

• Airway resistance  $R = \frac{8 \eta L}{\pi r^4}$  (highest on medium sized bronchi)  
 resistance (Bronchodilator / Bronchoconstrictors)

• Spirometry

- Volumes
  - Tidal volume ( $V_T$ ): - 500 mL
  - Inspiratory reserve volume (IRV): - 3000 mL
  - Expiratory reserve volume (ERV): - 1200 mL
  - Residual volume (RV): - 1200 mL
- Capacities
  - Inspiratory capacity (IC): -  $V_T + IRV = 3500$  mL
  - vital capacity (VC): -  $IC + ERV = 4700$  mL
  - Functional Residual capacity (FRC): -  $ERV + RV = 2400$  mL
  - Total Lung capacity (TLC): - All volumes = 5900 mL.

• volume of physiologic dead space:-

$$V_D = V_T \times \frac{P_aCO_2 - P_ECO_2}{P_aCO_2 (PACO_2)}$$

Tidal volume

- assumptions

- All expiratory  $CO_2$  from functioning alveoli
- No  $CO_2$  from inspired air
- The dead space don't add  $CO_2$

• minute ventilation:-  $V_T \times RR$  (Breath/min)

• alveolar ventilation:-  $(V_T - V_D) \times RR$  (Breath/min)

Tidal volume  
 volume of physiologic dead space  
 Respiratory Rate

• FEV<sub>1</sub> / FVC

- Normal :- 80% (0.8)
- obstructive :- ↓FEV<sub>1</sub> (mild ↓FVC) , < 80%.
- Restrictive :- ↓FVC (mild ↓FEV<sub>1</sub>) , ≥ 80%.

• Boyle's Law :-  $P_1 V_1 = P_2 V_2$  \*  $P \times V$  is constant.

• Dalton's Law

- Dry gas :-  $P_x = P_B \times F$  → Fractional Concentration → for  $O_2$  :- 0.21
- Humidified gas :-  $P_x = (P_B - P_{H_2O}) \times F$   
 ↳ water vapor pressure (47 mmHg)

• Henry's Law:- Dissolved gas :-  $C_x = P_x \times \text{solubility}$  → for  $O_2 = 0.003$   
 → for  $CO_2 = 0.07$

(N<sub>2</sub>)  
 concentration of dissolved gas

- Fick Law** :- simple diffusion
  - $\Delta P$  :- Driving force
  - diffusion coefficient (D) :- molecular weight & solubility ( $\times 20 \text{ CO}_2$ )
  - Surface Area (A) :- ↓ in emphysema
  - membrane thickening ( $\Delta X$ ) :- ↑ fibrosis or edema.

$$V_x = \frac{D \times A \times \Delta P}{\Delta X}$$

→ Volume of gas transferred per time.

**Diffusion capacity (DL) = (D + A + ΔX) →  $V_x = DL \times \Delta P$**

- $\text{CO}_2$  :- 17 mL/min/mmHg
- $\text{O}_2$  :- 21 mL/min/mmHg (17 x 1.23)

- Thickening of Respiratory membrane :- 0.2 - 0.6 micrometer (↑ in fibrosis/edema)
- Surface Area :- 70m<sup>2</sup> (↓ in emphysema).
- Blood in capillaries :- 60 - 140 mL (↓ in anemia, ↑ in excess).
- diameter of capillaries :- 5 micrometer

**venous blood**

- $P_v\text{CO}_2 = 46 \text{ mmHg}$
- $P_v\text{O}_2 = 40 \text{ mmHg}$

**Arterial blood**

- $P_a\text{CO}_2 = 40 \text{ mmHg}$
- $P_a\text{O}_2 = 100 \text{ mmHg}$

\* Not totally true because of physiologic shunt  
 ↳ Bronchial veins  
 ↳ Coronary veins

**Diffusion limited Gas exchange** :- diffusion continue as  $\Delta P$  is there (fibrosis)

**perfusion limited Gas exchange** :- diffusion stops (equilibrium), (↑ perfusion → ↑ exchange), Normally  $\text{O}_2$ .

