

# Mitral Valve Regurgitation in Degenerative Cardiac Heart Disease

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Degenerative valvular changes are the predominant "cause of mitral regurgitation (MR)," an increasingly common cardiac valve disorder characterized by retrograde blood flow from the left ventricle to the left atrium. This PhD dissertation aims to enhance diagnostic methodologies, therapy paradigms, and comprehension using degenerative valvular artery disease (CAD) by investigating the intricate function of "magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)" in this condition. The first chapter emphasizes the growing clinical use underlying magnetic resonance (MR) within the context of degenerative valvular heart disease and elucidates its significance. A comprehensive literature review contextualizes the study's difficulties and highlights the most critical information gaps. This study employs an innovative approach that integrates advanced imaging techniques with genetic analyses and clinical assessments to explore the fundamental causes of MR. This work elucidates the complex interactions among myocardial remodeling, hemodynamic alterations, and valve degeneration in the development of MR. Diagnostic precision and pinpointing are essential for MR examination. The article provides a comprehensive study of several diagnostic procedures, comparing their efficacy in practical applications. Furthermore, it explores innovative diagnostic tools that might revolutionize monitoring and preliminary detection. The article examines therapeutic modalities for mitral regurgitation associated with "degenerative valvular cardiovascular disease." This book offers researchers and doctors a comprehensive resource for informed treatment choices by examining medical management, surgical methodologies, and innovative treatments. This article examines patient outcomes along with prognostic factors, contextualizing these therapy options. This thesis not only enhances our understanding of MRI on degenerative coronary artery disease (CAD) but also provides practical insights for researchers, clinicians, and lawmakers. Enhanced patient outcomes and superior treatment for MR patients may be achievable with the incorporation of mechanistic insights, advanced diagnostic technologies, and evidence-based therapeutic recommendations.

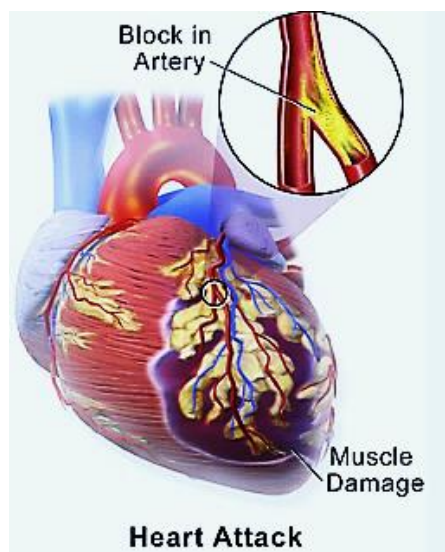
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## 1. Introduction

The human heart is capable of performing a complex symphony with periodic contractions as well as relaxations in order to maintain a balanced blood circulation. The valve system of the heart lies at the nerve center of this intricate system. Its primary function is to guarantee that blood are limited to going in one direction through the chambers of the heart. The mitral valve, particularly is situated between the anterior portion of the pulmonary atrium and the left ventricle, is considered to be one of the most critical valves in the efficient operation of the

heart. On the other hand, just like any other mechanical component, heart valves are susceptible to experiencing wear and strain over time. Mitral regurgitation, often known as MR, is a dangerous medical condition that may arise as a result of the mitral valve being damaged. Mitral regurgitation, also known as mitral insufficiency, is a disease in which blood flows abnormally retrograde out of the anterior ventricle into the left atrium (Baumgartner, et.al. 2021). This occurs when the ventricles contract. A domino effect of hemodynamic, linked to structural, and clinical repercussions is caused when there is a disturbance in the typically harmonious function of the heart, such as when regurgitation occurs. Degenerative valve disease of the heart is the most common cause of myocardial regenerative disease (MR), which is characterized by gradual structural alterations that affect chordae tendineae, ciliary muscle tissue, especially mitral valve leaflets. (Gammie JS et al., 2018).

Including key findings and linkages with diagnostic and clinical criteria, this study investigates mitral regurgitation (MR) in the context of coronary heart disease. I will summarise and analyse the main aspects of the passage: MR is common in 127 patients with coronary heart disease, with a frequency of 31%. MR was significantly higher in those who had a history of myocardial infarction or was shown to have had one on electrocardiogram (ECG). (a) Acute Symptoms: Mid-systolic, late-systolic, pan-systolic, and even ejection murmurs at the apex and left sternal margin may be caused by MR. Nearly 40% of patients with angiographically confirmed MR scans did not exhibit any murmur. MR may not produce any audible murmurs or be quite silent. There is a strong correlation between an increased systolic murmur and angiographically significant MR (grades 2-4/4). There was a correlation between the degree of metal bruit and MR. Left ventricular hypertrophy was probably present with MR, according to both clinical observations and chest x-rays. Left atrial enlargement on electrocardiograms and chest x-rays was a more reliable indicator of myocardial infarction( Iung, et.al. 2022). A prominent indication of MR was lung venous hypertension. (e) Coronary Artery Disease vs. Myocardial Infarction: The frequency of myocardial revascularization was not significantly different between the distribution of coronary artery disease and the sites of anterior as well as inferior myocardial infarction. The incidence of MR was, however, greatly raised by severe coronary artery disease. A decrease in cardiac pumping capacity was associated with an increase in MR incidence as left ventricular ejection percentages decreased. The likelihood of myocardial infarction was elevated when the left ventricular end-diastolic pressure was high. Heart rhythm disorders increased the risk of myocardial infarction. (g) The severity of MR was unaffected by the aforementioned factors, which is rather intriguing. The most common cause of mitral regurgitation is coronary heart disease. In 127 patients chosen for left ventricular and coronary procedures according to the severity of their symptoms, the frequency was 31% (39 cases) (Enriquez-Sarano M et al., 2010).



