

The background of the slide is a grayscale image of an ultrasound machine's control panel. At the top, there are four buttons labeled 'Img Qual. HGen', 'Persistence 2', 'Time 1', and 'Gray Map 5'. Below these are various knobs and buttons, including 'Patient', 'Probe', 'Review', 'Report', 'End Exam', 'Cine', 'Text', 'Body Mark', 'Cursor', 'Angle+Steer', 'Measure', 'Update', 'Calliper', 'Zoom', 'Freeze', 'Print', 'TGC', 'Depth', 'Focus', 'P', 'Save', 'Quad', 'Single', 'Dual', 'Color', 'Power', 'M', 'CW', '4D', 'iTouch', and 'Set'.

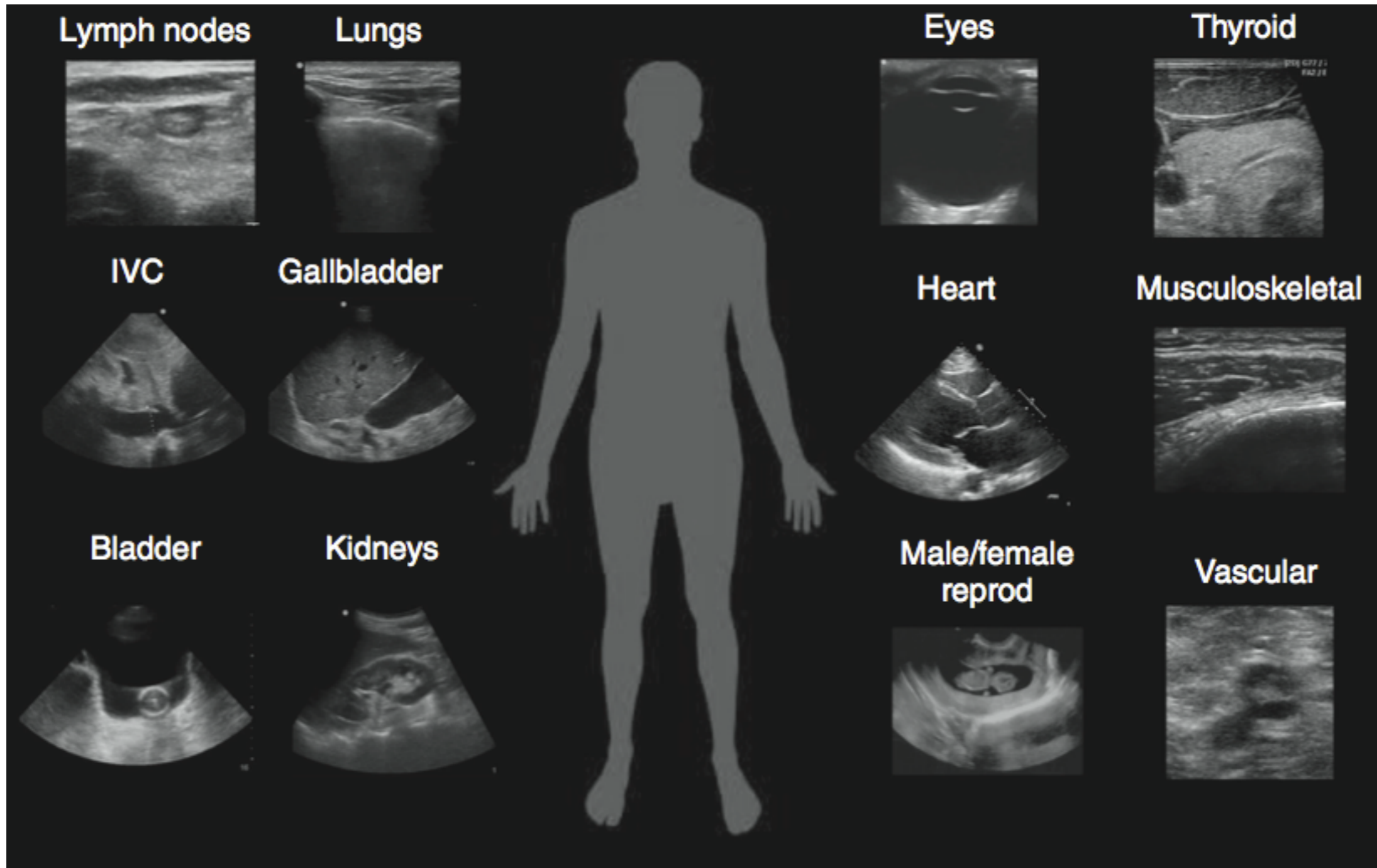
# Ultrasound

## physics, knobs & probes

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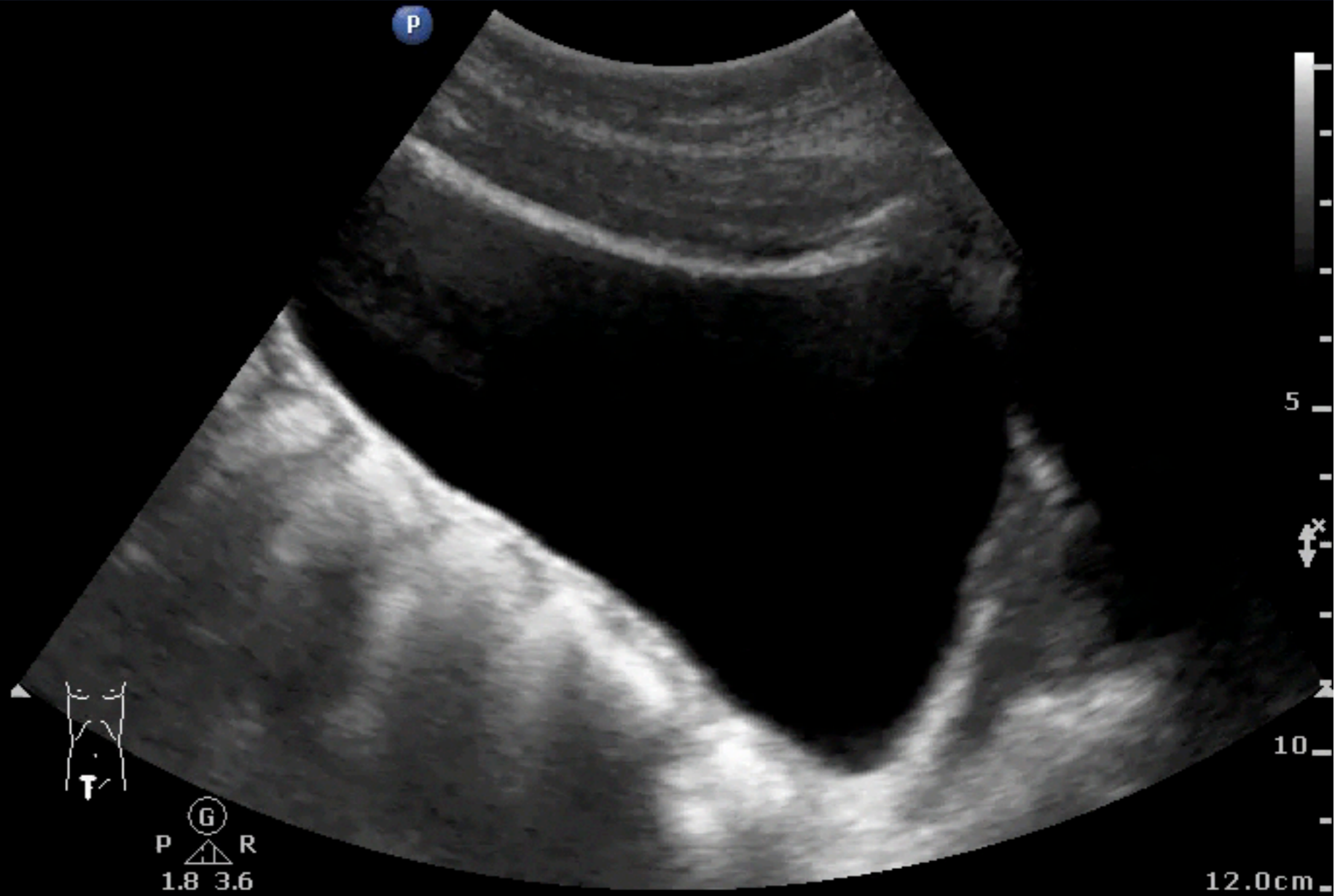
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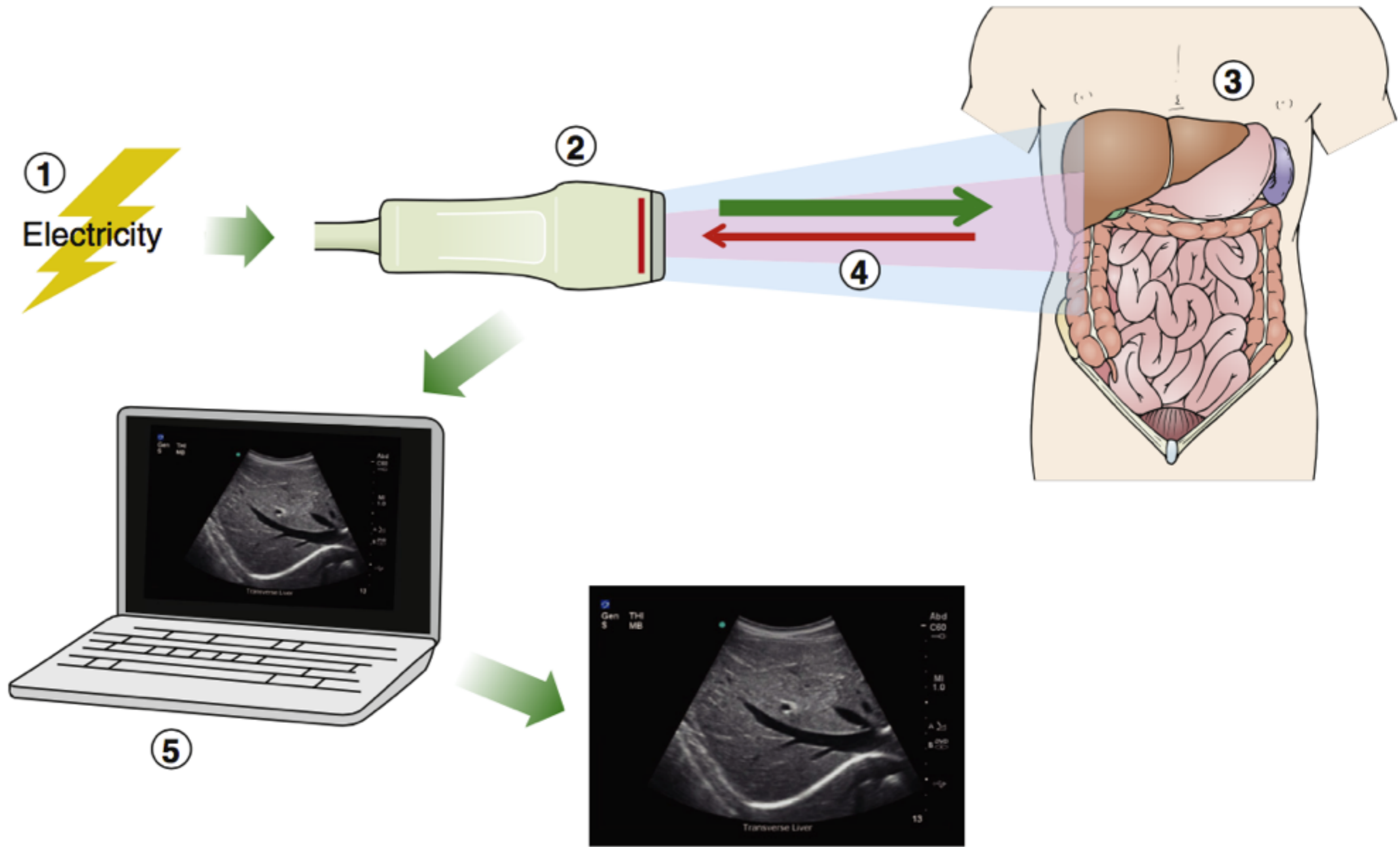
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Abd Gen  
C5-1  
39 Hz  
12.0cm

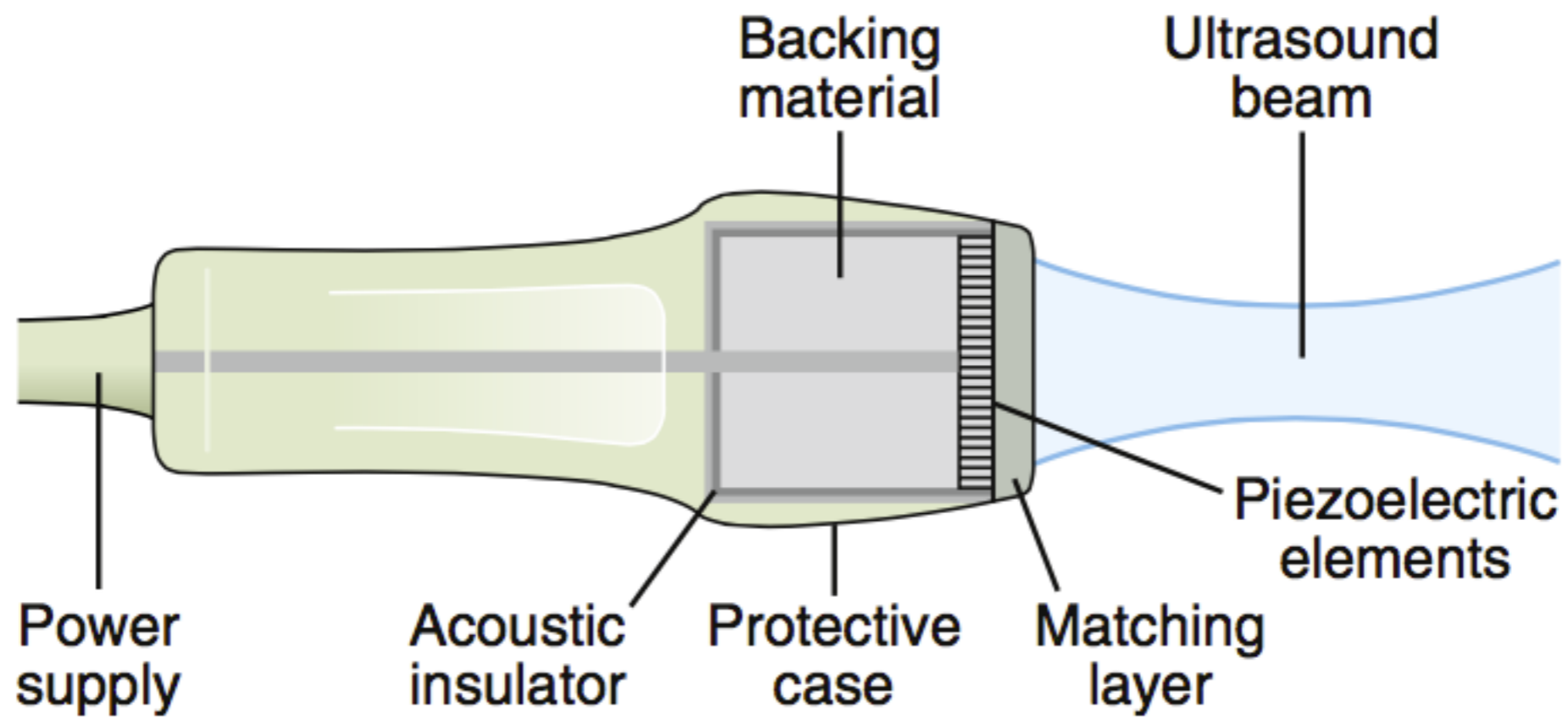
2D  
HGen  
Gn 63  
C 56  
3 / 3 / 3

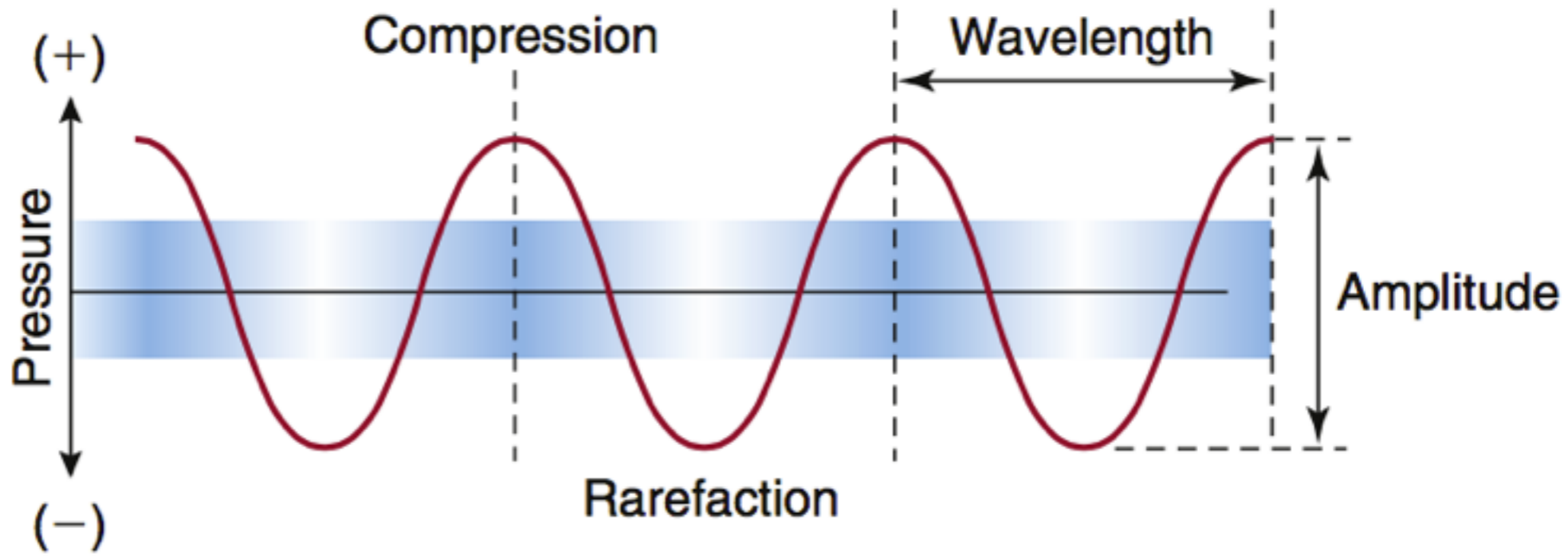


12.0cm



# Transducer





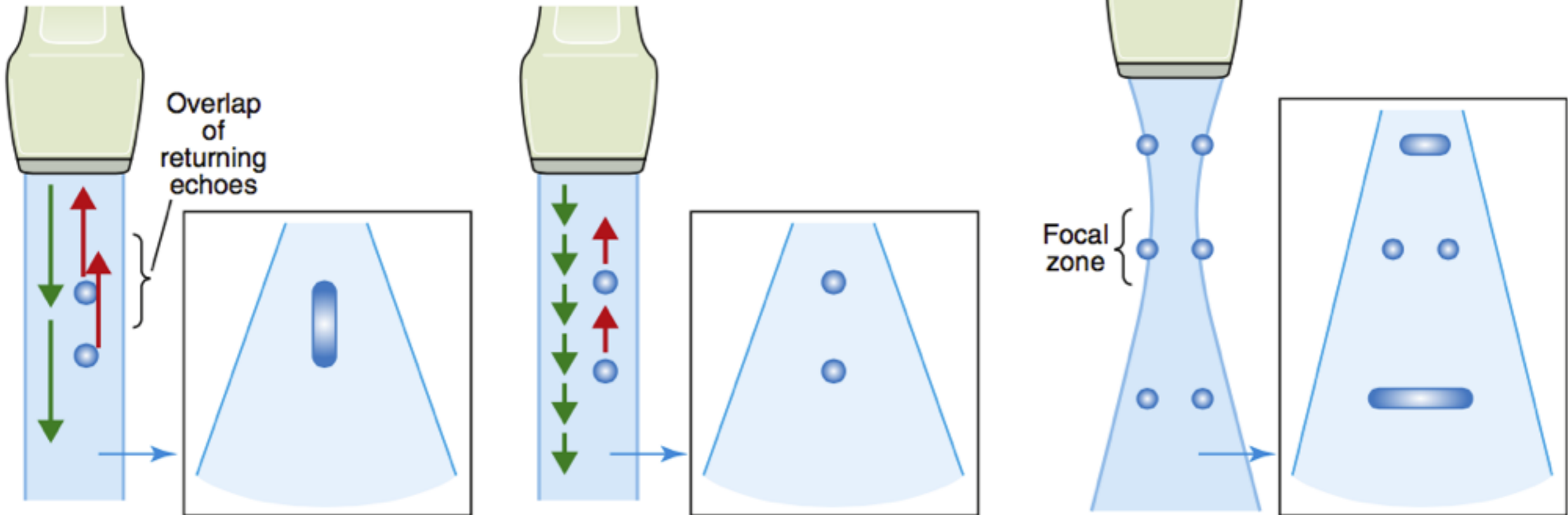
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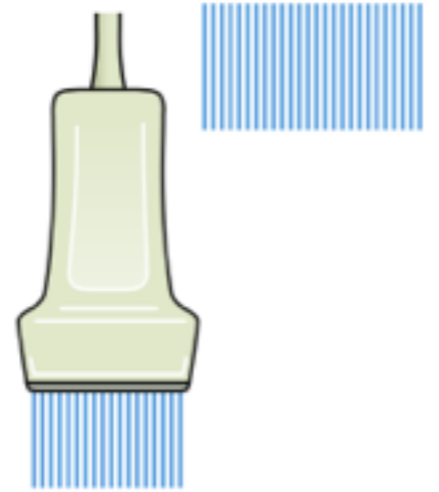
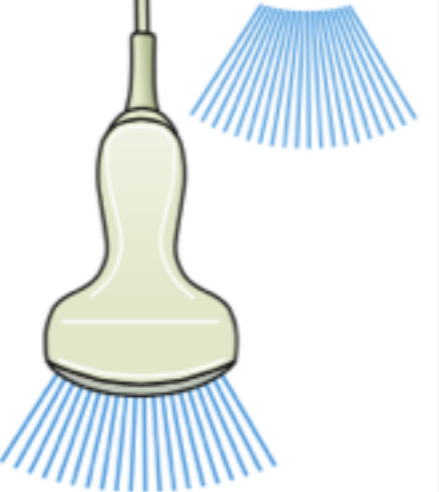
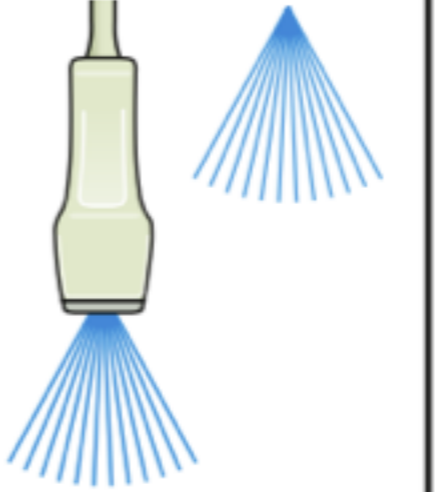
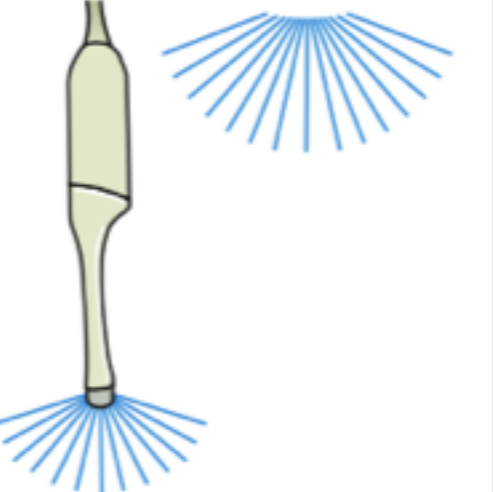


