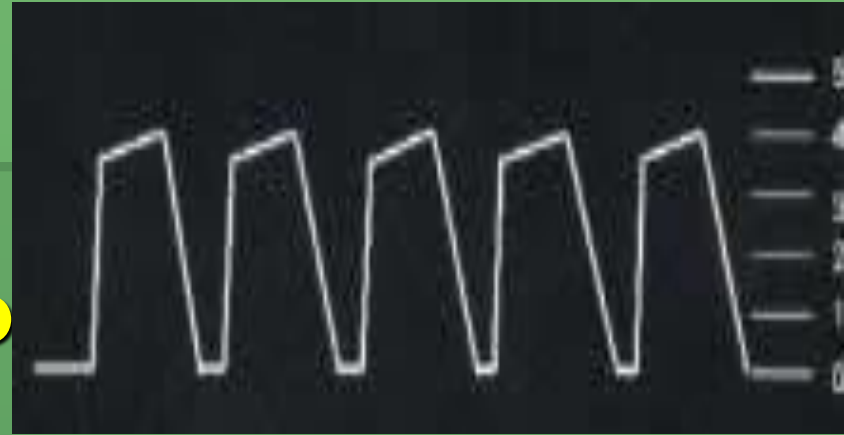
# Hyperventilation

- Shortened waveform
- $\text{ETCO}_2 < 35 \text{ mm Hg}$
- Management: If conscious gives biofeedback. If ventilating slow ventilations
- If ventilations are high and  $\text{ETCO}_2$  is high consider other causes (DKA, sepsis, TCA overdose, acute renal failure, methanol ingestion, salicylate poisoning)



# Patient breathing around ETT

- Angled, sloping down stroke on the waveform
- In adults may mean ruptured cuff or tube too small
- In pediatrics tube too small
- Management: Assess patient, Oxygenate, ventilate and possible re-intubation



# Curare cleft

- Curare Cleft is when a neuromuscular blockade wears off
- The patient takes small breaths that causes the cleft
- Management: Consider neuromuscular blockade re-administration



# **Now what does all this mean to me?**

- **ETCO<sub>2</sub> is a great tool to help monitor the patients breath to breath status.**
- **Can help recognize airway obstructions or disconnection before the patient has signs of attacks**
- **Helps you control the ETCO<sub>2</sub> of head injuries**
- **Can help to identify ROSC in cardiac arrest**

## Capnometry

Various factors result in either increased or decreased/absent PETCO<sub>2</sub>.  
PETCO<sub>2</sub> increased

	Pulmonary perfusion	Alveolar Ventilation	Technical errors
CO <sub>2</sub> output Fever			Machine faults Exhausted CO <sub>2</sub>
Malignant hyperpyrexia Sodium bicarbonate Tourniquet release Venous CO <sub>2</sub> embolism	Increased cardiac output Increased blood pressure	Hypoventilation Bronchial intubation Partial airway obstruction Rebreathing	absorber Inadequate fresh gas flows Leaks in breathing system Faulty ventilator Faulty valves

# PETCO<sub>2</sub> decreased

<u>CO<sub>2</sub> output</u>	Pulmonary perfusion	Alveolar Ventilation Hyperventilation	Technical errors Machine faults
Hypothermia	Reduced cardiac output Hypotension Hypovolemia Pulmonary embolism Cardiac arrest	Apnea Total airway obstruction Partial airway obstruction Accidental tracheal extubation	

