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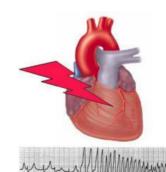






Drugs Used in Cardiac Arrhythmias

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Normal Sinus Rhythm

• Normal electrical cardiac function

(normal sinus rhythm, NSR) is dependen the Heart's Electrical System on generation of an impulse in the normal sinoatrial (SA) node pacemaker

Pulmonary artery*

 This impulse spreads rapidly through the atria and enters the atrioventricular (AV) node, which is normally the only conduction pathway between the atria and ventricles.

usually at a frequency of 60-100 bpm.

 Conduction through the AV node is slow, requiring about 0.15 seconds. (This delay provides time for atrial contraction to propel blood into the ventricles.) The impulse then propagates over the His-Purkinje system and invades all parts of the ventricles.

Sinoatrial (SA) Node
With each heartbeat, the electrical impulse
begins at the SA node, located in the right
atirum. The SA node produces the electrical
impulses that set the rate and rythm of the
heartbeat. The electrical activity spreads
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them to contract.

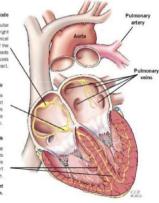
Atrioventricular (AV) Node

The AV node is located between the atria and ventricles and acts like a gate that slows the electrical signal before it enters the ventricles. This delay gives the atria time to contract before the ventricles do.

HIS-Purkinie Network

This pathway of fibers sends the impulse into the muscular wails of the ventricles and causes them to contract. This contraction forces blood out of the hear to the lungs and body

The SA node fires another impulse a the cyle begins again



Arrhythmia -- عناية

- Arrhythmias (also called dysrhythmia) consist of cardiac depolarizations that deviate from the above description in one or more aspects; there is an abnormality in: >>

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    the site of origin of the impulse 2) • the rate or regularity of the impulse 3) • or the conduction of the impulse. 30 •
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electrolyte abnormalities, excessive catecholamine exposure, drug toxicity (eg, digitalis or

antiarrhythmic drugs).

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Arrhythmia

Cardiac arrhythmias are a common problem in clinical practice, occurring in up to 25% of patients treated with digitalis, 50% of anesthetized patients, and over 80% of patients with acute myocardial infarction.

Arrhythmia may decrease cardiac output and disturb perfusion of vital organs.

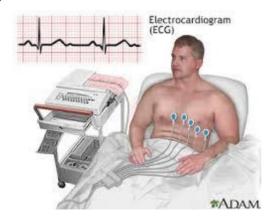
Signs and symptoms that typically accompany arrhythmia:

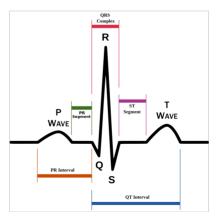
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Anxiety and confusion

Arrhythmia

- Although some arrhythmias are silent, most produce signs and symptoms.
- Only (ECG) can definitively identify an arrhythmia. من مرت مرت المالك Arrhythmia عن مرت المالك
- Electrocardiogram (ECG) is a test that show the electrical activity of the heart.

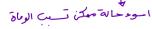


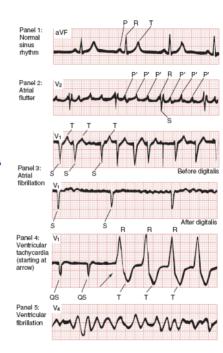


Arrhythmia

- Types of arrhythmias:
- Atrial arrhythmias: متكون في ال Atrium ال
- Atrial fibrillation
- Atrial flutter
- Supraventricular tachycardias:

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- AV nodal reentry ال يعلى موجو د
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- Acute Supraventricular tachycardia
- Ventricular tachycaria: --> Ventricle في الـ
- Acute ventricular tachycardia
- Ventricular fibrillation



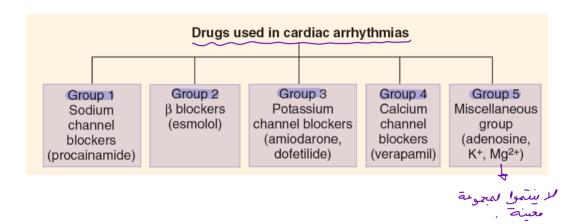


Action Potential of Cardiac Cell

 The cellular action potentials are the result of ion fluxes through voltage-gated channels and carrier mechanisms.