“Figure 1:Myocardial infarction”

## 2. BACKGROUND OF THE STUDY:

The background of the study not only creates the contextual framework for the research, but it also provides an awareness of the bigger problems, trends, or areas of knowledge that motivate and justify the investigation on The “Mitral Valve” with Degenerative “Valve Coronary Artery Disease.” The history of mitral regurgitation (MR) and its connection with valvular heart disease associated degeneration have been discussed. Mitral regurgitation (MR) is caused by an uneven closure within the mitral valve, a structure responsible for keeping blood from seeping back into the chamber of the heart from the opposite side of the ventricle. This is the fundamental root cause of mitral regurgitation. Because of this, a part of the blood is able to return to the left atrium of the heart, while the left chamber of the heart swells, resulting in a reduction in the amount of blood that is able to circulate to the rest of the body. There are a number of disorders that may lead to MR, including infections, cardiac events, rheumatic fever, congenital anomalies, and other illnesses. On the other hand, mitral regurgitation is often brought on by mitral valve prolapse, deterioration of the valvular heart, and particularly myxomatous valve disease affecting the mitral valve(Nishimura, et.al. 2020). During this condition, the mitral valve has degenerative changes that cause it to grow thicker, weaker, or bulging. These changes are brought about by the leaflets that comprise the valve or the chords. As a result of these alterations, the valve is no longer able to shut entirely, and there is now a gap between the leaflets. The senior population is affected by degenerative valvular heart disease, which affects approximately ten percent of individuals aged 75 and beyond. This is a major component of the elderly population. Additionally, it seems that males are more likely to encounter it than women may ( Iung, B., et al.,2019).

A history of cardiac issues or electrocardiographic signs of the most recent myocardial infarction significantly increased the risk of mitral regurgitation. Mitral regurgitation may be clinically indicated by an ejection-type murmur, either pan- or late-systolic, near the apex or

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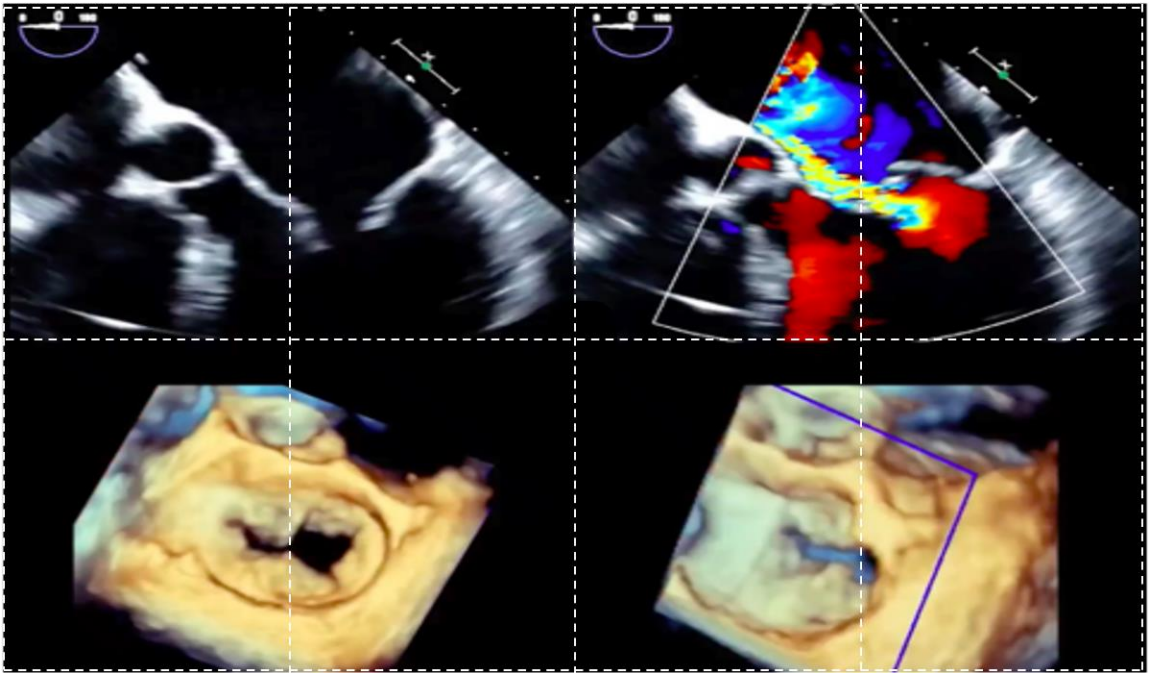
on the left sternal border. Nevertheless, it should be mentioned that 39% of patients with angiographic proof of the condition did not exhibit a murmur. In cases of angiographically severe mitral regurgitation, systolic murmurs were common in children and adolescents regardless of ejection fraction. Pulmonary vein hypertension, left ventricular enlargement (clinically or radiographically), and enlarged left atrium (electro-cardio graphically or by the use of a chest x-ray) are all strong indicators of mitral regurgitation. Despite the fact that the issue had nothing to do with mitral regurgitation as shown by angiography, ECG findings of papillary muscle infarction were nevertheless somewhat uncommon (15% of cases). There was no statistically significant difference in the prevalence of mitral regurgitation according to the location of the coronary arteries or the anterior distal myocardial infarction. Mitral regurgitation is more common in people with advanced coronary arteries (P005). While mitral regurgitation is more common in patients with aberrant contraction patterns, lower ejection fraction of the left ventricle (P 0001), greater left end-diastolic pressure (P 002), as well as both, these characteristics do not correlate with the severity of the problem. We are unaware of the exact rate of sickness prevalence (Enriquez-Sarano, et.al. 2023). However, 500,000 Americans may be suffering from extremely excessive ventricular regurgitation, according to extrapolation from natural history data. There has been an upward trend in the spread rate for quite some time. Figure 1 illustrates that in the previous 20 years, the number for individuals diagnosed with AR and MR following departure from hospitals has doubled, according to research comparing to the state's State-Wide Administration and Recherche Cooperative System (SPARCS). A history of cardiac issues or electrocardiographic signs of recently occurring myocardial infarction significantly increased the risk of mitral regurgitation. Mitral regurgitation may be clinically indicated by an ejection-type murmur, either pan- or late-systolic, near the apex with the left sternal border. Nevertheless, it should be mentioned that 39% of patients with angiographic indications of the condition did not exhibit a murmur. In cases of angiographically severe mitral regurgitation, systolic murmurs were common in children and adolescents regardless of ejection fraction. Pulmonary vein hypertension, left ventricular enlargement (clinically or radiographically), and enlarged left atrium (electro-cardio graphically or by through a chest x-ray) are all strong indicators of mitral regurgitation. Despite the fact that the issue had nothing to do with mitral regurgitation as shown by angiography, ECG findings of papillary muscle infarction were nevertheless somewhat uncommon (15% of cases). There was no statistically significant difference in the prevalence of mitral regurgitation according to the location of the coronary arteries or the anterior distal myocardial infarction. Mitral regurgitation is more common in people with advanced coronary arteries (P005). While mitral regurgitation is more common in patients with aberrant contraction patterns, lower left ventricular ejection fraction (P 0001), greater left end-diastolic pressure (P 002), or both, these characteristics do not correlate with the severity of the problem. We are unaware of the exact rate of sickness prevalence. However, 500,000 Americans may be suffering from extremely excessive ventricular regurgitation, according to extrapolation from natural history data (Kang ,et.al. 2020). There has been an upward trend in the spread rate for quite some time. Figure 1 illustrates that in the previous 20 years, the number of patients diagnosed with AR and MR following departure from hospitals has doubled, according to research comparing to New York's State-Wide Administrative and Recherche Cooperative System (SPARCS).

