

# Epidémiologie et Diagnostic de l'HTP post-embolique

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## DÉCLARATION DE LIENS D'INTÉRÊT AVEC LA PRÉSENTATION

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- Je déclare les liens d'intérêt suivants :

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# Classification des hypertensions pulmonaires

## 1. Hypertension artérielle pulmonaire

- 1.1 Idiopathique
- 1.2 Héritable
  - 1.2.1 Mutations *BMPR2*
  - 1.2.2 Autres mutations
- 1.3 Induite par des médicaments, des toxiques
- 1.4 Associée à
  - 1.4.1 Connectivite
  - 1.4.2 Infection VIH
  - 1.4.3 Hypertension portale
  - 1.4.4 Cardiopathie congénitale
  - 1.4.5 Bilharziose

## 1'. Maladie veino-occlusive pulmonaire et/ou hémangiomatose capillaire pulmonaire

- 1'.1 Idiopathique
- 1'.2 Héritable
  - 1'.2.1 Mutations *EIF2AK4*
  - 1'.2.2 Autres mutations
- 1'.3 Induite par des médicaments, des toxiques, ou les radiations
- 1'.4 Associée à
  - 1'.4.1 Connectivite
  - 1'.4.2 Infection VIH

## 1''. Hypertension pulmonaire persistante du nouveau-né

## 2. Hypertension pulmonaire due à des maladies du cœur gauche

- 2.1 Dysfonction ventriculaire gauche systolique
- 2.2 Dysfonction ventriculaire gauche diastolique
- 2.3 Valvulopathies
- 2.4 Obstacle gauche congénital ou acquis et cardiomyopathies
- 2.5 Sténoses veineuses pulmonaires congénitales ou acquises

## 3. Hypertension pulmonaire due à des maladies respiratoires chroniques et/ou à une hypoxie

- 3.1 Bronchopneumopathie chronique obstructive
- 3.2 Pneumopathies interstitielles
- 3.3 Autres maladies respiratoires restrictives et/ou obstructives
- 3.4 Syndrome d'apnée du sommeil
- 3.5 Syndromes d'hypoventilation alvéolaire
- 3.6 Séjour prolongé en altitude
- 3.7 Anomalies du développement

## 4. Hypertension pulmonaire thromboembolique chronique et autres obstructions artérielles pulmonaires

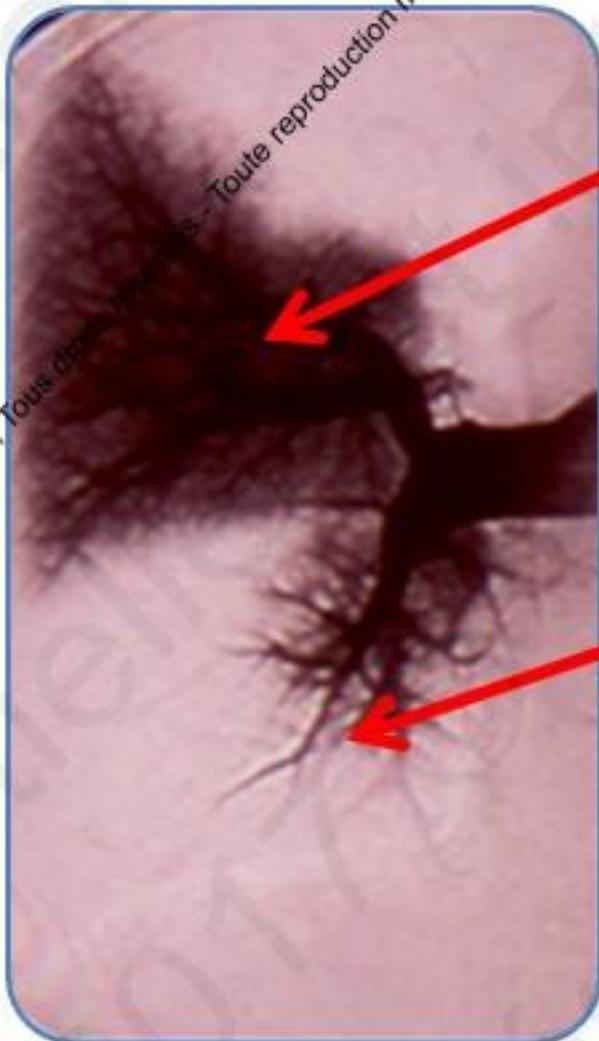
- 4.1 Hypertension pulmonaire thromboembolique chronique
- 4.2 Autres obstructions artérielles pulmonaires
  - 4.2.1 Angiosarcome
  - 4.2.2 Autres tumeurs intravasculaires
  - 4.2.3 Artérite
  - 4.2.4 Sténoses artérielles pulmonaires congénitales
  - 4.2.5 Parasites (hydatidose)

## 5. Hypertension pulmonaire de mécanisme peu clair ou multifactoriel

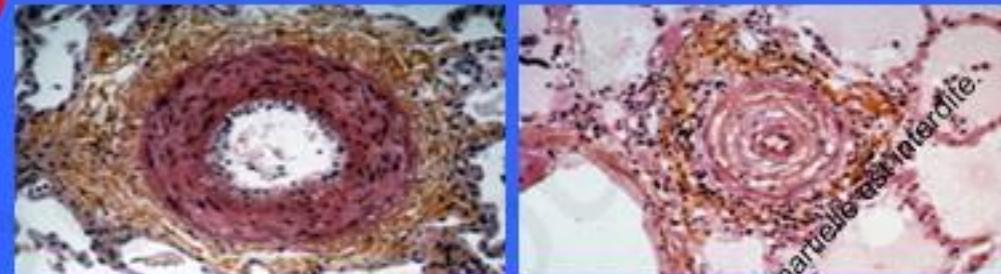
- 5.1 Maladies hématologiques: anémies hémolytiques chroniques, syndromes myéloprolifératifs, splénectomie
- 5.2 Maladies systémiques: sarcoïdose, histiocytose langerhansienne pulmonaire, lymphangioléiomoyomatose, neurofibromatose
- 5.3 Maladies métaboliques: glycogénose, maladie de Gaucher, dysthyroïdie
- 5.4 Autres maladies: microangiopathie thrombotique tumorale pulmonaire, fibrose médiastinale, insuffisance rénale chronique (dialysée ou non), hypertension pulmonaire segmentaire

D'après Galiè N et al., Eur Respir J 2015;46(4):903-75

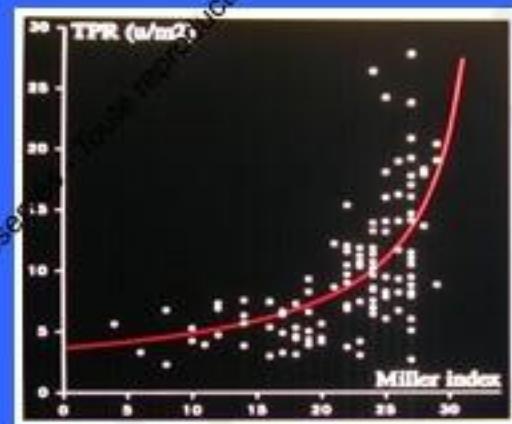
# Physiopathologie



## Remodelage



## Obstruction



## CTEPH and previous VTE: data from the International CTEPH Registry<sup>1</sup>

	All patients N=679	Operable patients N=427	Nonoperable patients N=247	p
Confirmed previous acute PE	<b>74.8%</b>	77.5%	70.0%	0.034
Recurrent PE	32.8%	35.0%	28.8%	0.214
PE reported as « massive »	40.8%	47.1%	29.4%	0.009
Confirmed previous DVT	56.1%	60.4%	49.0%	0.029
Thrombolytic treatment	14.4%	18.5%	6.6%	0.0009