• Antiarrhythmic drugs act on 1 or more of the 3 major currents (I_{Na}, I_{Ca}, I_{K}) or on the β adrenoceptors that modulate these currents. Phase 2 (I_{Ca} and I_K) assill Tanget II 0 mV Phase 3 (I_K) • K+, Cl- (out) • Ca2+ (in), K+ (out) Phase 0 100 ms Effective refractory period (ERP) (I_{Na}) +52 mV • K* (out) Phase 4 (I_{K1}, also I_{Na}, I_{Ca}) Pacemaker _85 mV Nonpacemaker • Na* (in) Outside ATP Membrane Inside Diastolic currents 200 ms Action potential exchangei

Antiarrhythmic Drugs



Group 1 Antiarrhythmics (Sodium --> Channel Blockers)

Il Block How

Depolarization 11 aures All antidysrhythmics in class 1 (A, B, and C) alter Na⁺ conductance through cardiac voltage-gated Na⁺ channels. These drugs bind to the Na⁺ channels and slow their recovery from the open or inactivated state to the resting, or closed, state.

This conversion must occur before the channel can reopen and participate in another depolarization. Consequently, as the

proportion of drug-bound Na⁺ channels increases, fewer of these channels are capable of reactivation on the arrival of the next depolarizing impulse. As a result, by reducing the excitability of the myocardium,

abnormal rhythms are prevented.



Inactivated

Closed/Resting

Group 1 Antiarrhythmics (Sodium Channel Blockers)

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- Group 1 drugs bind more rapidly to open or inactivated وشفاته وشفاته sodium channels than to channels that are fully repolarized following recovery from the previous depolarization cycle.
 - Therefore, these drugs show a greater degree of blockade in tissues that are frequently depolarizing (for example, during tachycardia, when the sodium channels open often).
 - This property is called use-dependence (or statedependence) and it enables these drugs to block cells that are discharging at an abnormally high frequency, without interfering with the normal, low-frequency beating of the

Group 1 Antiarrhythmics (Sodium Channel Blockers)

Group 1 antiarrhythmics decreased rate of entry of sodium which slows the rate of rise of Phase 0
of the action potential.

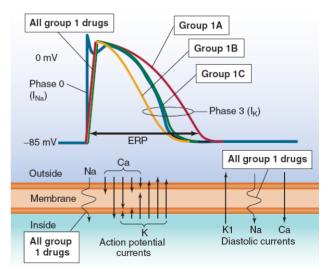
• The group 1 drugs are further subdivided on the basis of their effects on the action potential (AP)

duration:

1) Group 1A agents (prototype procainamide) prolong the AP.

2) Group 1B drugs (prototype lidocaine) shorten the AP in some cardiac tissues.

3) Group 1C drugs (prototype flecainide) have no effect on AP duration.



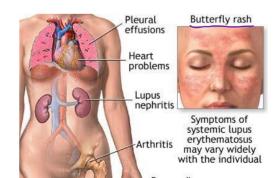
Group 1A Antiarrhythmics

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- Procainamide is effective against most atrial and ventricular arrhythmias.
- Procainamide may cause hypotension and with long-term use a <u>syndrome similar to lupus</u> erythematosus.

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Group 1A Antiarrhythmics

- Quinidine and disopyramide have similar effects to procainamide but are used much less frequently.
- Quinidine causes cinchonism (fushed skin, headache, vertigo, tinnitus) and GI upset.
- Quinidine reduces the clearance of digoxin and may increase the serum concentration significantly.
- **Disopyramide** has marked antimuscarinic effects and may precipitate heart failure. It is contraindicated in HF and have <u>atropine-like side effects</u>.



• **Cinchonism** or **quinism** is a pathological condition caused by an overdose of quinidine or its natural source, cinchona bark.