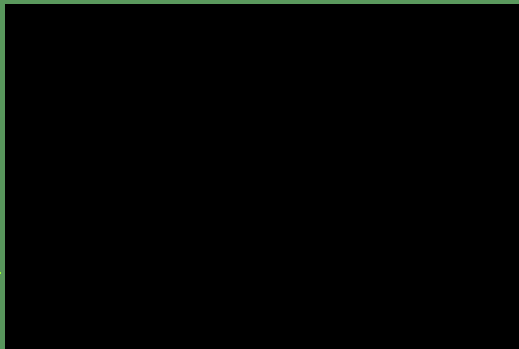
# Capnography

Capnography is superior to capnometry for three reasons

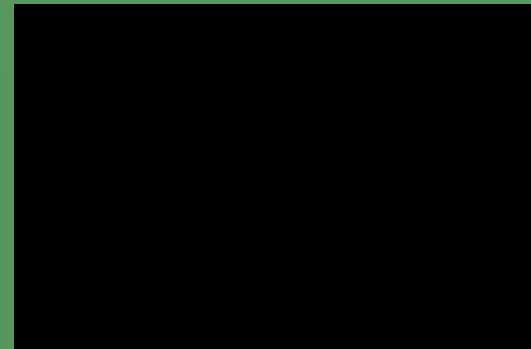
**Confirming adequate sampling**

Capnography may be the only guide to detect the adequacy of gas sampling

Normal



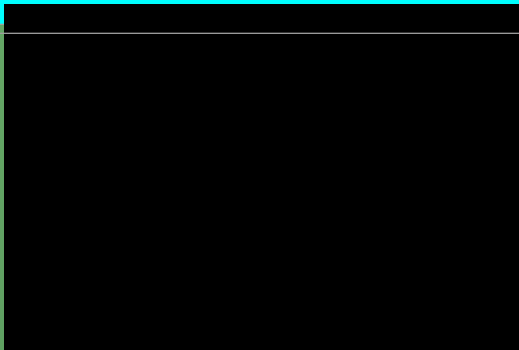
Sampling leaks/dilution of expired gases



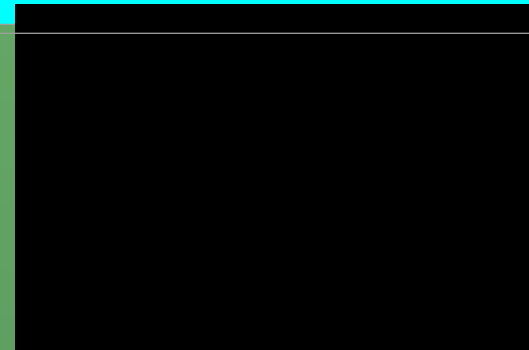
## Diagnostic aid

Characteristic abnormal waveforms can help in the diagnosis of underlying clinical or technical abnormalities

Normal

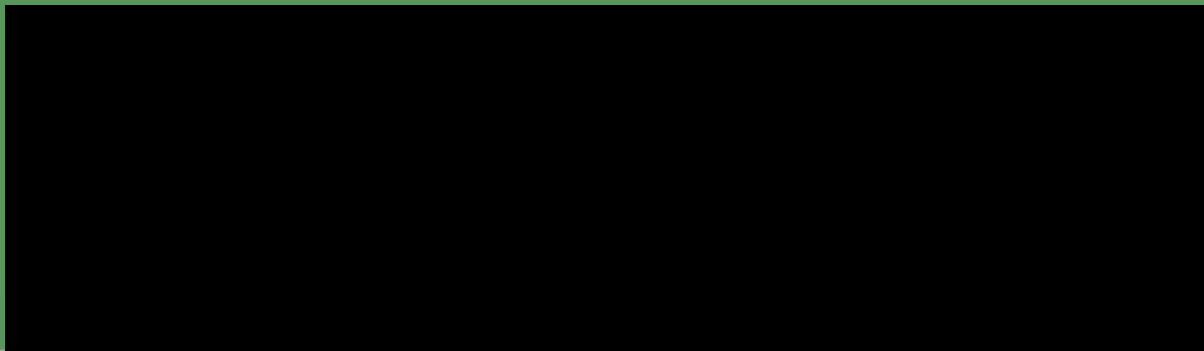


Bronchospasm



Apnea / Circuit disconnection /  
Accidental tracheal extubation /  
ventilator failure

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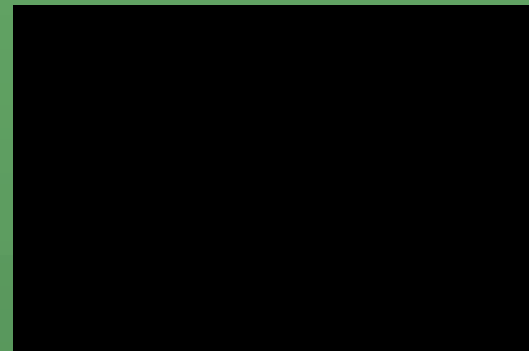
## Therapeutic aid

The efficacy of remedial measures undertaken can be assessed from the continuous evaluation of capnograms

Before treatment with  
bronchodilators



After treatment with  
bronchodilators



# How to analyze CO<sub>2</sub> waveforms?

The shape of a capnogram is identical in all humans with healthy lungs. Any deviations in shape must be investigated to determine a physiological or a pathological cause of the abnormality