### **3. THE PURPOSE OF THE RESEARCH:**

Significant advancements have been made in heart transplant methods, organ allocation criteria, and patient and donor demographics throughout the years. Thanks to advancements in surgical methods, immunosuppressive medicines, and postoperative medical care, heart transplantation has surpassed all other treatments for end-stage heart failure. To boost the pool of potential heart donors, hospitals have loosened their recipient criteria; nevertheless, it is unclear how this adjustment may influence the outcome of a cardiac transplant. The purpose of this study was to examine the distribution of post-transplant mortality causes and the impact of baseline risk factors on patient outcomes by comparing patients at various stages of the surgical process. Located in Bad Seehausen, North Rhine-Westphalia, Europe, the Heart & Diabetes Centre operated on 1,290 patients having heart transplantation for the purpose of the research. Data collecting for the research lasted all the way till December 2023 (Enriquez-Sarano, et.al. 2023).

Several factors are considered in the recently released standards for the selection of adult cardiac transplant recipients, such as the presence or absence of terminal heart failure, age, eligibility, expected lifespan, and exclusion criteria. Clinical laboratory testing and echocardiography were part of the donor assessment process. The criteria used for selecting donors have been published before and are available to the public. Appropriate donor criteria were a lack of a history of cardiac illness, diminished myocardial function, mitral valve insufficiency, and a donor's age (below 40 for males and 45 for women). Hearts from older donors could only be accepted once coronary atherosclerotic plaques were removed. If the donor heart's palpation does not reveal significant coronary artery disease, a standing angiography imaging of the coronary arteries is the more realistic course of action. Which transfusion recipients were chosen based on their weight and the ABO blood type of the donors. Hearts from brain-dead individuals with evidence of cardiac activity were harvested for cardiac allograft procurement, one of many surgical procedures. The etiology of diseases is changing as genetically determined disorders become increasingly widespread across all age groups. A recent study by the Framingham Heart Study found that the prevalence of MR rose by 1.3 times along with AR by 2.3 times throughout a decade of life, based on echocardiography tests in an unselected population. Patients experiencing congestive symptoms in addition to atrial fibrillation with mitral regurgitation are more likely to die, which is why a replacement valve may be necessary. (Kang,et.al. 2020).





“Figure 2: The TEE demonstrates fibroelastic deficiency with prolapse”

Both Puff et al. (1965) and Silverman and Hurst (1968) discovered that the mitral valve's firmness is dependent on the chordae tendineae, which support the leaflets, and the papillary muscles that are embedded in the ventricular wall. These connections are complex and interconnected within the valvar ring. The intricate system at risk might be damaged by reversible myocardial ischaemia, necrosis, or fibrosis. Mitral regurgitation is common in patients with coronary heart disease and may be temporary or long-lasting (1971; De Pasquale and Burch, 1971). This study used a randomly chosen sample of 70 patients to compare the usefulness of various radiographic findings within relation to clinical, electrocardiographic, haemodynamic, and ventricular and coronary assessments as well as plain chest radiographs. We placed two microphones on each side of the sternum and moved the paper at a speed of around 100 mm/s to get tracings using a Cambridge Recording. The carotid artery has pulse pickups on each side of the biggest apical impulse. Prior to using selective coronary angiography (CA), the investigators conducted conventional both left and right cardiac catheterizations (Petch et al., 1973). We evaluated mitral regurgitation using Cin ventriculograms projected in the opposite anterior orthogonal direction. Two different people rated the severity of acute mitral regurgitation either mild, moderate, severe, even grotesque on a scale from 1 to 4. Only occurrences during regular systoles were deemed noteworthy. In cases of mild reflux (grade 1), a little amount of dye was found to reach the left atrium. A robust and discernible dye jet was seen in patients with moderate to severe mitral regurgitation. A wide stream about dye would pass through the hole in the valve that encircles the heart when the sensation of reflux was really severe. Dye entered the left atrium during the first systole of grade 4 reflux, but no jet was seen. Following this grading method, a ventriculogram may show aneurysm, global dyskinesia, a localised dyskinesia, or a normal left heart rate (4).

During the ascending diastolic phase, the right ventricle moves somewhat, but only in one spot compared to the rest of the ventricle. This condition is called local dyskinesis. An identifiable enlargement inside the cardiac chamber that is present throughout the heart's systole and diastole contractions is called a ventricular aneurysm. Common signs that aid to detect this illness include paradoxical outward systolic movement (or lack thereof) and an absence cardiac inward systolic activity. "Broad terms dyskinesis" describes a condition in which there is an imperfection in the entire contraction of the muscles. It was necessary to compare end-diastolic and end-systolic frames from one or more cardiac cycles in order to determine the ejection fraction. The research did not include arrhythmia-related cycles. The magnification modifications in the Angio cardiogram pictures demonstrating mitral regurgitation in individuals with known coronary artery disease were inadequate. The British Cardiac Society, Gahl et al. sent an initial submission in 1972 outlining the results of their work.

