

# *AI detection of stable coronary artery disease*

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# HEART DISEASE IN MAURITIUS

- › Heart Disease: Responsible for more than 50% of all mortality in Mauritius.
- › About 12 Mauritians suffer from heart attack daily – 30% of these people die before reaching hospital, average age 40yrs.
- › About 50% of our population is diabetic/pre-diabetic-- all risk factors of CHD are on the red.
- › In 90% cases IHD is diagnosed by an Infarct or ACS.



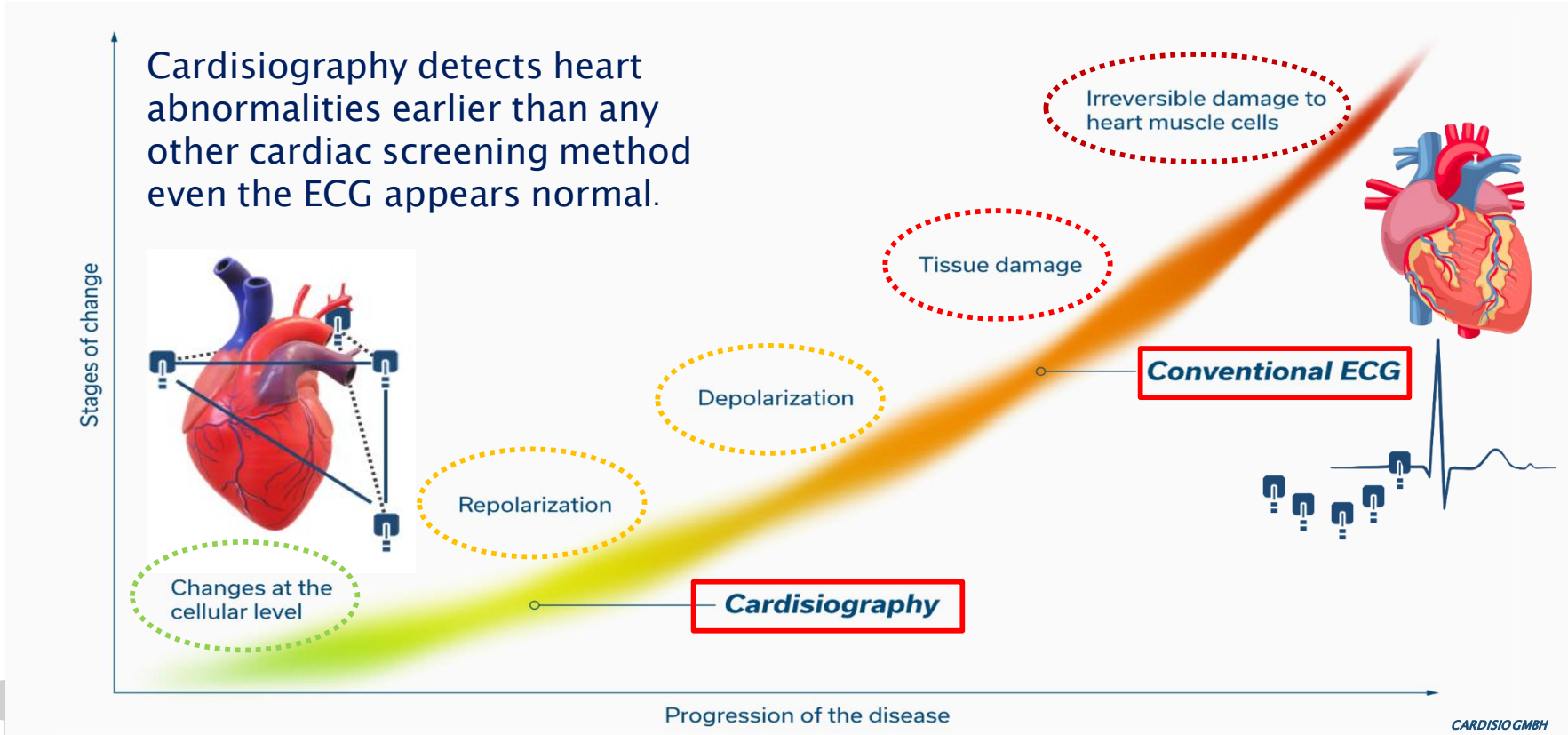
***THE***



***PROBLEM***

- › With this very alarming situation, it is important to find a reliable non invasive user friendly examiner tool to detect CHD before a heart attack easily available in the primary care setup.
- › We have found Artificial Intelligence ECG (Cardiography) a very valuable and reliable solution.

# Closing „The Diagnostic Gap“



# CARDISIOGRAPHY

# of patients in study: 546	MALE CSG	FEMALE CSG
SENSITIVITY	97,2%	90,2%
SPECIFICITY	76,1%	74,4%
POSITIVE PREDICTIVE VALUE (PPV)	90,2%	78,7%
NEGATIVE PREDICTIVE VALUE (NPV)	92,2%	87,9%

Journal of Electrophysiology (2020) ( 100-105)

## OTHER INVESTIGATIONS

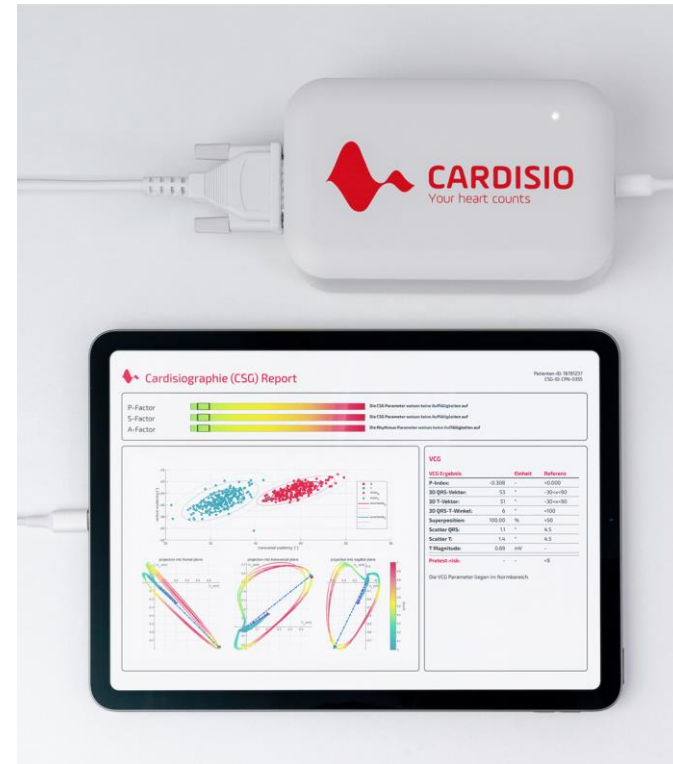
Diagnostic	Invasiveness / Risk	Clinician Effort	Sensitivity	Specificity	~ Costs
Stress ECG	Medium	Low	45% - 50%	85% - 90%	€ 50
Stress Echocardiography	Medium	High	80% - 85%	80% - 88%	€ 75
Cardio CT	Medium	High	95% - 99%	64% - 83%	€ 500
Coronary Angiogram	Very high	Very high	100%	100%	€ 650
ECG	low	low	40%	45%	€ 10

Source: Deutsche Gesellschaft für Kardiologie – Herz-und Kreislaufforschung e.V. (2014) [ESC Pocket Guidelines](#). Management der stabilen koronaren Herzkrankheit (KHK), Version 2013. Börm Bruckmeier Verlag GmbH, Grünwald- Kurzfassung der "ESC Guidelines on the management of stable coronary artery"

Classic 12-lead ECG uses ten electrodes and plots potential difference between two electrodes in two dimensions (XY).