<sup>1</sup> Pepke Zaba Circulation 2011;124:1973-81

# Clinical conditions predisposing for CTEPH

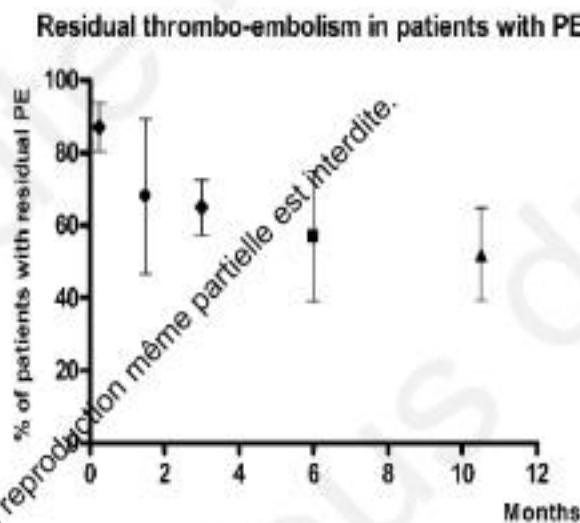
Retrospective study comparing

433 patients with CTEPH vs 254 patients with other non thromboembolic PH

Condition	OR (95% CI)	p
Ventriculo-atrial shunt or infected pace-maker	76.40 (7.67-10350.62)	<0.001
Splenectomy	17.87 (1.56-2438.07)	0.017
Thyroid hormone replacement	6.10 (2.73-15.05)	<0.001
APA / LAC	4.20 (1.56-12.21)	0.004
Malignancy	3.76 (1.47-10.43)	0.005
Previous VTE	4.52 (2.35-9.12)	<0.001
Recurrent VTE	14.49 (5.40-43.08)	<0.001

## From acute PE to CTEPH

- In patients who survive a PE
  - Resolution of the clots (physiological fibrinolysis) => restoration of blood flow and normal haemodynamic parameters in 10-21 days<sup>1</sup>
- 30 to 50% of patients have residual pulmonary vascular obstruction on V/Q scan 1 year after a PE<sup>2,3</sup>
- 44% of patients have persistent right ventricular dysfunction 1 year after a PE<sup>4</sup>
- 56% of patients have persistent complaints of dyspnea after a PE
  - The majority of them developed new or worsened dyspnea after PE
- Patients with residual pulmonary vascular obstruction are more dyspneic, have functional limitation ( $\downarrow$  6MWT) and higher sPAP<sup>2</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Dalen *et al* N Engl J Med 1969

<sup>2</sup> Nijkeuter *et al* Chest 2006

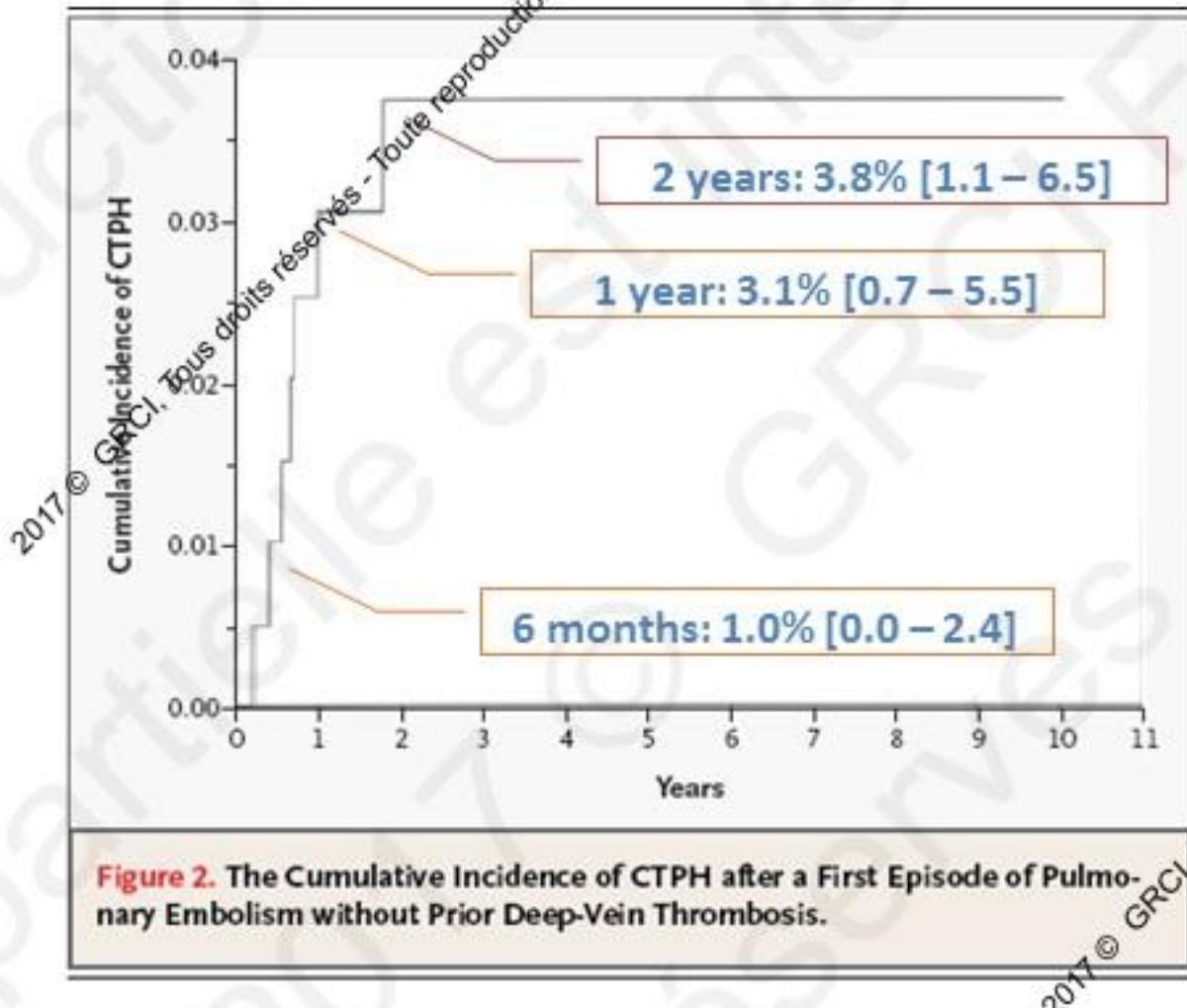
<sup>3</sup> Sanchez *et al* JTH 2010

<sup>4</sup> Ribeiro *et al* Circulation 1999

<sup>5</sup> Klok *et al* Eur J Intern Med 2008

## Incidence of Chronic Thromboembolic Pulmonary Hypertension after Pulmonary Embolism

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- Risk factors for CTEPH
  - Age
  - Previous VTE
  - Idiopathic » PE
  - Proximal PE

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Patient No.	Age at Time of Qualifying PE	Time from Qualifying PE to Symptoms Suggestive of CTPH	Time from Symptoms to Diagnosis of CTPH	Findings at Diagnosis of CTPH				
				yr	mo	mo	Mean PAP mm Hg	Systolic PAP mm Hg
1	68	21	0	34	65	54	II	
2	69	6	2	44	55	48	II	
3	37	5	1	25	55	60	II	
4	52	2	1	30	60	43	II	
5	72	3	2	50	90	38	III	
6	53	5	3	35	85	50	II	
7	20	10	2	50	90	39	III	

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				Mean PAP mm Hg	Systolic PAP mm Hg	Residual Perfusion %	NYHA Class
1	68	21	2	65	64	II	
2	69	6	2	65	64	II	
3	37	5	3	65	64	II	
4	52	2	3	65	64	II	
5	72	3	3	65	64	II	
6	53	5	3	65	64	II	
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Absence of initial hemodynamic data at the time of acute PE diagnosis

Prevalence of chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension after acute pulmonary embolism

Thromb Haemost 2014; 112:

Education

Prevalence of CTEPH after pulmonary embolism

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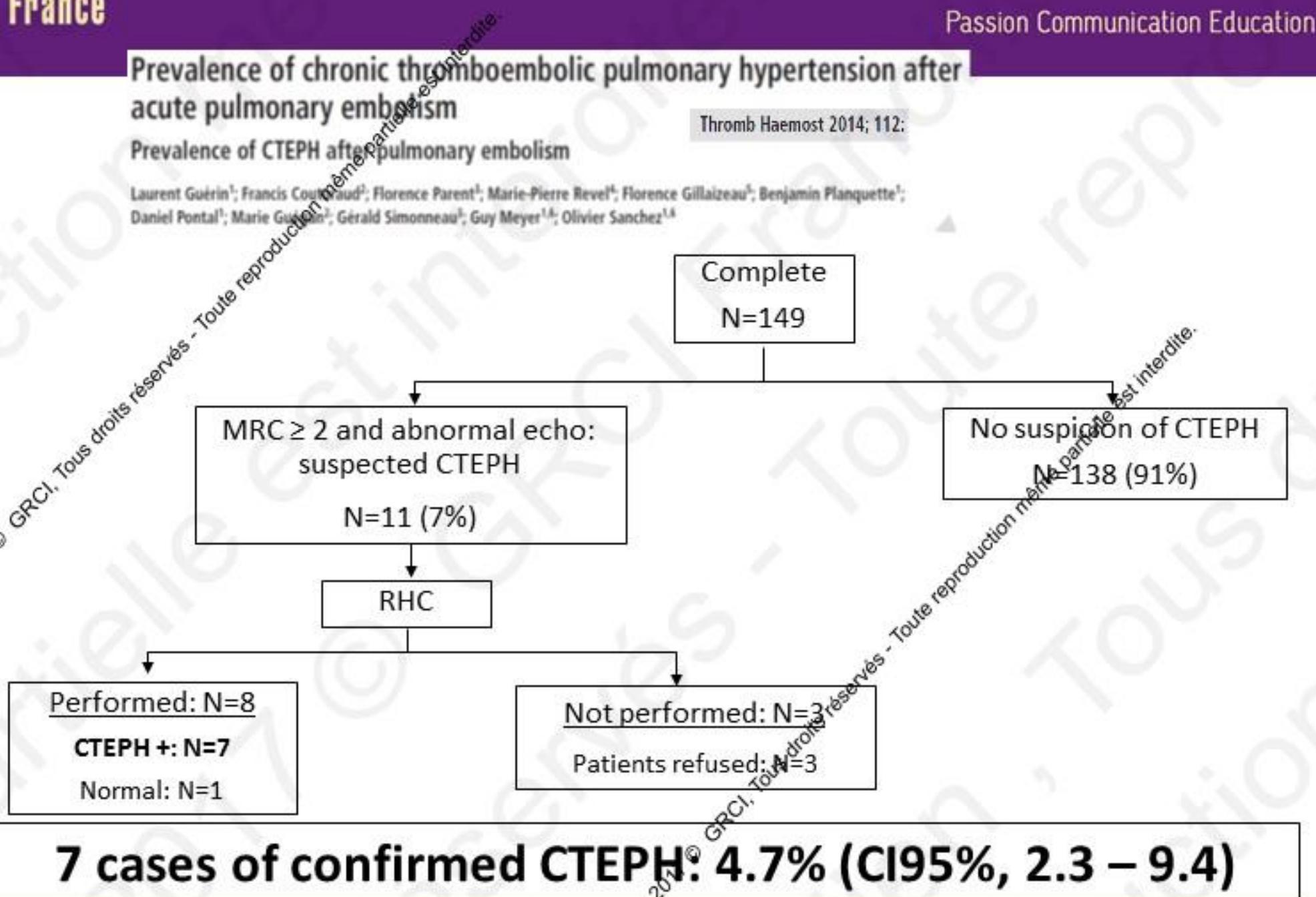
- At the time of acute PE diagnosis
  - Echocardiography: RV/LV, sPAP
  - BNP, NT-proBNP
- Patients alive after an acute PE
- Prospective follow-up during a maximum of 2 years
  - Assessment of persistent dyspnea (MRC scale)
  - Echocardiography:  $V_{TR}$ ,  $V_{PR}$ , RV/LV
  - Right heart catheterization in case of dyspnea MRC  $\geq 2$  AND abnormal echocardiography
  - CTEPH: mPAP  $\geq 25$  PcwP  $< 15$  + abnormal V/Q scan

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## Individual characteristics of 7 CTEPH

Patient	Initial PE		During follow-up									
	Age (years)	sPAP (mmHg)	RV/LV	MRC	VTR (m/s)	sPAP (mmHg)	RV/LV	Time to RHC (months)	RAP (mmHg)	mPAP (mmHg)	CO (l/min)	PVR (UI)
1	71	45	0.9	2	3.8	73	1.1	27	11	54	4.9	8.8
2	74	70	1.1	3	5.4	132	1.3	7.2	10	58	3.2	16.1
3	81	81	1.3	5	4.7	100	1.4	7.4	7	52	3.1	11.6
4	77	84	1.1	2	3.5	58	NA	10	7	30	6.2	2.9
5	70	43	0.5	2	4.2	75	0.7	22.7		36	5.7	4.6
6	75	62	0.5	2	2.8	56	0.72	3	3	30	3.7	6.1
7	72	102	0.8	2	4	81	1.1	6.6	4	53	4.5	10.7
Mean	75	75	0.97					13.7	7	45	4.5	7.5
± SD	4	20	0.3						3	12	1.2	3.5

## The Hemodynamic Response to Pulmonary Embolism in Patients Without Prior Cardiopulmonary Disease

McIntyre et al. Am J Cardiol 1971; 28: 288-94

- 20 patients
- No prior cardiopulmonary disease
- PE angiographically proven
  - Pulmonary vascular obstruction (Miller index): 13 – 68%
- RHC

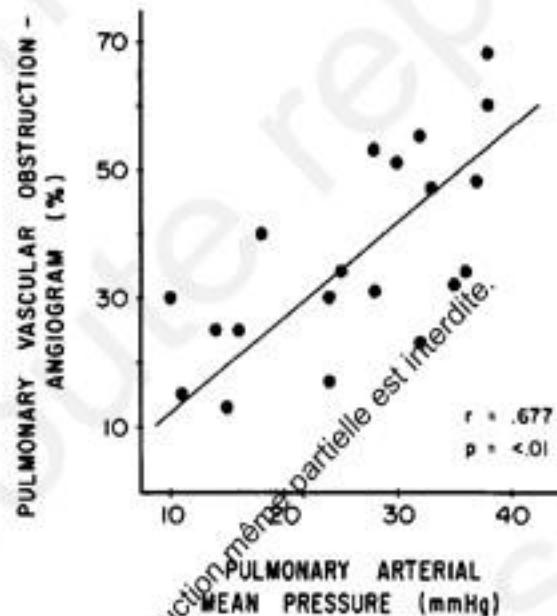


Figure 2. A highly significant relation existed between mean pulmonary arterial pressure (abscissa) and estimated angiographic obstruction (ordinate).

Mean PAP never exceed 40 mmHg ( $sPAP \approx 60$  mmHg) despite massive obstruction in some patients suggesting that this level approximates the maximal pressure response of a previously normal right ventricle.

→ mPAP > 40 mmHg during acute PE should suggest either prior CTEPH or non embolic causes of PH

# CT Signs of CTEPH at the time of acute PE

Among 120 patients who had spiralCT for diagnosis of acute PE

	CTEPH + (n=7)	CTEPH - (n=99)
Organised mural thrombi, yes / no, (%)	6 (86) / 1 (14)	20 (20) / 79 (80)
Arterial webs or bands, yes / no, (%)	4 (57) / 3 (43)	3 (3) / 96 (97)
Dilated bronchial arteries, yes / no, (%)	1 (25) / 3 (75) <sup>1</sup>	13 (13) / 76 (87)
Mosaic parenchymal perfusion pattern, yes / no, (%)	6 (86) / 1 (14)	27 (27) / 70 (73)
Presence of at least two CT signs, yes / no, (%)	7 (100) / 0 (0)	19 (19) / 80 (81)

<sup>1</sup>Due to the quality of injections in bronchial arteries, this sign was interpretable in only 4 out the 7 CT.