**Five characteristics of capnogram should be evaluated**

**Frequency**

**Rhythm**

**Height**

**Baseline**

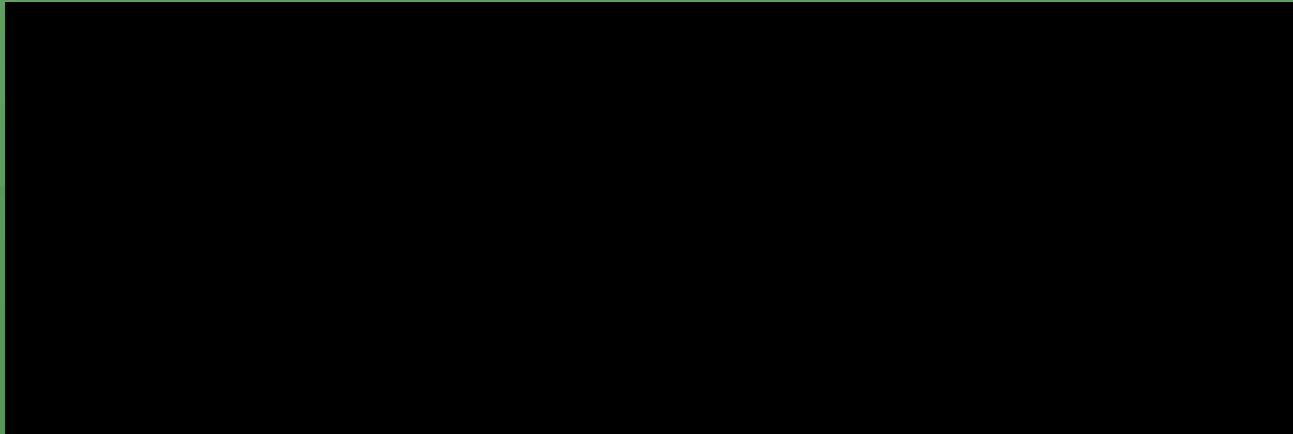
**Shape**

# Hyperventilation

کاهش تدریجی پلاتو و فاز II

خط پایه در صفر

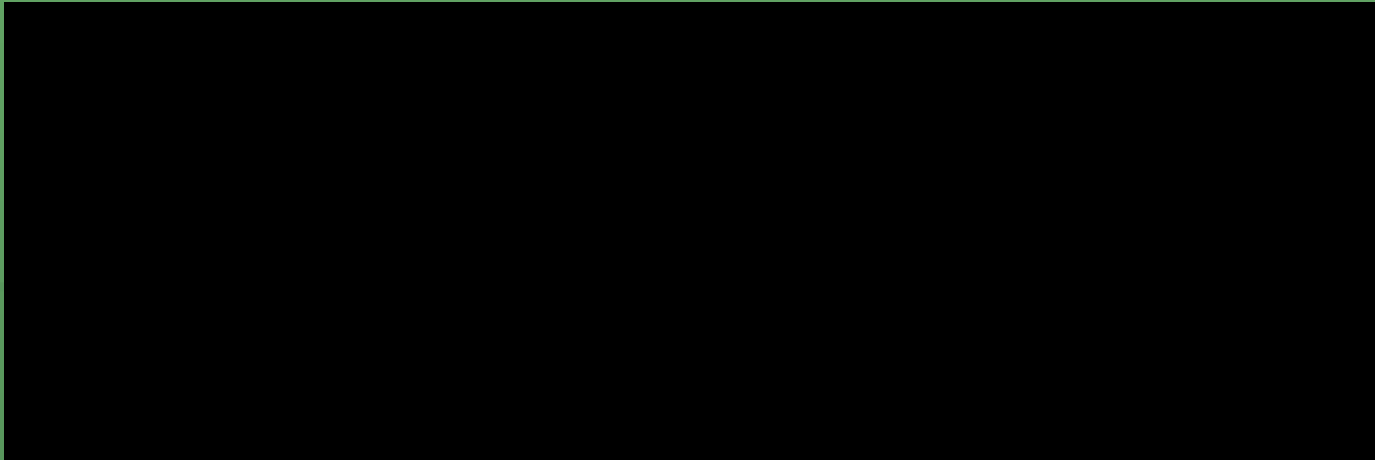
↓ CO<sub>2</sub>



