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## INTRODUCTION

Hypertension is a common complication of pregnancy and remains an important cause of perinatal morbidity and mortality. In patients with hypertension in pregnancy there appears to be relative hypovolaemia<sup>1,2</sup>, generalized vasoconstriction<sup>3</sup>, increased peripheral and systemic vascular resistance<sup>4</sup> and a low cardiac output.<sup>5</sup>

It has been suggested that, at least in some cases, these haemodynamic changes may be due to "under-filling" of the circulation due to a low total circulating albumin<sup>6</sup> with a low central venous pressure<sup>1,7</sup> and reduced venous return<sup>8</sup>. This "under-filling" may also be associated in some cases with an increased capillary permeability resulting in

leakage of albumin and other plasma proteins from the intravascular to the extravascular space<sup>9</sup>. With the hypovolaemia and decreased cardiac output there may be a decrease in blood flow to both the kidneys and the uterus, both of which may have serious pathological consequences<sup>10</sup>.

## REVIEW OF PAST LITERATURE AND BACKGROUND TO STUDY

There seems little doubt that in pre-eclampsia the blood volume is relatively decreased. This decrease is approximately 15% (500-600ml) when compared to normal pregnant values at comparable gestational age. Table I presents the plasma volumes in normal and pre-eclamptic pregnancies and is a summary of the literature<sup>11</sup>.

The question that is often asked is whether the blood volume decrease is the result of the hypertension or is a significant factor per se in the etiology of the disease. In America it is generally believed that the hypovolaemia is a secondary effect<sup>12,13</sup>, whereas in some European centres the pre-eclamptic patient is considered to have primary, relative hypovolaemia and may be treated with blood volume expanders<sup>14,15</sup>.

It is possible that pre-eclampsia begins with the failure of the patient to appropriately increase her blood volume<sup>2,16</sup> and this relatively reduced blood volume is considered to resemble chronic shock<sup>1,14</sup>. See Fig 1.

It is postulated that the hypovolaemia and "circulatory shock" may cause poor tissue and organ perfusion<sup>15</sup> and that

this is exacerbated by the increased blood viscosity which occurs in pre-eclampsia.<sup>17,18</sup> Various workers have used plasma volume expanders to increase the plasma volume in such patients and claim that renal and possible placental perfusion may be improved by such treatment.<sup>15,19,20</sup> Some believe that plasma volume expansion can reverse the disease process long enough to prolong pregnancy sufficiently to allow fetal lung maturity to occur before delivery is necessary.

The use of plasma volume expanders dates back to Czerny (1894).<sup>21</sup> He elicited haemodilution with the use of gum arabic (acacia), gelatin, egg albumin, peptone and blood serum. Dieckmann (1931) used 500-1000ml of 6% acacia to expand the plasma volumes of 3 pre-eclamptic -eclamptic patients.<sup>22</sup> He observed diuresis, haemodilution and clinical improvement.

Hill (1940) appears to have been the first to use human plasma proteins for the purpose of expanding the plasma volume.<sup>21</sup> Over the next 25 years human plasma was used by many investigators, most of whom reported a decrease in haematocrit and an increase in urinary output following therapy.<sup>19,21,23,24</sup>

Vara (1950) may have been the first to use a plasma substitute for expansion of the plasma volume.<sup>25</sup> He used dextran and also reported haemodilution and diuresis. Subsequently several investigators have used different plasma substitutes.<sup>1,15,26</sup>

Gallery, Delprado and Györy (1981)<sup>27</sup> studied the effect of plasma volume expansion with 500ml stable plasma protein substitute (SPPS) in 6 normal non-pregnant women, six normotensive and 11 hypertensive volunteers in the third trimester of pregnancy. They found that the plasma volume contraction of pre-eclampsia was associated with an increase in the interstitial compartment of extracellular fluid volume and that the infusion of the plasma volume expander produced significant amelioration of hypertension for 48 hours associated with partial reversal of the disturbance of fluid distribution.