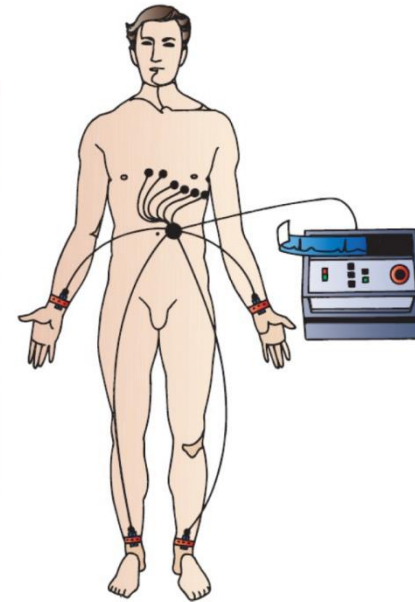
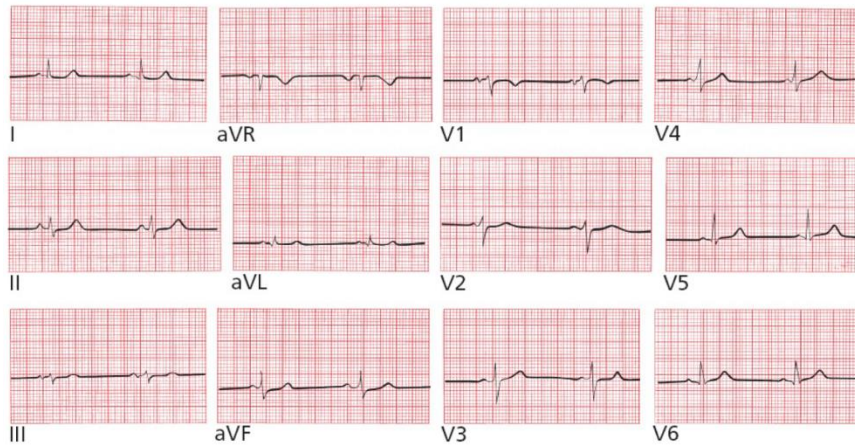
Cardiography uses four electrodes at the front and an additional electrode at the back of the patient and plots potential difference in three dimensions (XYZ).

## 5L3D VCG-AI



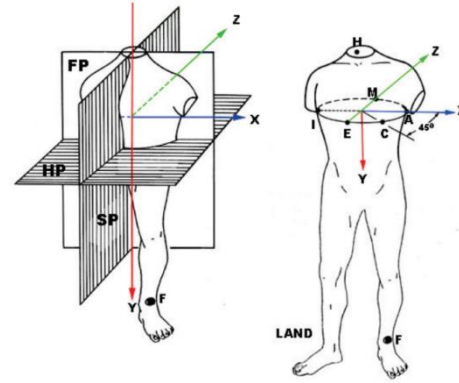
## 12-Channel ECG

- Detailed representation of the excitation process from 12 different angles
- Enables more accurate diagnosis

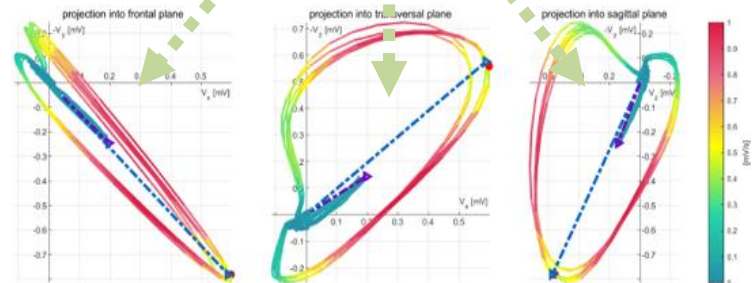
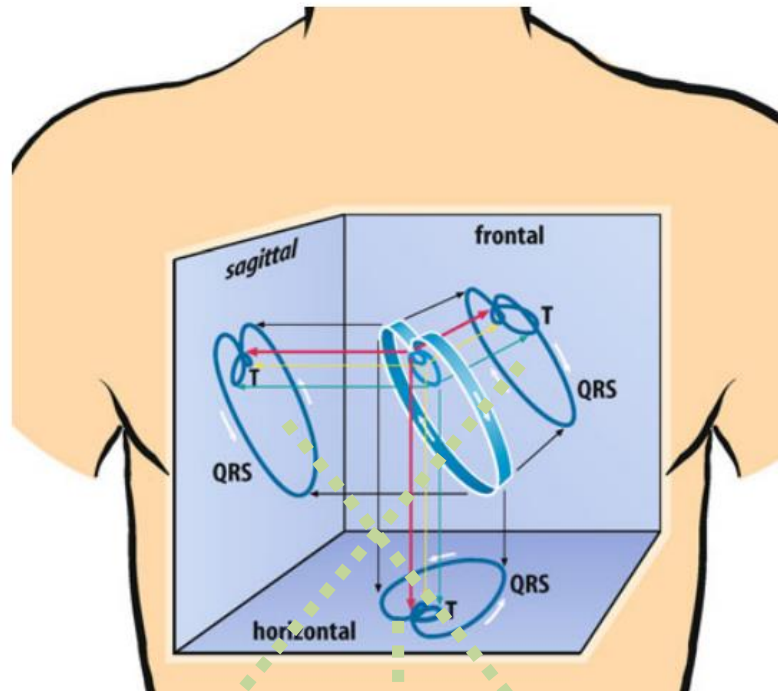
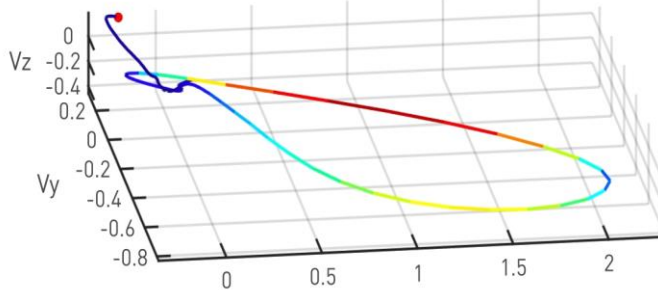
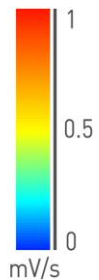
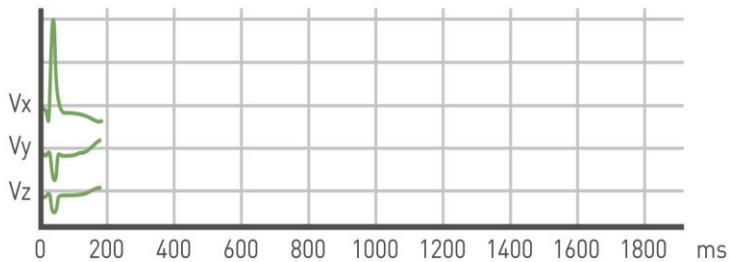
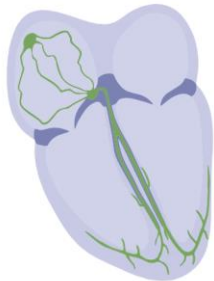


# VEKTORCARDIOGRAM

- 1 Electrode is also attached to the back
- Signal projections in the spatial coordinates x, y and z
- Thus the heart vector and its temporal course is directly displayed
- If the heart vector is displayed at any point in time, the individual characteristics of the excitation process can also be displayed
- These can then be seen in the P, QRS & T loops