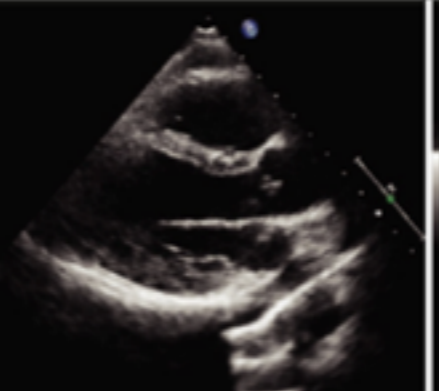
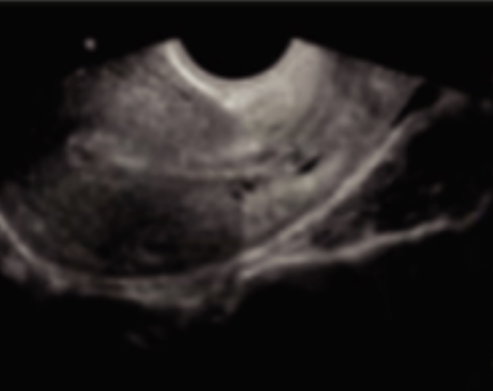
Axial resolution

Lateral resolution

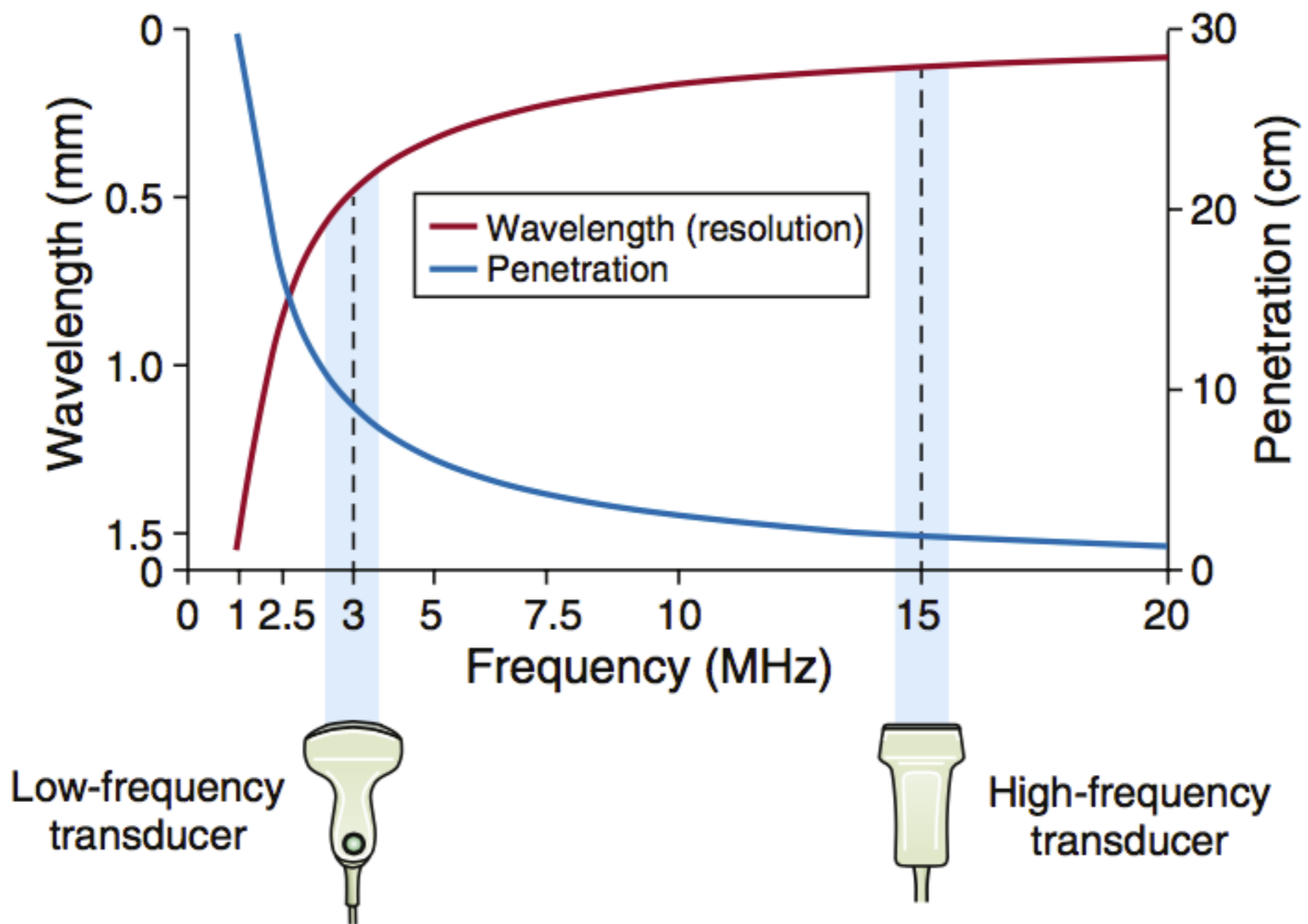
Lower frequency

Higher frequency



Transducer type	Linear	Curvilinear	Phased array	Intracavitary
				
Frequency range	5–10 MHz	2–5 MHz	1–5 MHz	5–8 MHz
Imaging depth	9 cm	30 cm	35 cm	13 cm
Footprint				
Image				
Applications	Arteries/veins Procedures Pleura Skin/soft tissues Musculoskeletal Testicles/hernia Eyes Breast	Gallbladder Liver Kidney Bladder Abdominal aorta Abdominal free fluid Uterus/ovaries	Heart Inferior vena cava Lungs Pleura Abdomen	Uterus/ovaries Pharynx





Abd Gen  
 C5-1  
 39 Hz  
 12.0cm

2D

HGen  
 Gn 63  
 C 56  
 3 / 3 / 3

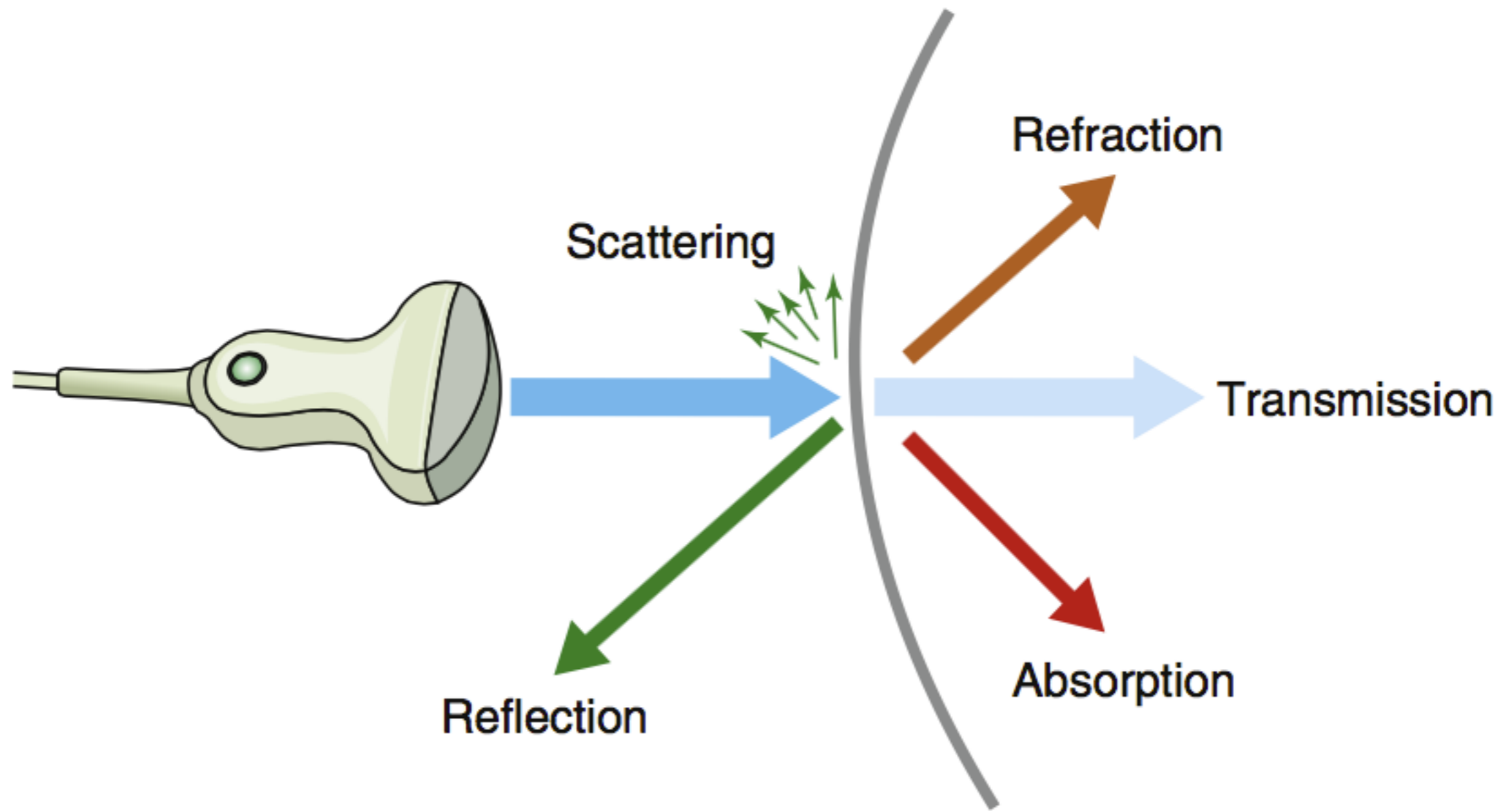


**TABLE 2.1 ■ Acoustic Impedance of Different Tissues<sup>6-8</sup>**

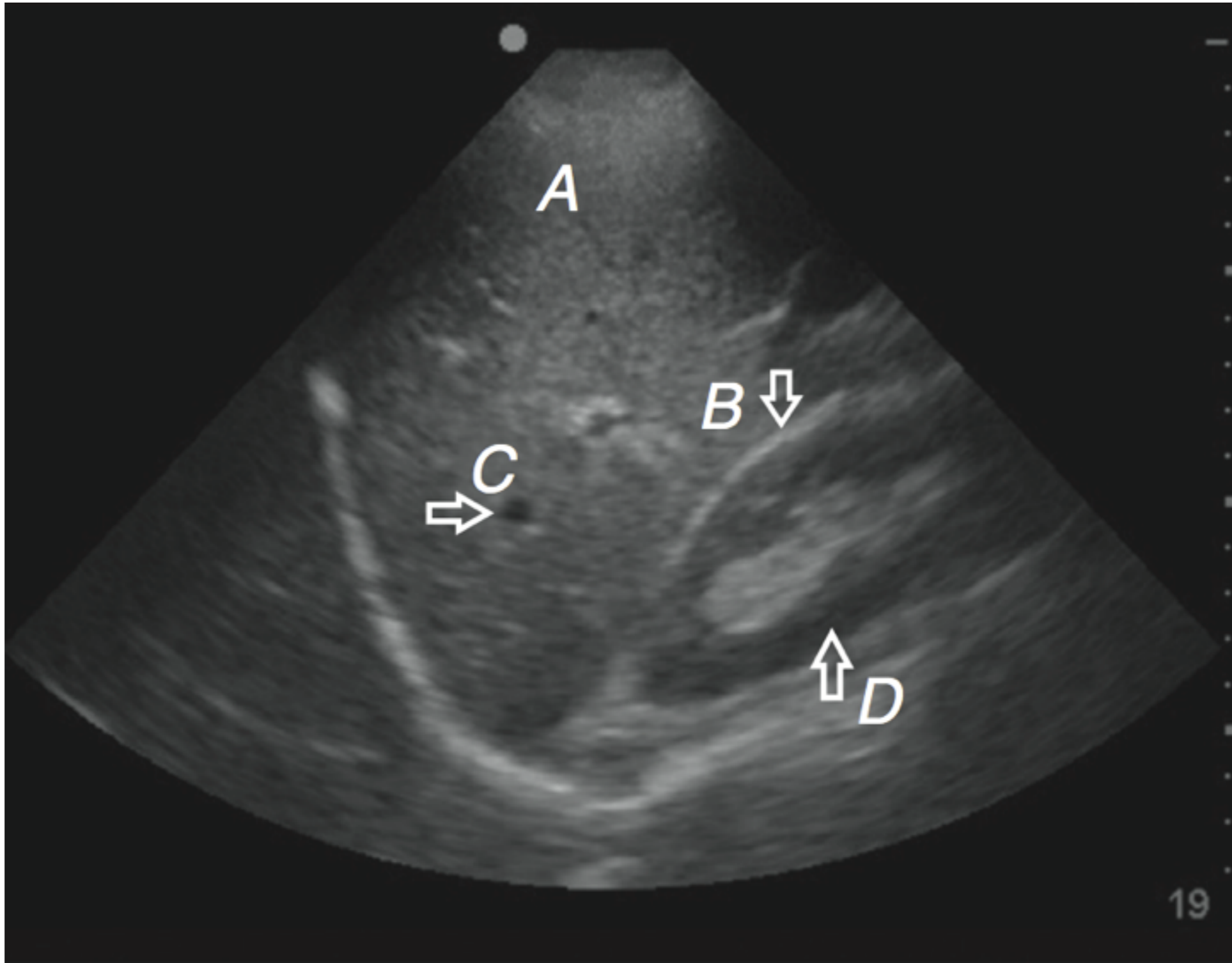
Tissue or Material	Density (g/cm <sup>3</sup> )	Speed of Sound (m/s)	Acoustic Impedance (kg/(s m <sup>2</sup> )) × 10 <sup>6</sup>
Air	0.001225	340	0.0004
Fat	0.95	1450	1.38
Blood	1.055	1575	1.66
Liver	1.06	1590	1.69
Bone	1.9	4080	7.75
Metal (e.g., titanium)	4.5	5090	22.9

**TABLE 2.2 ■ Attenuation Coefficients  
of Different Materials**

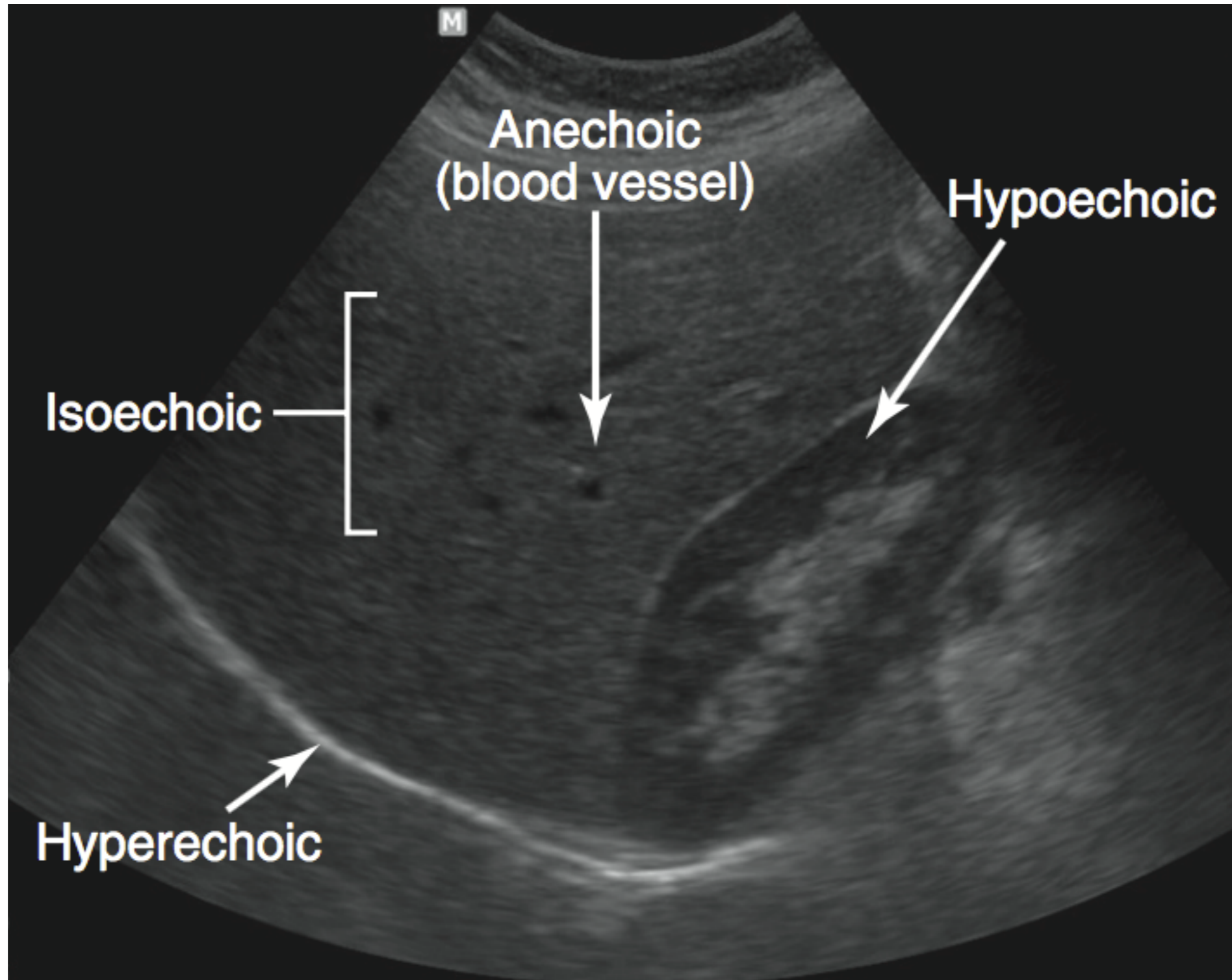
<b>Tissue or Material</b>	<b>Attenuation (dB/cm/MHz)</b>
Water	0.0022
Blood	0.15
Soft tissues	0.75
Air	7.50
Bone	15.00