Gallery, Mitchell and Redman (1984)<sup>28</sup> used two different solutions of a purified plasma protein fraction to expand the plasma volumes of 20 women with chronic hypertension. They reported a significant fall in blood pressure, a rise in plasma volume and a suppression of circulating prostaglandin metabolites in response to this therapy. In another study of 35 patients, the same authors attempted to find out why the blood pressure falls in response to volume expansion.<sup>29</sup> Their conclusion was that this may

be a response to the release of an endogenous vasodilator. Alternatively they suggested that the infusion may act by causing suppression of an endogenous vasoconstrictor mechanism such as the renin-angiotensin-aldosterone axis.

Groenendijk, Trimbos and Wallenburg (1984) monitored 10 pre-eclamptic patients with Swan-Ganz thermodilution catheters before and after plasma volume expansion with between 1500ml and 3500ml Haemacel.<sup>5</sup> Their findings suggested a low cardiac output state caused by hypovolaemia in pre-eclamptic patients. After volume expansion they observed an increase in cardiac index, a partial reduction in systemic vascular resistance and an insignificant drop in blood pressure. Vasodilation with dihydralazine resulted in a further decrease in systemic vascular resistance, a fall in blood pressure and a further increase in cardiac index. They concluded that in pre-eclampsia the capacity to vasodilate is inadequate, possibly due to an elevated vasopressor sensitivity.

Studies on cardiac output in pre-eclampsia have reached widely varying conclusions. In the study described above by Groenendijk, Trimbos and Wallenburg the cardiac output was found to be decreased. Benedetti, Cotton, Read and Miller (1980) in a study of 10 patients using flow directed

pulmonary artery catheters showed an increase in cardiac output in pre-eclampsia.<sup>30</sup> Berkowitz has used Swan-Ganz catheters in the study of severe pre-eclampsia and in a discussion of the hemodynamics of these patients he found the left ventricular function to be in the normal or hyperdynamic range.<sup>4</sup> His data suggested increased cardiac effort to overcome significant systemic vascular resistance.

### AIMS OF PRESENT STUDY

The objective of this study was to determine the effect of plasma volume expansion with 500ml of stabilised human serum (SHS) on the blood pressure, central venous pressure, plasma volume, capillary permeability and renal function in women with hypertension in pregnancy. The effect on serum prostacyclin and thromboxane A<sub>2</sub> levels was also to be studied.

It should also provide an opportunity to determine whether any of the potentially adverse haemodynamic features of hypertensive pregnancy can be reversed by plasma volume expansion. The role of prostacyclin and thromboxane A<sub>2</sub> could also be assessed.

If beneficial changes are produced these may indicate a possible therapeutic role for plasma volume expansion.

## DESIGN AND METHODS

A prospective study was undertaken on 21 patients to determine the effect of plasma volume expansion on:

1. blood pressure (BP)
2. pulse rate (PR)
3. central venous pressure (CVP)
4. haematocrit (HCT)
5. plasma volume (PV)
6. capillary permeability (CP)
7. 24hr urine volume (UV)
8. serum creatinine (SCR), urea (SU) and urate (SUR)
9. creatinine clearance (CC)
10. serum total protein (STP) and albumin (SAL)
11. serum prostacyclin (PGI<sub>2</sub>) and thromboxane A<sub>2</sub> (TxA<sub>2</sub>).

All the patients in this study conformed to the following selection criteria :

1. Gestational age greater than 20 weeks.
2. Diastolic BP of 90 to 119 mmHg.
3. Receiving no medication.
4. No other complications or medical disorders.
5. Free and informed consent obtained.

Every third patient was treated as a control in which the

same observations were made under identical conditions but plasma volume expansion was not performed and CVP was not measured.

Patients were studied under standardised resting conditions over a 3 day period and the timetable of investigation is shown in Table II.

The BP recordings on Day 1 and Day 3 were performed 6 hourly by standard sphygmomanometry. On day 2 the BP was recorded with a Bresco computerised blood pressure manometer. Technically this made recording the BP easier and also excluded any possible observer bias. The BP results obtained by these two methods were analysed separately.

