



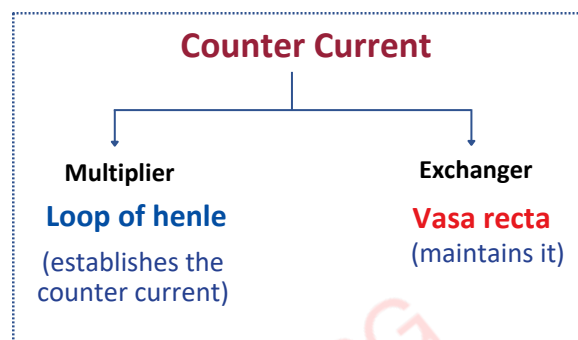
Renal Physiology

- Clearance is the **amount of blood** that is cleared of a certain substance in unit time.

$$\frac{\text{Conc in urine}}{\text{Conc in plasma}} \times \text{Rate of urine (ml/min)}$$

- Clearance > GFR : **PAH** (*secreted*)
- Clearance = GFR : **Inulin** (*passes unchanged*)
- Clearance < GFR : **Glucose/Sodium/bicarbonate** (*absorbed*)

Clearance of **Inulin** is a proxy for **GFR**
 Clearance of **PAH** is a proxy for **RPF** (renal plasma flow)



Regulation of glomerular blood flow

1. Afferent arteriolar constriction :

Reduces RPF and GFR

2. "Severe" efferent arteriolar constriction :

Reduces RPF and GFR

3. "Moderate" efferent arteriolar constriction :

Reduces RPF but *increases GFR*
(filtration fraction increased)

4. High plasma protein : GFR decreases and RPF same

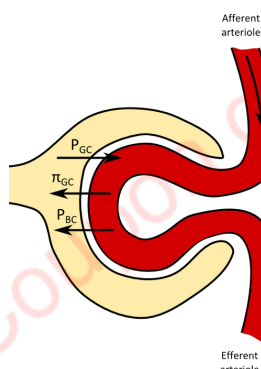
(filtration fraction decreased)

5. Low plasma protein : GFR increases and RPF same

(filtration fraction increased)

6. Ureter constriction : GFR decreases and RPF same

(filtration fraction decreased)



- **Prostaglandins** dilate afferent arteriole
- Hence, **NSAIDs** cause constriction (Reduce GFR)
- Prostaglandins Dilate Afferent arteriole (PDA)
- Angiotensin Constricts Efferent arteriole (ACE)
- **Angiotensin** constricts efferent arteriole
- **ACE inhibitors/ARBs** hence dilate it and reduce GFR

In Shock

- Both afferent and efferent are constricted : **Low RPF and Low GFR**
- Filtration fraction is **increased**

Myogenic Autoregulation

- Increased **stretch** of arteriole causes **calcium entry**
- **Calcium** causes **vasoconstriction**
- Protects kidney in hypertension

JG Apparatus

Macula Densa Densa DCT

Tubuloglomerular feedback

- Chemoreceptors
- Between **DCT** and **thick ascending loop** of LOH

Increased sodium

- **Adenosine** released
- Aff. arteriole constriction (GFR decreased)

Decreased sodium

- **Prostaglandins** released
- Aff arteriole vasodilation (GFR increased)

JG cells

*Around Glomerulus :
Afferent arteriole*

Baro-receptor

- Modified smooth muscle cells of **afferent arteriole**
- Activates **RAAS** if GFR low

Lacis cells

- Mesangial cells
- Anti inflammatory

Renal Tubules

Proximal Convulated Tubule

SGLT²

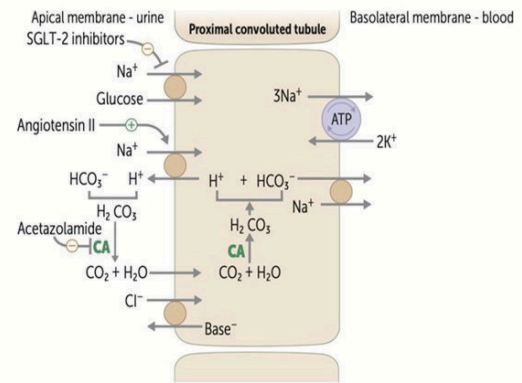
- **100 % glucose** absorption, **70% of NaCl** absorption in PCT
- Secondary active transport
- Inhibitors used for treatment of diabetes (dapaglifozin)

Na - H antiport

- H⁺ pushed into lumen : traps **HCO³** and **NH³**
- Essential for **HCO³ absorption** and **ammonia excretion**.
- **Angiotensin** is agonist at this receptor

Carbonic anhydrase/ Type 2 RTA

- Blocked by **acetazolamide "Acid"azolamide**
- HCO₃⁻ lost in urine : **RTA type 2**
- Ammonia can't be excreted
- Sodium not absorbed (absorption in distal part : *Hypokalemia*)