# Hypoventilation

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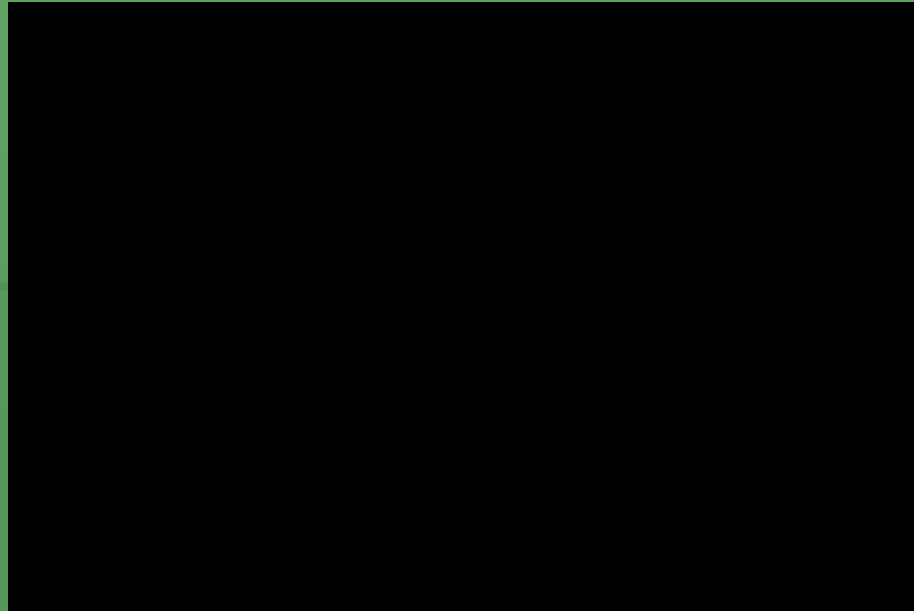
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# Spontaneous Ventilation

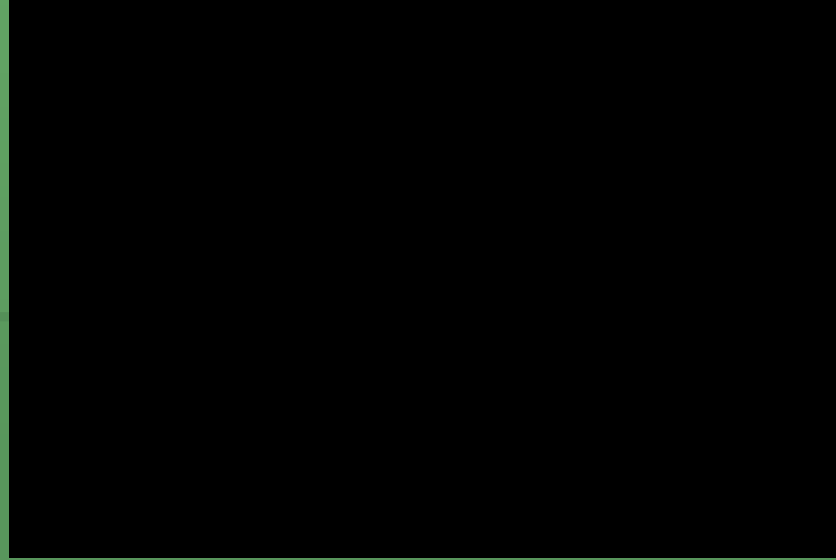
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تعداد منحنی زیاد