## Differentiating acute from chronic thromboemboli on CT

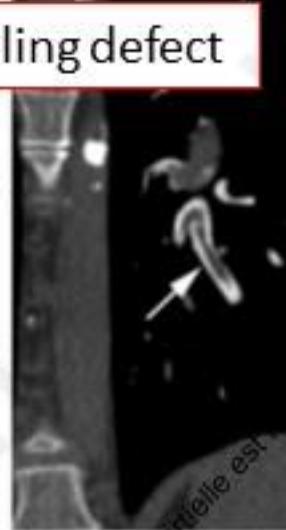
	<b>Acute</b>	<b>Chronic</b>
Direct features	<p>Preserved calibre of the vessel</p> <p>Central or eccentric filling defect</p>	<p>Vessel narrowing</p> <p>Calibre change</p> <p>Intimal irregularities</p> <p>Laminated thrombus</p> <p>Webs / Bands</p> <p>Complete amputation of the vessel</p>
Indirect features	<p>Right ventricular enlargement (if PE is severe)</p>	<p>Increased calibre of main pulmonary artery</p> <p>Right ventricular enlargement and hypertrophy</p> <p>Prominence of bronchial arteries</p>
Parenchymal features	<p>Triangular subpleural consolidation or ground glass with fine reticular changes</p>	<p>Mosaic perfusion</p> <p>Subpleural scar / cavitation</p> <p>Focal pleural thickening</p>

## Direct features

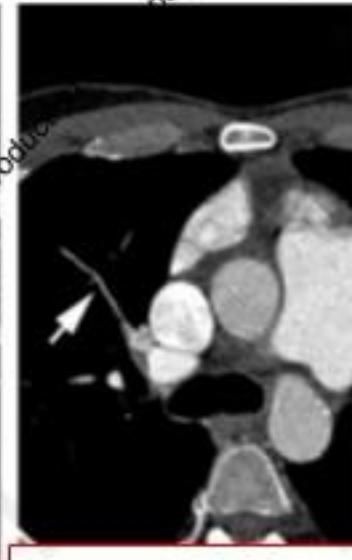
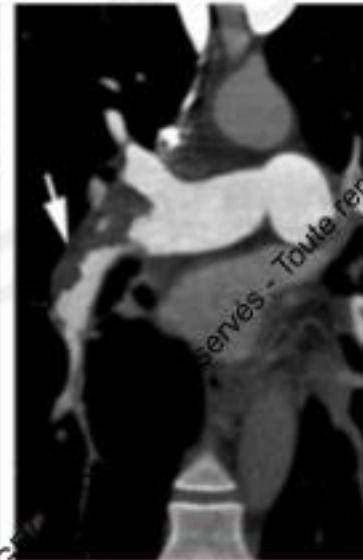
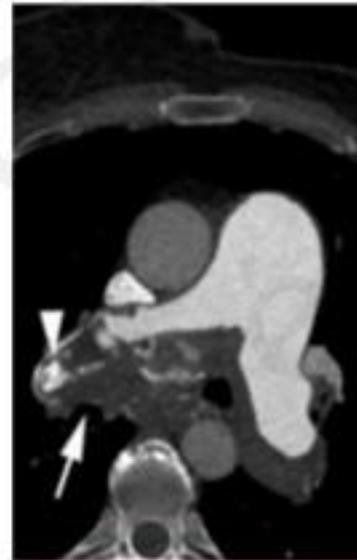
Acute PE



Central filling defect



CTEPH



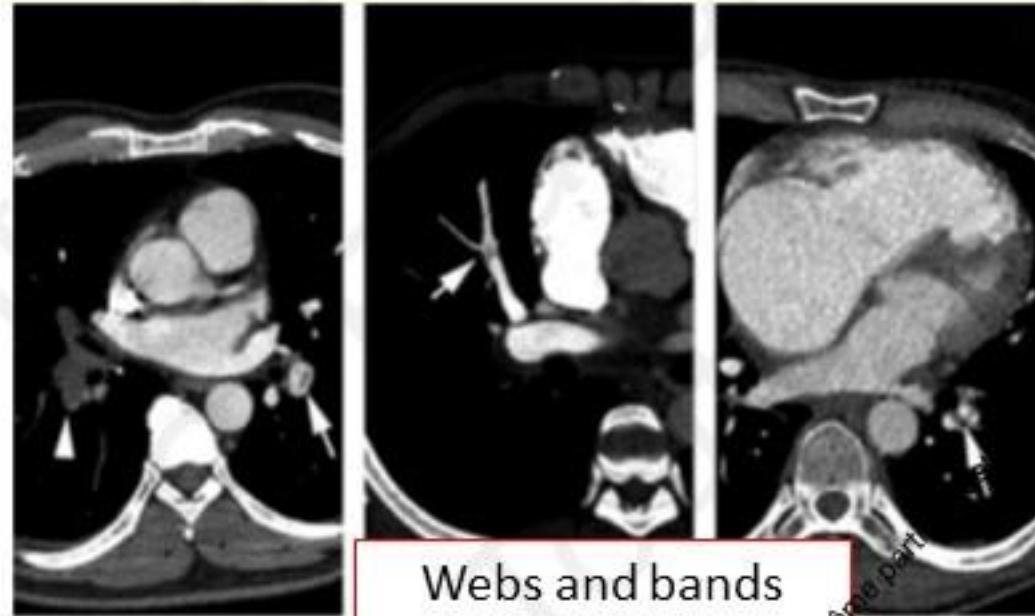
Chronic large pulmonary embolus

Marked reduction in  
calibre of PA

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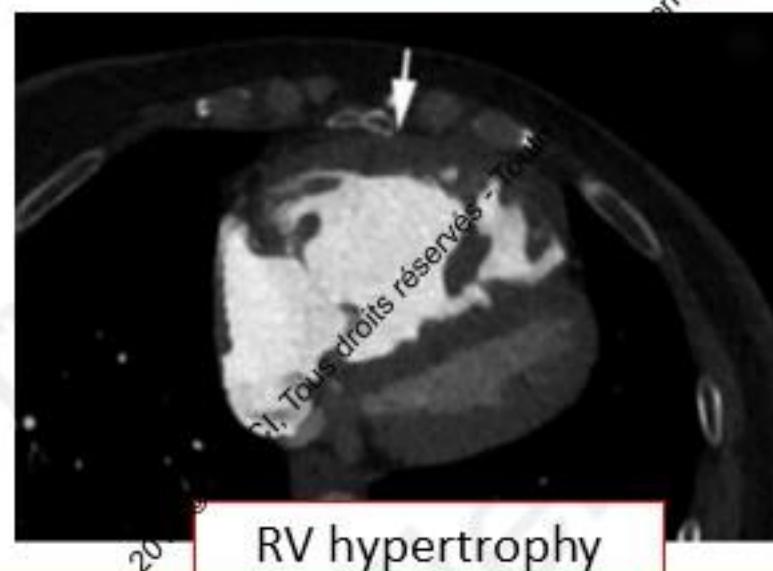
## Indirect features