# Mode & Echogenicity ?



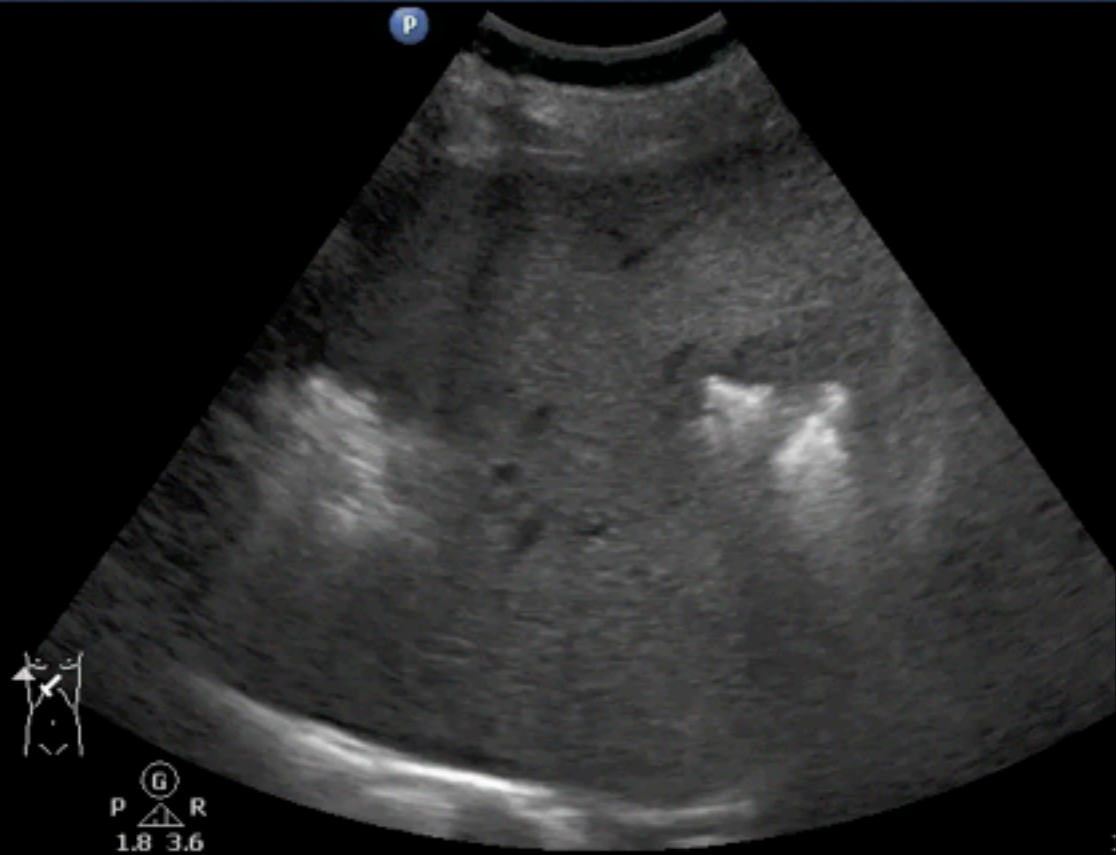
# Brightness mode



# Which probe is better ?

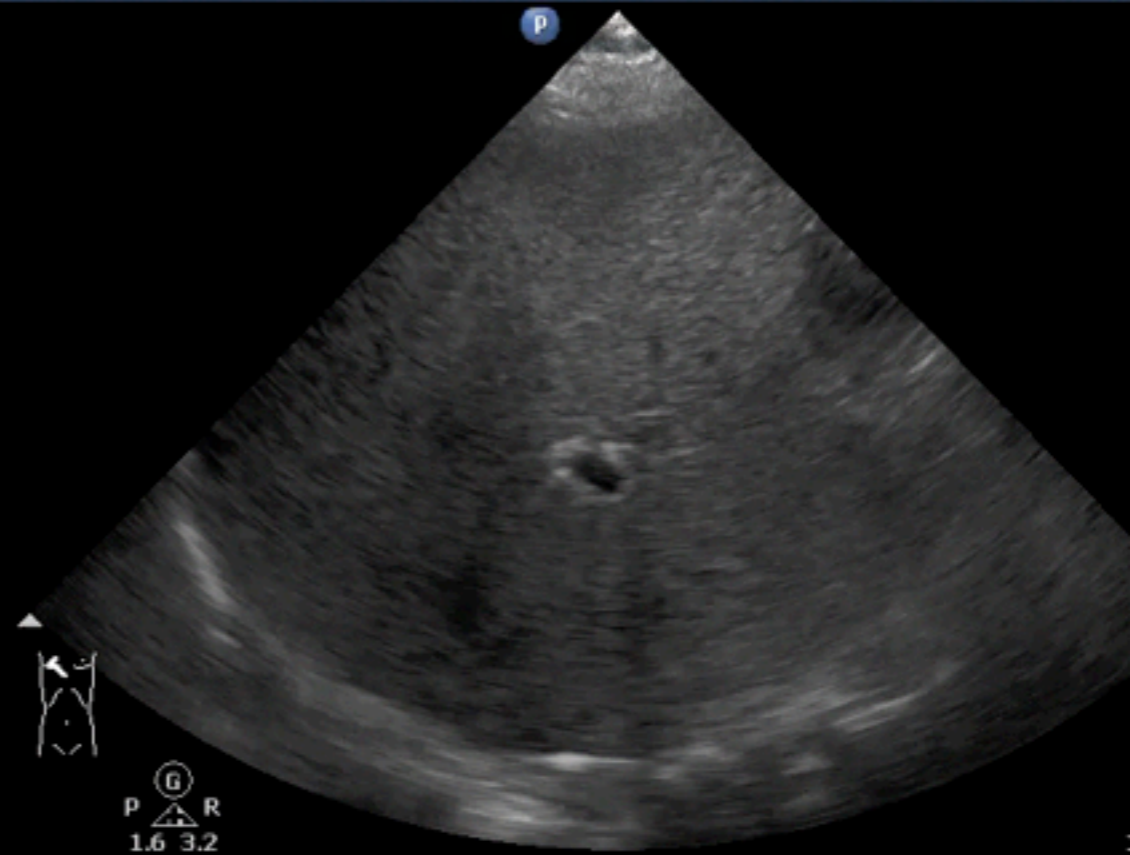
Abd Gen  
C5-1  
30 Hz  
18.0cm

2D  
HGen  
Gn 60  
C 56  
3/3/3

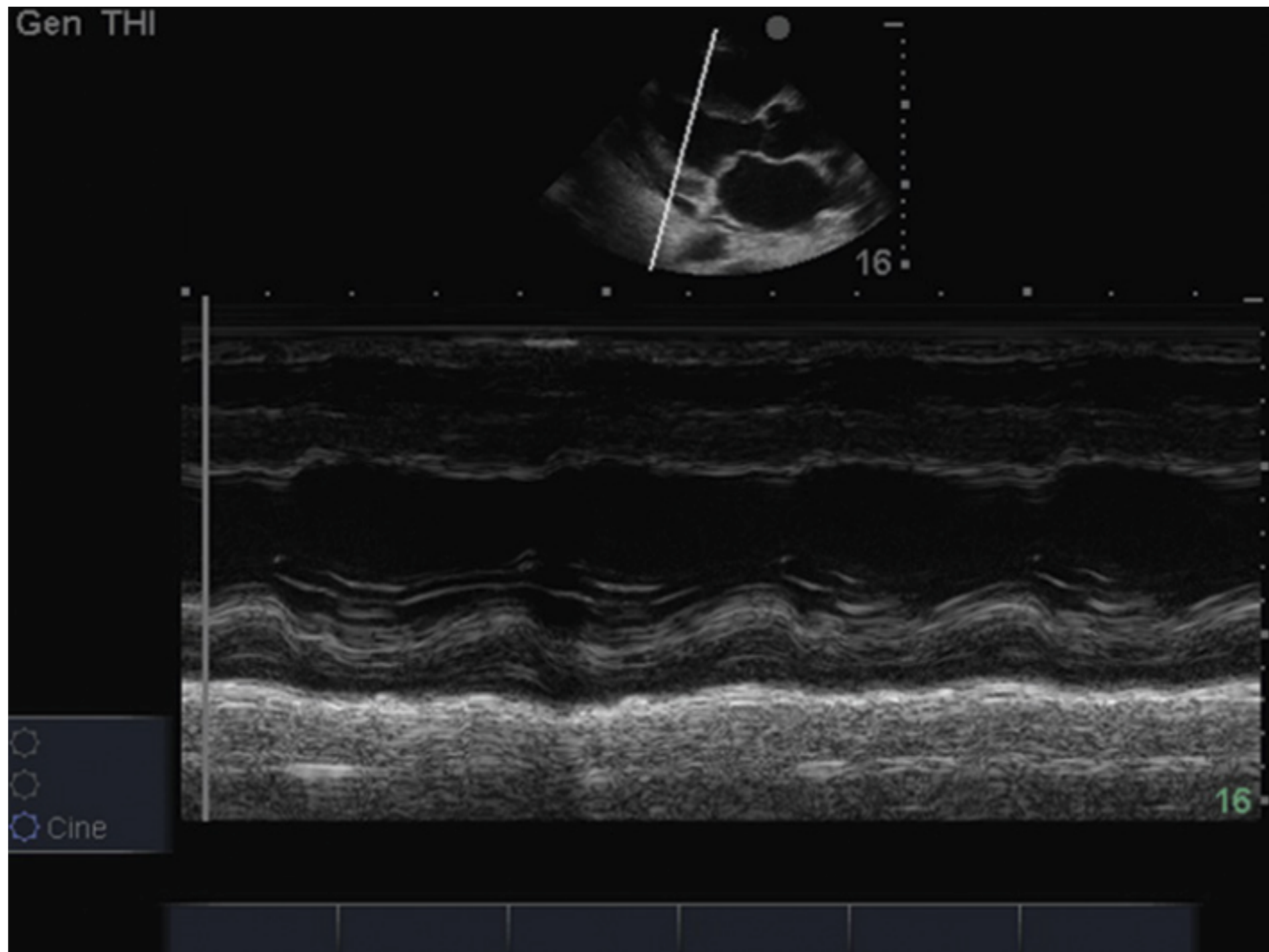


Abd Gen  
S5-1  
18 Hz  
19.0cm

2D  
HGen  
Gn 46  
C 56  
3/3/4



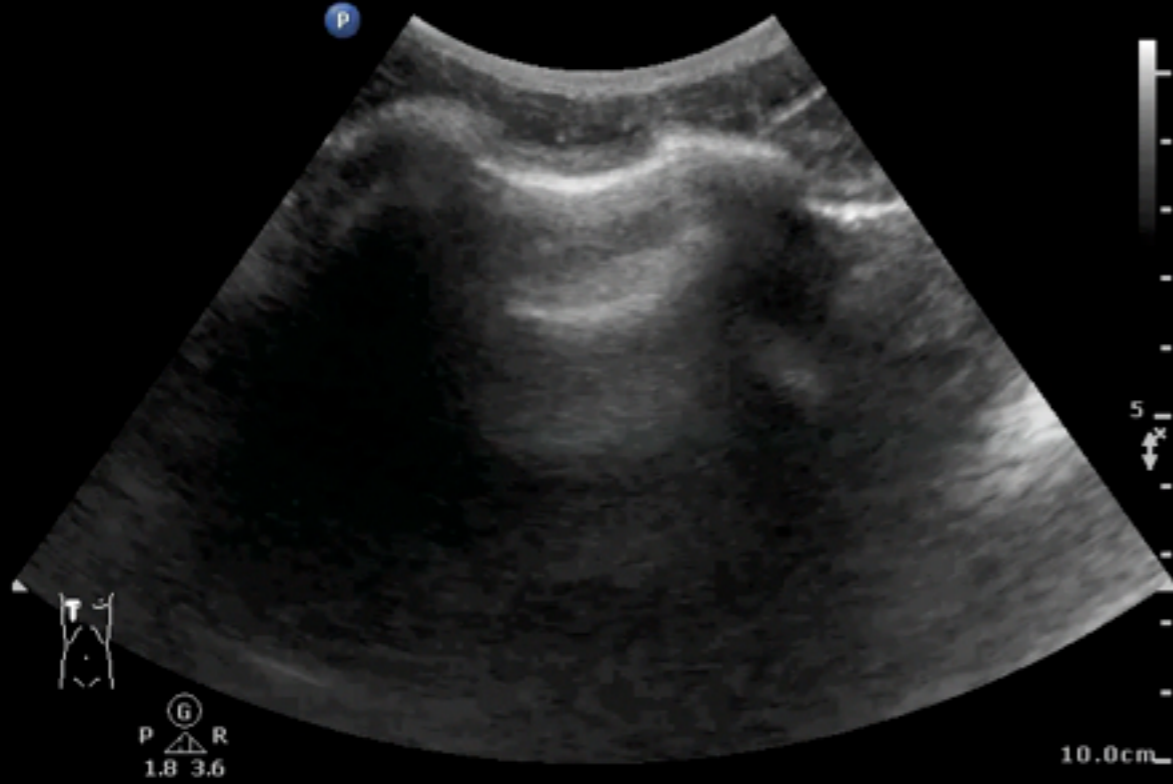
# Mode ?



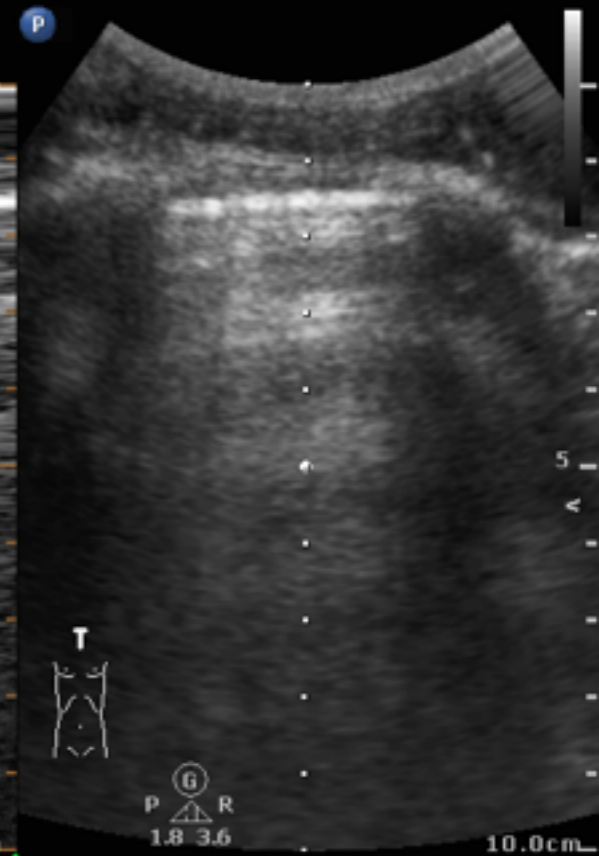
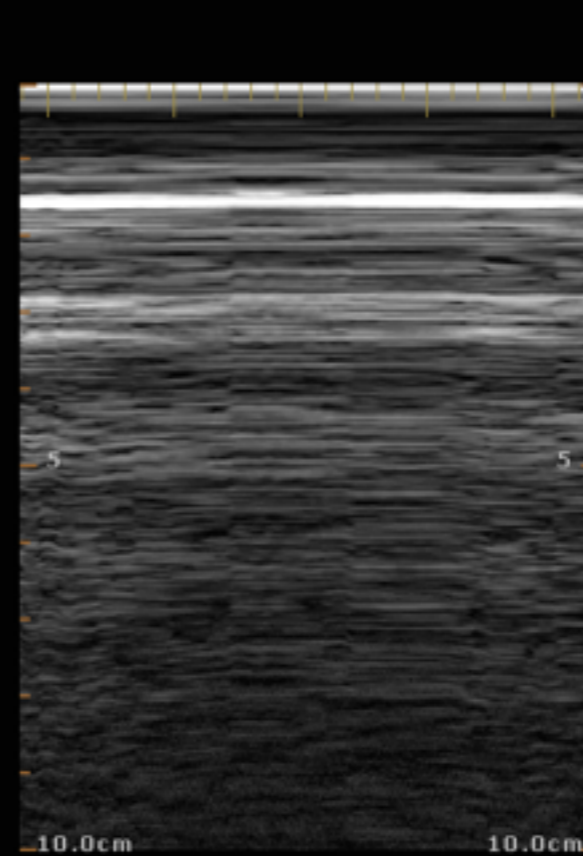


# To record **motion**

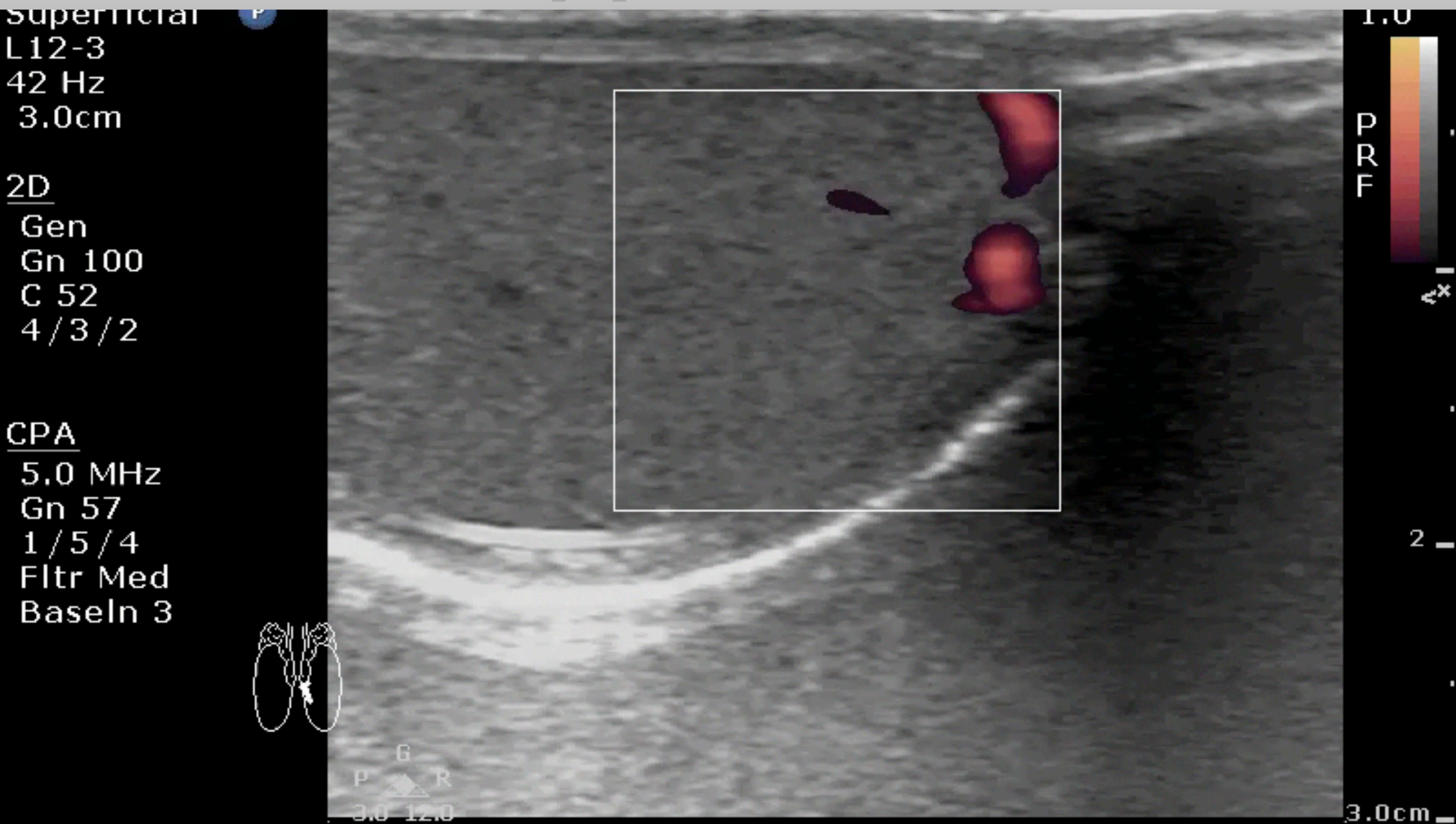
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45 Hz  
10.0cm  
  
2D  
HGen  
Gn 100  
C 56  
3/3/3



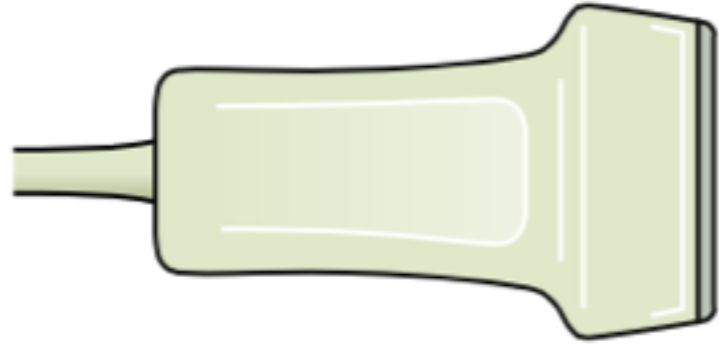
Abd Gen  
C5-1  
42 Hz  
10.0cm  
  
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5 - M-mode  
1/2  
25 mm/s



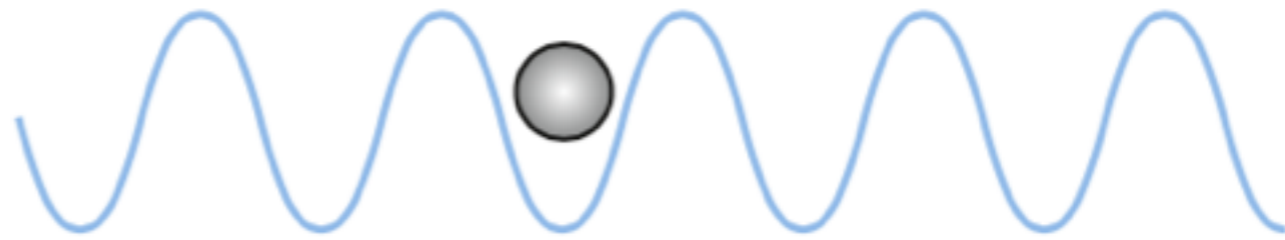
# Power Doppler for **low flow**



**Stationary transducer**

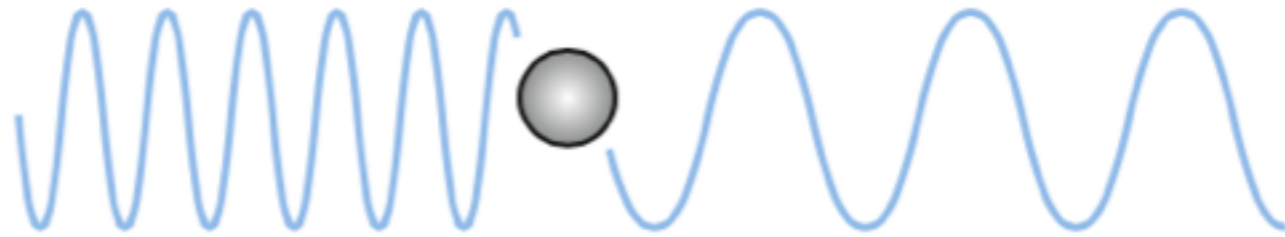
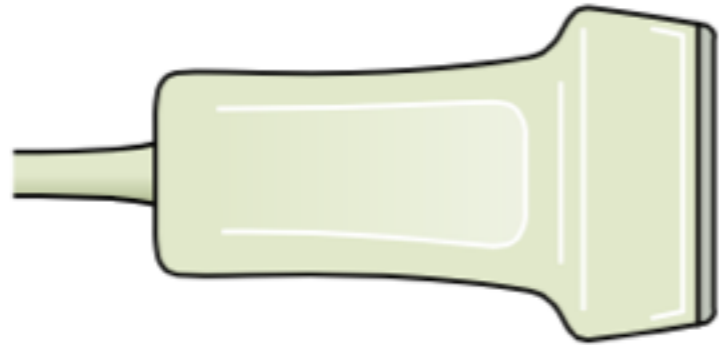