#### **4. LITERATURE REVIEW:**

Curriculum policy is the focus of this literature study, which aims to explore educational innovation and creativity. The word "curriculum policy" refers to the set of guidelines that schools use to create, structure, and carry out their course of study. Policy on curricula is affected by several factors. Among these factors are societal, political, economic, and cultural demands; educational ideas and practices; and research in these areas. We want to discover the following via this literature review: - How do different regions and countries approach the development and implementation of educational policies? - A When looking at this procedure, which of the most significant patterns and challenges? The wants and requirements of many different groups, such as parents, teachers, and students, must be considered while formulating regulations for lessons.- A How can educational policy foster the skills that kids will need to thrive in today's world: critical thinking, creativity, and teamwork? In order to promote diversity, inclusion, equality, and social justice, how might educational policy influence course offerings? Is there a way that curriculum rules might inspire teachers to do something different in the classroom? The empirical and multidisciplinary literature review will draw from relevant sources in areas as varied as philosophy, sociological theory, education, psychology, and policy studies, among others. Methods such as document analysis, topic synthesis, case studies, including meta-analysis will also be a part of the literature review. The literature review's goals are to (1) summarise current knowledge on curricular policy, (2) identify knowledge gaps, and (3) propose research directions. The study examined the risk of mortality and adjusted odds ratios for mortality within 30 days in persons who had heart transplantation. Thirty percent of those who took the poll were dealing with some kind of health problem, and 12% had an illness. For levels over 155 mmol/L, the hazard ratio remained at 1.03 (95% CI: 0.83-1.29), and there was a practically insignificant 0.2% increase in risk when donor sodium levels were constantly measured. There was a 0.3% non-significant increase in risk per mmol/l after accounting for recipient gender, donor surface area, and total ischaemia duration in a study by Vahanian et al. (2017).

Researchers found that 30-day mortality was 1.66 times higher in the group given sodium levels from donors ranging from 136 to 145 mmol/l compared to the control group. Furthermore, donor sodium levels ranging from 146 to 155 mmol/l are 1.7 times more likely

to result in 30-day death, whereas values ranging from 156 to 165 mmol/l are 1.4 times more likely. The risk of 30-day death was 2.4 times larger for donors with higher salt levels > 166 mmol/l, however this difference was not statistically significant. A hazard ratio of 1 was established for adult heart transplantation when the donor sodium level was less than or equal to 155 mmol/L. With a 95% confidence range of 0.85 to 1.29, the adjusted danger ratio was 1.05 and the natural hazard proportion was 1.03 when the donor fluid sodium content was assumed to be higher than 155 mmol/L. According to Lung et al. (2019), changes were evaluated after gender, ischaemia duration, recipient and donor body surface areas were taken into consideration.

The survival rates at 1, 5, 10, and 15 years were 99.4%, 54.3%, 27.0%, and 3.4% for patients with donor sodium levels (DSL) below 155 mmol/L, respectively. Patients with DSL levels over 155 mmol/L, in contrast, had concurrent survival rates of 23.9%, 12%, 6.7%, and 0.8%. The log-rank test failed to find a statistically significant difference in survival rates between the DSL groups, with a p-value of 0.76. The goal of this study was to determine the effect of donor salt levels on mortality risk in a large cohort of adult heart transplant recipients. Adults who had heart transplants between the years 1989 and 2004 made up 1,262 of the study's participants. Donor salt levels over 155 mmol/L during organ procurement were not associated with an increased risk of initial graft failure or survival after adult heart transplantation. Hypovolemia, hyponatraemia, diabetes insipidus, and dehydration are possible outcomes of cardiac allograft failure induced by hypernatraemia, the cause of which is unknown (Baumgartner, H., et al., 2017).

Although reperfusion damage is the leading cause of graft destruction, the study has shown that it may occur at any stage of the procedure, including graft procurement, storage, transportation, and reperfusion. Contraction failure and the potentially fatal arrhythmia ventricular fibrillation might result from the intracellular buildup of sodium ions brought on by myocardial ischaemia. Approximately 25% of heart transplant recipients have first graft failure during the first 24 hours; understanding the reasons behind this prevalent problem may be aided by understanding this disease. Furthermore, if this condition is present, there is a 40% likelihood of mortality within 30 days. Allograft intrinsic cardiac failure owing to ischemia-reperfusion damage, insufficient donor heart function, and humoral processes are among the possible reasons of initial graft failure. Using inhaled nitric oxide in conjunction with iloprost to lower pretransplant lung vascular resistance may increase the likelihood of primary graft failure, according to previous research. However, all patients who participated in the study had normal pulmonary vascular resistance before heart transplantation. Donor hearts were preserved to a 99% degree when a cardioplegia solution containing histidine, buffered tryptophane, and potassium gluconate was transfused. This solution effectively made cardiac muscle cells electrically and mechanically inert by lowering the extracellular sodium content to the same level as the cytoplasm. According to Enriquez-Sarano M et al. (2010), contraction band necrosis might be prevented by having a relatively low potassium content..