Other causes of Type 2 RTA

- Wilson's disease
- Fanconi's disease (Global PCT dysfunction)

Thin Descending Limb of LOH

- Only permeable to water
- **Aquaporin 1** present

Thick Ascending Limb of LOH

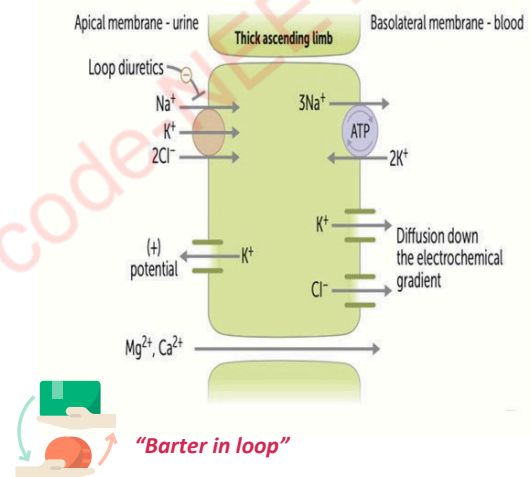
Impermeable to water (urine dilutes)

Na+ K+ 2Cl-

- Absorption of **Na(25%), K, Cl**
- Causes increased K⁺ on membrane : forces paracellular absorption of **Mg²** and **Ca²**
- Inhibited by **Loop diuretics** and in **Barter syndrome**

Loop diuretics

- High ceiling diuretics, used in **Pulmonary edema**
- Loss of **calcium** in urine (**loops lose Calcium**) : urinary stones
- Na⁺ reabsorption in distal tubes (*hypokalemia* and *alkalosis*)
- **Ototoxic**
- **Sulfa allergy**
- Can precipitate **Gout**



Distal Convulated Tubule

Na Cl cotransporter

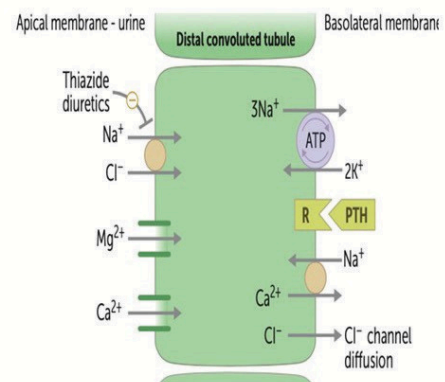
- NaCl absorption
- Blocked by **Thiazide diuretics** and in **Gittleman Syndrome**

Thiazide diuretics

- Increase **calcium** absorption (*preferred in osteoporosis*)
- First line for **CHF, Hypertension, Calcium stones**
- **Sulfa** allergy
- Citrate combines with calcium, in absence of calcium there is too much oxalate in urine which **precipitate stones**.
- Na⁺ reabsorption in distal tubes (*hypokalemia* and *alkalosis*)

H+ ATPase / Type 1 RTA

- **H⁺ ATPase** pushes H⁺ into lumen
- If this H⁺ ATPase is blocked, it causes **type 1 RTA**
- **Increased pH** of urine (alkaline urine)
- Can cause **urinary stones (one : stone)**
- Associated with autoimmune conditions (**SLE, Sjogrens, Type 1 DM**)



PTH receptor

- PTH acts in DCT
- ↑ Calcium absorption and
- ↓ Phosphate absorption

Collecting Duct

Na Cl cotransporter

- NaCl absorption
- Blocked by **Thiazide diuretics** and in **Gittleman Syndrome**

"Gillete for thigh"

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Vasopressin (ADH)

- Acts on **V² receptors** (*V¹ receptors in vascular smooth muscles*)
- **Principal cells** of CT
- Aquaporins expressed
- Free water absorption
- *Conditions associated with ADH*

SIADH

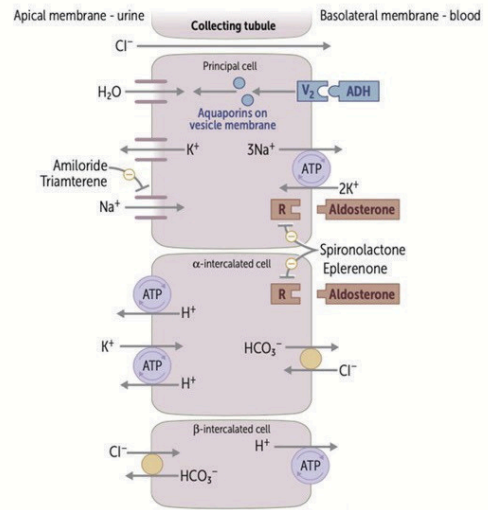
- **Excess ADH** secreted
- Low serum sodium but increased urinary sodium
- **Euvolemic hyponatremia**
- Causes: Small cell ca. of lungs, meningitis, CNS surgeries
- Treatment: VAPTANS