**Stationary reflector**



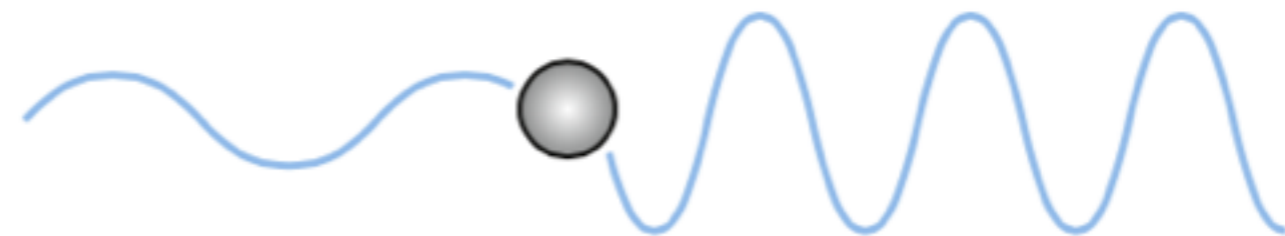
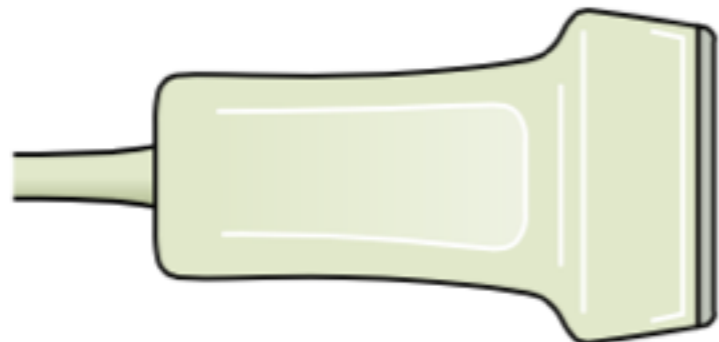
**No change  
in frequency**

**Reflector moving  
toward transducer**

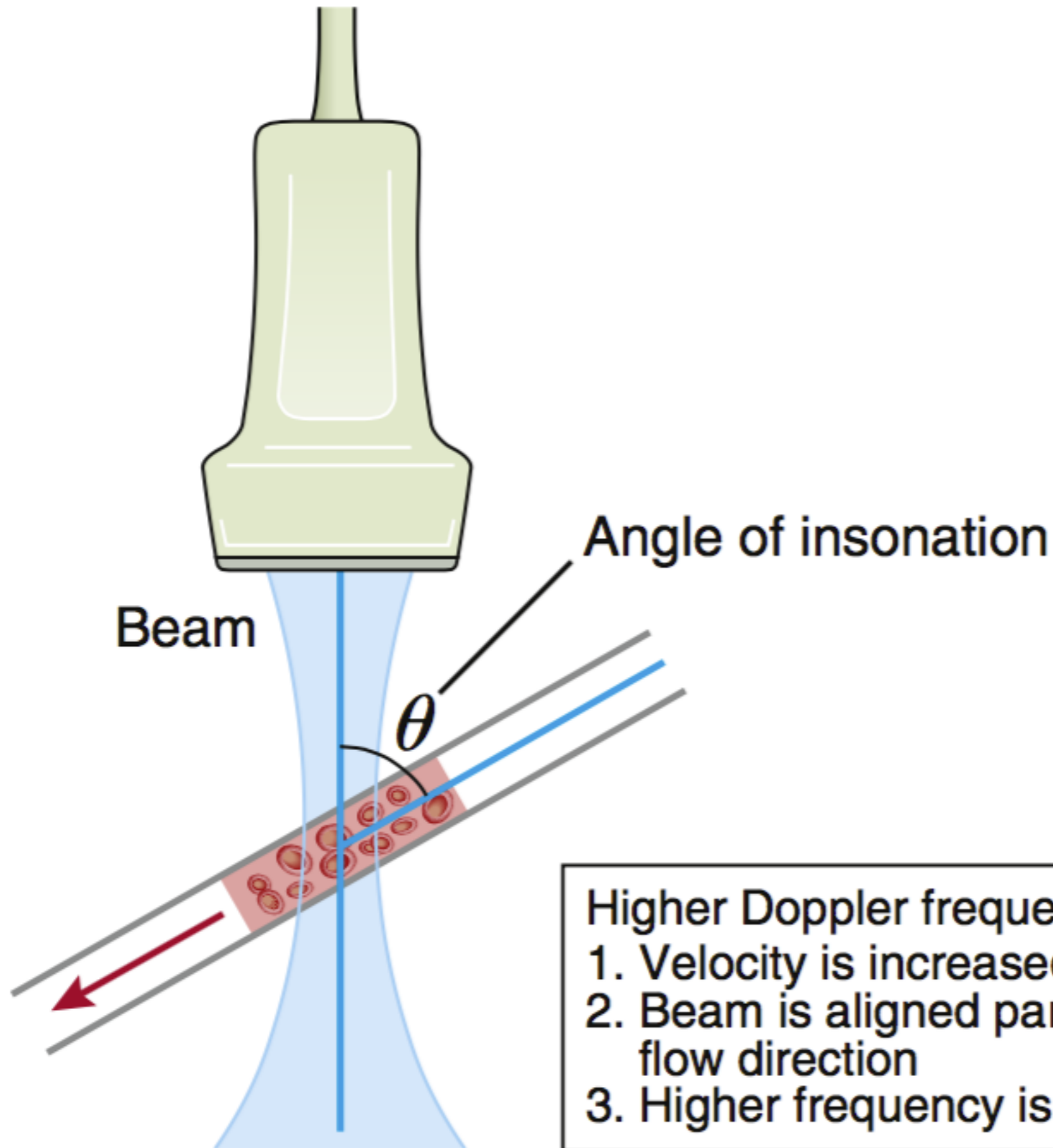


**Frequency increased**

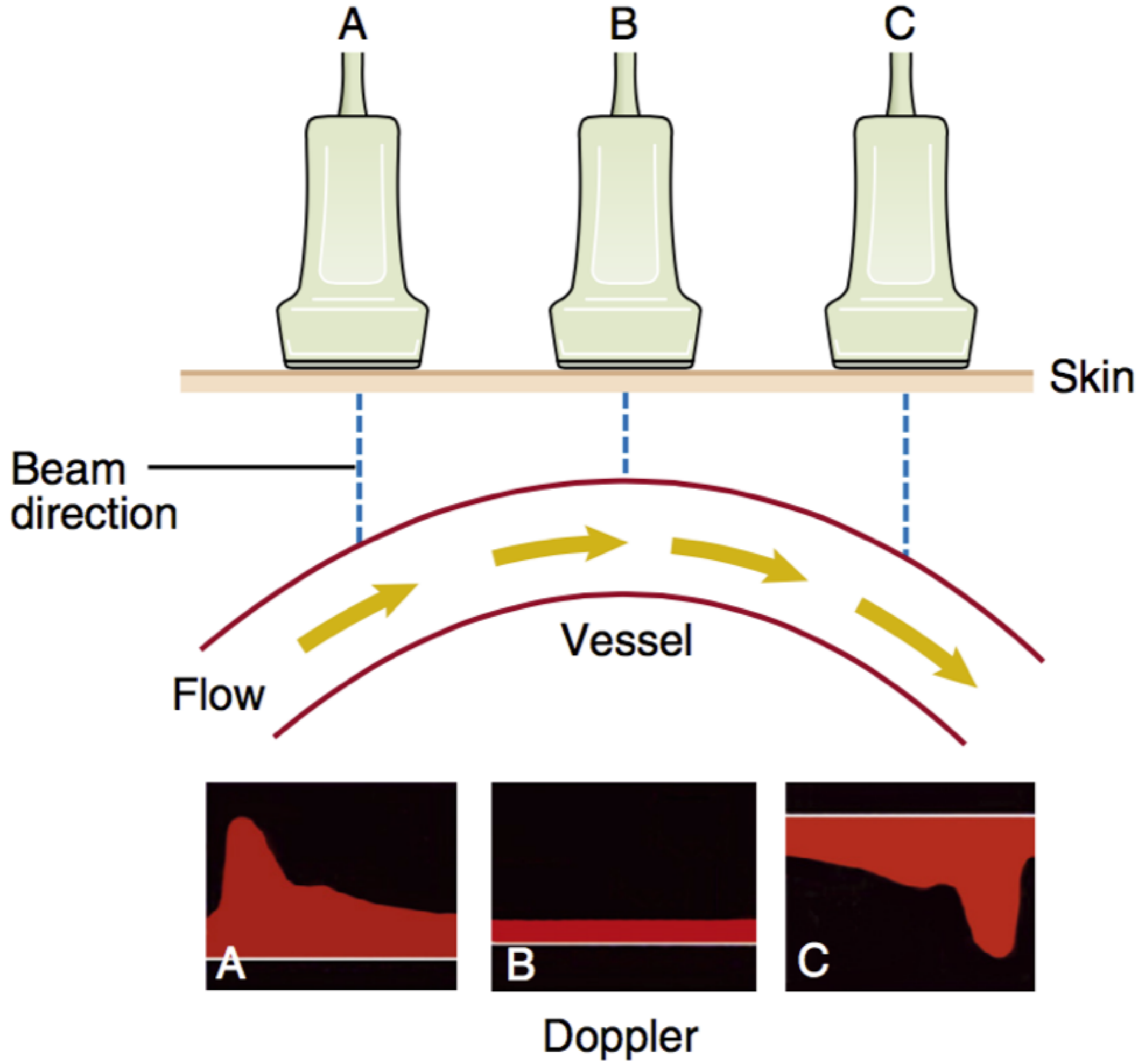
**Reflector moving  
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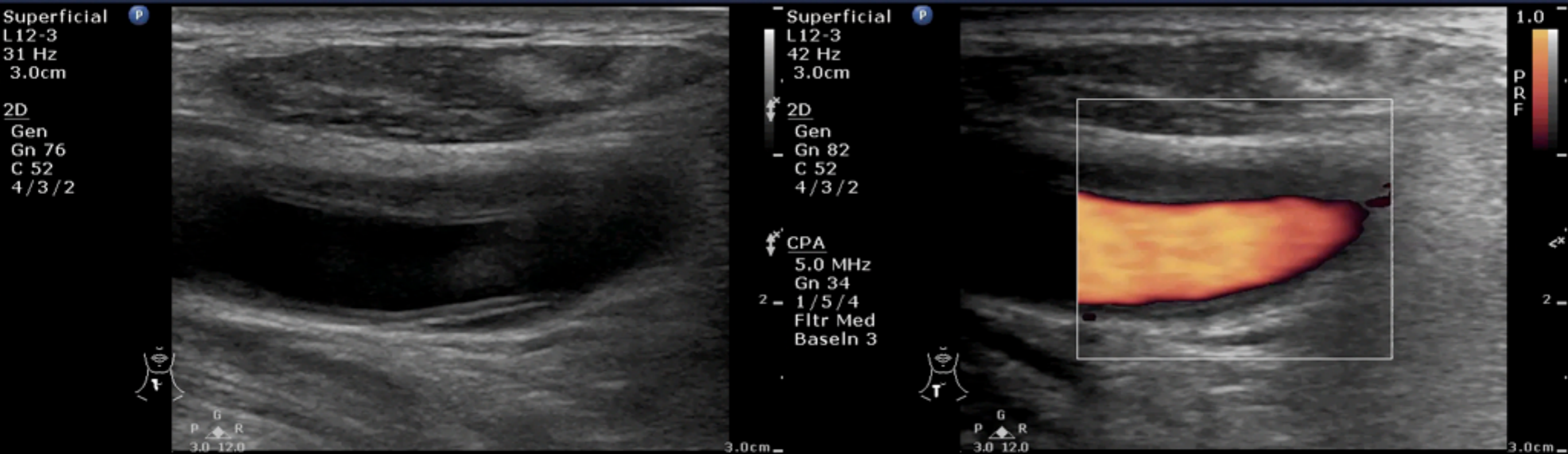
**Frequency decreased**



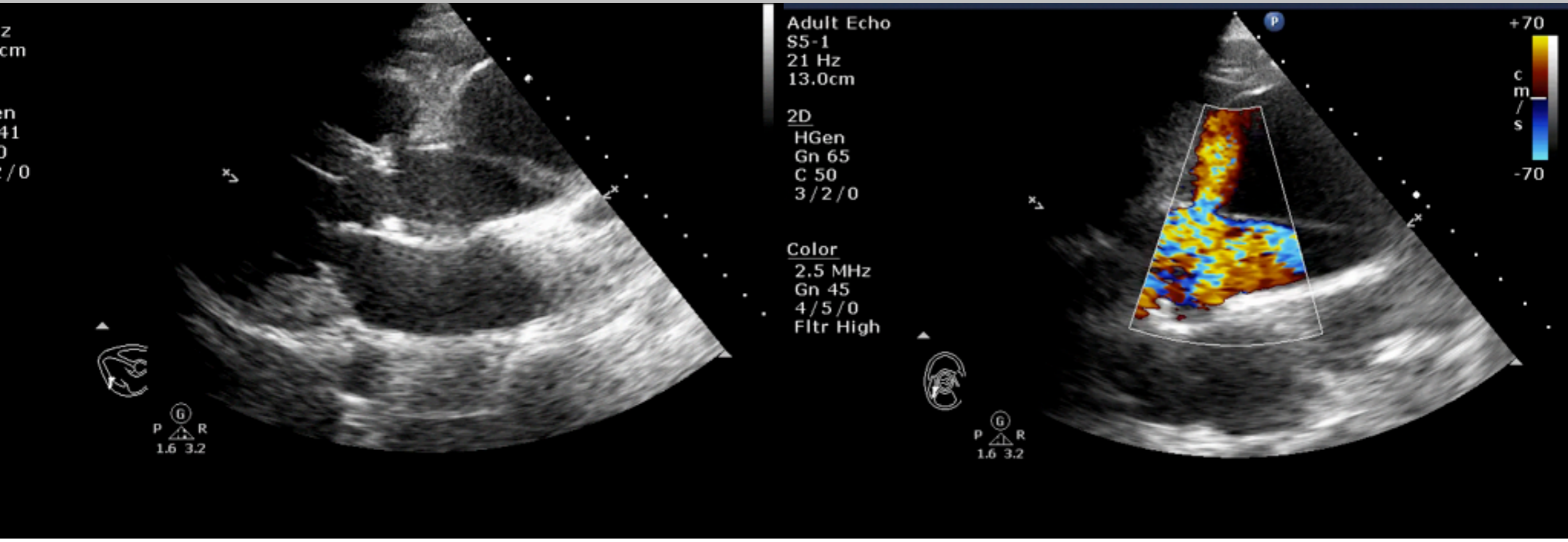
- Higher Doppler frequency obtained if:
1. Velocity is increased
  2. Beam is aligned parallel to flow direction
  3. Higher frequency is used