CTEPH



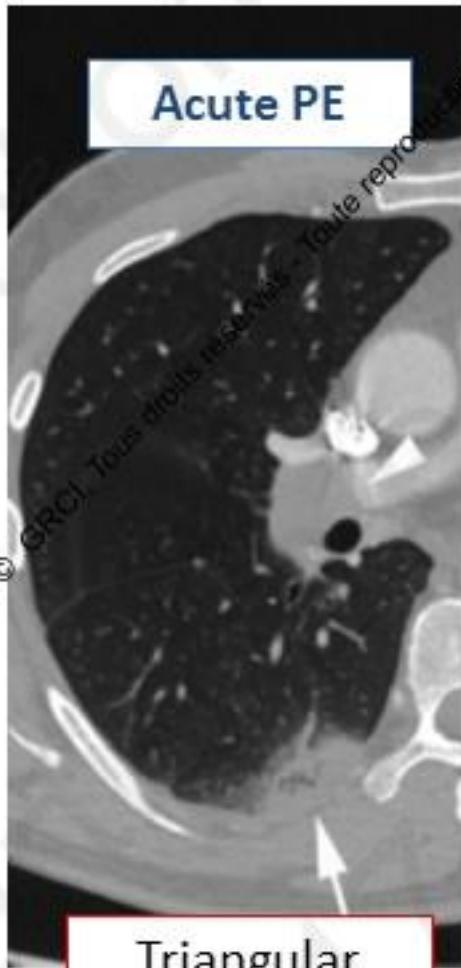
Webs and bands

CTEPH

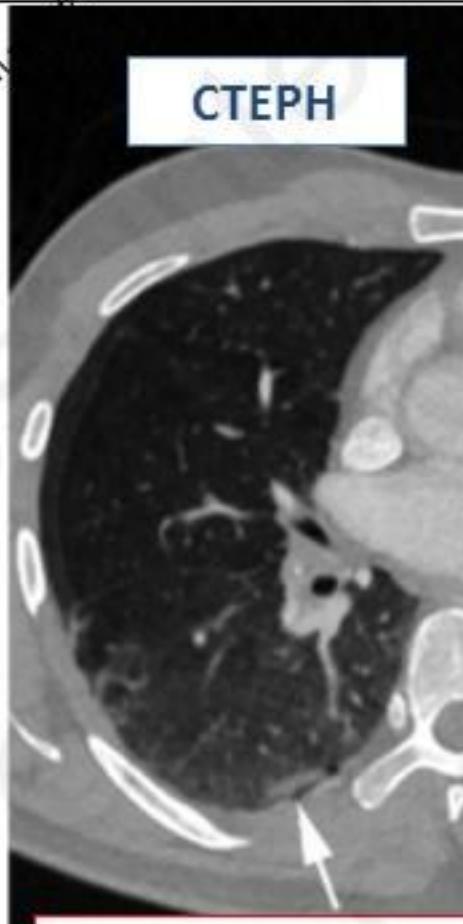


RV hypertrophy

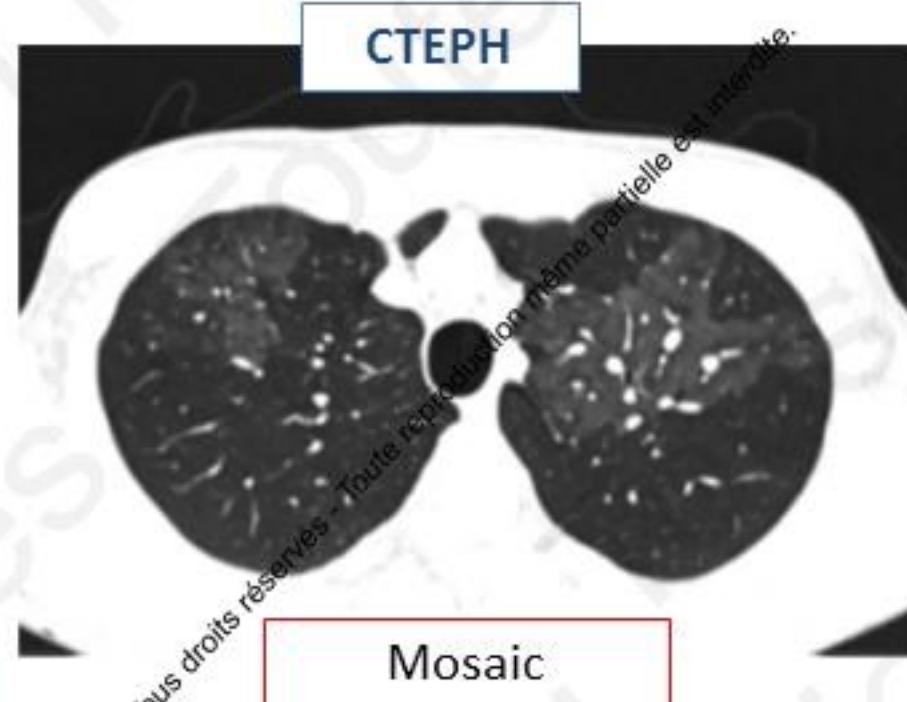
## Parenchymal features



Triangular  
subpleural  
consolidation



Residual fibrotic  
band & pleura  
thickening



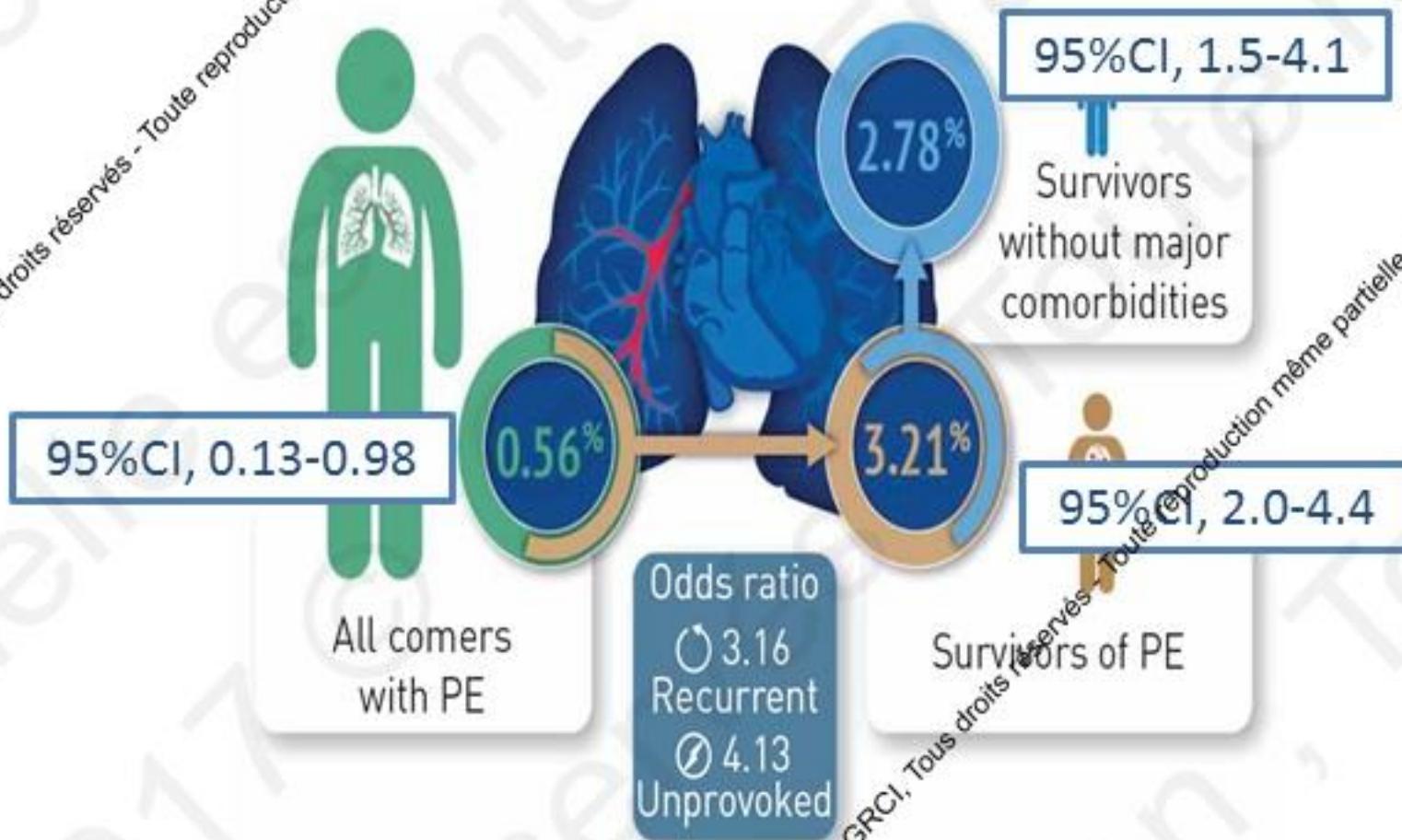
Mosaic  
perfusion

# Incidence of CTEPH after PE systematic review and meta-analysis

- To assess the cumulative incidence of CTEPH after PE
  - 3 pre-defined sub-categories
    - All comers
    - Survivors
    - Survivors without comorbidities
  - RHC vs Echo
- To assess risk factors of CTEPH