Diabetes Insipidus

- **Insufficient ADH**
- Large amounts of urine
- **Hypovolemic hyponatremia**
- Treatment: Desmopressin

Aldosterone / Type 4 RTA

- Receptor present in **intercalated cells** (*vowels stick*)
- Express: **ENaC** and **ROMK** channels
- This causes **Na⁺ absorption** and **K⁺ excretion**
- **H⁺** is also excreted in exchange of Na⁺
- *Gain of function* of ENaC: **Liddle's syndrome**
- **Hypo-aldosteronism** causes **Type 4 RTA** (*mc RTA*)



K⁺ sparing diuretics (SEAT)

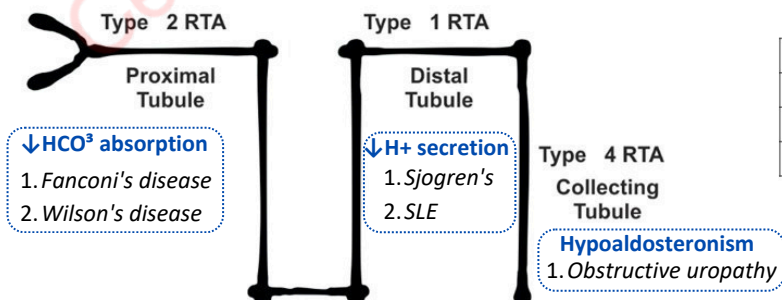
- S** Spironolactone
 - E** Eplerenone
 - A** Amiloride
 - T** Triamterene
- Blocks **Na⁺ channels**
Blocks **aldosterone**



"Little ENaC"

Renal Tubular Acidosis

Metabolic acidosis due to problem in renal tubules



2 - 1 - 4
Low low More

	serum K ⁺	serum Ca ⁺⁺	Urine pH	Nephrolithiasis
Type 2	↓	↓	↓	↓
Type 1	↓	↑	↑	↑
Type 4	↑	↓	↓	↓

All high for 1
All low for rest

Nephritic Syndromes

Inflammation present, hence Nephritic

- Cola colored urine /dysmorphic RBCs/ RBC Casts
- Hematuria / oliguria / hypertension

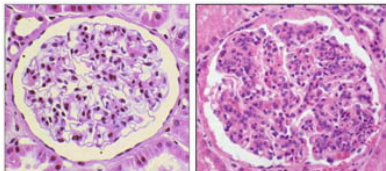
Pharyngitis

Child

10-21 days after pharyngitis

PSGN

- **Glomerular** proliferation
- Sub-epithelial **humps**
- **C3** and **IgG** on immunofluorescence



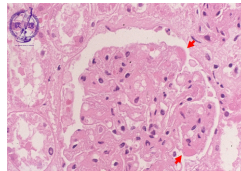
Normal glomeruli Inflamed glomeruli with **neutrophils**

Adult

3 days after pharyngitis

Berger's Disease

- **Mesangial** proliferation
- **IgA** in mesangium (aka IgA nephritis)
- **MCC** of nephritic syndrome

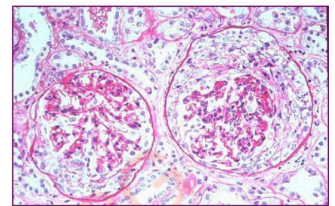


Mesangial proliferation

RPGN



- **Mesangial** proliferation
- Complication of **PSGN** (< 5%)
- It is usually **immune-mediated** (ANCA, anti-GBM, ANA).
- Hence seen in Good Pasture syndrome and Wegner's.