# Stroke with R weakness



# Stroke with R weakness



# Color Doppler with directions

Adult Echo  
S5-1  
18 Hz  
18.0cm

2D

HGen  
Gn 34  
C 50  
3/2/0

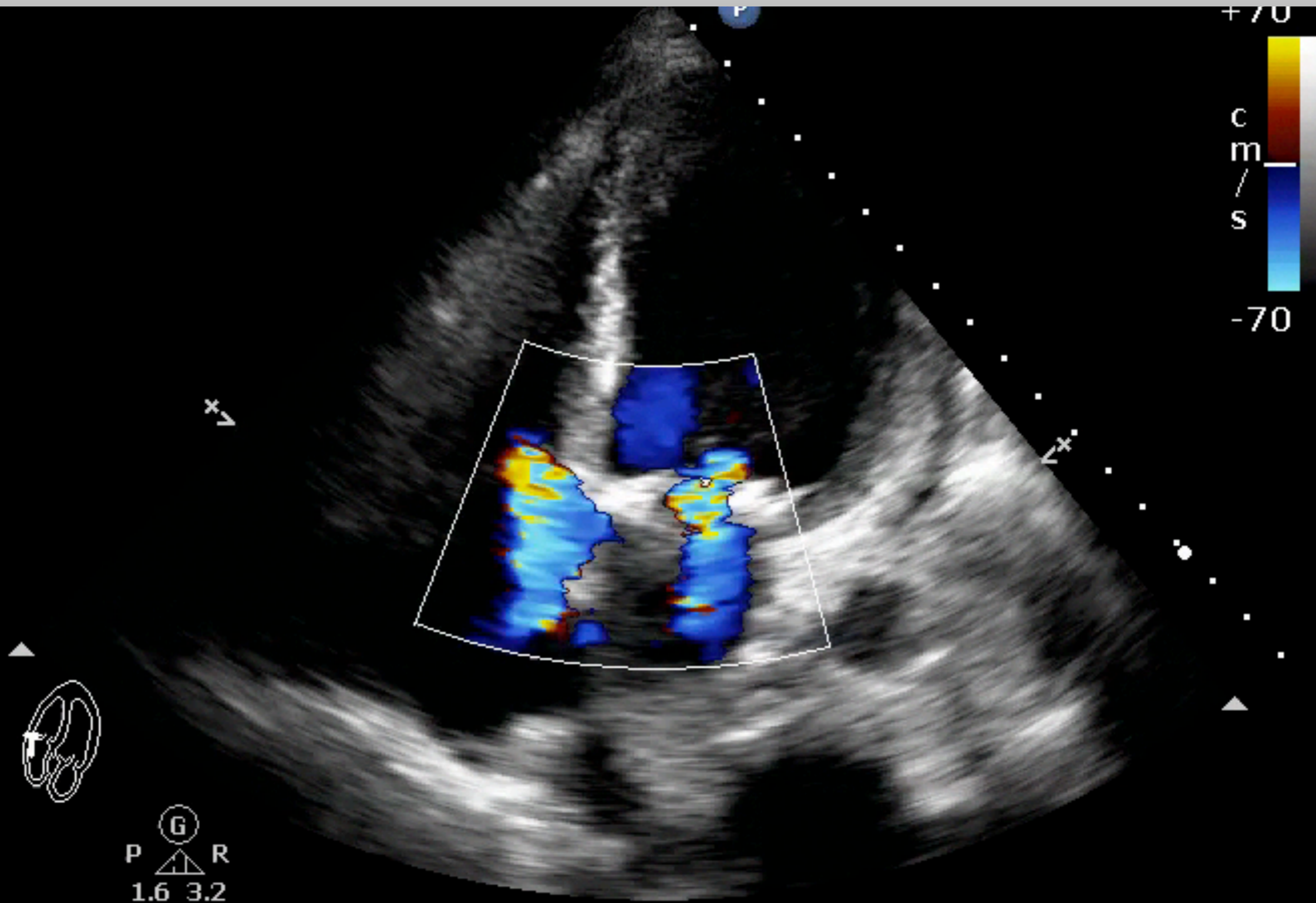
Color

2.5 MHz  
Gn 60  
4/5/0  
Fltr High

+70

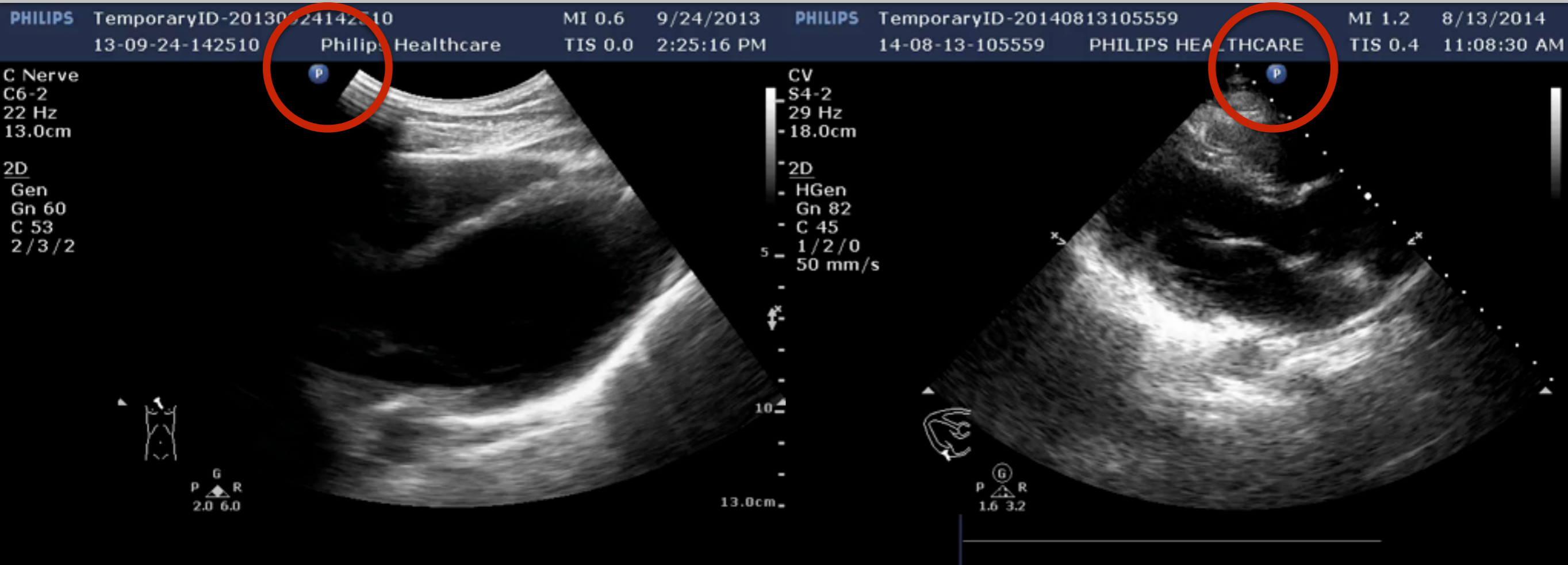


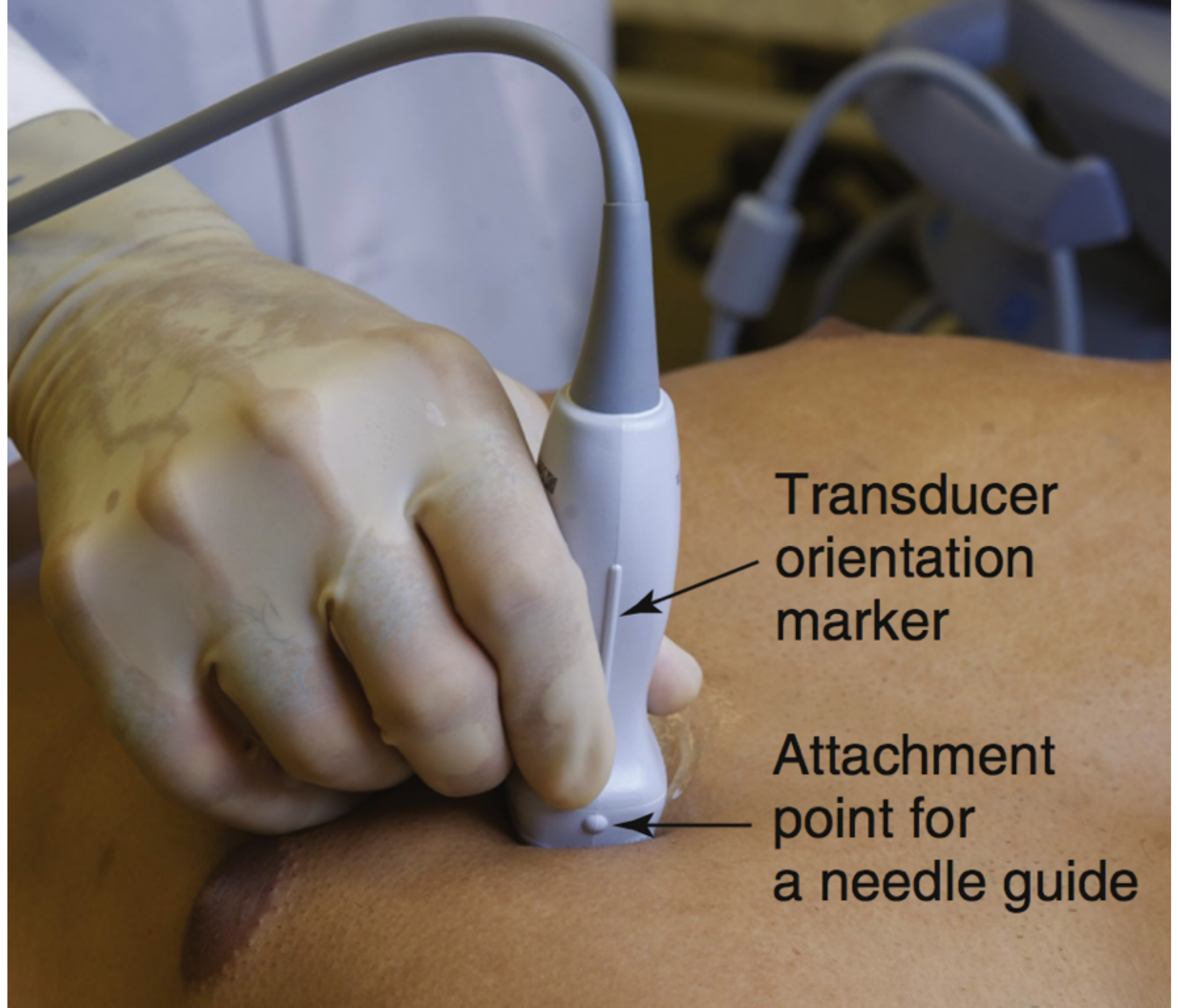
-70





# General v.s. Cardiac

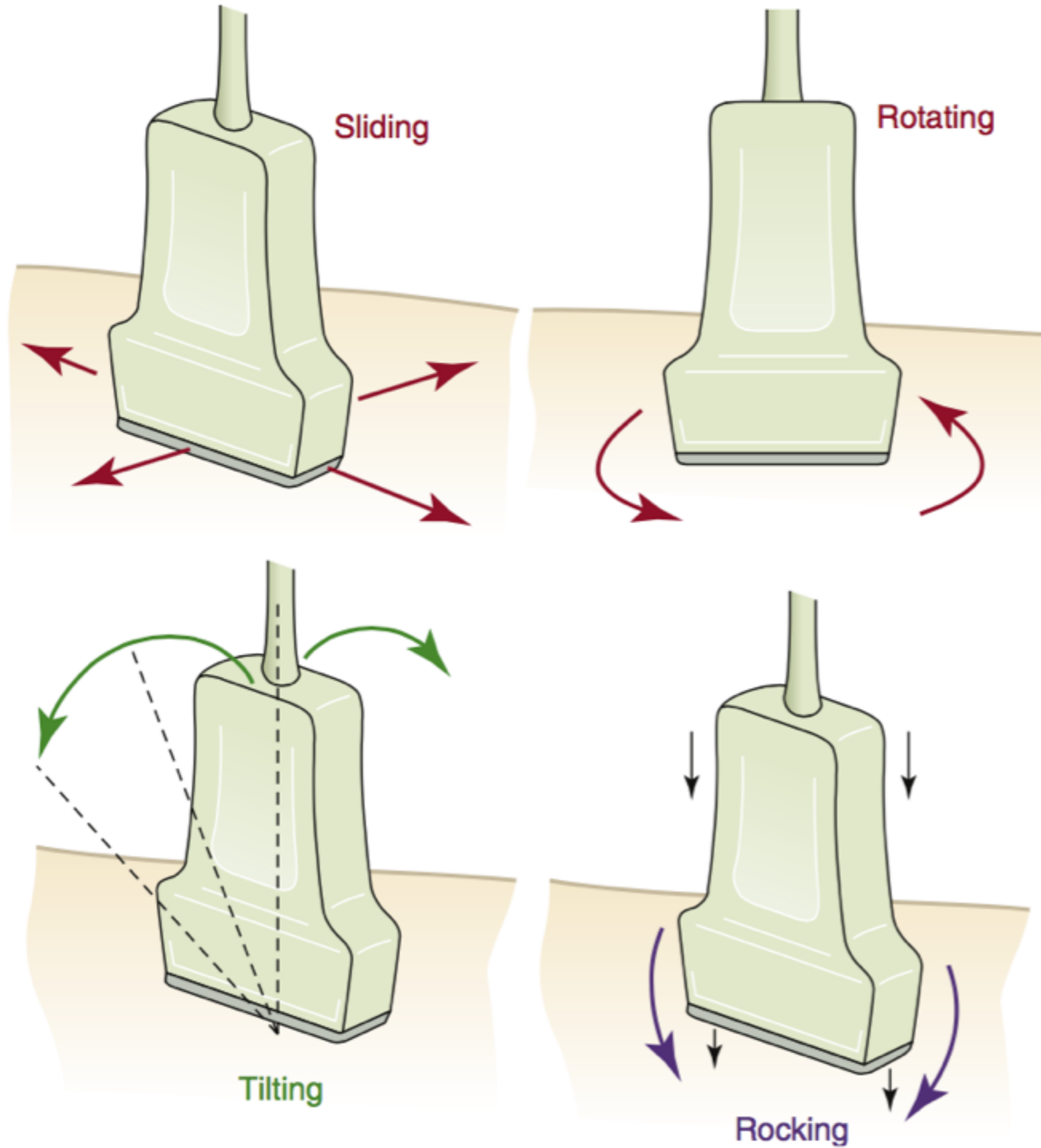


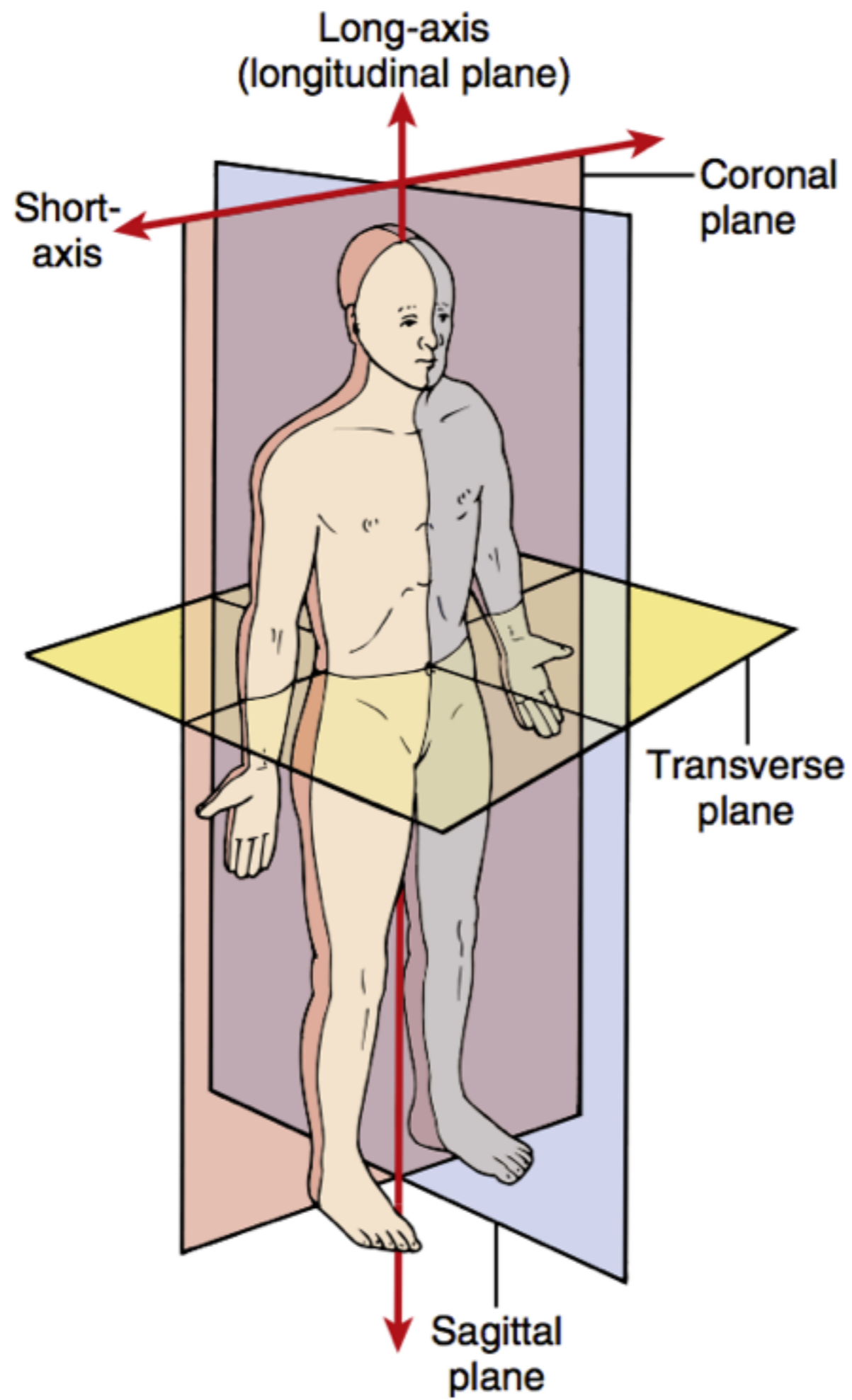


Transducer  
orientation  
marker

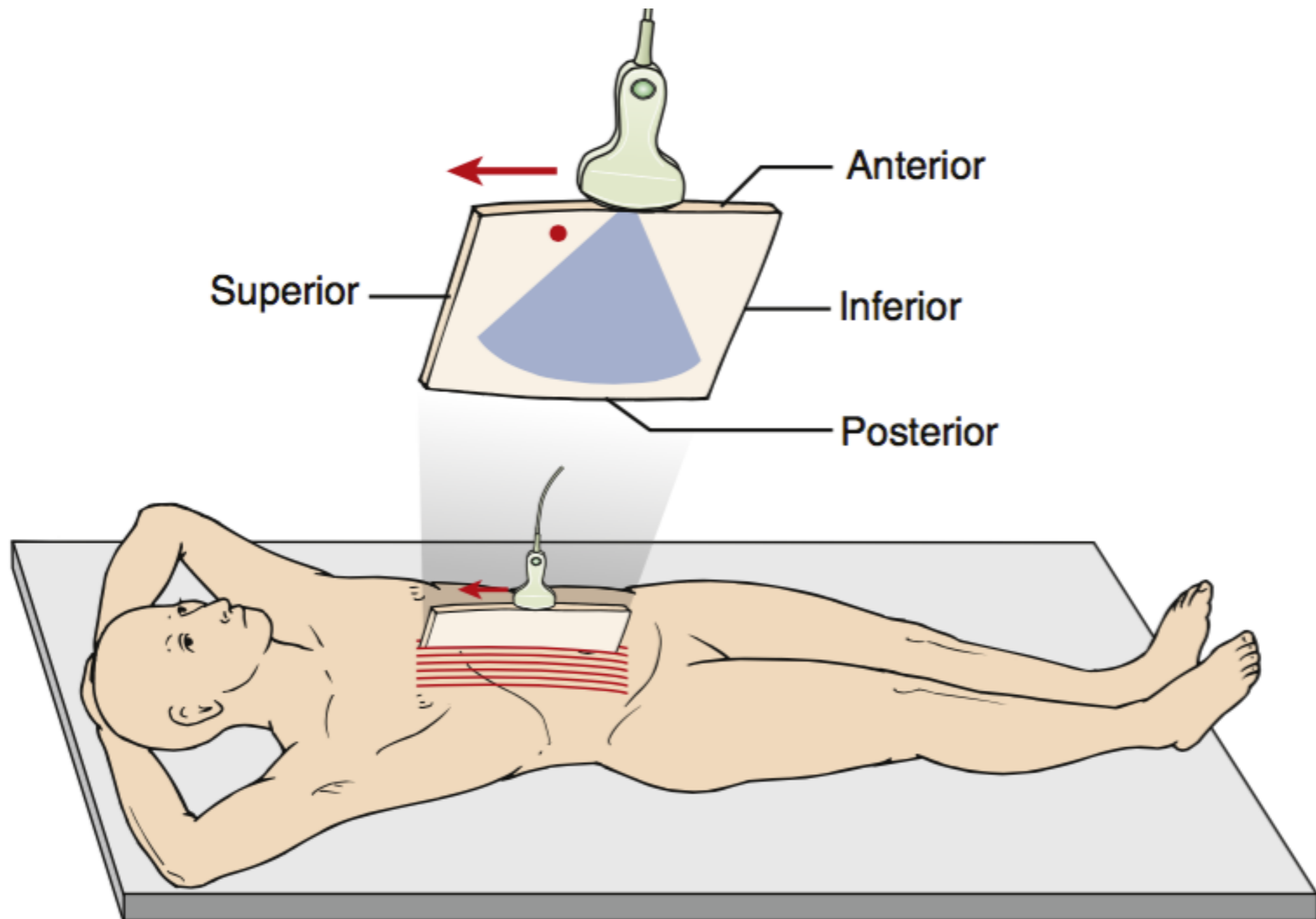