Death risk after adult heart transplantation was marginally affected by donor salt levels, according to the study. It is still possible to successfully complete an orthotopic heart transplant from a donor with hypernatraemia, which is a salt level more than 155 mmol/L. Refusing to accept donor hearts because of excessive salt levels is one way to reduce organ shortages. Donor heart selection needs some tweaking. A group of medical professionals from several



hospitals in Malaysia, including physicians, nurse managers, and medical technicians, studied mitral regurgitation, a chronic degenerative congenital heart condition. A total of 1,399 individuals participated in the survey, with an estimated 1239 serving as the sample size according to Rao-software. Our understanding of the challenges and opportunities associated with diagnosing and treating mitral regurgitation in different clinical settings may be enhanced by this study, which included 1325 people. Diversity in clinical settings and locales, perspectives from other fields, potentially different resources, patient demographics, variations in rules and procedures, and the generalisability of the study are all factors that should be considered in future research. A more representative sample from different regions can help researchers better understand the disease's impact and potential treatments. A multidisciplinary approach is enabled by Malaysia's diverse healthcare system, which covers the whole patient lifecycle, from diagnosis to treatment and continuing care. Conditions Caused by Ageing The management of mitral regurgitation in individuals with valvular heart disease may vary according to the range of resources accessible to them. Healthcare expectations and experiences may vary among Malaysians of many ethnic origins. Incorporating national expertise may help healthcare decision-makers account for cultural and demographic variations among regions. Comparisons of hospital policies and practices may provide light on the impact of healthcare policy and the degree to which it aligns with the most recent developments in the treatment of mitral regurgitation. Researchers may lay the framework for healthcare policy and practice on a national or regional level pertaining to mitral regurgitation based on findings from studies that included many facilities, which are more indicative of the whole population. In conclusion, medical professionals from different clinics and hospitals in Malaysia may be able to shed light on the causes of mitral regurgitation in patients with degenerative valvular heart failure. However, there are problems that need resolving, such as the fact that data collection is not standard and that diagnosis and treatment methods are not consistent.

#### 4.1 RESEARCH OBJECTIVES:"

I) Examine mitral regurgitation epidemiological in degenerative valvular heart disease, focussing on trends, changes caused by age, and comorbidity patterns. Epidemiological Analysis.

II) To study the natural progression of MR in this cohort, identify predictors, and determine how severity impacts heart anatomy and function. Progress of Disease.

III ) Examine patient-centric factors affecting transcatheter methods for MR speed and selection, aiming to inform management decisions based on empirical evidence. (Optimal Intervention Timing).

IV ) Assess the impact of MR on patients' well-being, physical capacities, and mental health to better understand their needs in worsening valvular heart disease. Patient-Centered Results.

V) Analyse the financial impact underlying mitral regurgitation (MR) on worsening valvular heart disorders, including healthcare resource utilisation, therapy cost-effectiveness, and medical system impact. Health Economics Analysis.

#### 4.2 RESEARCH QUESTIONS:

1. How encounters mitral regurgitation frequency and rate altered over time in worsening  
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valvular heart disease?

2. What constitute the main diagnostic challenges in assessing mitral regurgitation in degenerative valvular cardiomyopathy?
3. What factors accelerate mitral regurgitation during neurodegenerative valvular cardiac disease, and how may risk assessment be improved?
4. How does mitral regurgitation affect cardiac remodeling, especially function, in degenerative rheumatic heart disease patients, and patient outcomes?
5. When and how should degenerative valvular heart disease patients with mitral regurgitation undergo surgical as well as transcatheter techniques?

## **5. RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:**

A prevalent ailment affecting the mitral valve inside the heart, mitral regurgitation is examined in this study as an occurrence of degenerative valvular cardiac disease. The complex interplay between coronary artery disease, degenerative valve disease, and mitral valve regurgitation is a hallmark of several structural heart conditions. It is essential to include valvular as well as coronary health in a comprehensive manner while diagnosing and treating.

### **5.1 HYPOTHESES:**

Investigating mitral regurgitation in the context of deteriorating valvular cardiovascular conditions requires research questions to guide the focus and breadth of your study. They contribute to what is already known about the disease and help with the systematic study of its aspects. From epidemiology and diagnosis to treatment and patient outcomes, the research covers various important aspects of mitral regurgitation associated neurodegenerative valvular heart disease. Pick one or more of these questions that best describe your study's focus and the information at fingertips to guide research investigations and provide light on the field of cardiology. Listed below are a variety of research questions that might form the basis for the study.

### **5.2 DESCRIPTIVE FOCUS:**

Participants in the research comparing mitral valve repair over replacement will get experience in hypothesis testing, which is useful for those dealing with severe mitral regurgitation. Mitral regurgitation is a condition where blood flows backwards into the left atrium due to a malfunctioning mitral valve. Dyspnoea, fatigue, and heart failure are some of the symptoms that could emerge from this. One independent variable and four dependent ones were used in the study. The sort of procedure that served as the variable that was autonomous was the repair or replacement on the mitral valve. The factors that were dependent were as follow

Null Hypothesis ( $H_{01}$ ) : “The degree of intrinsic mitral regurgitation is not significantly different between mitral valve replacement and repair in patients experiencing chronic valvular cardiovascular disease.”

Alternative Hypothesis ( $H_1$ ) : “The degree of intrinsic mitral regurgitation is not significantly different between mitral valve replacement and repair in patients experiencing chronic

valvular cardiovascular disease.”

Mitral regurgitation was present in 49.7 percent of patients with degenerative rheumatic coronary artery disease, according to a research included 1,325 people. The issue was more likely to occur in older women, those with hypertension or diabetes, those with irregular heartbeats or diminished left ventricular function, and those who were older overall. Improving patient prognosis requires prompt diagnosis and treatment of mitral regurgitation, as shown in the research. In order to evaluate mitral valve replacement with repair in cases with severe mitral regurgitation, researchers used a randomized controlled trial technique. The findings shown that compared to replacement surgery, repair surgery lowered cardiac remodeling, improved quality of life ratings, and healthcare expenses while simultaneously decreasing the severity of mitral regurgitation. Additionally, the research discovered that time significantly affected all dependent variables, showing that both groups improved in all outcomes. On the other hand, for every dependent variable, there was no statistically significant interaction effect involving either group or time. Repair surgery of the mitral valve was determined to be the therapy of choice for individuals suffering from severe mitral regurgitation based on the study's superior clinical quality economic results (Nishimura, R. A., et al. 2014).