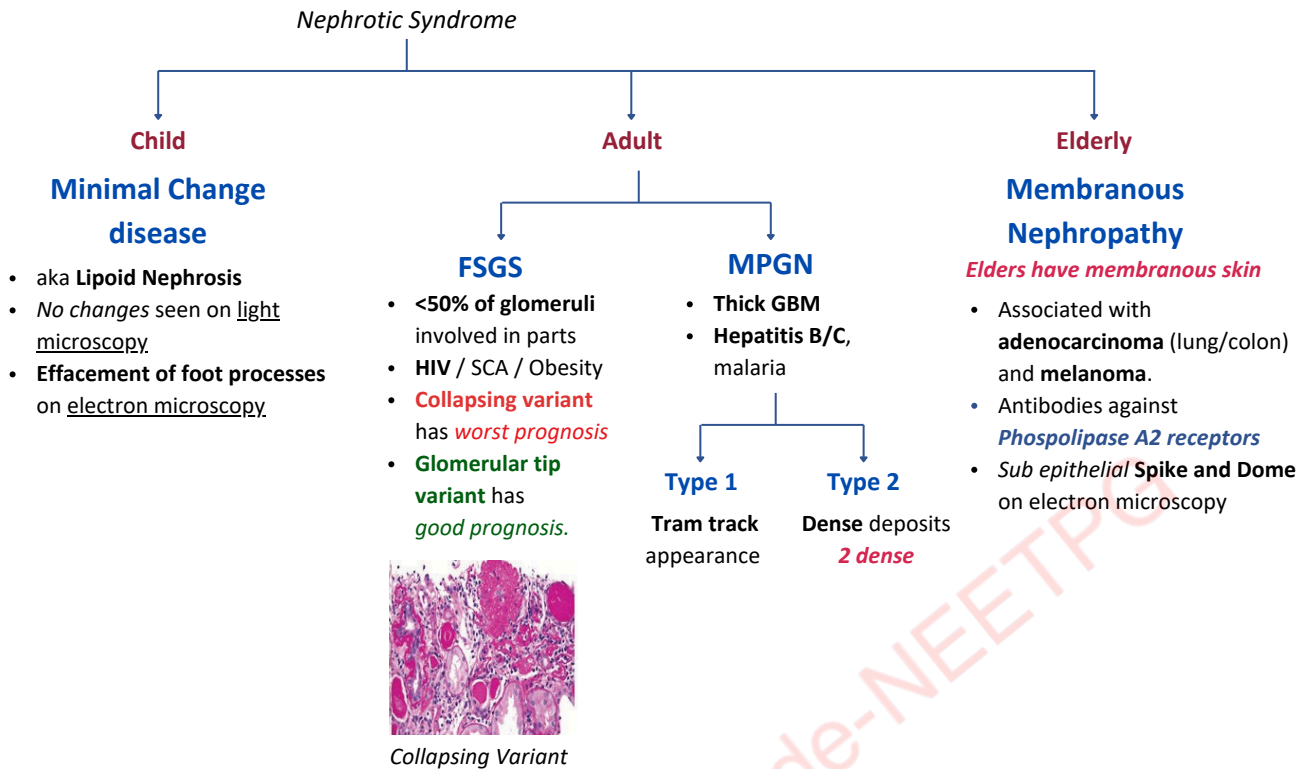
Crescents are made up of

1. Proliferated epithelial cells
2. WBCs
3. Fibrin

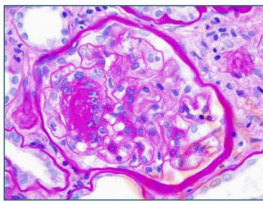
Cerebellum Coupon code-NEE

Nephrotic Syndromes

- Proteinuria **>3g/day**, frothy urine
- Destruction of GBM
- **Maltese cross** in urine (*also seen in Fabry's disease*) ✱

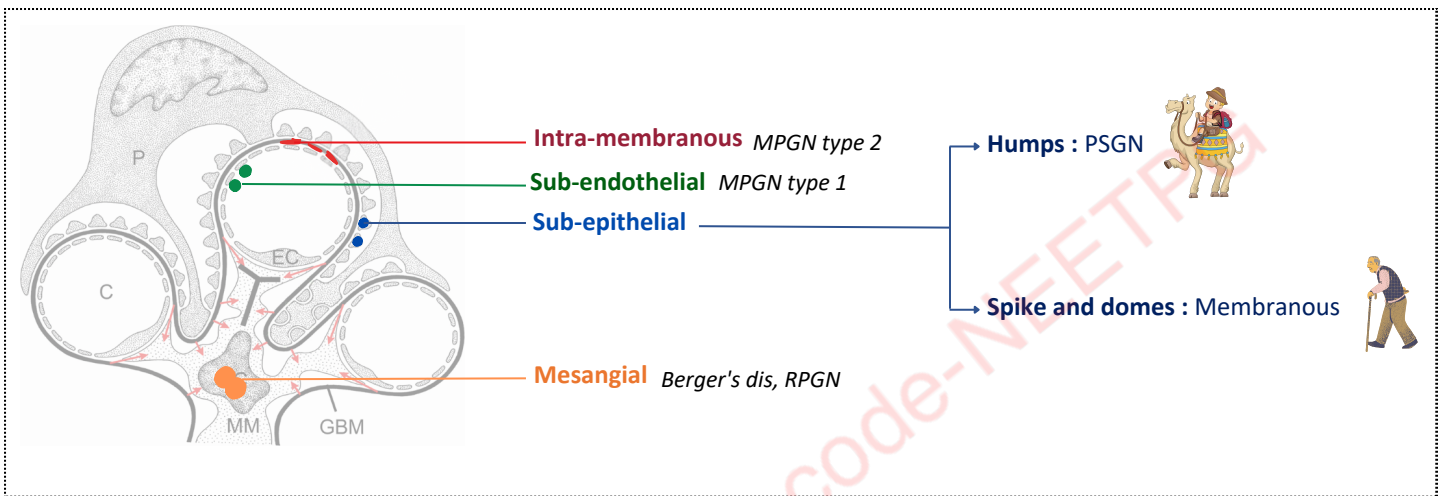
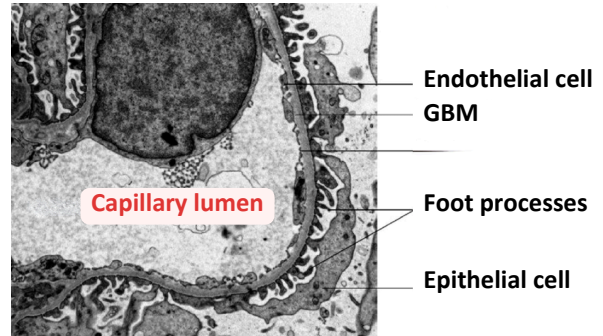
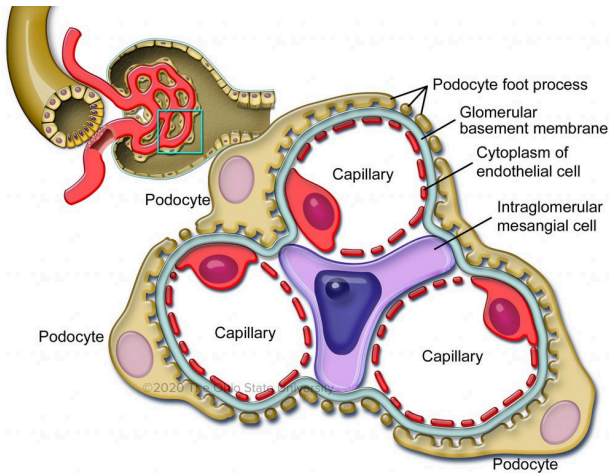