Group 1B Antiarrhythmics

- بستضرر ب عالة ١
- Lidocaine is useful in acute ischemic(ventricular) arrhythmias. Atrial arrhythmias are not responsive unless caused by digitalis.
- Lidocaine is one of the least cardiotoxic of the currently used sodium channel blockers.
- **Lidocaine** is usually given intravenously, but intramuscular administration is also possible. It is <u>ry الأَصْهَا</u> * <u>never given orally</u> because it has a very high first-pass effect and its metabolites are potentially cardiotoxic.
- Mexiletine has similar actions and is given orally for chronic arrhythmias.

• Phenytoin, an anticonvulsant, is sometimes classified with the group 1B antiarrhythmic agents. It can be used to reverse digitalis-induced arrhythmias.

Group 1C Antiarrhythmics

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Flecainide is approved only for refractory ventricular and supraventricular tachycardias.

- **Flecainide** is more likely than other antiarrhythmic drugs to exacerbate or precipitate arrhythmias (<u>proarrhythmic effect</u>).
- Propafenone has some structural similarities to propranolol and possesses weak β -blocking activity.
- The most common adverse effects are a metallic taste and constipation.

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Group 2 Antiarrhythmics (Beta Blockers) -- BI TECEPTON Block Joy

- Their mechanism in arrhythmias is primarily cardiac beta adrenoceptor blockade.
- قری المادان ا acute arrhythmias.
 - **Propranolol, metoprolol,** and **timolol** are commonly used as prophylactic drugs in patients who have had a myocardial infarction.
 - The toxicities of beta blockers are the same in patients with arrhythmias as in patients with other conditions.
 - Sotalol and amiodarone, generally classified as group 3 drugs, also have group 2 beta-blocking effects.

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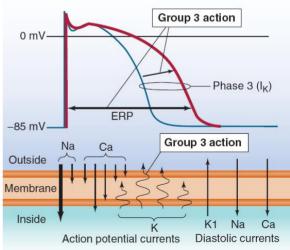
Group 3 Antiarrhythmics (Potassium Channel Blockers)

• Dofetilide and ibutilide are typical group 3 drugs.

 The hallmark of group 3 drugs is prolongation of the AP duration. This AP prolongation is caused by blockade of potassium channels, chiefly the ones are responsible for the repolarization of the AP.

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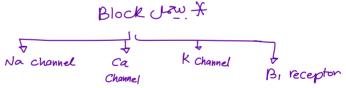
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Group 3 Antiarrhythmics (Potassium Channel Blockers)

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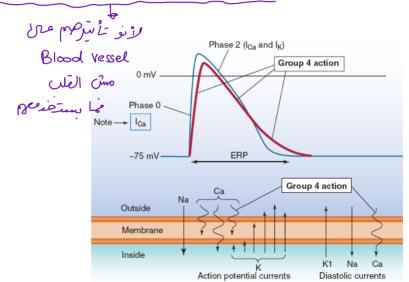
- **Sotalol** is a <u>chiral compound</u> (ie, it has 2 optical isomers). One isomer is an effective beta blocker, and both isomers contribute to the group 3 antiarrhythmic action. The <u>clinical preparation</u> contains both isomers.
- Amiodarone is usually classified as a group 3 drug because it blocks the same potassium channels and markedly prolongs AP duration. However, it <u>also blocks sodium and calcium channels and beta receptors.</u>



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- Verapamil is the prototype Diltiazem is also an effective antiarrhythmic drug.
- Nifedipine and the other dihydropyridines are <u>not</u> useful as antiarrhythmics.

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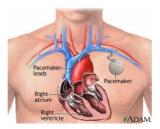


Nonpharmacologic Treatment of Arrhythmia

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- It should be noted that electrical methods of treatment of arrhythmias have become very important. These methods include:
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- (2) Implanted defibrillators من العبان جوا العاب العبان عبد العبان عبد العبان العبان عبد العبان الع
- (3) Implanted pacemaker
- (4) Radiofrequency ablation of arrhythmogenic foci via a catheter.

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