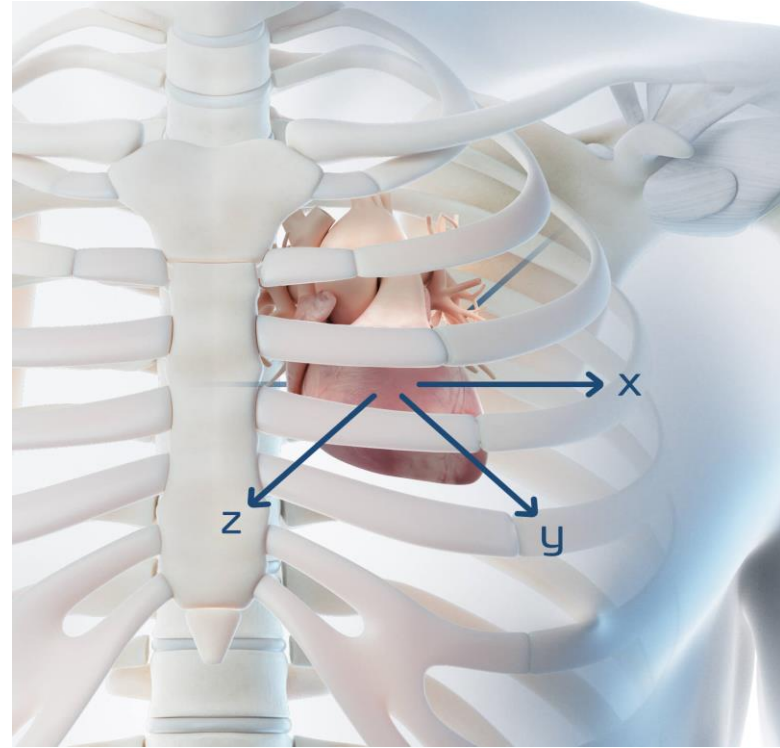




# Vector Loops

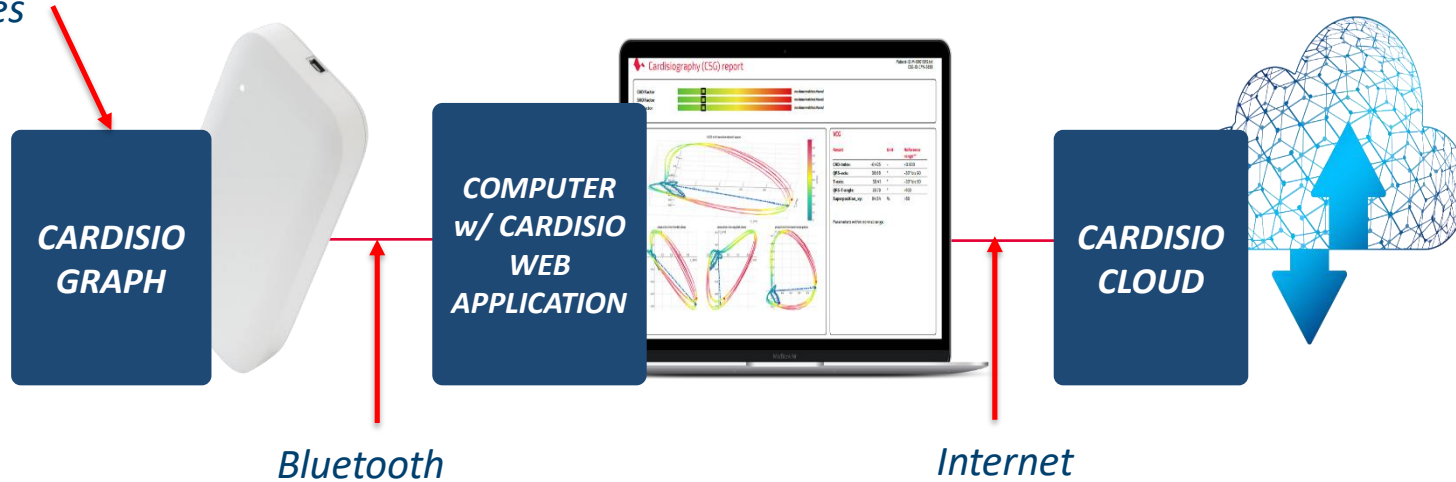
# CARDISIOGRAPHY

- › Cardisioigraphy performs 3-dimensional scanning of the heart and its electrical activities.
- › Relies on automated analysis, eliminating room for human error in diagnosing.
- › Delivers graphic representation of the electro-physical characteristics of the heart: P wave, QRS wave, and T wave become P loop, QRS loop, and T loop.
- › Utilizes machine-based learning and artificial intelligence to diagnose and optimize algorithm.



# CARDISIO ECO-SYSTEM

Connected to pt by 5  
electrodes



# THE PROCEDURE

1



## SIGNAL ACQUISITION

During the recording, five electrodes are attached to the body, similar to an ECG. The patient sits or lies as still as possible and waits. **4 minutes** (approx. 240 heartbeats)

2



## RESULTS

The recorded parameters are transmitted to the Cardisio server immediately and processed by an AI algorithm. **5 - 8 minutes**

3



## CONSULTATION WITH A DOCTOR

A medical professional discusses the result with the patient and initiates further steps if necessary.

# Risk Score Form- Primary Setup (Mediclinics and mobile clinics)



**Ministry of Health and Wellness**  
NON COMMUNICABLE DISEASES, HEALTH PROMOTION AND RESEARCH UNIT  
*Mauritius Cardiovascular Disease (CVD) Risk Score Form*

Name: ..... Date of Birth: ..... Gender: M  F

Address: ..... Phone Number: ..... Age: .....

1 Age (years)	Female (Points)	Male (Points)	
40-44	0	0	
45-49	3	3	
50-54	6	6	
55-59	8	8	
60-64	10	10	
65-69	12	11	
70-74	14	12	
75-79	16	13	<input type="text"/>

**Age**

2 Smoker	Non-Smoker (Points)	Female Smoker / Ex (Points)	Male Smoker / Ex (Points)	
Age (years)				
40-49	0	7	5	
50-59	0	3	3	
60-69	0	1	1	
70-79	0	1	1	<input type="text"/>

**Smoker**

3 Systolic Blood Pressure (mmHg)	Female (Points)	Male (Points)	
120-129	0	0	
130-139	1	1	
140-149	2	2	
150-159	2	4	
≥160	3	5	<input type="text"/>

**SBP**

4 Body Mass Index (BMI)	(Points)	
Lower than 25 kg/m <sup>2</sup>	0	
25 ≤ 29.9 kg/m <sup>2</sup>	1	<input type="text"/>
30 kg/m <sup>2</sup> or higher	2	

**BMI**

5 Family History	(Points)	
First degree relatives developed cardiovascular disease		
Yes	2	<input type="text"/>
No	0	

**FH**

6 Life Style	(Points)	
High intake of fruits and vegetables everyday		
Yes	0	<input type="text"/>
No	1	


**Diet**

**Add up your points:**

**Total Points:**

An Electrocardiogram should be carried out on persons with 12 points and above

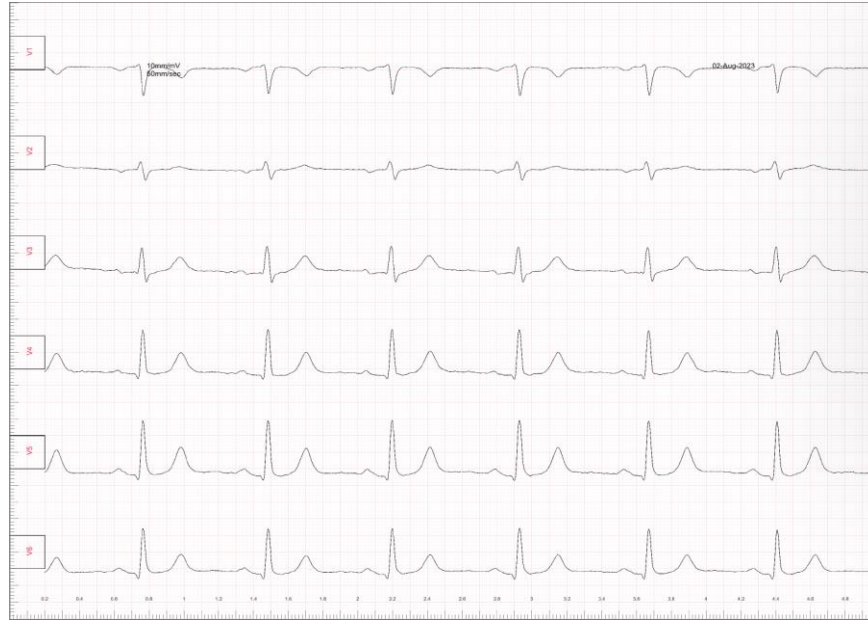
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0. ECG not eligible  
1. ECG done - Normal  
2. ECG done - Send for further investigation  
3. ECG not done - Participant didn't turn up  
4. Refused