Nodular Glomerulo-sclerosis



- aka **Kimmelsteil Wilson Disease**
- PAS (+)
- Seen in Diabetic nephropathy.

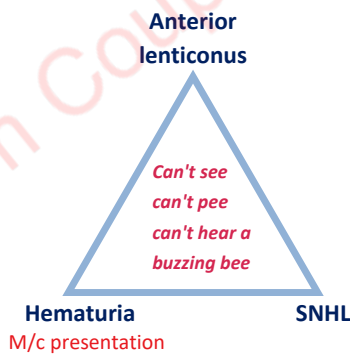
Deposits on Electron Microscopy



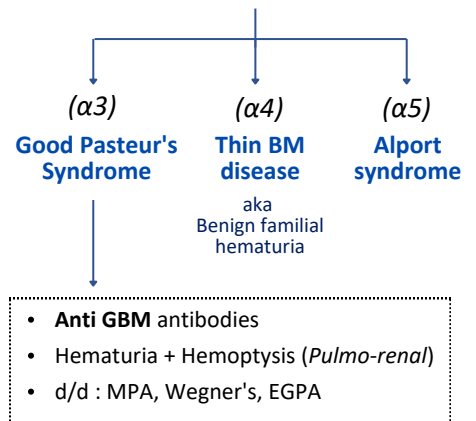
Alport Syndrome

Basket weave pattern of basement membrane on EM

- Type 4 collagen disorder ($\alpha 5$)
- Family history present
- T/t : Ace inhibitors
- Definite management is **transplantation** (doesn't recur)

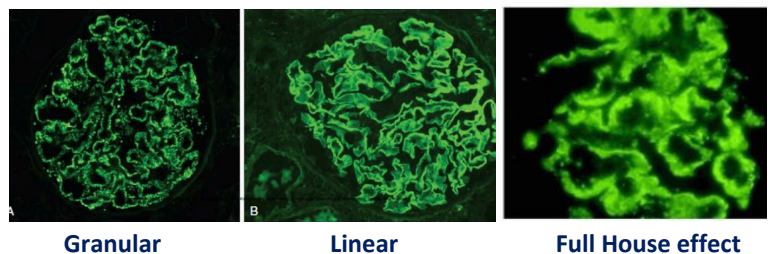


Type 4 collagen disorders



Immunofluorescence

1. Linear : Good Pasture's syndrome (RPGN)
2. Granular IgG: PSGN (kids), Membranous (Elderly)
3. Granular IgA in mesangium : Berger's disease
4. Full house effect : Lupus Nephritis



Renal Failure

Renal failure

AKI

- Size maintained

Pre renal (No perfusion)

- **Sodium and urea are reabsorbed**
(tubules are normal)
- **FeNa < 1%**
- Urine **Na < 20**
- Urine **osmolality is high**
- Urea/creat is >20
(normal reabs. of urea)
- No casts

1. Shock

2. Hepato-renal syndrome

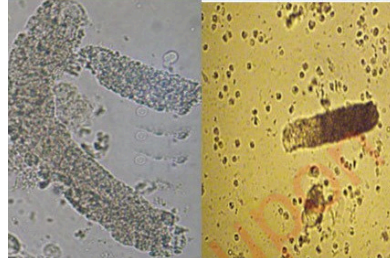
Renal (Acute tubular necrosis)