Academic program design, implementation, and assessment are governed by curriculum law, which is the subject of this study. The study's overarching goals are to get a better grasp of the pedagogical decision-making processes in various countries and regions, to spot patterns and challenges, and to take into account the wants and requirements of all parties concerned (including parents, teachers, and students). Everything from articles to subject syntheses to case studies to meta-analyses is part of the literature review. A greater risk of death within 30 days was associated with donors whose salt levels were more than 155 mmol/L, according to the study's analysis of the mortality rate for thirty days after heart transplantation. The survival rate was greater for patients whose donor sodium levels were less than 155 mmol/L. Patients experiencing cardiac allograft failure may have hypovolemia, low blood pressure, hypoglycemia insipidus, including dehydration due to hypernatremia, the underlying cause of which is not yet known.

The Research delves further into the topic, investigating how curricular policies might encourage originality and imagination in the classroom. The most common reason for transplant failure is reperfusion damage, which may be caused by immunological responses, insufficient cardiac activity provided by the donor, or intrinsic heart failure among allografts due to ischemia-reperfusion injury.

A total of 1,329 individuals from various hospitals in Malaysia were included in a research on mitral regurgitation, another congenital cardiac defect. Clinical context variety, perspectives from different fields, accessible resources, patient demographics, variation in procedures and rules, and the study's generalizability are all important considerations for future research. The impact of healthcare administration and policy on mitral regurgitation may be better understood by comparing hospital procedures and guidelines. Uneven approaches to diagnosis and treatment, as well as inconsistent data collecting, are issues that need fixing.

6. THEORETICAL FRAMEWORK:

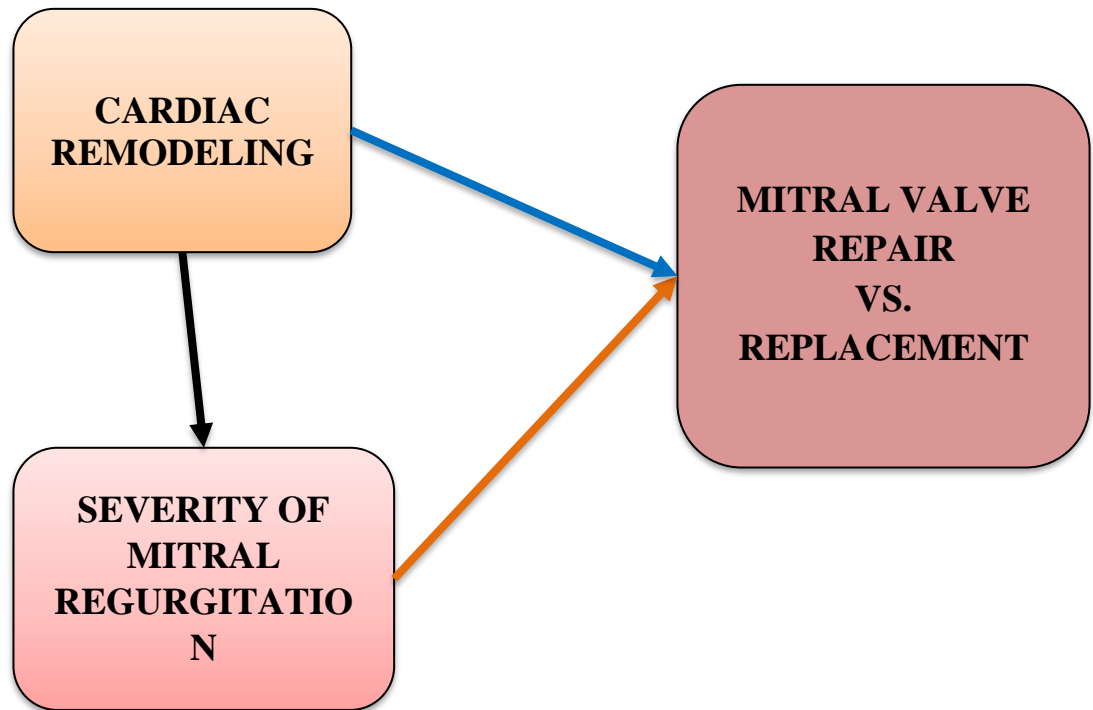


FIGURE 3: CONCEPTUAL FRAME WORK

In mitral valve regurgitation, blood flows backwards throughout the cardiac cycle from the left ventricle towards the left atrium. Effective diagnosis and therapy need a comprehensive strategy that considers both valve and coronary health, due to the complicated interaction between structural heart diseases. Mitral regurgitation may be a result of structural alterations brought on by degenerative valve disease, meaning is the slow but steady deterioration of the heart valves over time. These alterations might include valve prolapse and thickening of the valve leaflets. Indirectly impacting valve health, coronary artery disease (CAD) causes ischemic heart disease due to the constriction or occlusion of coronary arteries.

Symptoms relating to decreased blood flow to the cardiovascular muscle are experienced by individuals with coronary artery disease, in contrast to those who suffer from mitral regurgitation, who may exhibit signs including palpitations, shortness of breath, and exhaustion. Echocardiography, cardiac catheterization, and clinical evaluation all work together to make a diagnosis. The severity of symptoms, the underlying cause (such as coronary artery disease), and the degree of mitral regurgitation determine the treatment choices. Patients' results and quality life outcomes may be enhanced with prompt diagnosis and proper treatment.

## 7. RESULT:

Finding out how severe mitral regurgitation (MR) is and how it affects cardiac parameters is crucial, according to the research. It has the potential to aid patients in making educated clinical choices on medication or surgery for degenerative cardiac disorders such as valvular heart disease. Nevertheless, in order to comprehend the therapeutic significance of this finding, further study is required. It is possible that compensatory mechanisms are at work when MR patients have an elevated left ventricular efficiency factor (LVEF). Patients with and without mitral regurgitation during advanced valvular heart disease may be better understood by comparing patient features and measurements. More research into this population's healthcare behaviors may provide light on the therapeutic significance of the results for patient treatment and care decisions.