# THE CARDISIOGRAPHY REPORT

Contains:  
- 12-Lead ECG



## ECG

ECG Result		Unit	Reference
HF:	83	1/min	50-100/min
RR:	726	ms	-
PP:	724	ms	-
P:	98	ms	<120
PQ:	156	ms	120<x<200
QRS:	84	ms	<120
Cabrera:	Normalaxis		
QT:	334	ms	< 460
QTc Bazzet:	392	ms	< 460
QTc Fridericia:	372	ms	< 460

**One or more ECG values outside normal range.**

# THE CARDISIOGRAPHY REPORT

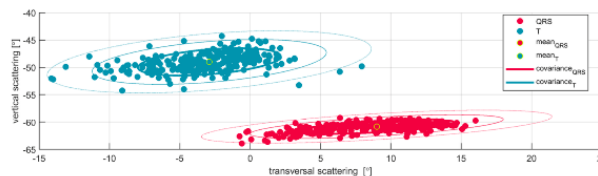
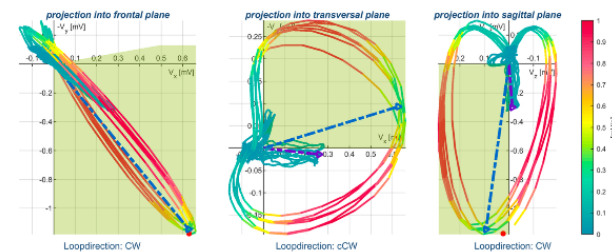
Contains:

- 12-Lead ECG
- Vectocardiogram

## VECTORCARDIOGRAPHY RESULTS

Patient ID: 296096032  
CSG ID: CPN-16173  
Date: 13.09.2023 17:47

### Vectorcardiography



### Pretest Risk

#### VCG

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	-0.973		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	61	°	-30<x<90
3D T vector:	49	°	-30<x<90
3D QRS T angle:	14	°	<100
Superposition:	100.00	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	0.79	mV	> 0.4

VCG parameters within normal range.

### Scatter Analysis

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
Scatter QRS:	1.6	°	< 4,5
Scatter T:	2.2	°	< 10

# THE CARDISIOGRAPHY REPORT

Contains:

- 12-Lead ECG
- Vectocardiogram
- Rhythm analysis

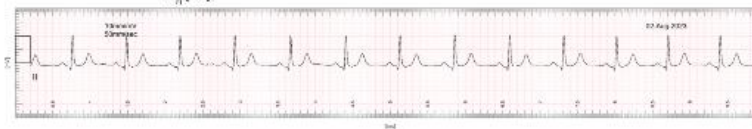
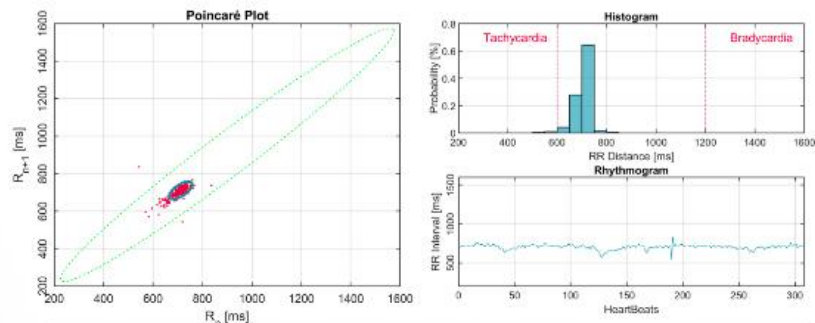
Rhythm parameters	Value	Unit	Reference
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Percentage of heartbeats outside the norm	1	%	< 10
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Heartbeats outside the norm can indicate extrasystoles, sinus arrhythmia, and cardiac arrhythmias such as atrial fibrillation, atrial flutter, or AV block. In combination with the clinical findings, further clarification by means of rhythm analysis in a conventional 12-lead ECG is recommended.

## ECG AND RHYTHM ANALYSIS

### Rhythm Analysis

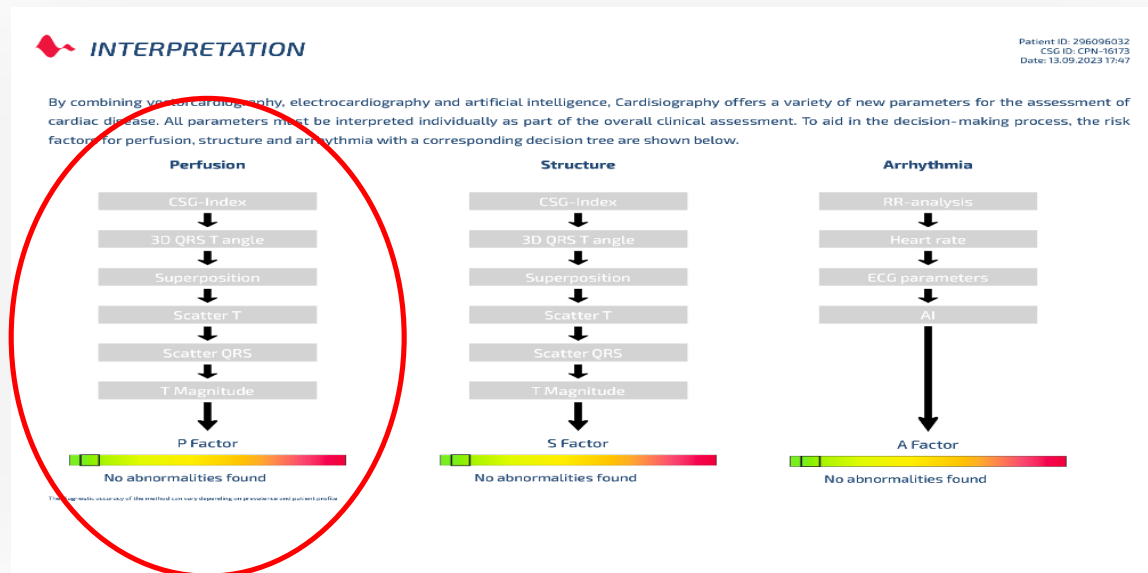




# THE CARDISIOGRAPHY REPORT

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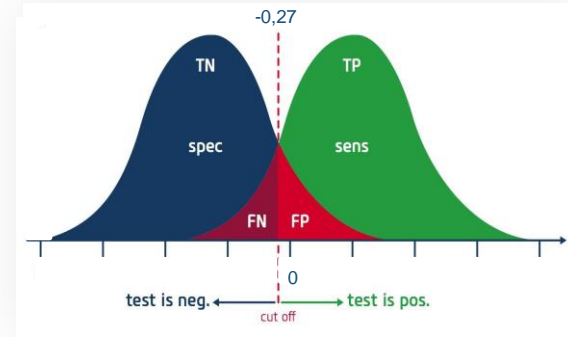
- 12-Lead ECG
- Vectocardiogram
- Rhythm analysis
- Interpretation



## CSG INDEX

### VCG

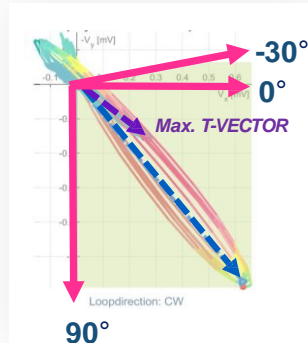
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Superposition:	100.00	%	> 50
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## CSG-INDEX

- Represents the AI based cardisio Algorithm (290 different parameters)
- Cut off value is -0,27
- More than -0,27: Test is positive for reduced perfusion.