- **Sodium and urea not reabsorbed**
(tubules are impaired)
- **FeNa > 1%**
- Urine **Na > 20**
- Urine **osmolality is low**
(no active secretion)
- Urea/creat is <10
(no reabs. of urea)
- **Granular/muddy brown casts**

- S** 1. Sepsis
I 2. Ischemia
N 3. Nephrotoxins

AKI markers

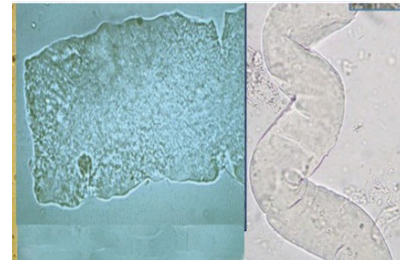
- Kim 1
- TIMP 2
- Cystatin C
- NGAL
- IGFBP 7
- Osteopontin



Granular/Muddy cast

CKD

- **Contracted** kidney and *cortico medullary differentiation* lost
- **Isosthenuria** (constant urine osmolality of 0.010)
- **AOCD** (erythropoietin def.)
- **Secondary hyperPTH** (renal osteodystrophy)
- **Waxy-broad cast**



Waxy broad cast

Conditions associated with CKD

1. **Low Vit D synthesis** : Low calcium and secondary hyper PTH
2. **AOCD**
3. **Hyperkalemia** (*K+* can't be excreted)
4. **NAGMA** in early CKD (*HCO3* loss)
5. **HAGMA** in late CKD (*can't excrete toxic substances*)
6. **Water intoxication** (*MCC of convulsions in CKD*)

Indications of dialysis

1. **Refractory acidosis**
2. **Refractory hyperkalemia**
3. **BAL** intoxication
(Barbiturates, Alcohol, Lithium)
4. **Uremia** in ESRD (*when GFR < 15*)
presents with
 - Asterexis
 - Pericarditis
 - Seizures

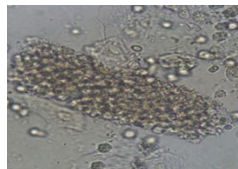
Complications of dialysis

1. M/c complication : **Hypotension**
2. **Dialysis equilibrium syndrome**
(removal of urea reduces blood osmolality, causing Cerebral edema), aka **reverse urea effect**.
3. **Peritonitis** in peritoneal dialysis



Hyaline cast

- Seen normally in urine
- **Tam Horsfall** protein



WBC cast

Pyelonephritis



RBC cast

Nephritic Syndrome

Acid base imbalance

Normal values

1. pH : 7.4
2. CO² : 40 **40 divisible by 2**
3. HCO³ : 24 **24 divisible by 3**

"Compensation is always in same direction as primary change"

eg. CO₂ **increased** in resp. acidosis then HCO₃ will **increase** as compensation