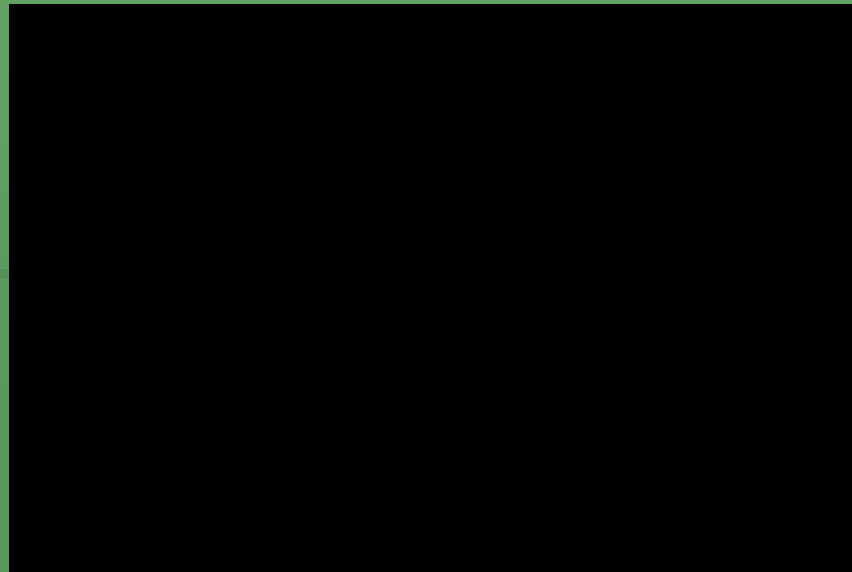
# Cardiogenic Oscillations

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وَأَثُورَت



# Curare Cleft

اثر شل کننده در کاپنوگرام



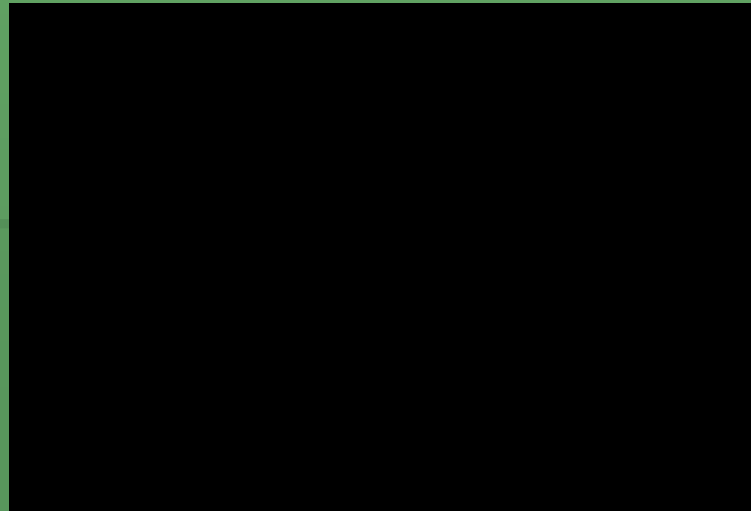
# Bronchospasm

## Airway Obstruction

### COPD

افزایش فاز , II  
III

باز شدن زاویه الفا



# Rebreathing of Soda Lime Contamination with CO<sub>2</sub>



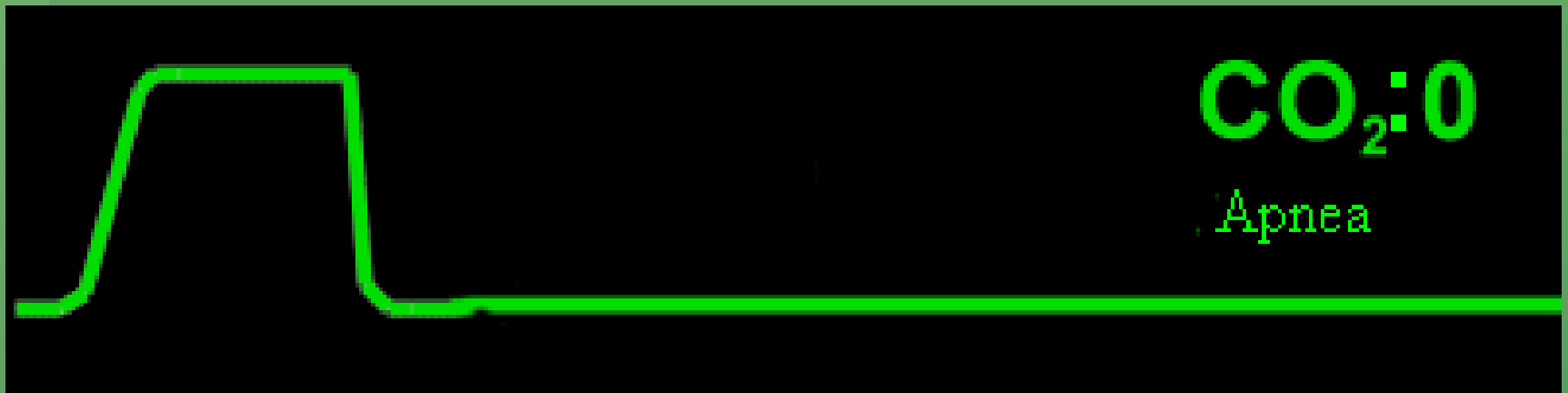
Elevation of Phase II segment and baseline



Progressive elevation of Phase II and baseline



Elevation of baseline and Phase II, smaller inspiratory efforts



*Thank You*