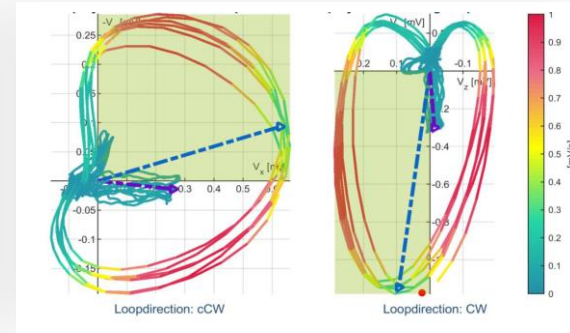
## ALIGNMENT OF THE VECTORS OF QRS AND T



Frontal-Plane

### VCG

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3D QRS vector:	61	$^\circ$	$-30 < \alpha < 90$
3D T vector:	49	$^\circ$	$-30 < \alpha < 90$
3D QRS T angle:	14	$^\circ$	< 100
Superposition:	100.00	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	0.79	mV	> 0.4



Transversal-Plane

Sagittal-Plane

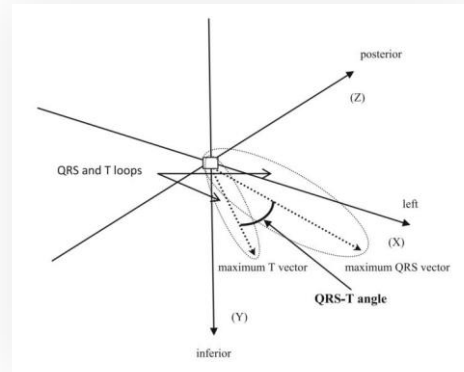
*3D QRS Vector : Change in position is in favour of depolarisation disorder.*

*3D T Vector: Change in position is in favour of repolarisation disturbance.*

## 3D QRS-T-ANGLE

**VCG**

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	-0.973		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	61	°	-30<x<90
3D T vector:	49	°	-30<x<90
<b>3D QRS T angle:</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>°</b>	<b>&lt;100</b>
Superposition:	100.00	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	0.79	mV	> 0.4



QRST Angle in space determined between max. T vector and max. QRS vector  
(Fig. from [Jaroszyński, et al., 2019](#))

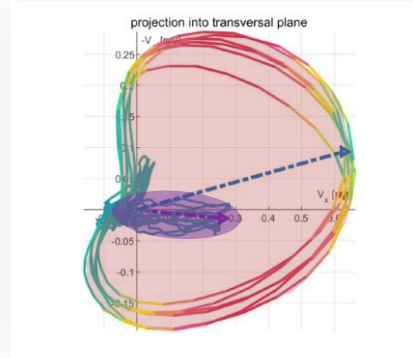
## 3D QRS-T ANGLE –

*Strong and independent predictor of mortality*

## SUPERPOSITION

**VCG**

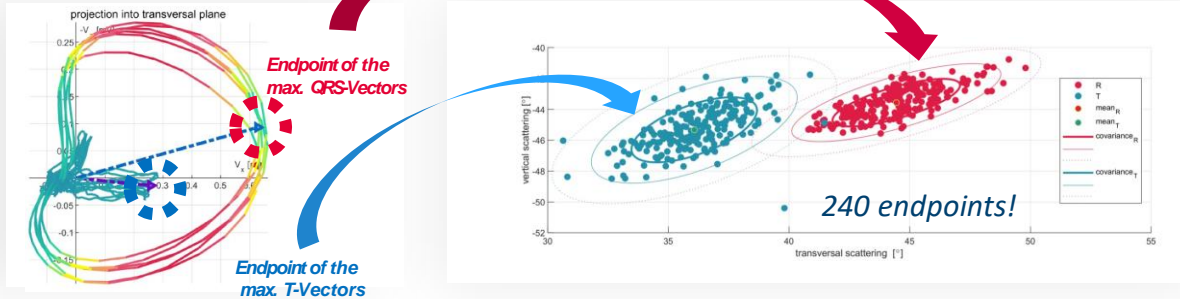
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3D QRS T angle:	14	°	<100
Superposition:	100.00	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	0.79	mV	> 0.4



Superposition/overlap of the area of the T-loop (purple) with the area of the QRS loop (pink) in the transverse plane (here 100%).

## SUPERPOSITION

*In the transversal plane, the overlap/superposition (in percent) of the two areas forming the QRS loop and the T-loop is indicated. A value of less than 50% often correlates with perfusion disorders and should be evaluated accordingly in the context of other abnormalities.*



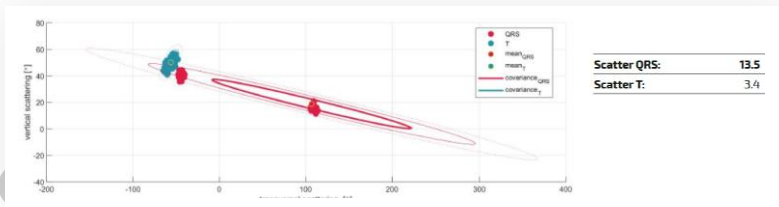
### Scatter Analysis

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
Scatter QRS:	1.6	°	< 4,5
Scatter T:	2.2	°	< 10

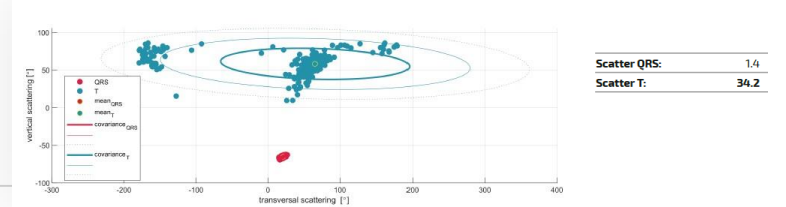
### SCATTER-GRAPH: SCATTER OF QRS AND T VECTORS

- Scatter QRS: Disturbance of depolarisation (Usually irreversible/ scar tissue) (< 4.5)
- Scatter T: Disturbance of repolarisation (Usually reversible) (< 10)

**Example 1:** increased scattering of the QRSvectors (you can see 2 point clouds)



**Example 2:** increased scattering of T-vectors (again 2 separate piles).



## T MAGNITUDE

**VCG**

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	-0.973		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	61	°	-30<x<90
3D T vector:	49	°	-30<x<90
3D QRS T angle:	14	°	<100
Superposition:	100.00	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	0.79	mV	> 0.4

### T MAGNITUDE

***T wave: Measurable expression of intact myocardium. (> 0.4)***

***If myocardium is disturbed due to an insufficient supply (ischemia, Hypoxia, Infection) there will be a decrease in amplitude.***

***A decreased T wave magnitude is often associated with increase T wave scatter.***

***An increase in T magnitude and decrease in scatter T over time indicates an improvement in cardiac outcome***

# CASE 1



Gender: **Male, 40**

## ***Current cardiopulmonary symptoms:***

- › Typical chest pain and dyspnoea on exertion

## ***Cardiovascular risk factors***

- › Hyperlipidaemia, Smoking (30 pys)
- › BMI: 28,9

## ***PROCAM Score***

- › low (43 points)

## **Past cardiovascular and other relevant diagnoses:**

- › No known Coronary Heart Disease (CHD)
- › No chronic renal insufficiency
- › Troponin: normal
- › NT-proBNP: normal

## **12-lead ECG**

- › Sinus rhythm, HR 84/min., electrical axis normal, t waves negative in V<sub>4</sub>-V<sub>6</sub>, ST segments normal.