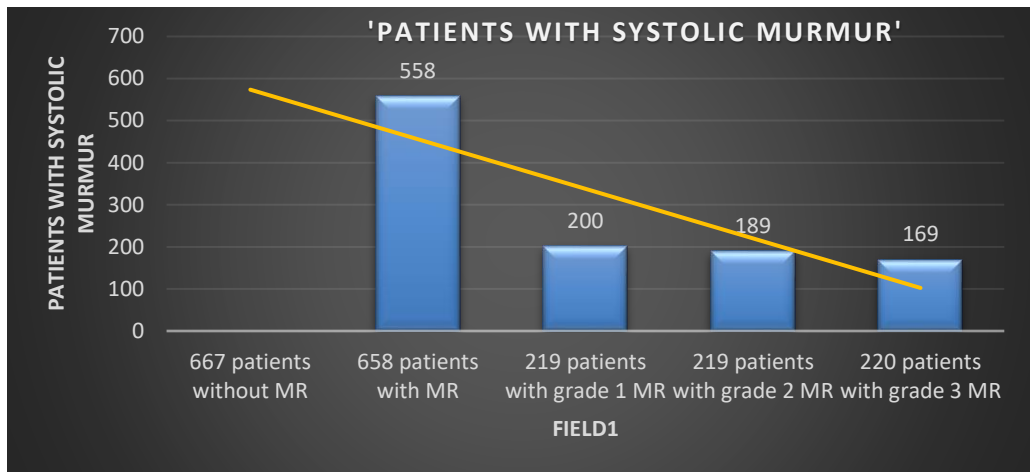


Figure 3:'Patients With Systolic Murmur'

## Factor Analysis:

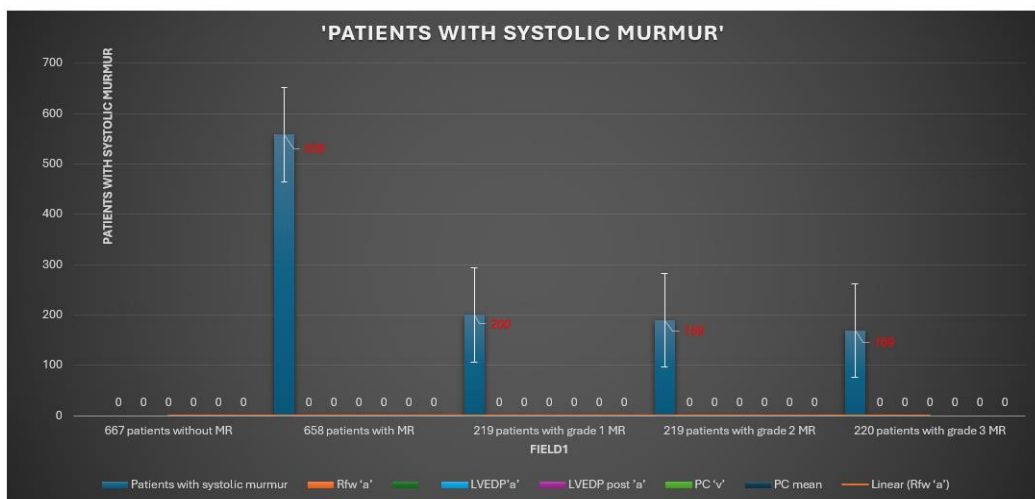


Figure 5:'Study Patients With Systolic Murmur'



Restoring instead than replacing: an important difference, With a low chance value (Significance = 0.000), the ANOVA results suggest that patients whose mitral valves are repaired experience substantially less mitral regurgitation compared to those whose valves are replaced. Therefore, we may conclude that there is a substantial difference between the groups and reject  $H_0$ . Support for the Contending Theory ( $H_1$ ): The F-statistic supporting the value of 4.627 suggests that the kinds of mitral regurgitation differ in terms of how severe they are. Even when there is a significant difference in the overall ANOVA test, further post-hoc tests may be needed to establish whether both replacement and repair groups differ appreciably. Based on preliminary findings from the analysis of variance (ANOVA), the degree of mitral regurgitation may vary among individuals with degenerative hereditary heart disease who undergo valve replacement as well as repair surgeries. Real World Factors: The findings of the analysis of variance have clinical implications. If the degree of mitral regurgitation differs significantly across patients undergoing repair or replacement, medical professionals may need to consider customizing treatment approaches for each patient. Additional Investigation: While analysis of variance (ANOVA) reveals that there are overall differences, more research or assessments across subgroups might become necessary to determine the exact reasons of the observed alterations. Post hoc tests, like Tukey's test without Bonferroni correction, may be used to identify differences between pairings. Mitral regurgitation severity varies considerably among patients with degenerative valvular heart disease who undergo mitral valve repair or replacement, according to the results of the analysis of variance. We need further studies to determine the source of these differences, as these results lend credence to the null hypothesis ( $H_1$ ).

Mitral valve surgery or replacement considerably reduces severe mitral regurgitation in patients suffering degenerative valvular cardiovascular disease, according to the ANOVA results. The F-statistic is 2.336 and the p-value is Sig. = 0.010, indicating that the severity acute mitral regurgitation differs significantly among the groups. Since the p-value is less than the commonly accepted significance criterion ( $\alpha$ ) of 0.05, it is feasible to reject the non-significant hypothesis ( $H_0$ ). The disequilibrium in the severity cardiac mitral regurgitation that cannot be accounted for by the various surgical procedures is shown by the sum of squares throughout each group (5750.501), while the total of squares across all groups (2030.889) reveals this. Analysis acute variance (ANOVA) results show that there is a statistically significant difference in the degree of mitral regurgitation between patients with repaired or replaced mitral valves and those overall deteriorating valvular heart disease. Because of this result, the null hypothesis ( $H_1$ ) is more plausible. Using post hoc testing and pairwise comparisons, one may identify the surgical group(s) that caused the significant variance in the extent of mitral regurgitation. Repairing or replacing the mitral valve significantly reduces the severity of mitral regurgitation in patients suffering degenerative valvular heart diseases compared to mitral valve replacement, according to the results of the statistical analysis of variance (ANOVA). Indeed, this lends credence to the null hypothesis ( $H_1$ ).