	Studies (n=15)	Patients (n=3963)
All comers	2	1186
Survivors	4	999
Survivors without comorbidities	9	1775

## Incidence of CTEPH after PE



## Risk factors for CTEPH after PE

<b>Risk factor</b>	<b>Odds Ratio</b>	<b>95% CI</b>
Unprovoked PE	4.1	2.1–8.2
Recurrent VTE	3.2	1.7–5.9

- Ende-Verhaar YM *et al.* Eur Respir J 2017;49:1601792.

## Incidence of CTEPH after PE echo vs RHC studies

Diagnosis of CTEPH	Incidence	95% CI
Echo only (6 studies)	9.1%	4.1-14.0
RHC (9 studies)	2.8%	1.5-4.1

## ESC 2015 guidelines

<b>Recommendations</b>	<b>Class<sup>a</sup></b>	<b>Level<sup>b</sup></b>
In PE survivors with persistent dyspnoea, diagnostic evaluation for CTEPH should be considered.	<b>IIa</b>	<b>c</b>
Screening for CTEPH in asymptomatic survivors of PE is currently not recommended.	<b>III</b>	<b>c</b>

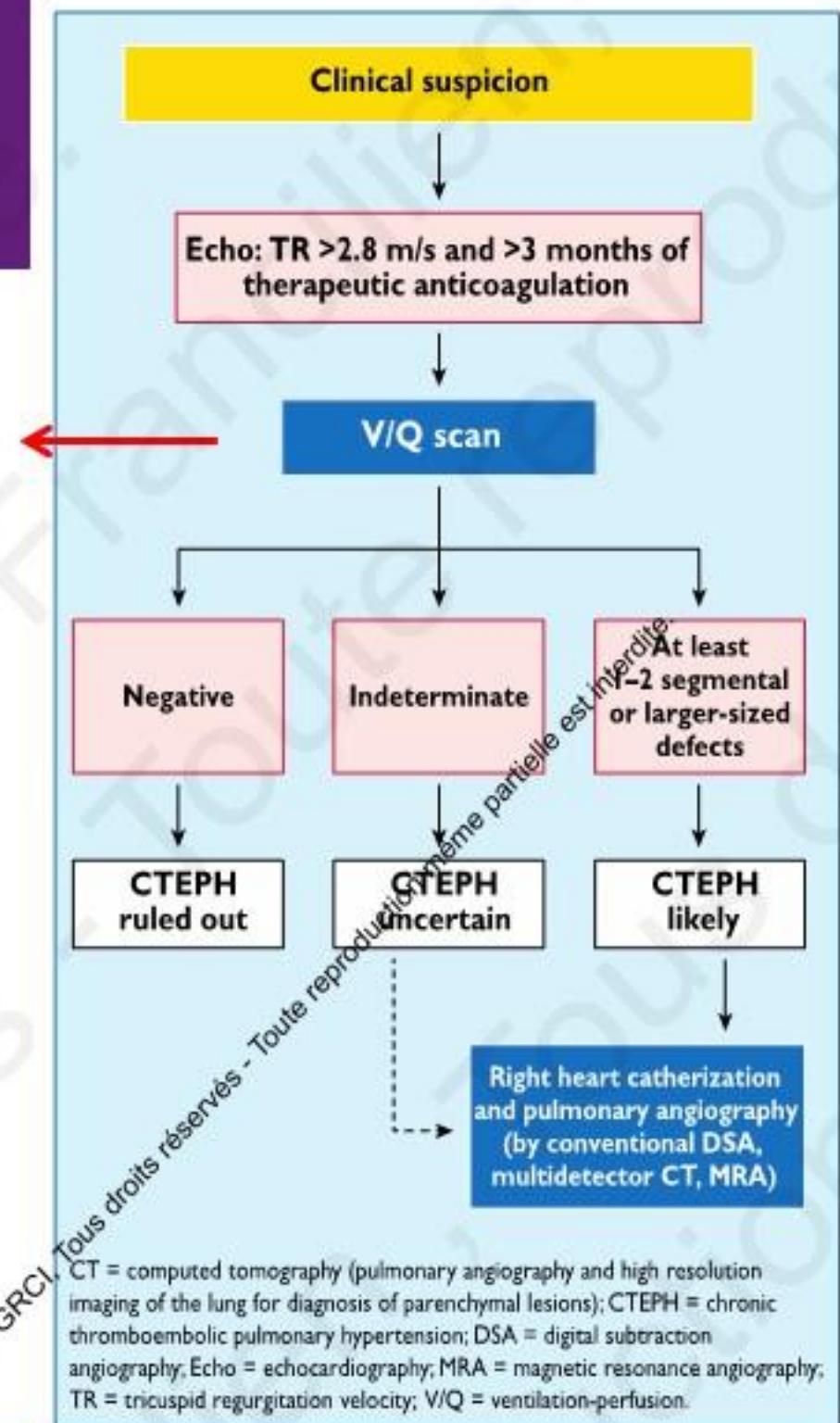
Clinical suspicion

Echo: TR >2.8 m/s and >3 months of therapeutic anticoagulation

Clinical suspicion		
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Vitesse d'insuffisance tricuspidale (m/s)	Autres signes échographiques d'HTP	Probabilité d'HTP à l'échographie cardiaque
≤ 2,8 ou non mesurable	Non	Bas
≤ 2,8 ou non mesurable	Oui	Intermédiaire
2,9-3,4	Non	
2,9-3,4	Oui	
> 3,4	Non requis	Haut
A. Ventricules		
Rapport du diamètre basal ventricule droit/ ventricule gauche (VG) > 1,0	Temps d'accélération du flux d'éjection pulmonaire < 105 m/s et/ou "notch" (encoche) mésosystolique	Diamètre de la veine cave inférieure > 21 mm avec diminution de son collapsus inspiratoire (< 50 % lors du "sniff test" ou < 30 % en inspiration normale)
Inversion ou aplatissement de la courbure du septum interventriculaire (index d'excentricité du VG > 1,1 en systole et/ou en diastole)	Vitesse protodiastolique de régurgitation pulmonaire > 2,2 m/s	Surface de l'oreillette droite (télésystole) > 18 cm <sup>2</sup>
	Diamètre de l'artère pulmonaire > 25 mm	