Attachment  
point for  
a needle guide

# Transducer Movements

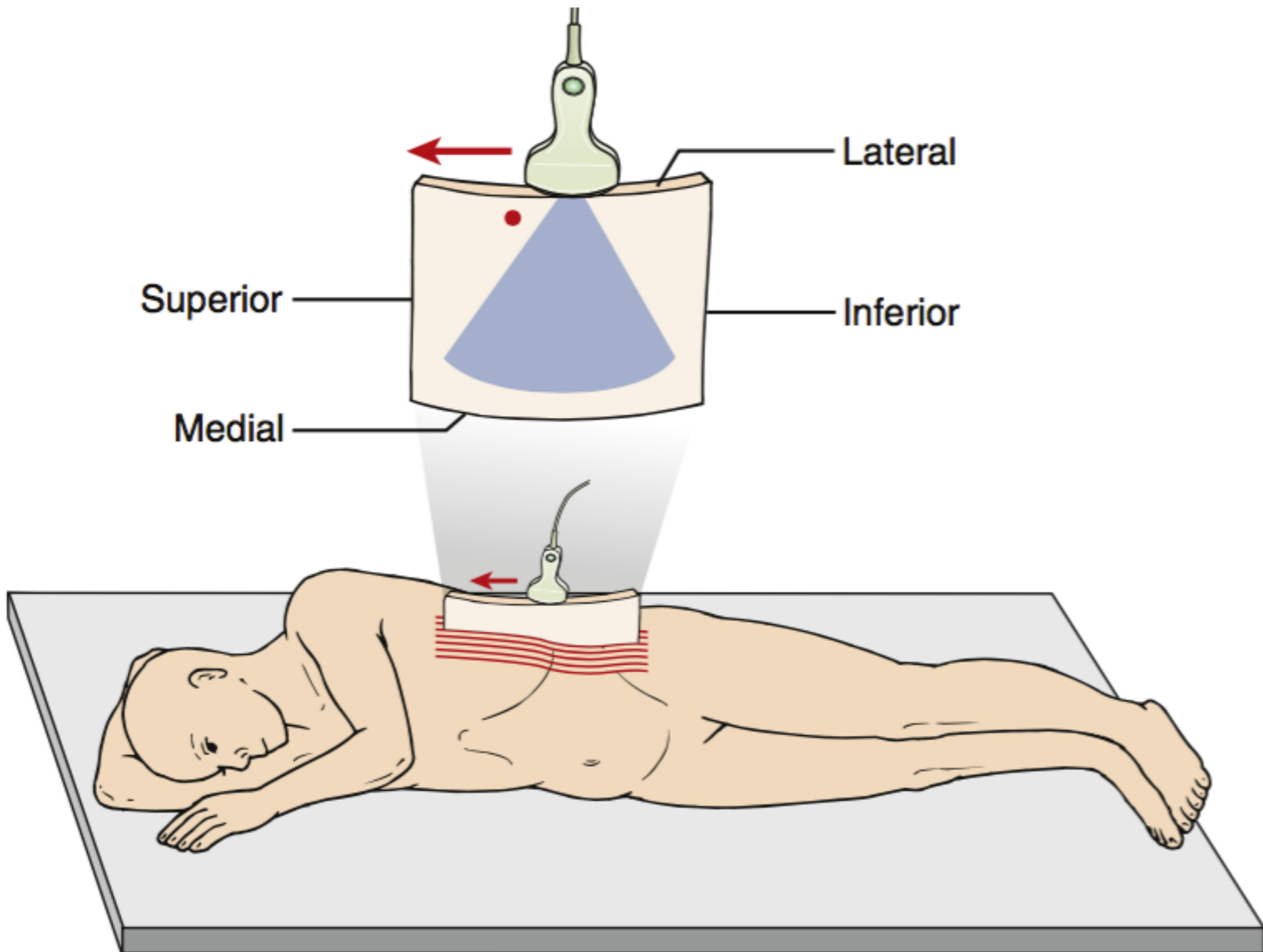




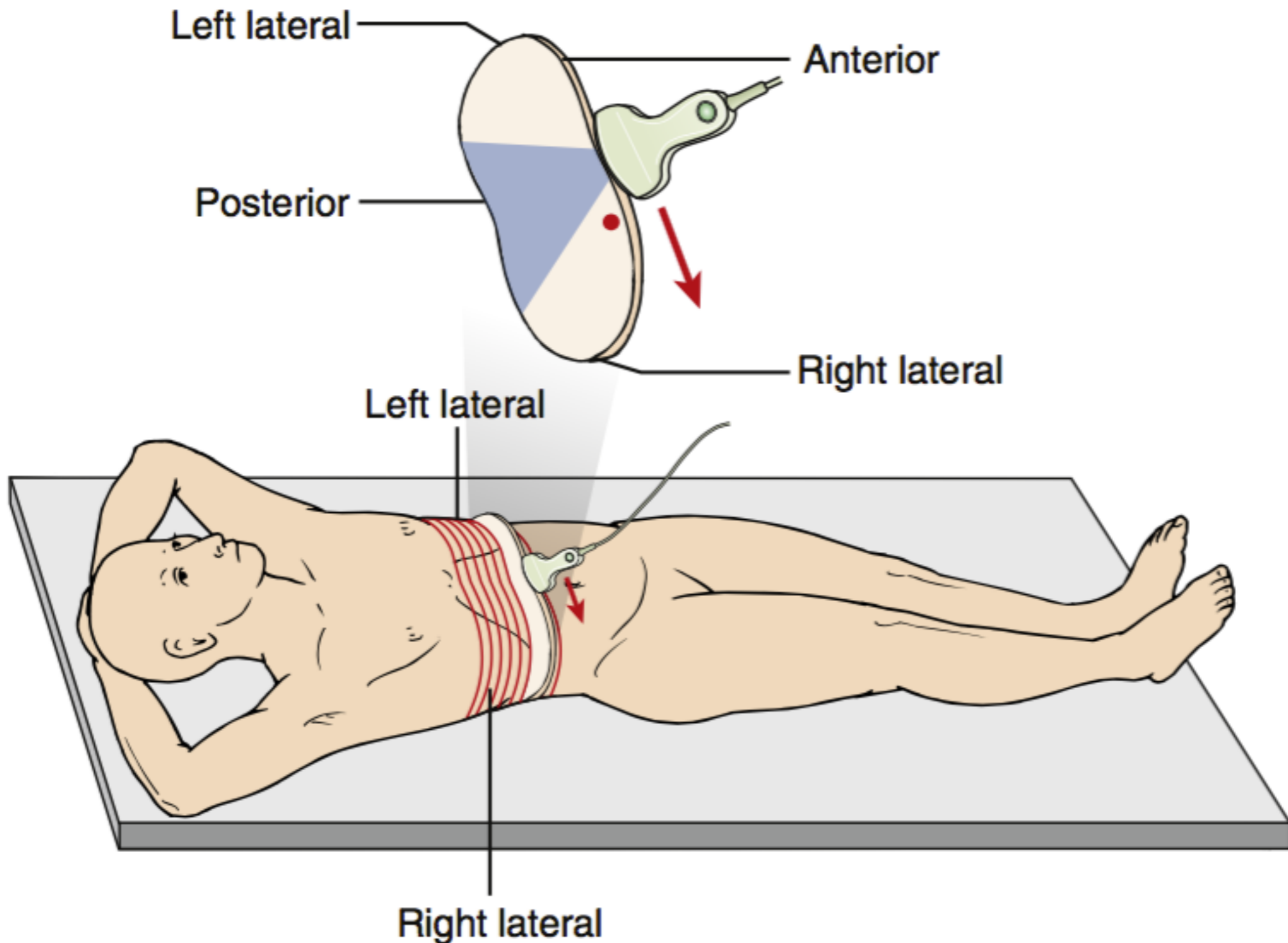
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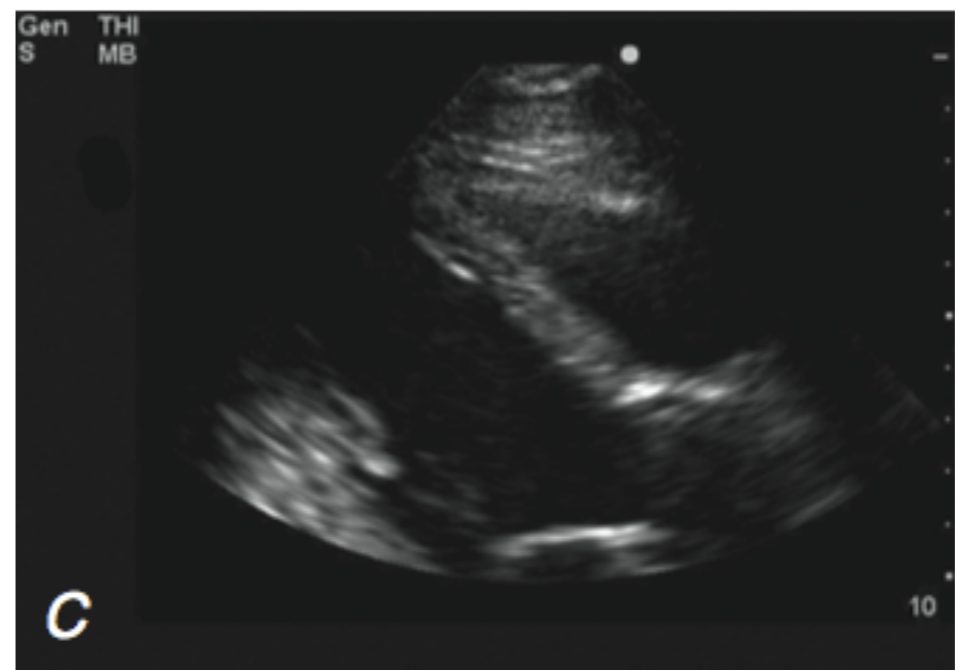
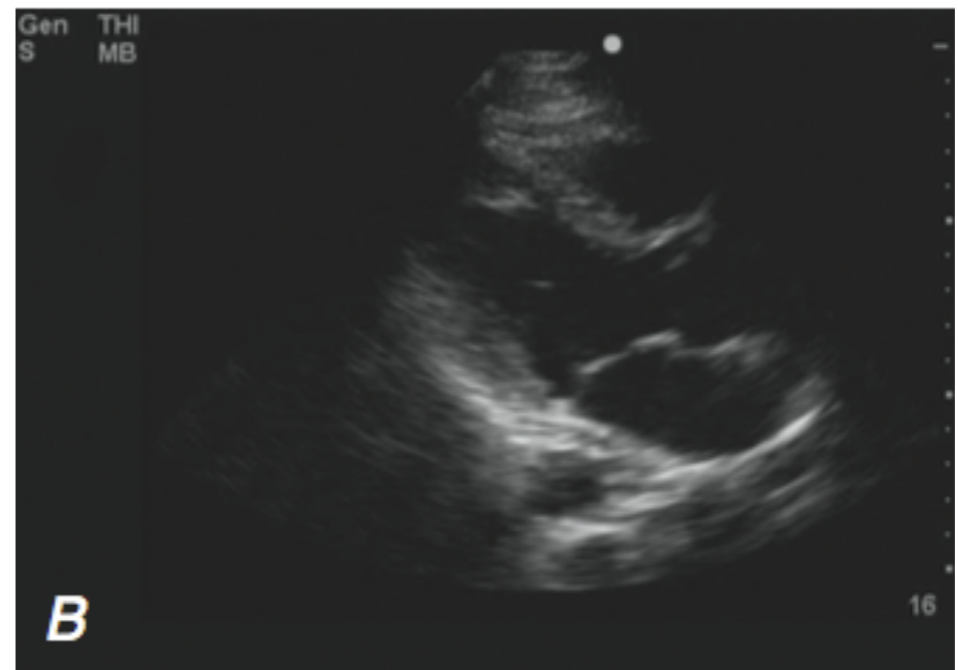
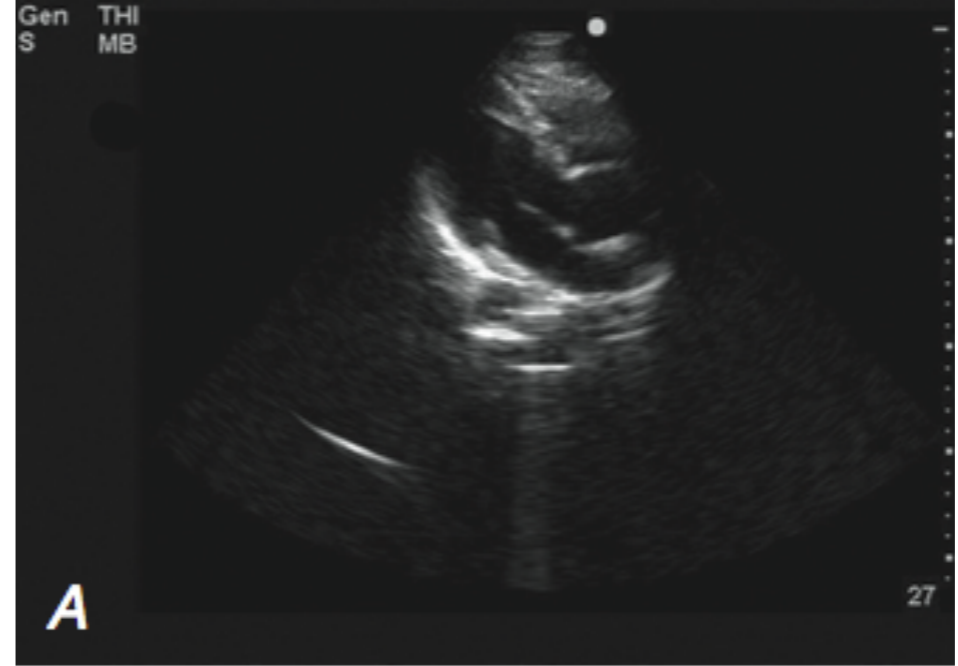
# Plane ?



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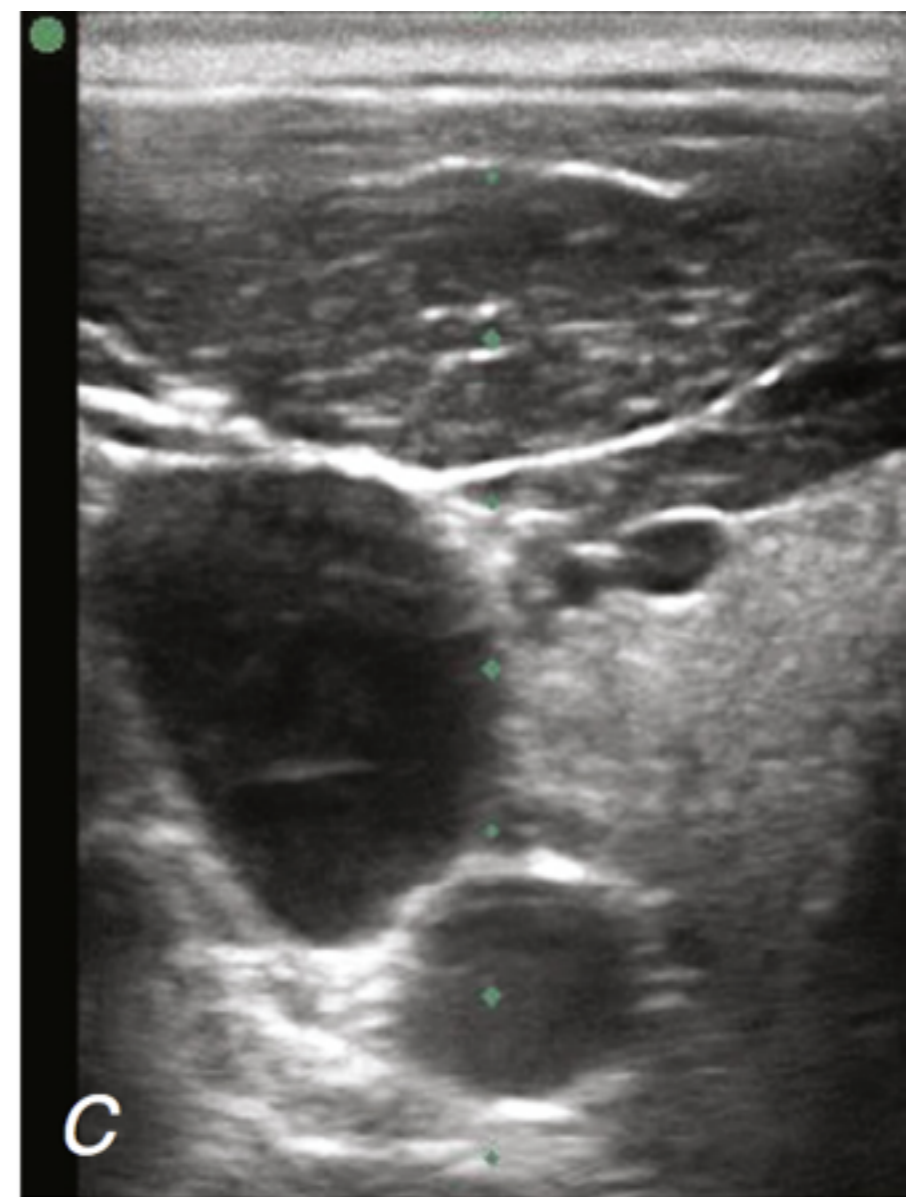
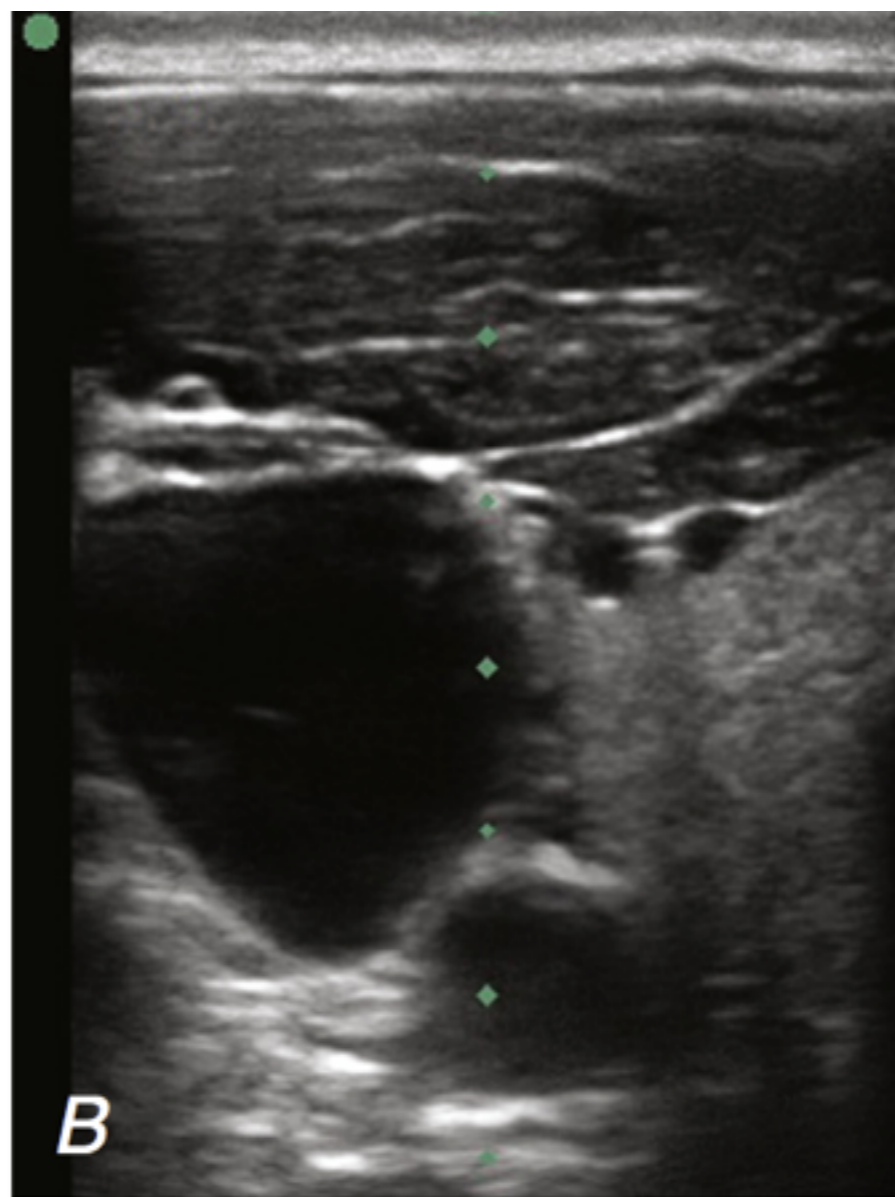
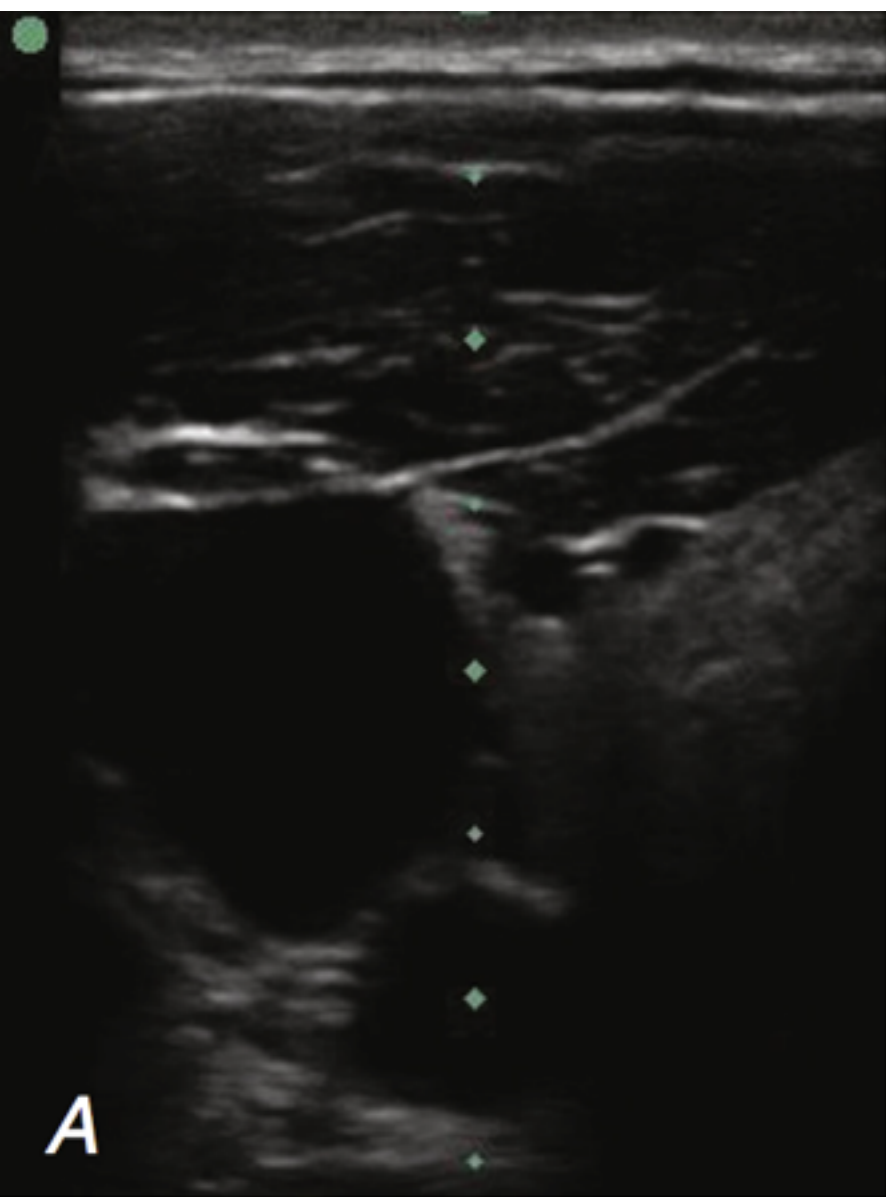