## **Transthoracic echocardiography (TTE)**

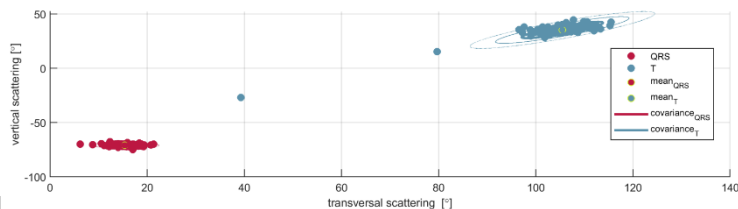
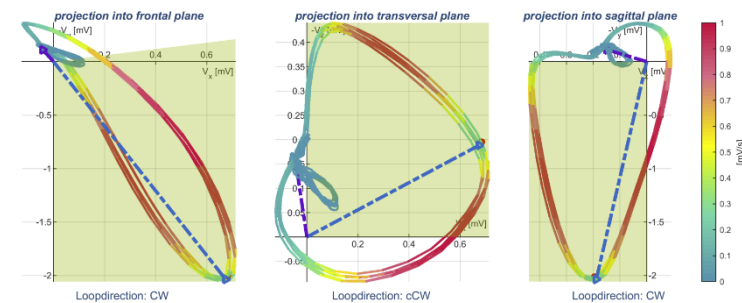
- › Normal sized left ventricle without hypertrophy and good LV function (LVEF=60%) without wall motion abnormalities. Right heart cavities of normal size. Mild mitral regurgitation. No pericardial effusion.

## **Cardiography**

- › Positive for IHD



## Vectorcardiography



## VCG

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	<b>0.244</b>		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	72	°	-30 — 90
3D T vector:	<b>-111</b>	°	-30 — 90
3D QRS T angle:	<b>123</b>	°	< 100
Superposition:	98.08	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	<b>0.38</b>	mV	> 0.4

### One or more VCG values outside normal range.

- T- axis deviation unconformable T- wave; repolarisation abnormality
- Unconformity of depolarisation and repolarisation

## Scatter Analysis

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
Scatter QRS:	1.3	°	< 4,5
Scatter T:	3.6	°	< 10

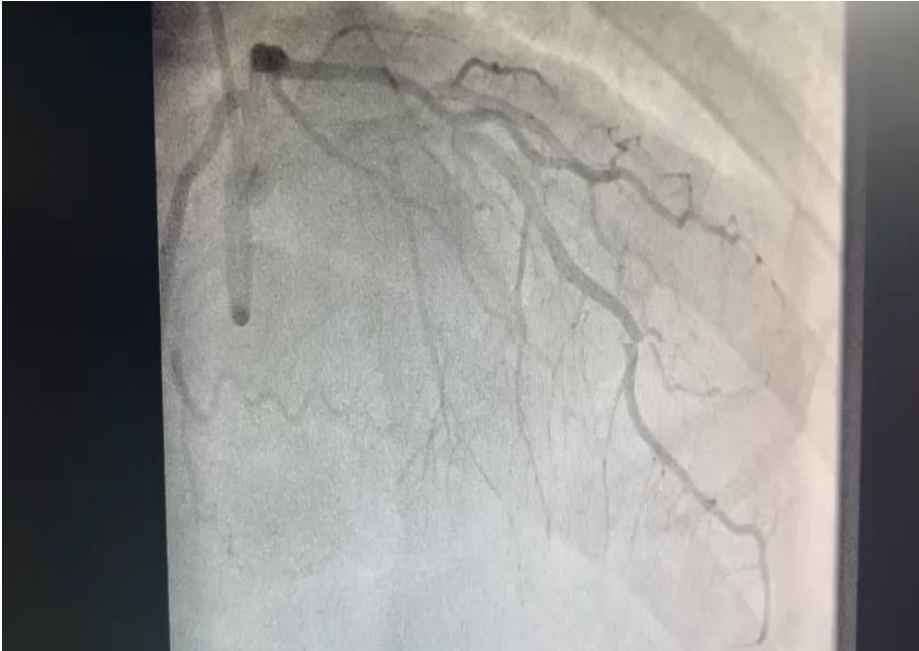
# ***DIAGNOSTICS & MANAGEMENT***

## ***INVASIVE CORONARY ANGIOGRAPHY***

- › LMS: normal
- › LAD : Proximal LAD critical stenosis
- › LCX: normal
- › RCA: normal

## ***MANAGEMENT***

- › PCI for LAD lesion was uneventfully performed



## CASE 2



Gender: **Male**, 63

### *Current cardiopulmonary symptoms:*

- › Atypical Chest pain

### *Cardiovascular risk factors*

- **BMI: 25.5**

### *PROCAM Score*

- › low (38 points)

### Past cardiovascular and other relevant diagnoses:

- › No known Coronary Heart Disease (CHD)
- › Blood Tests: Within Normal Limits.

### 12-lead ECG

- › Sinus rhythm, HR 76/min., electrical axis normal,, ST segments normal.

### Transthoracic echocardiography (TTE)

- › Good LV function
- › EF > 70%
- › No Valvulopathy
- › No RWMA

### Cardiography

- › Positive for IHD

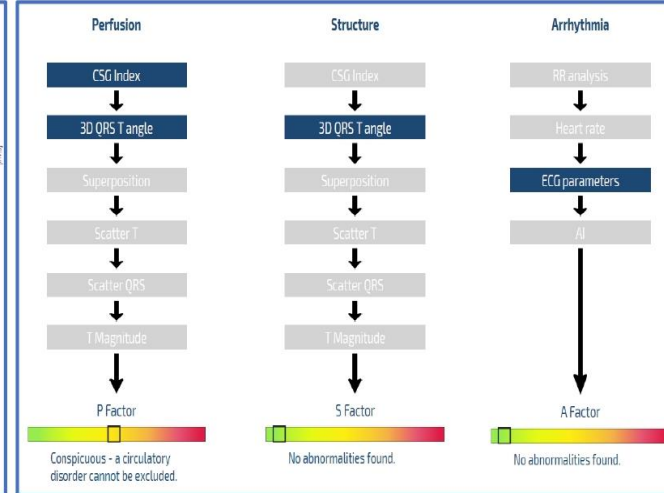
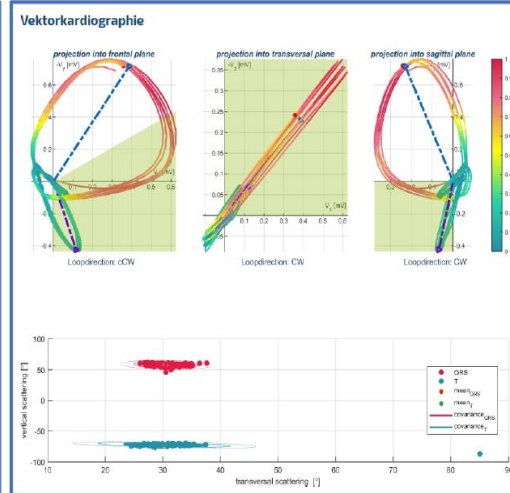
## Cardiology (CSG) Report

VCG			
Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	-0.197		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	-62	°	-30 – 90
3D T vector:	75	°	-30 – 90
3D QRS T angle:	130	°	< 100
Superposition:	84.32	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	0.89	mV	> 0.4