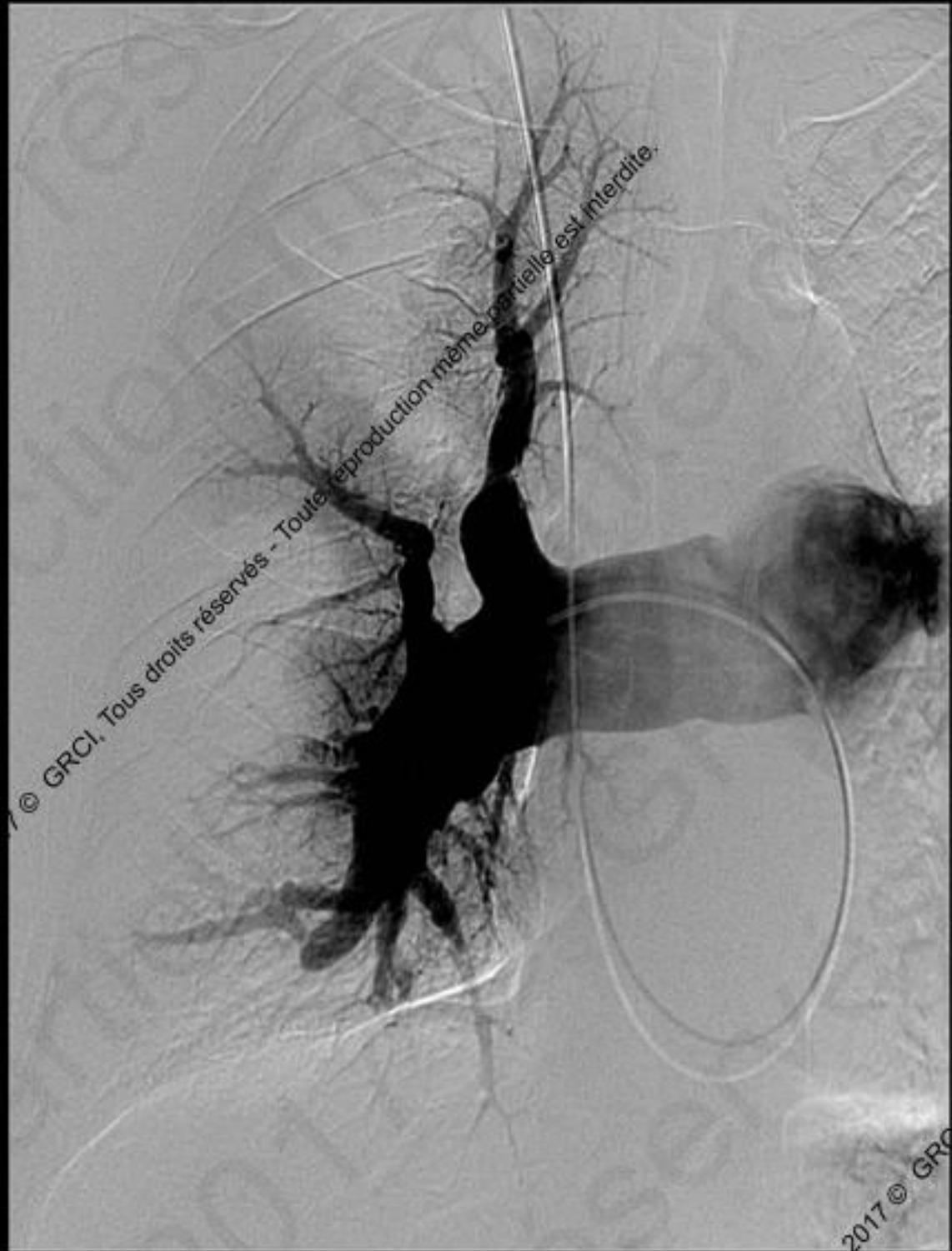
Indicator	Scintigraphy		
	V/Q (6)	V/Q (2) <sup>†</sup>	CTPA
Sensitivity (%)	97.4	96.2	51.3
Specificity (%)	90	94.6	99.3
Accuracy (%)	92.5	95.2	82.8
NPV (%)	98.5	97.9	79.7
PPV (%)	83.5	90.3	97.6

<sup>\*</sup>Intermediate with high-probability scans as indicative of CTEPH.  
<sup>†</sup>Only high-probability scans as indicative of CTEPH.  
 NPV = negative predictive value; PPV = positive predictive value.



Tunariu J Nucl Med 2007;48:680-4  
 Galiè Eur Heart J 2016;37:67-119

CT = computed tomography (pulmonary angiography and high resolution imaging of the lung for diagnosis of parenchymal lesions); CTEPH = chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension; DSA = digital subtraction angiography; Echo = echocardiography; MRA = magnetic resonance angiography; TR = tricuspid regurgitation velocity; V/Q = ventilation-perfusion.



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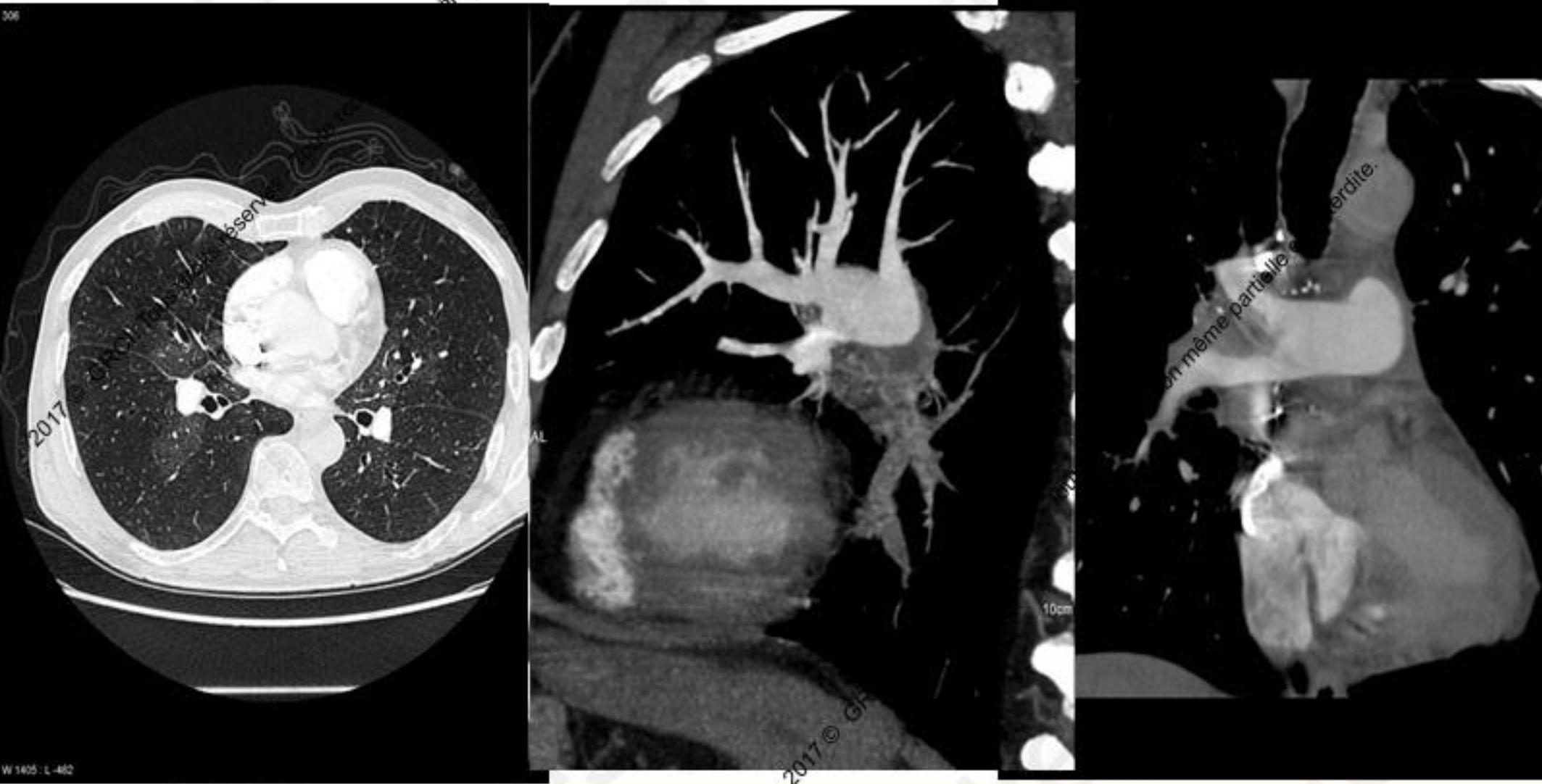
Passion Communication Education

# Angiographie pulmonaire

- Technique rigoureuse
- Plusieurs incidences
  - Face droite
  - Profil droit
  - OAG
  - Profil gauche