**Dissolved  $\text{O}_2$**  =  $\Delta P \times \text{solubility} = 100 \text{ mmHg} \times 0.003 = 0.3 \text{ mL O}_2/100\text{mL} (\times \text{by } 5 \text{ (SL)} \Rightarrow 15 \text{ mL O}_2/\text{Min})$  (2%)

**$\text{O}_2$  content** = ( $\text{O}_2$ -binding x saturation (%)) + Dissolved  $\text{O}_2$

- 1g Hb → 1.34 mL  $\text{O}_2$
- 15g Hb → 20 mL  $\text{O}_2$

**Dissolved  $\text{CO}_2$**  =  $\Delta P \times \text{solubility} = 40 \text{ mmHg} \times 0.07 = 2.8 \text{ mL CO}_2/100\text{mL}$

**$\text{O}_2$ -hemoglobin curve**

Normal  $P_{50} = 25 \text{ mmHg}$

Shift to right :- ↓ affinity, ↑  $P_{50}$   
 \* ↑ metabolic

Shift to left :- ↑ affinity, ↓  $P_{50}$   
 \* ↓ metabolic

- ↑  $\text{CO}_2$
- ↑  $\text{H}^+$  (↓ pH) ] → Bohr effect
- ↑ Temp
- ↑ 2-3 BPG
- Hemoglobin S

- ↓  $\text{CO}_2$
- ↓  $\text{H}^+$  (↑ pH)
- ↓ Temp
- ↓ 2-3 BPG
- Hemoglobin F
- CO :- x240 affinity.

• Respiratory exchange ratio -  $\frac{\text{Rate of CO}_2 \text{ output (u)}}{\text{Rate of O}_2 \text{ uptake (s)}} \approx 0.8$ 

- carbohydrate = 1
- fat = 0.7

• carbaminohemoglobin (CO<sub>2</sub> + Hb) :-

↳ In tissue side :-  $\text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{CO}_3 \rightarrow \text{H}^+$  (bind with deoxyHb) +  $\text{HCO}_3^-$  (exchange with  $\text{Cl}^-$ )  
 ↳ In Lung side :-  $\text{HCO}_3^-$  (exchange with  $\text{Cl}^-$ ) +  $\text{H}^+ \rightarrow \text{H}_2\text{CO}_3 \rightarrow \text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

★ Haldane effect :-  $\text{O}_2 + \text{Hb} \rightarrow$  kick out  $\text{CO}_2$ .

• Lung circulation

- ↳ Bronchial :- ↑ pressure, ↓ flow
- ↳ pulmonary :- ↓ pressure, ↑ flow

• pulmonary flow =  $CO = \frac{\Delta P}{R}$  (↓ R)

↳ Regulated by  $\text{PAO}_2$  :- ↓  $\text{PAO}_2 \rightarrow$  ↓ radius by vasoconstriction → ↑ R → ↓ flow.  
 ↳ Thromboxane A<sub>2</sub> :- vasoconstrictor.  
 ↳ prostacycline :- vasodilator (locally).  
 ↳ Leukotrienes :- airway constrictor.

• Distribution of pulmonary blood flow :- gravitational (↓ apex, ↑ Base).

↳ Zone 1 :-  $P_A \geq P_a > P_v$   
 ↳ Zone 2 :-  $P_a > P_A > P_v$  (as systemic)  
 ↳ Zone 3 :-  $P_a > P_v > P_A$

•  $\frac{V}{Q} \rightarrow$  Normally :- 80% (0.8),  $P_a\text{O}_2 = 100$ ,  $P_a\text{CO}_2 = 40$  mmHg.

↳ Zone 1 :- ↓ Q, ↓ V, ↑  $\frac{V}{Q} \approx 3$ , ↑  $P_a\text{O}_2 = 130$  mmHg, ↓  $P_a\text{CO}_2 = 28$ .  
 ↳ Zone 3 :- ↑ Q, ↑ V, ↓  $\frac{V}{Q} \approx 0.6$ , ↓  $P_a\text{O}_2 = 89$  mmHg, ↑  $P_a\text{CO}_2 = 42$  mmHg.

• Defects

- ↳ 1) pulmonary embolism (Dead space) :-  $Q = 0$ ,  $\frac{V}{Q} = \infty$ ,  $P_A\text{O}_2 = 150$ ,  $P_A\text{CO}_2 = 0$   
 • No  $P_a\text{O}_2$  &  $P_a\text{CO}_2$ .
- ↳ 2) Airway obstruction (shunt) :-  $V = 0$ ,  $\frac{V}{Q} = 0$ ,  $P_a\text{O}_2 = 40$ ,  $P_a\text{CO}_2 = 46$   
 • No  $P_A\text{O}_2$  &  $P_A\text{CO}_2$