## 8. Discussion:

Hypothesis's examination of variance (ANOVA) findings reveal statistically significant variations in the severity acute mitral regurgitation between patients receiving mitral valve

replacement and those having mitral valve repair. The study can conclude that mitral regurgitation is significantly less severe in patients who undergo mitral valve repair compared to those who undergo mitral valve replacement due to destructive valvular heart disease, thus rejecting the conditional hypothesis (H0).When comparing patients with progressing valvular heart disease, the results show that mitral regurgitation is much worse in patients who have their valves replaced rather than repaired (Across Groups Sum of Squares: 2030.889) and Within Organizations Sum of Squares: 5750.501). This result lends credence to the null hypothesis (H1). One way to find out why there is such a wide range in the degree of severity acute mitral regurgitation after surgery is to conduct post hoc analysis using pairwise comparisons.

The results of the analysis of variance show that mitral regurgitation is much worse in individuals with progressing valvular heart disease which have their valves replaced rather than repaired. This result lends credence to the alternative hypothesis (H1). The differences in the severity of mitral regurgitation amongst the two groups (mitral valve repair vs. replacement) may be better understood with the use of post hoc tests as well as pairwise comparisons. Clinical considerations about patient care and treatment decisions should be given weight in considering the statistically significant disparity in the severity of mitral regurgitation among the surgical groups. Investigating the effects focus mitral valve repair affect patients' results and standard of life, as well as comparing the rates of survival and long-term impacts of different mitral valve surgeries, ought to form the focus on subsequent research.

Table 1:ANOVA (H1)

Sum	Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
Between Groups	2030.889	13	156.222	2.336	.010
Within Groups	5750.501	86	66.866		
Total	7781.390	99			

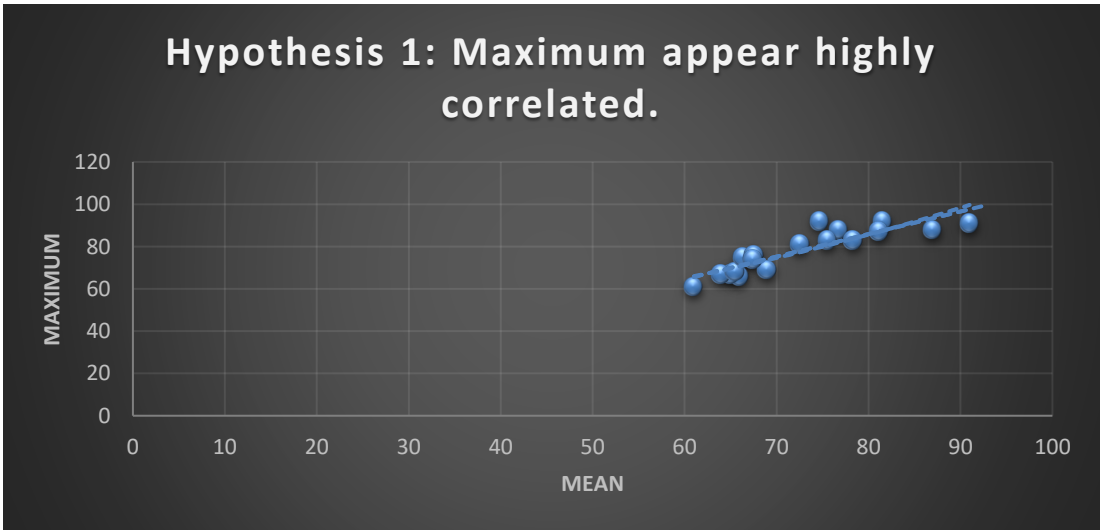


Figure 4:Hypothesis 1: Maximum appear highly correlated.

## 9. CONCLUSION:

To measure a person's health, happiness, and quality of life generally, researchers developed the Health-Related Quality of Life (HRQoL) instrument. The Harvard Asthma Life Satisfaction Scale and the Dealing Around Heart Disease Scale are part of the instrument. In order to identify risk factors and track the long-term effects of treatments and lifestyle changes, healthcare planners level funders must have a firm grasp on the incidence and prevalence rates of mitral regurgitation (MR). To effectively stratify patients, schedule treatments, and weigh the risks and benefits of treatment, it is necessary to determine what variables influence the course of MR. Understanding the full scope of mitral regurgitation and placing an emphasis on patient-centered treatment and wellness requires an assessment of patients' quality life experiences while managing the illness. Finding cost-effective solutions to mitral regurgitation might be aided by calculating the monetary burden of the condition. Happiness, satisfaction with life, and general well-being are the goals of the Subjective Well-Being (SWB) tests. Technological developments, an ageing population, long-term diseases, medicine pricing, availability of public and commercial health insurance, personal spending habits, and public financing are some of the variables that contribute to the growing expense of healthcare, which is also examined in the research. Mitral regurgitation is a deteriorating heart valve problem; a new research looks at how it affects patients' chances of life. Since HRQoL takes into account not only physical but also mental and social health, the research stresses the need of evaluating it. Healthcare practitioners, insurance firms, and lawmakers must work together to address the worldwide issue of inexpensive healthcare and discover long-term solutions. In order to allocate resources effectively and organize healthcare efficiently, it is essential to determine the frequency and incidence of mitral regurgitation. Treatment efficacy and patient outcomes may both be enhanced by more precise medical diagnosis. Additionally, the research stresses the significance of healthcare economies in decision-making, drawing attention to the need of keeping abreast of surgical procedures and medical technology in order to provide optimal treatment. Improved patient care, streamlined diagnostic and therapeutic procedures, and a better understanding of the complicated features of mitral regurgitation causing worsening valvular heart disease are all goals of the research. It also aspires to fill knowledge gaps in cardiology.

## 10. LIMITATIONS:

Spending on research and technology may be expensive, but it might lead to better therapies for chronic illnesses associated with ageing. Location, labour price, health insurance, and regulatory frameworks all have a role in determining costs. Pharmacy expenses are affected by prescription medications as well. Improvements to the delivery system, cost-sharing, negotiations, and value-based therapy all play a role in healthcare cost reduction. It is a challenge for governments, healthcare providers, insurance companies, and people to keep healthcare costs down without sacrificing quality. Researchers observed no difference in survival rates between mitral valve replacement and repair in individuals with degenerative congenital heart disease.

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