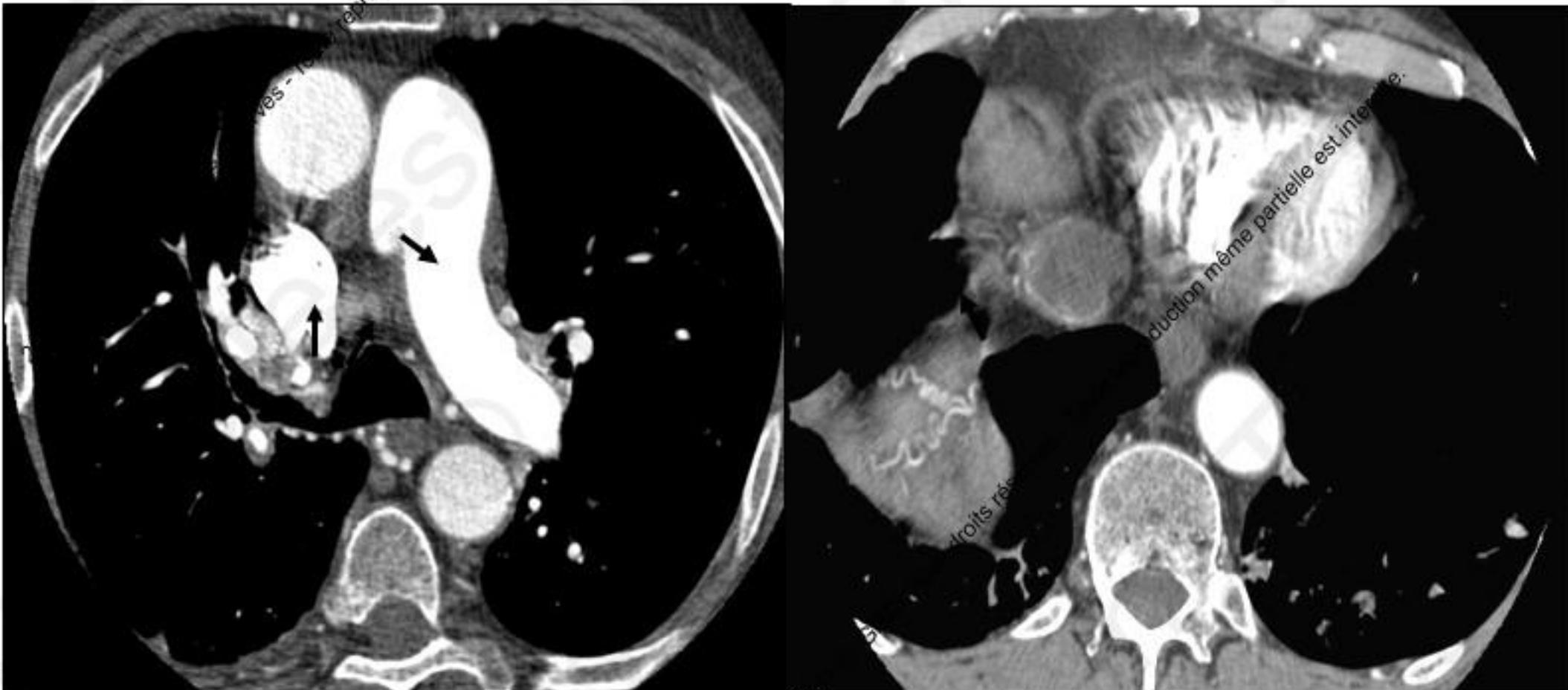


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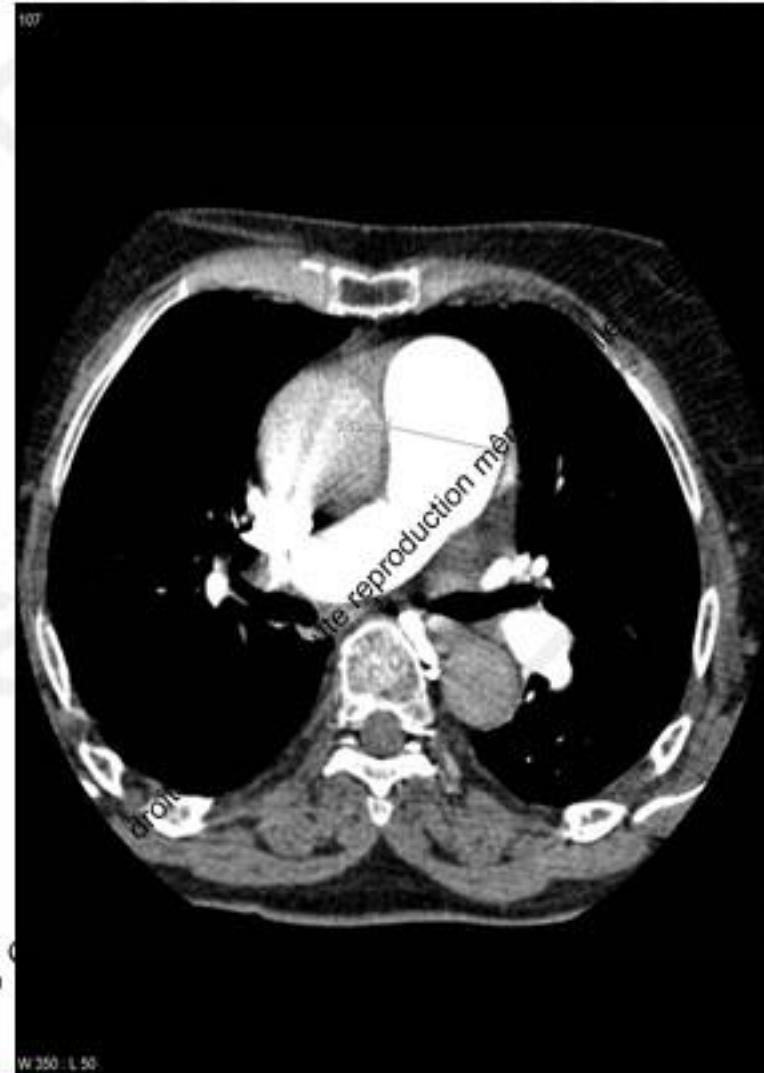


# Angioscanner thoracique

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# Angioscanner thoracique



## Diagnostic

- Après une EP aiguë ou récidivante:
  - Lune de miel
  - Dyspnée d'effort
  - Hémoptysie
  - Signes d'insuffisance cardiaque droite
  - Souffles thoraciques +++
  - **La première présentation d'une HTPPE peut mimer celle d'une EP « aiguë » (TDM+++/ PAPs+++)**
- Sans antécédent connu d'EP:
  - Diagnostic fait dans le cadre du bilan d'une HTAP

## Dépistage

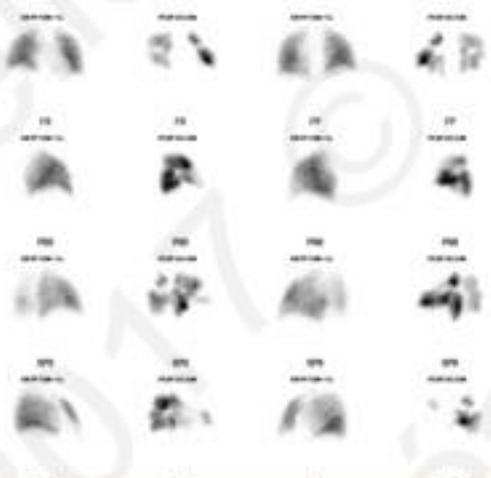
- Echocardiographie

- Dilatation VD
- PAPs
- FEV<sub>1</sub>



- Scintigraphie V/Q

- Défauts perfusionnels systématisés



## Confirmation

- KT droit

- HTP pré-capillaire



- Angiographie pulmonaire

- Angio TDM thoracique