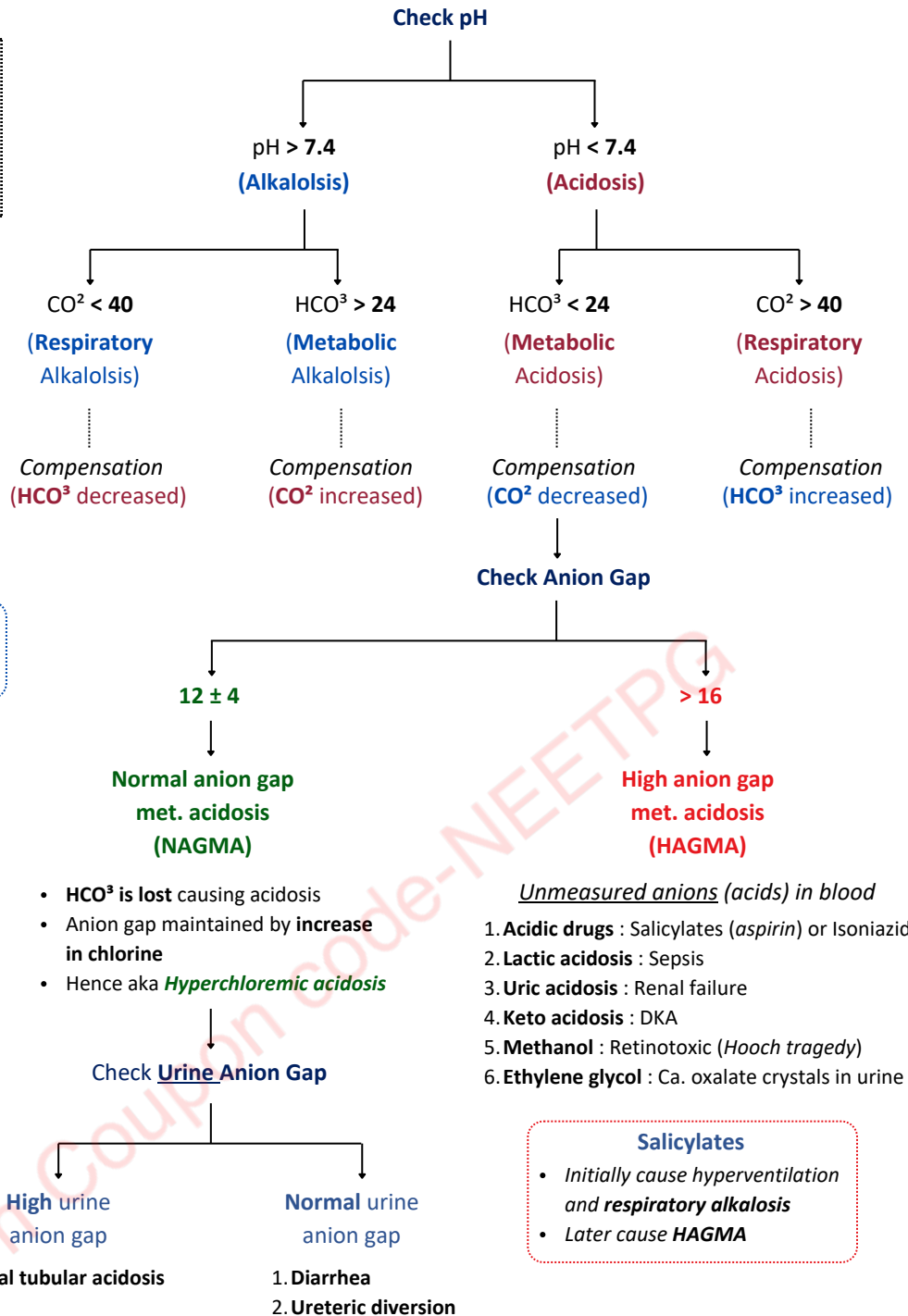
Winter's formula

For compensation in **metabolic acidosis**

$$\text{CO}_2 = [1.5 (\text{HCO}_3) + 8] \pm 2$$

$$\text{Anion gap} = (\text{Na} + \text{K}) - (\text{HCO}_3 + \text{Cl})$$

Represents unmeasured anions



Unmeasured anions (acids) in blood

1. Acidic drugs : Salicylates (*aspirin*) or Isoniazid
2. Lactic acidosis : Sepsis
3. Uric acidosis : Renal failure
4. Keto acidosis : DKA
5. Methanol : Retinotoxic (*Hooch tragedy*)
6. Ethylene glycol : Ca. oxalate crystals in urine

Salicylates

- Initially cause hyperventilation and respiratory alkalosis
- Later cause HAGMA

In laboratory investigations in a patient, pH=7.3, pCO₂=35 mm Hg, What is the likely acid base imbalance?

pH 7.3 : Acidosis
 ↓
 Low CO₂: Can't be resp. acidosis
 ↓
Metabolic acidosis with respiratory compensation

A patient is having pH-7.12, HCO₃-28 and PCO₂-50 mm Hg. What is the acid base disorder in this patient?

pH 7.12 : Acidosis
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 High HCO₃ : can't be met acidosis
 ↓
 High pCO₂ : resp acidosis
 ↓
Resp acidosis with metabolic compensation

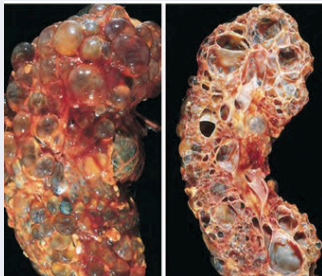
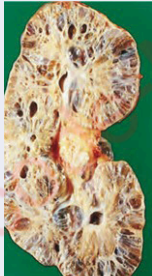
A patient who is a known case of CKD has complaints of vomiting. His ABG reports are as follows: pH-7.40, pCO₂-40, HCO₃⁻-25. Na-145, chloride-100. What is the metabolic abnormality?

Anion gap : (Na+K) - (Cl+ HCO³)

↓
145-125

↓
20 : high anion gap, hence **HAGMA**

Poly-cystic kidney disease

ADPKD	ARPKD
Most common	Most severe
Onset age >30	Infants and children
Half get ESRD by 60	Infant renal failure
Cerebral aneurysm	Liver fibrosis, death
	
Large cysts (Rough outer contour)	Smaller cysts (Smooth outer contour)

