

RESISTANCE

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How to relate TPR to blood pressure

$$F = \Delta P / R \quad \text{Ohm's Law}$$

$$CO = \Delta P / TPR$$

$$R = 8nl / \pi r^4 \quad \text{Poiseuille's law}$$

$$n \propto R$$

$$n = \text{viscosity}$$

FACTORS AFFECTING THE RESISTANCE

Polycythemia (high Hct) $\propto n$; a lot of friction between the layers, because whenever blood is flowing it flows in layers when there is a lot of friction rubbing up against between those layers because increase in viscosity and slow the flow down

Anemia $\frac{1}{\alpha} n$

$L \propto R$

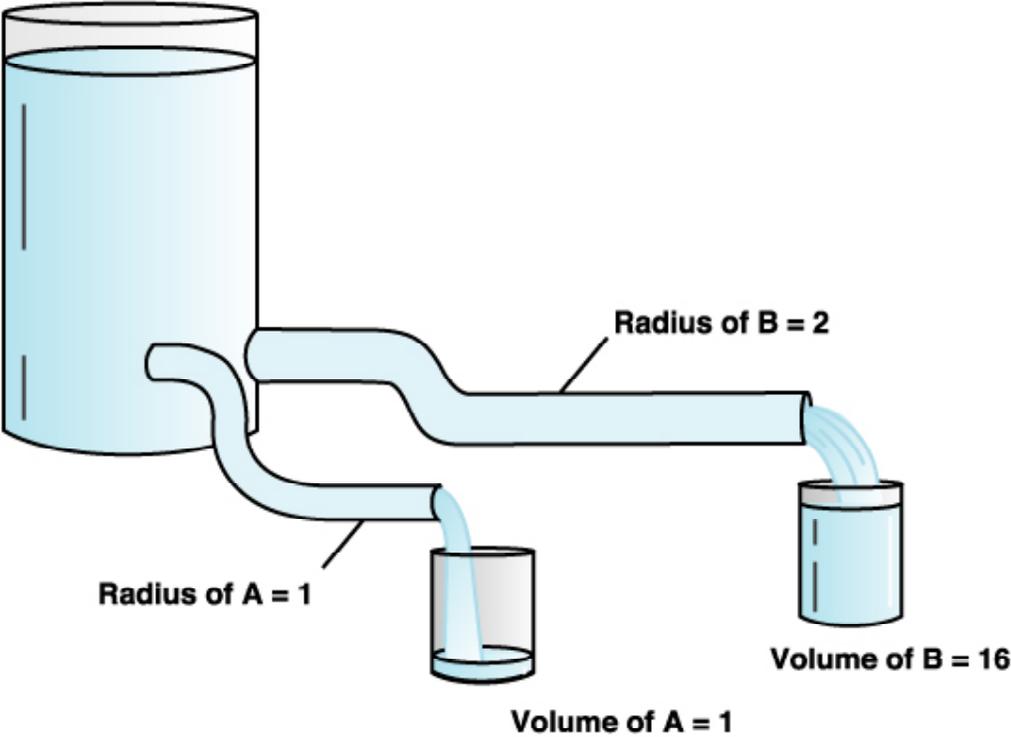
Increase in Weight and height increases in L

$r = 1/\alpha R$ the most important factor that affecting the R because it is raised to power 4

Vasodilation increase in r

Vasoconstriction decrease in r

Effect of radius on resistance and blood flow



| Resistance $\sim \frac{1}{\text{radius}^4}$ | |
|---|------------------------|
| Tube A | Tube B |
| $R \sim \frac{1}{1^4}$ | $R \sim \frac{1}{2^4}$ |
| $R \sim 1$ | $R \sim \frac{1}{16}$ |

| Flow $\sim \frac{1}{\text{resistance}}$ | |
|---|---|
| Tube A | Tube B |
| $\text{Flow} \sim \frac{1}{1}$ | $\text{Flow} \sim \frac{1}{\frac{1}{16}}$ |
| $\text{Flow} \sim 1$ | $\text{Flow} \sim 16$ |

BLOOD PRESSURE

❖ Blood pressure = cardiac output X total peripheral resistance

$$BP = CO \times TPR$$

First, we want to decide what CO and TPR is , then we get to the right meaning of BP

❖ Cardiac output (Flow)= Heart rate X Stroke volume

$$CO (F) = HR \times SV$$

$$\text{ml/min} = \text{Beat/min} \times \text{ml/Beat}$$

CONTINUED CARDIA OUTPUT

❖ Another formula relate to CO

$$1 \text{ ml} = 1 \text{ cm}^3$$

$$\text{Flow} = \text{cm}^3/\text{min}$$

❖ Another formula relate to flow

$$\text{Velocity (cm}^2/\text{min)} = \frac{\text{Flow (cm}^3/\text{min)}}{\text{Cross sectional area (cm}^2)}$$

$$V = F/A$$

❖ How to relate this to cardiac output

- Increase Flow (CO) Increase V
- Cross sectional area; measured in units of bier square because the blood vessels are cylinder in shape

A (πr^2); Increase A Decrease V