**One or more VCG values outside normal range.**

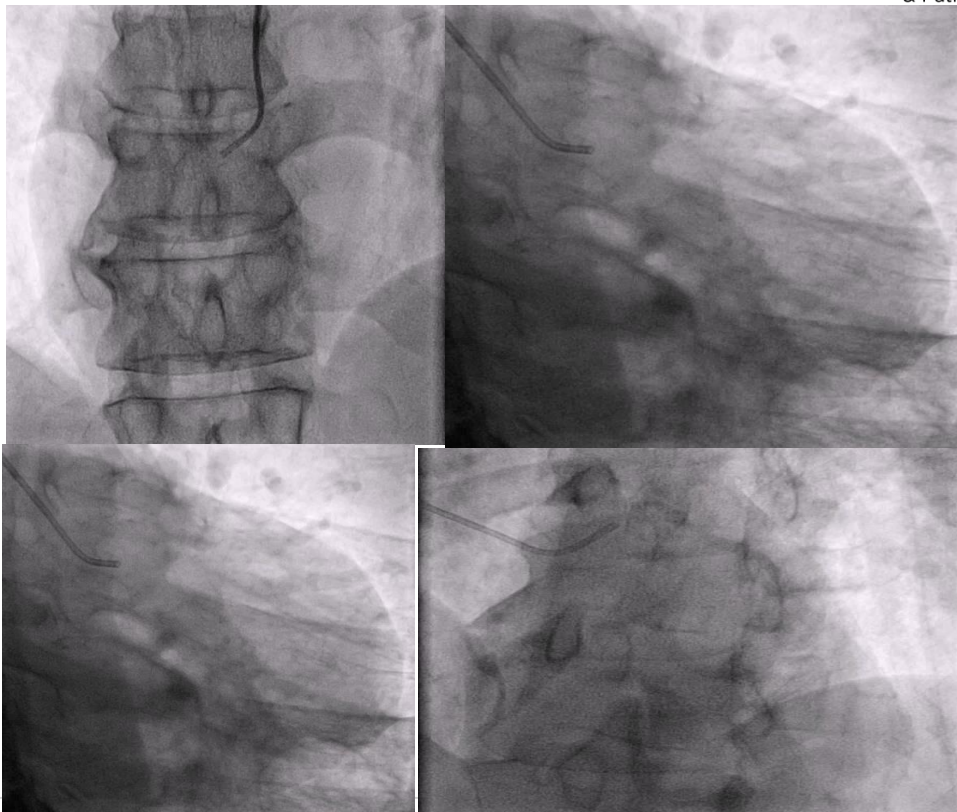
- Left QRS axis deviation
- Unconformity of depolarisation and repolarisation

Scatter Analysis			
Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
Scatter QRS:	2.2	°	< 4,5
Scatter T:	2.4	°	< 10



### *Invasive coronary Angiography*

- > **LMS: Normal**
  - > **LAD: 100% occluded, occluded d1, x-fills**
  - > **LCX: Normal**
  - > **RCA: tight mid segment 95% discrete lesion**
- 
- > **MANAGEMENT:**
  - > **CABGX<sub>4</sub>**



## CASE 3



Gender: **Male, 66**

### ***Current cardiopulmonary symptoms:***

- › Atypical chest pain and dyspnoea on exertion

### ***Cardiovascular risk factors***

- › Hyperlipidaemia,
- › BMI: 31,3

### ***PROCAM Score***

- › low (35 points)

### **Past cardiovascular and other relevant diagnoses:**

- › No known Coronary Heart Disease (CHD)
- › No chronic renal insufficiency
- › Troponin: normal
- › NT-proBNP: normal

### **12-lead ECG**

- › Sinus rhythm, HR 65/min., electrical axis normal, No ST-T changes

### **Transthoracic echocardiography (TTE)**

- › Normal sized left ventricle and Satisfactory LV function (LVEF=45%) Hypokinetic posterior wall.
- › Trivial mitral regurgitation. No pericardial effusion.

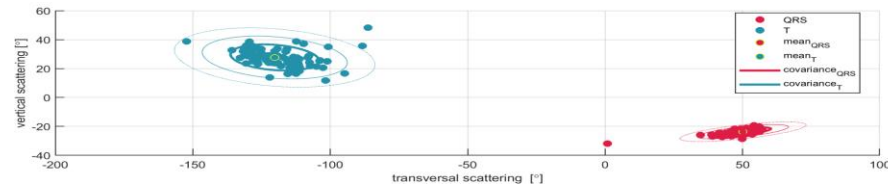
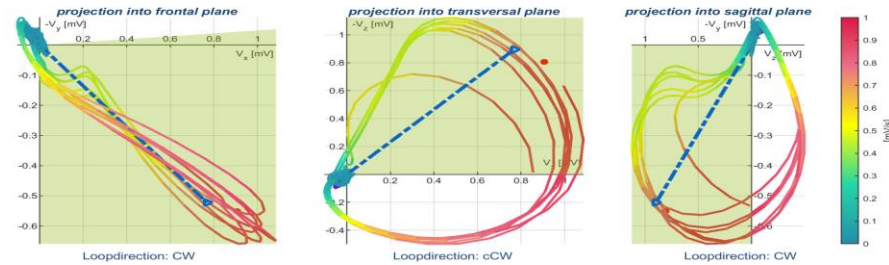
### **Cardiography**

- › Positive for IHD



VECTORCARDIOGRAPHY RESULTS

Vectorcardiography



Pretest Risk



VCG

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	<b>0.712</b>		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	34	°	-30 <x <90
3D T vector:	<b>-134</b>	°	-30 <x <90
3D QRS T angle:	<b>167</b>	°	<100
Superposition:	94.03	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	<b>0.20</b>	mV	> 0.4

One or more VCG values outside normal range.

- T- axis deviation unconformable T- wave; repolarisation abnormality
- Unconformity of depolarisation and repolarisation

Scatter Analysis

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
Scatter QRS:	3.1	°	< 4,5
Scatter T:	7.8	°	< 10

# DIAGNOSTICS & MANAGEMENT

Invasive coronary Angiography

LMS: Normal

LAD: Tight long Mid Segment 90% Lesion

LCX: Tight long mid segment lesion 95%.

RCA: 100% occluded proximally- x-fills from lad



Management

X3 Bypass





## CASE 4



Gender: **Male, 59**

### *Current cardiopulmonary symptoms:*

- › Effort Dyspnea

### *Cardiovascular risk factors*

- › Hyperlipidaemia, Smoking (30 pys)
- › BMI: 23,9

### *PROCAM Score*

- › low (48 points)

### Past cardiovascular and other relevant diagnoses:

- › No known Coronary Heart Disease (CHD)
- › No chronic renal insufficiency
- › Troponin: normal
- › NT-proBNP: normal

### 12-lead ECG

- › Sinus rhythm, HR 78/min., No Significant ST-T changes

### Transthoracic echocardiography (TTE)

- › Normal sized left ventricle and decreased LV function (LVEF=45%) with hypokinetic anterior wall. Mildly calcified Mitral Valve leaflets- No PHT

### Cardiography

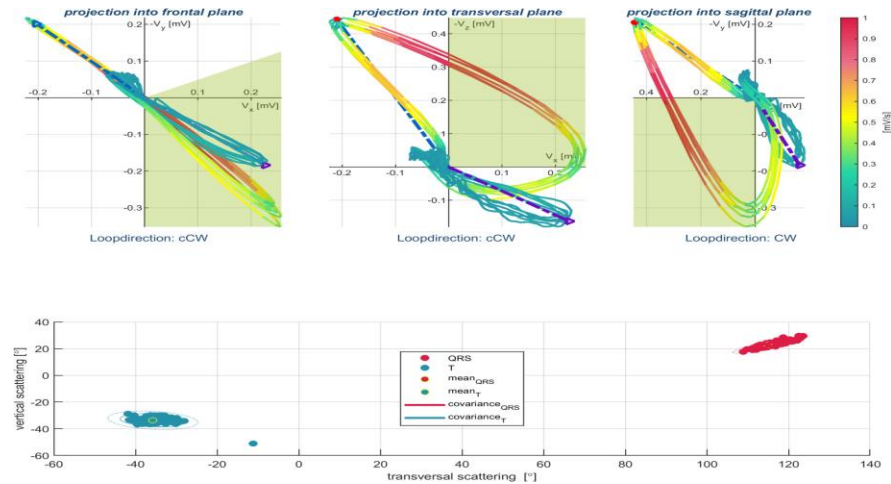
- › Positive for IHD



**VECTORCARDIOGRAPHY RESULTS**

Patient ID: Leung kow herve  
CSG ID: Test-096936  
Date: 18.11.2023 11:19

**Vectorcardiography**



**Pretest Risk**



**VCG**

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	<b>0.105</b>		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	<b>-135</b>	°	-30 <-x <90
3D T vector:	<b>39</b>	°	-30 <-x <90
3D QRST angle:	<b>153</b>	°	<100
Superposition:	<b>29.66</b>	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	<b>0.67</b>	mV	> 0.4