**Best ?**





# Best gain ?



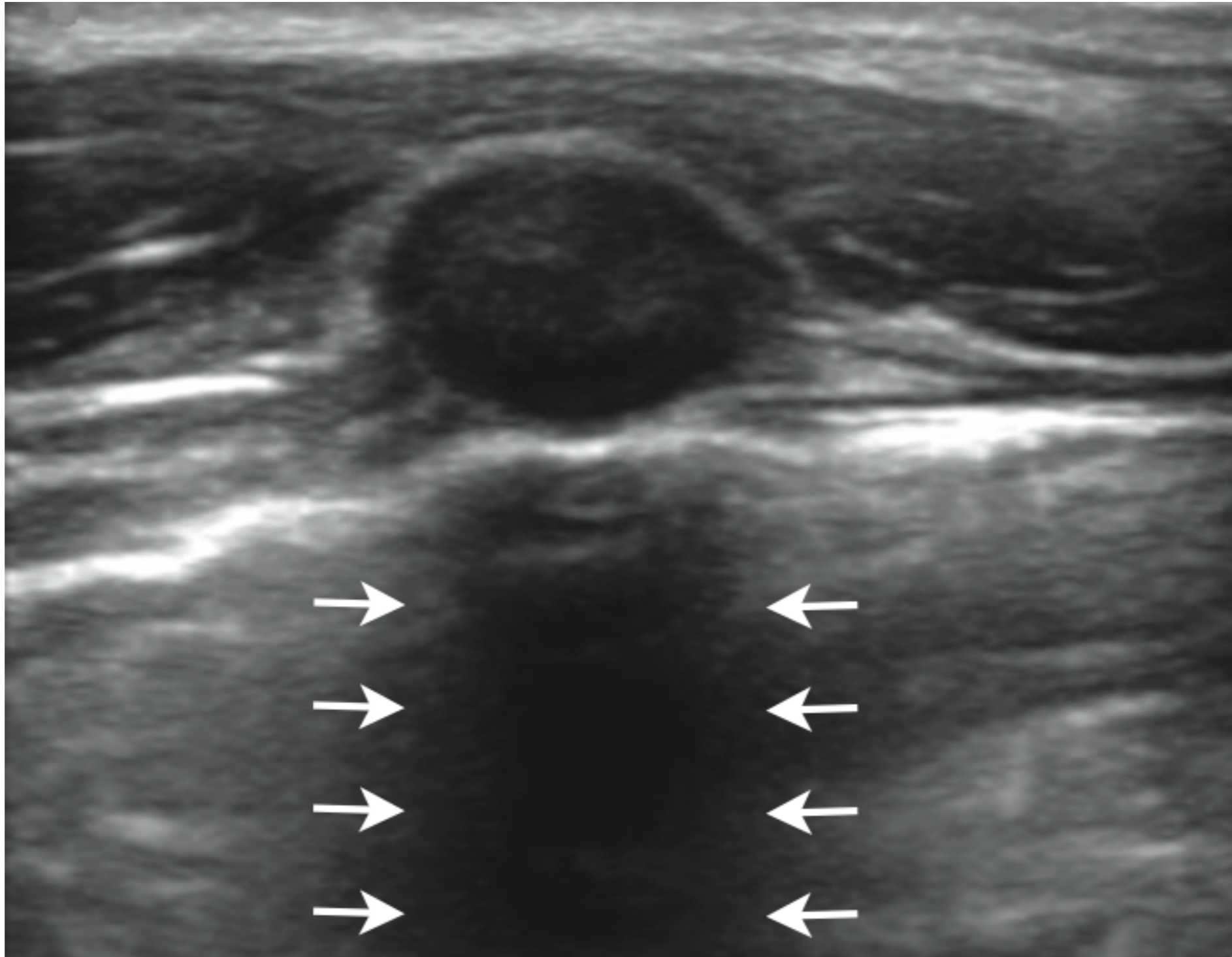
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 TGC  
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彩色 放大 深度聚焦  
 PW CW TDI CPA  
 計算 打字 確認  
 測量  
 動態模式  
 血流  
 儲存  
 凍結畫面 列印

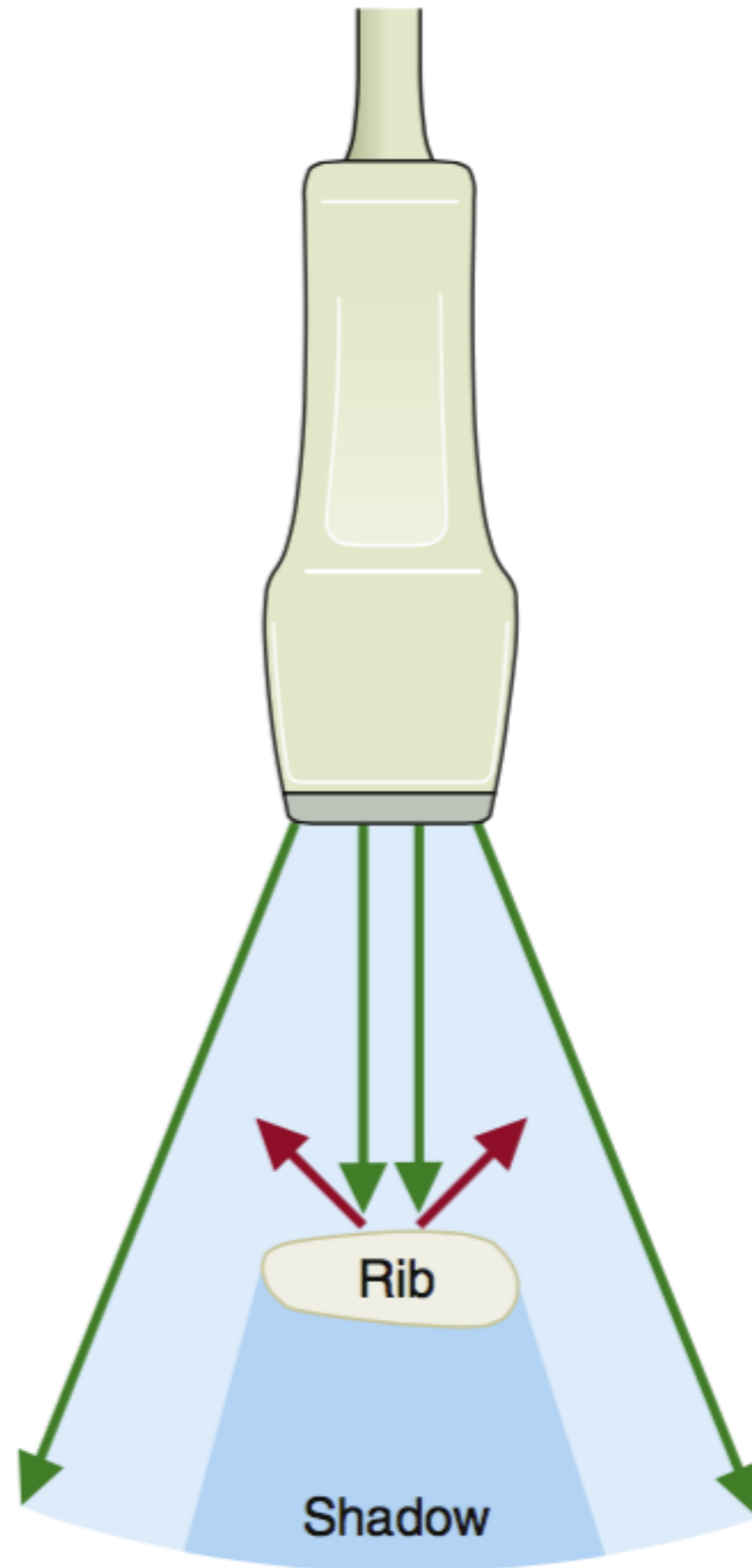
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Freeze 凍結畫面  
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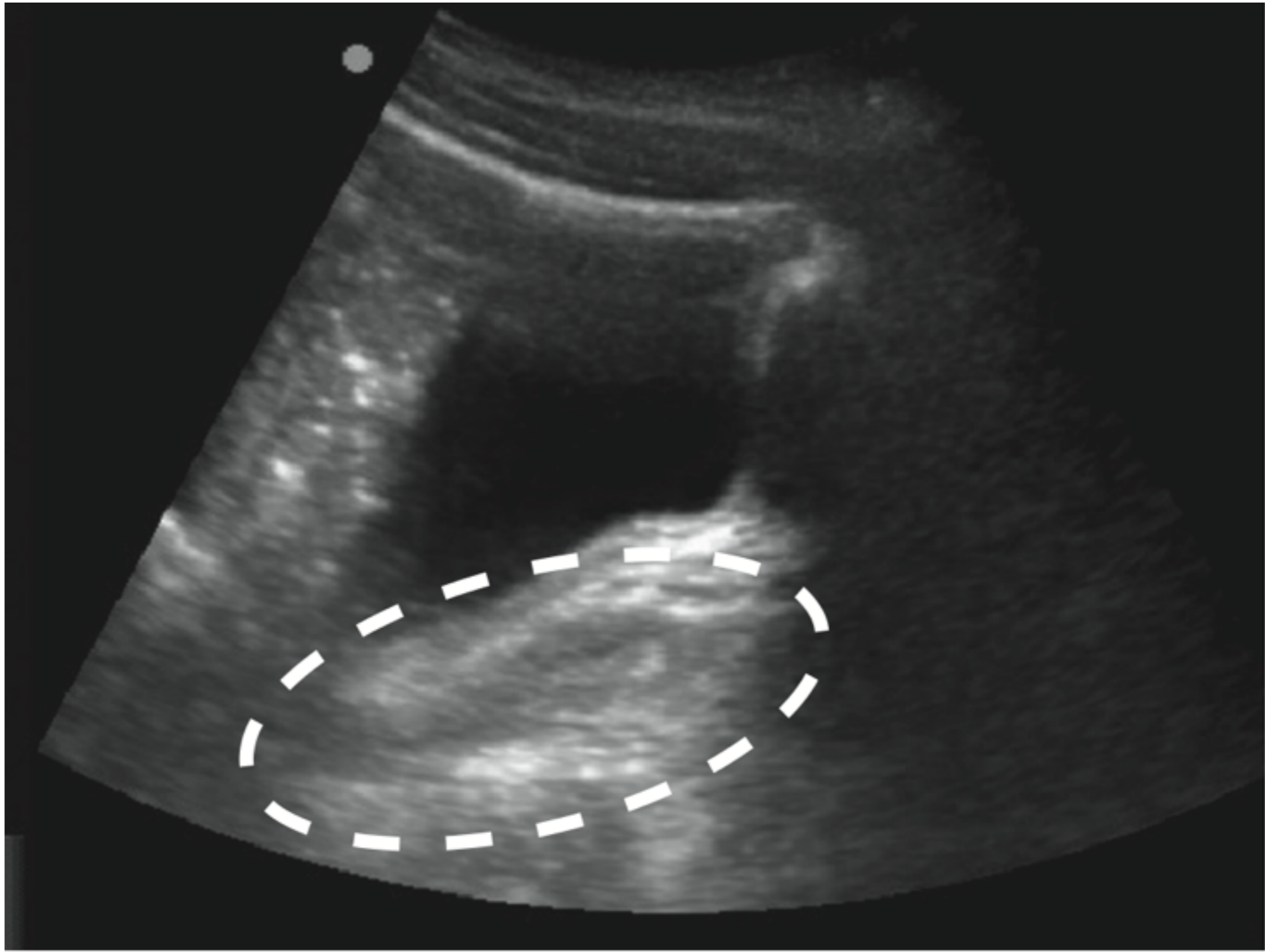
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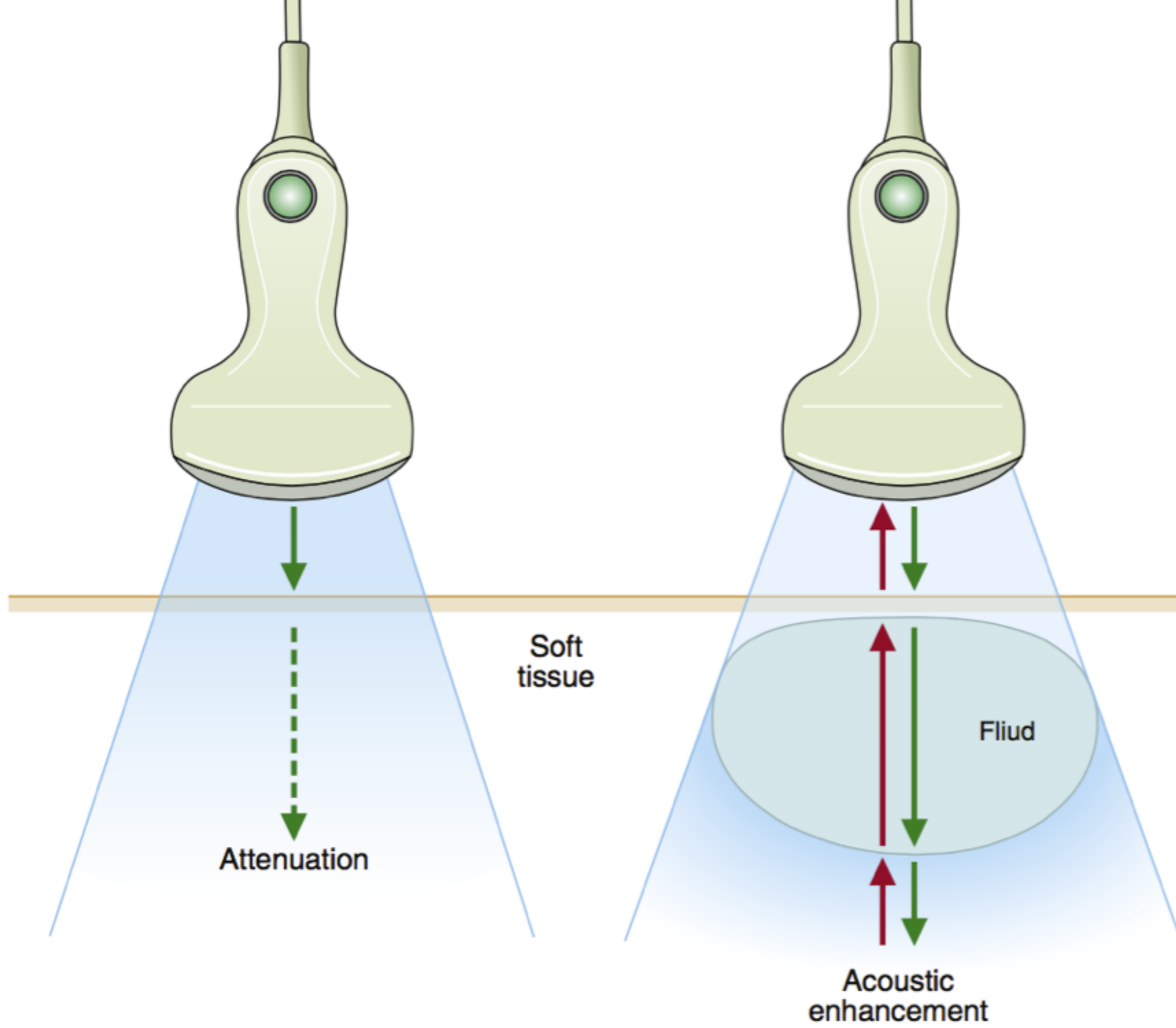


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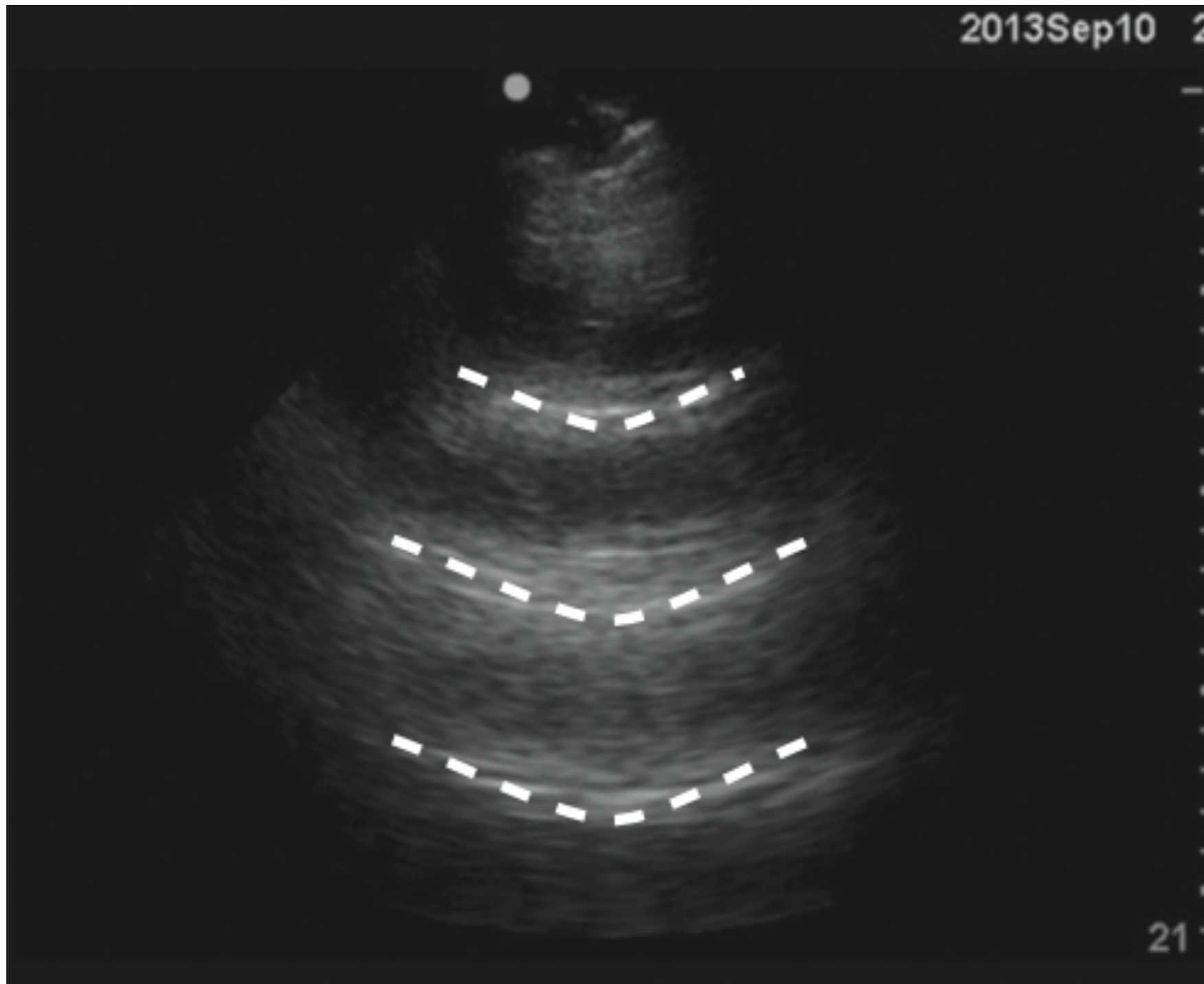


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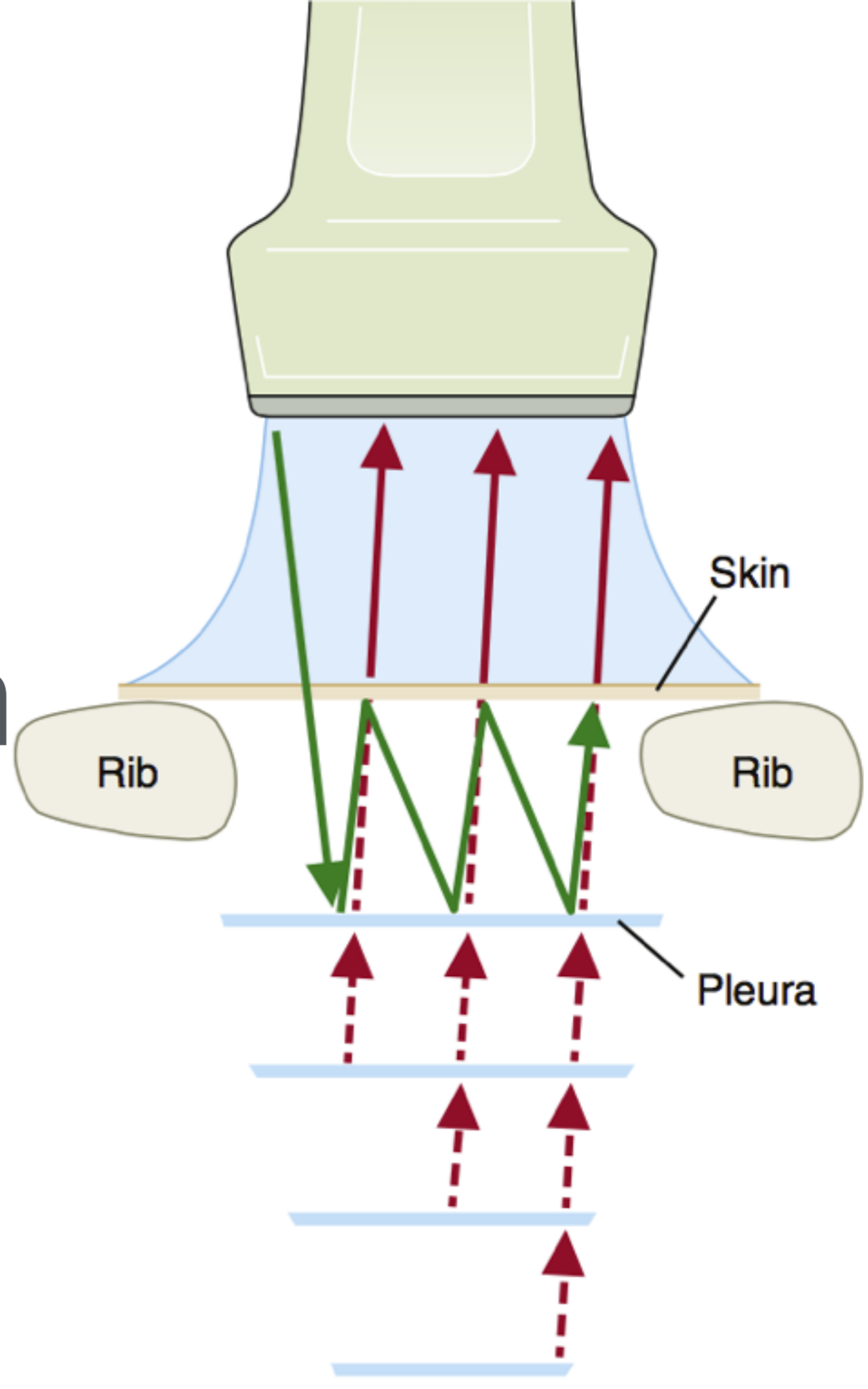