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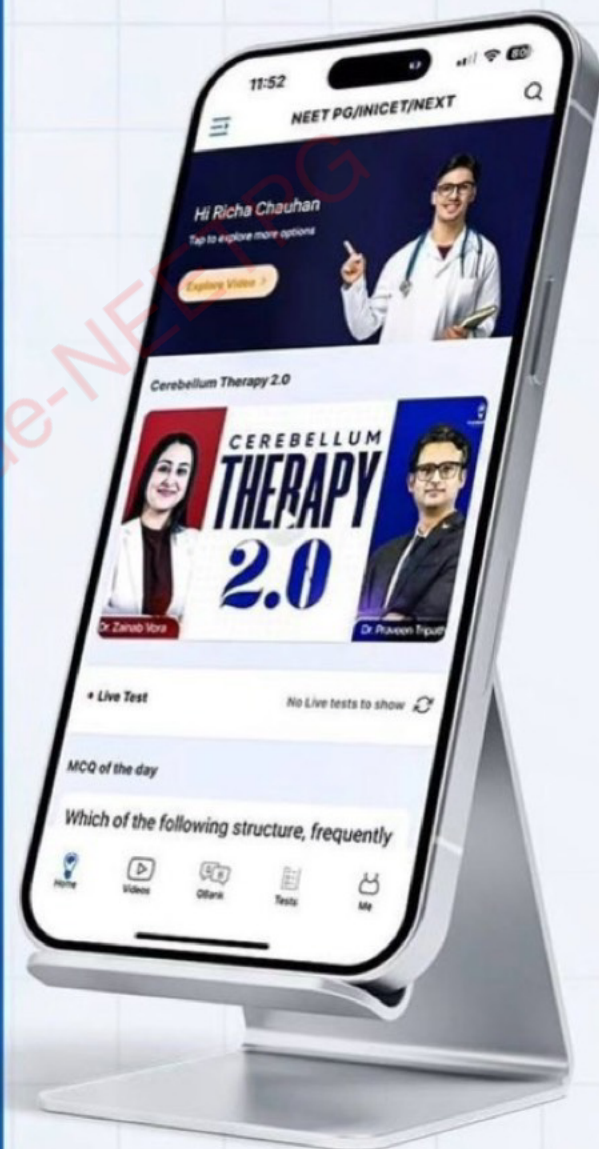


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Pathology (Dr. Sparsh Gupta)	30 th Nov-4 th Dec	
Combined E&D (Pharma + Patho)		5 th Dec
Medicine-I (Dr. Dilip Kumar)	6 th Dec - 9 th Dec	

10th - Dec - Break

Medicine-2 (Dr. Dilip Kumar)	11 th Dec - 14 th Dec	15 th Dec
Physiology (Dr. Pooja Nigade)	16 th Dec - 19 th Dec	20 th Dec
BTR E&D (Integrated Subjects) (Dr. Zainab Vora)		21 st Dec
Biochemistry (Dr. Ankur Jain)	22 nd Dec - 25 th Dec	
FMT (Dr. Atul Gupta)	26 th -28 th Dec	
Biochemistry & FMT Combined E&D		29 th Dec

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BTR E&D (FMT+Biochem)		30 th Dec
31th - Dec - Break		
Anatomy (Dr. Shrinkant)	1 st Jan - 5 th Jan	6 th Jan
Microbiology (Dr. Priyanka Sachdev)	7 th Jan - 10 th Jan	11 th Jan
BTR E&D (Anatomy + Microbiology)		12 th Jan
13th - Jan - Break		
Psychiatry (Dr. Praveen Tripathi)	14 th Jan - 15 th Jan	16 th Jan
Ophthalmology (Dr. Gaurav Nagpal)	17 th -20 th Jan	
ENT (Dr. Praneeth)	21 th -24 th Jan	
Combined E&D (Ophtha + ENT)		25 th Jan
BTR E&D (Psy/Oph/ENT) (Dr. Zainab Vora)		26 th Jan
Radiology (Dr. Zainab Vora)	27 th Jan - 28 th Jan	

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Orthopedics (Dr. Apurv Mehra)	29 th Jan - 30 th Jan	
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Combined E&D (Radiology + Orthopedics)		31 st Jan
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Surgery (Dr. Amrit Nasta)	1 st Feb - 4 th Feb	
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5th - Feb - Break

Surgery-2 (Dr. Amrit Nasta)	6 th Feb - 8 th Feb	9 th Feb
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BTR E&D (Surgery/Ortho/Radio) (Dr. Zainab Vora)		10 th Feb
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PSM-1 (Dr. Vivek Jain)	11 th -13 th Feb	
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14th - Feb - Break

PSM (Dr. Vivek Jain)	15 th -17 th Feb	18 th Feb
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Anesthesia (Dr. Jhanvi Bajaj)	19 th -20 th Feb	
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Dermatology (Dr. M.Srinivas)	21 st -22 nd Feb	
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Combined E&D (Anesthesia + Dermatology)		23 th Feb
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Pediatrics (Dr. Anand Bhatia)	25 th Feb - 27 th Feb	28 th Feb
OBG-1 (Dr. Raina Chawla)	1 st Mar - 4 th Mar	
5th - Mar - Break		
OBG-2 (Dr. Raina Chawla)	6 th -7 th Mar	8 th Mar
BTR E&D (Pediatrics/OBG) (Dr. Zainab Vora)		9 th Mar

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