**One or more VCG values outside normal range.**

- Left QRS axis deviation
- Unconformity of depolarisation and repolarisation

**Scatter Analysis**

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
Scatter QRS:	<b>1.4</b>	°	< 4,5
Scatter T:	<b>2.5</b>	°	< 10

# DIAGNOSTICS AND MANAGEMENT

## Invasive Coronary Angiography

LMS: NORMAL

LAD: TIGHT PROXIMAL AND MID SEGMENT LESION

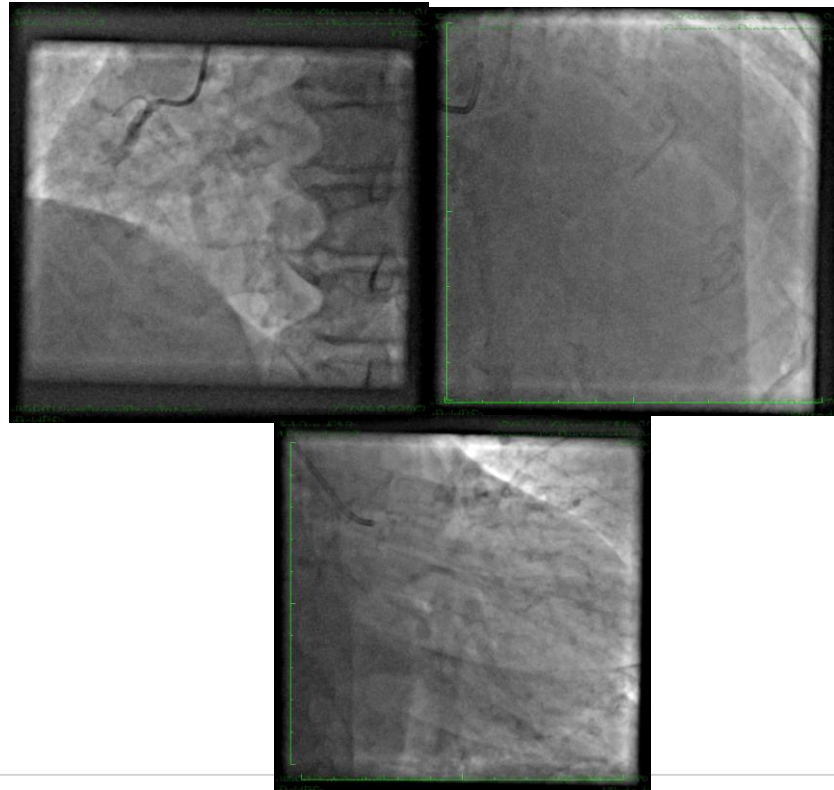
90%

LCX: 90% PROXIMAL SEGMENT LESION

RCA: MID SEGMENT SUB OCCLUSIVE 95% LESION

MANAGEMENT

X 3 BYPASS



## CASE 5



Gender: **Female, 59**

### *Current cardiopulmonary symptoms:*

- › Effort Angina

### *Cardiovascular risk factors*

- › Hyperlipidaemia, BMI: 21,9

### *PROCAM Score*

- › low (13 points)

### **Past cardiovascular and other relevant diagnoses:**

- › No known Coronary Heart Disease (CHD)
- › No chronic renal insufficiency
- › Troponin: not done

### **12-lead ECG**

- › Sinus rhythm, HR 68/min., No Significant ST-T changes

### **Transthoracic echocardiography (TTE)**

- › Normal sized left ventricle and good LV function EF 65%- no PHT- Valves ok

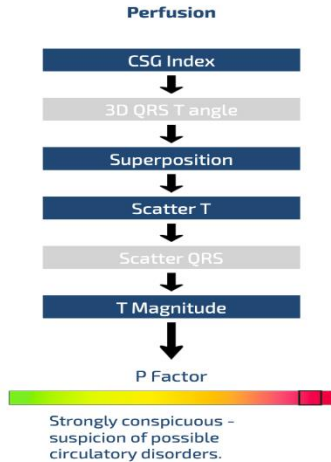
### **Cardiography**

- › Positive for IHD- awaiting Angio

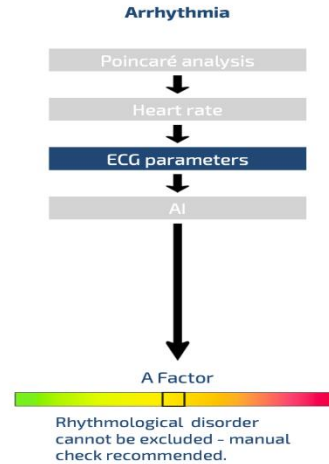
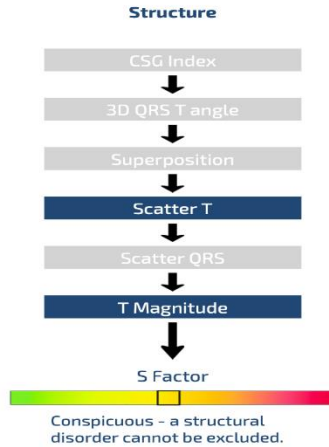
# CARDISIOGRAPHY

Patient ID: Yong chen yin  
 CSG ID: Test-120727  
 Date: 03.02.2024 12:52

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The diagnostic accuracy of the method can vary depending on prevalence and patient profile.



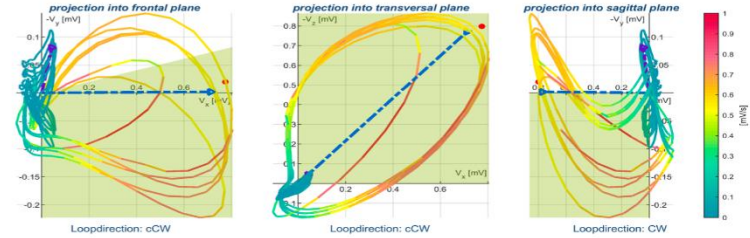
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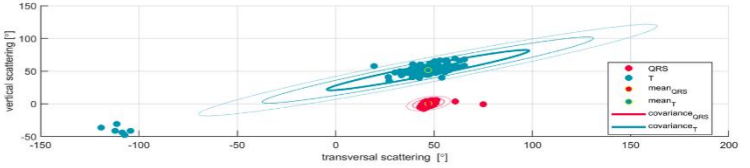
## Vectorcardiography



projection into frontal plane  
Loopdirection: cCW

projection into transversal plane  
Loopdirection: cCW

projection into sagittal plane  
Loopdirection: CW




vertical scattering [°]

transversal scattering [°]

- QRS
- T
- mean<sub>QRS</sub>
- mean<sub>T</sub>
- covariance<sub>QRS</sub>
- covariance<sub>T</sub>

## Pretest Risk



## VCG results

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
CSG-Index:	<b>-0.006</b>		< -0.27
3D QRS vector:	-0	°	-30<x<90
3D T vector:	<b>-62</b>	°	-30<x<90
3D QRS T angle:	53	°	<100
Superposition:	<b>42.81</b>	%	> 50
T Magnitude:	<b>0.22</b>	mV	> 0.4

**One or more VCG values outside normal range.**

- T- axis deviation unconfomable T- wave; repolarisation abnormality

## Scatter Analysis

Parameter	Value	Unit	Reference
Scatter QRS:	3.1	°	< 4,5
Scatter T:	<b>13.8</b>	°	< 10

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# *CONCLUSION*

- › 5L-3D-VCG-AI
- › Sitting position
- › Impact on the management of IHD
- › Primary set up
- › Prioritise referral to secondary or tertiary set up.
- › Detection of IHD before Infarct.



***THANK YOU!***