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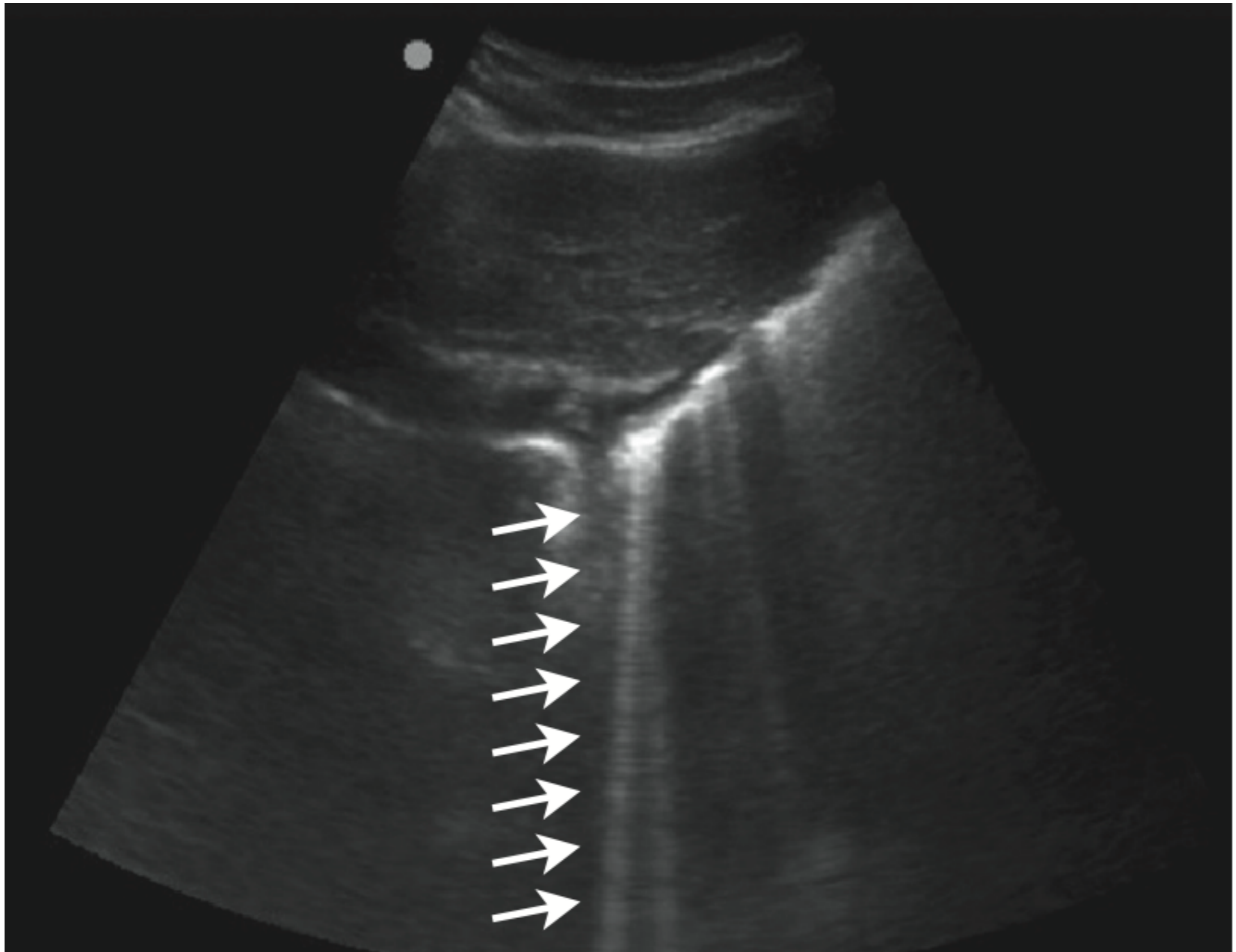


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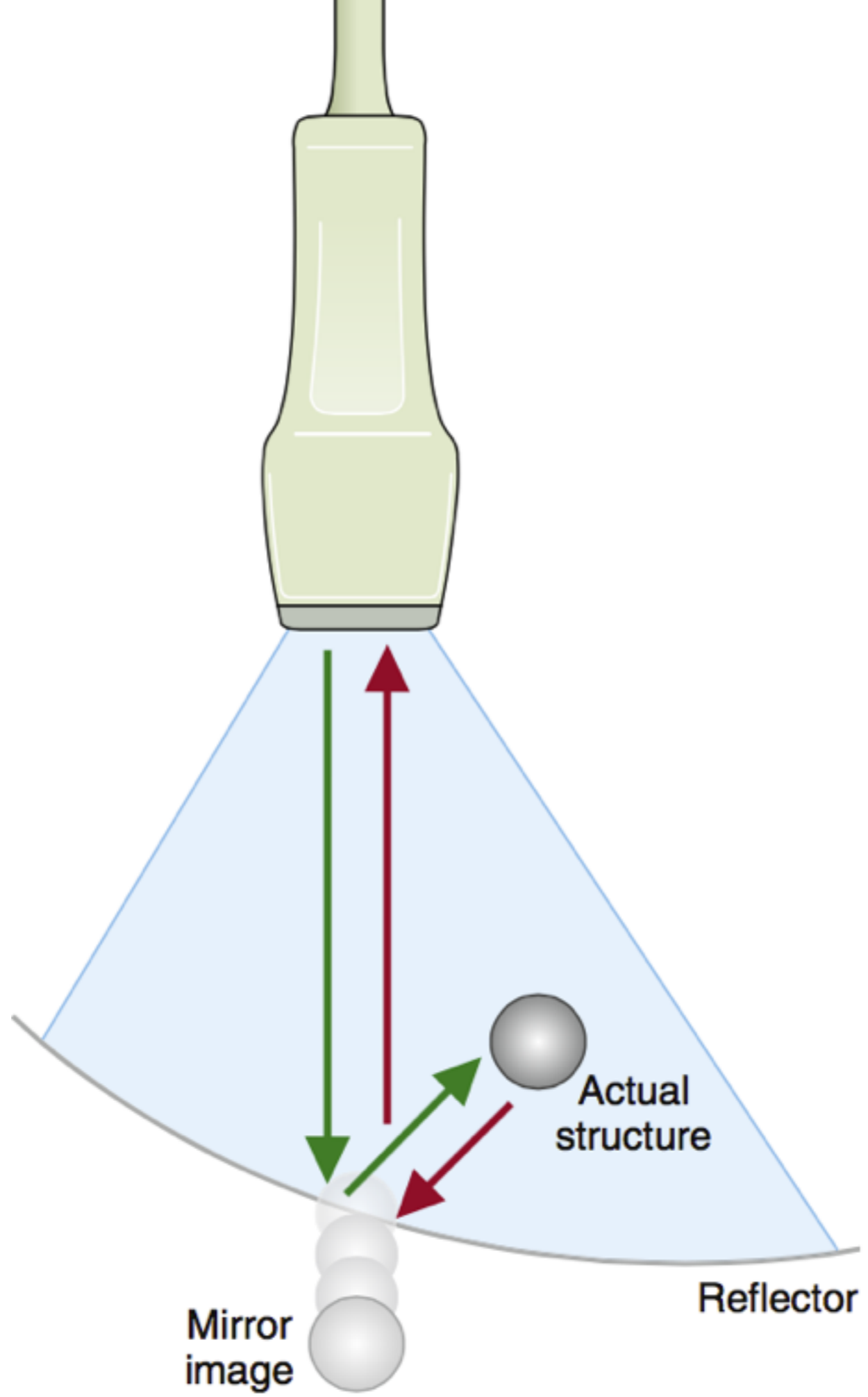


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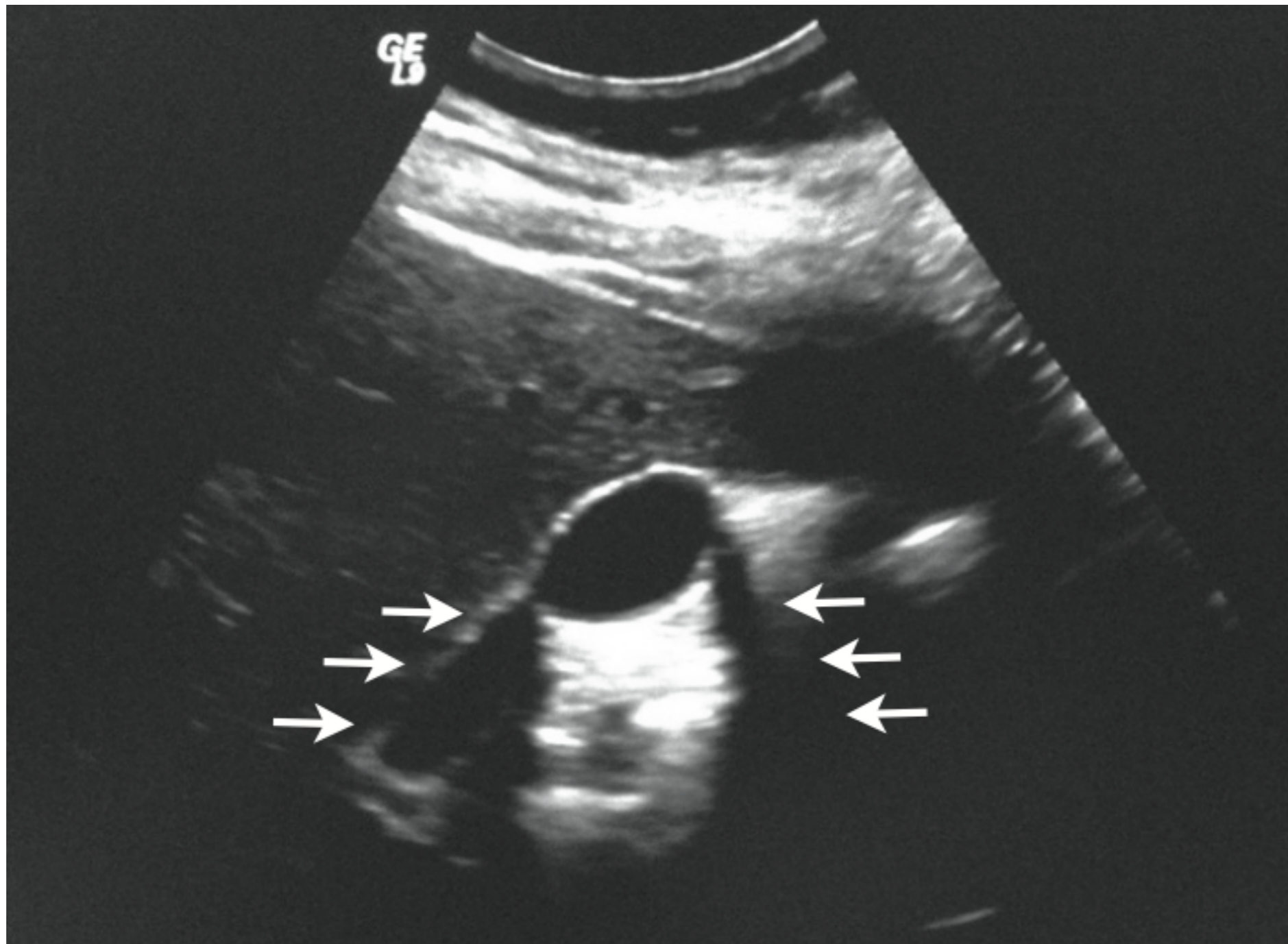


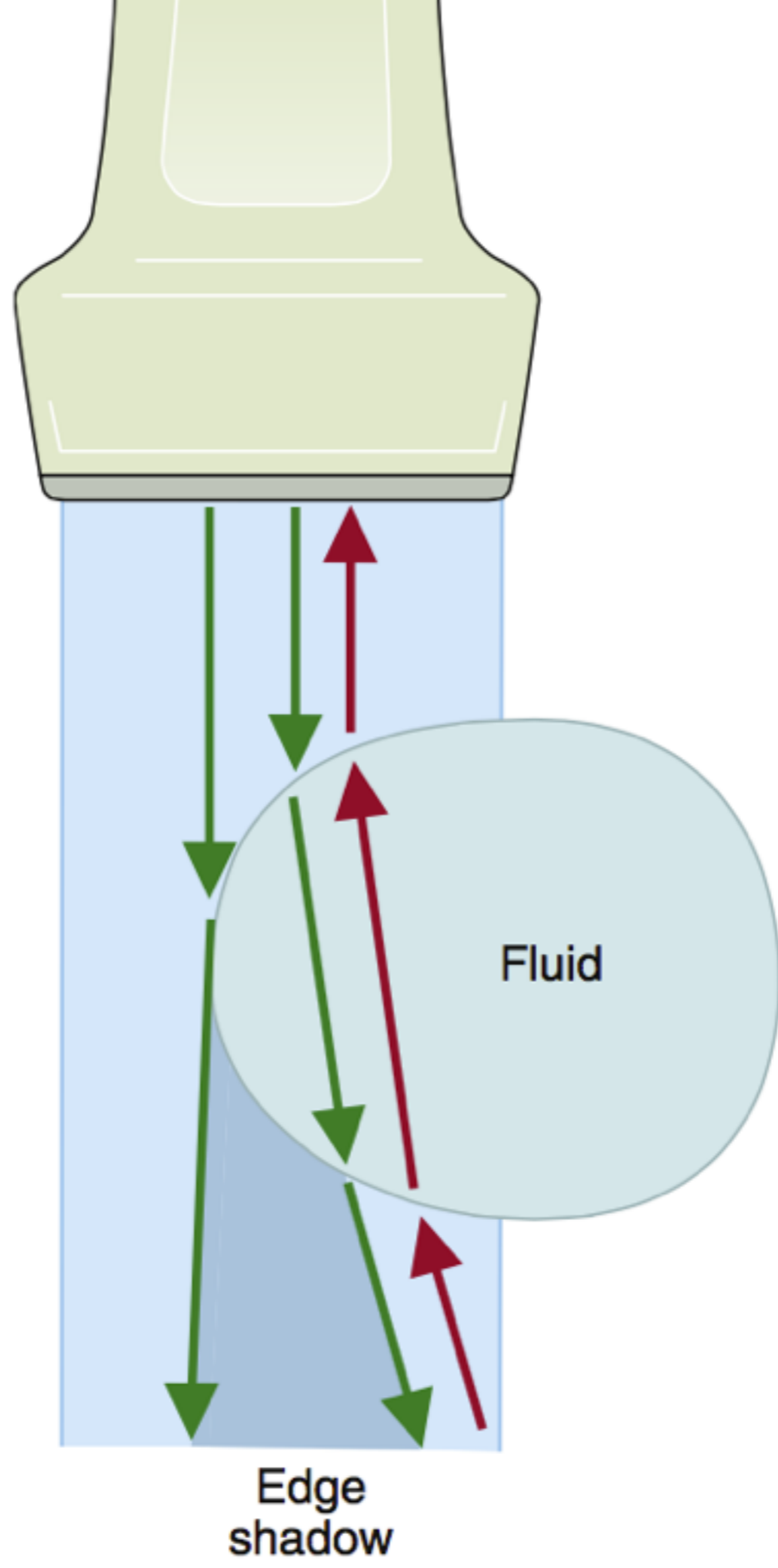
# Artifact ?





# Artifact ?





Fluid

Edge shadow

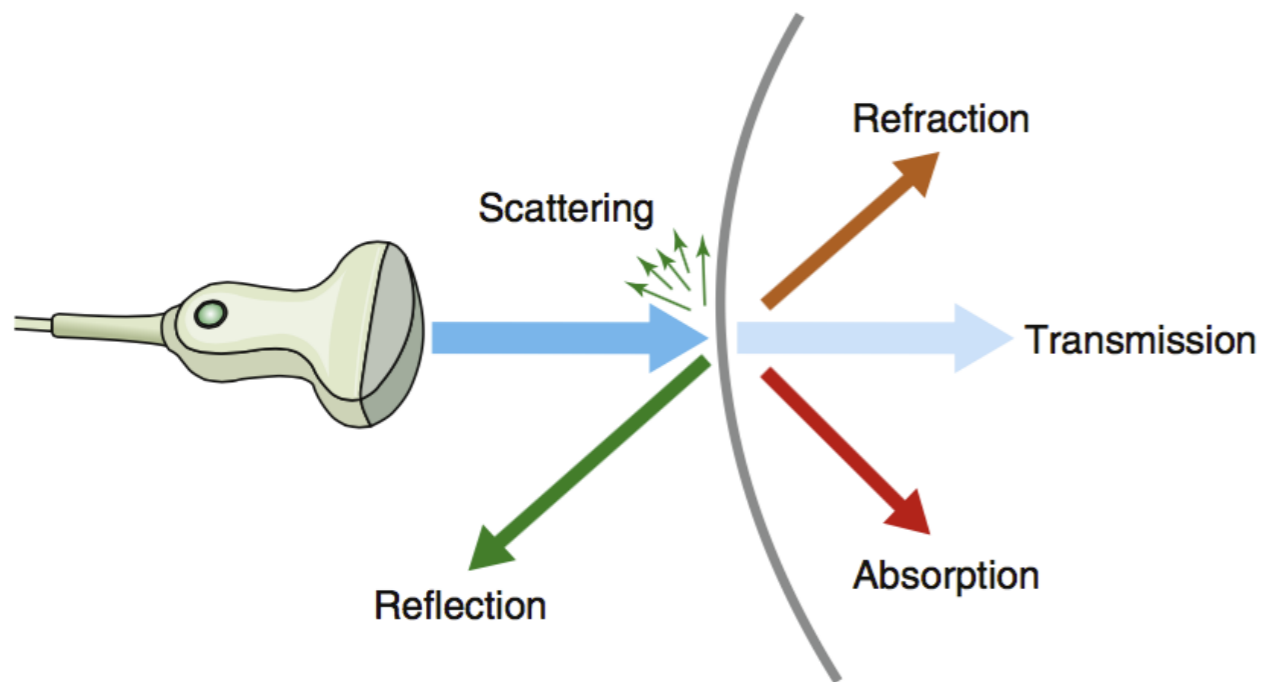
# Probes



# Knobs



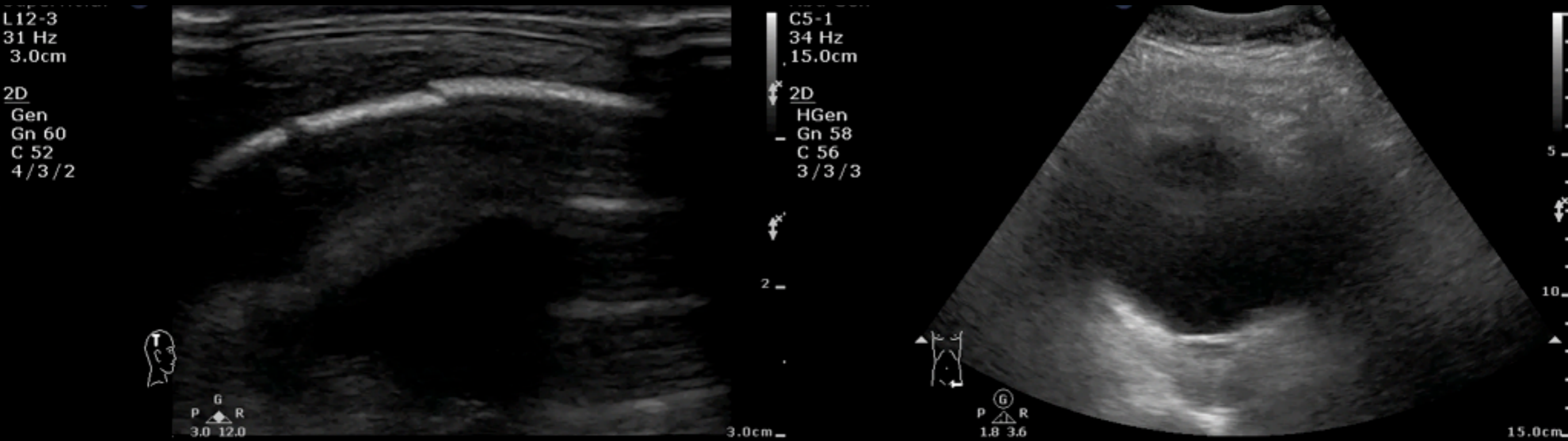
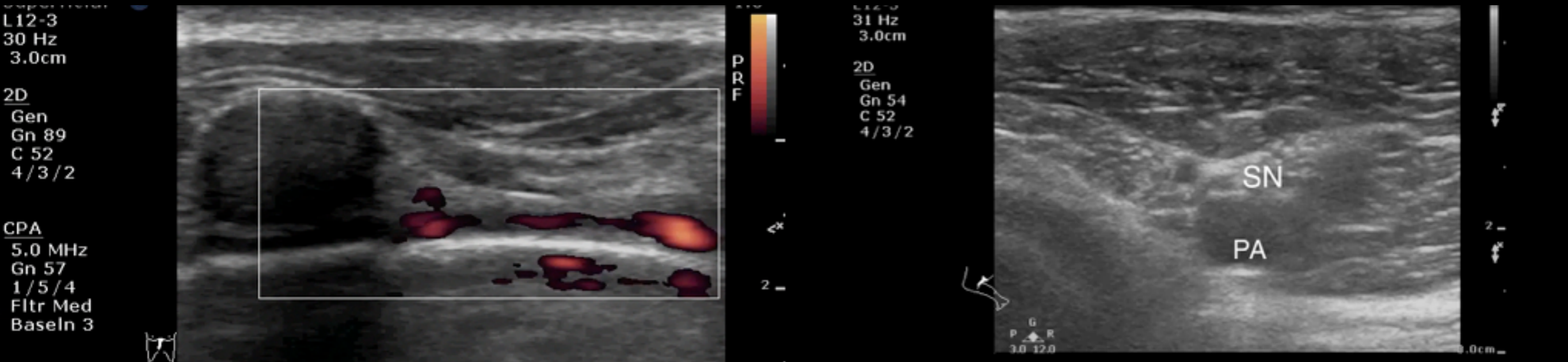
# Physics



**Impedance**  
**Attenuation**  
**Resolution**  
**Mode**  
**Doppler**



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