The plasma volumes were measured using standardised Evan's blue dilution technique with the patients resting on their left side.<sup>31,32</sup> Blood samples were collected at 0, 10, 20, 30 and 60 minutes. The plasma volumes referred to in this study are based on the 10 minute specimen. The remaining specimens were used to determine the capillary permeability based on the disappearance rate of the Evan's blue dye from the circulation.<sup>9</sup>

The CVP was measured with a venous pressure manometer.

The HCT in venous blood was measured in duplicate by Hawksley micro-centrifuge.

The serum creatinine and creatinine clearance was determined by specific creatinine assay.

The serum urate, urea, total protein and albumin was measured by standard auto analyser technique (SMAC 12).

The plasma volume measurements were made immediately before plasma volume expansion, 2 hours after the start of plasma volume expansion and again after 24 hours. All other measurements were made immediately before plasma volume expansion and again after 24 hours.

The serum prostacyclin and thromboxane A<sub>2</sub> levels were measured immediately before and 2 hrs after plasma volume expansion. Patients were accepted for this part of the study if the following criteria were fulfilled :

1. No vaginal examination had been performed within the previous 24 hours
2. No evidence of uterine activity
3. No history of ingestion of anti-prostaglandins within previous 2 weeks.

A 16 guage cannula was sited in an antecubital fossa vein in all patients and remained in-situ for 1 hr before blood

samples were obtained without constriction. The levels of 6-keto-prostaglandin  $F_{1\alpha}$  ( $PGF_{1\alpha}$ ) and thromboxane  $B_2$  ( $TxB_2$ ) were measured ( these being the stable metabolites of prostacyclin and thromboxane  $A_2$  respectively ). The cannulas were again left undisturbed for 1 hr before the 2nd samples were obtained. The blood samples, having been taken without constriction, were placed into cooled polystyrene tubes containing EDTA, theophylline and aspirin solution and placed on ice. The samples were spun down within 1 hr at  $4^\circ C$  and the serum frozen. The prostanoids were extracted within 72 hrs and stored at  $-20^\circ C$  for later batch radioimmunoassay using an  $^3H$  Radioimmunoassay kit (Seragen).

The plasma volume was expanded with 500ml of Stabilized Human Serum (SHS) (Western Province Blood Transfusion Service), the infusion running over 90 minutes. The composition of SHS is shown in Table III.

The statistical difference of the observations before and after plasma volume expansion were analysed by paired t tests.

$$t = \bar{d} \div \sqrt{\frac{SD^2}{n}}$$

The difference between the plasma volume expansion groups (PVE GRP) and the control groups (CONTROL) were analysed

by unpaired t test.

$$t = \frac{\bar{X}_1 - \bar{X}_2}{\sqrt{\frac{SD^2}{n_1} + \frac{SD^2}{n_2}}}$$

The capillary permeability was determined from the disappearance rate of intravenously injected Evan's Blue dye from the circulation (EBDR). The disappearance of dye from the blood with time has been found to fit best to a linear regression model after logarithmic transfer of the dye concentration.<sup>9</sup> Paired t tests were used to analyse the differences of the slopes before and after plasma volume expansion.

The changes in prostacyclin and thromboxane levels were best analysed using the sign test. Prostaglandin data obtained in our department has been found to have a skewed distribution (Angela Railton - unpublished data). The changes in the prostacyclin to thromboxane A<sub>2</sub> ratios were analysed by paired t test.

Significance  $p < 0.05$ .

## RESULTS

### CHANGES UP TO 6 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION

#### 1. Blood pressure, pulse pressure and pulse rate.

The systolic and diastolic blood pressures, pulse pressures and pulse rates before and 2 hours after plasma volume expansion are shown in Table IV. The values at 4 hours and 6 hours after plasma volume expansion are shown in Tables V and VI respectively. A summary of the results is illustrated in figure 2.

There was a significant fall in diastolic blood pressure at 2 hours and 4 hours after plasma volume expansion. The systolic blood pressure was unchanged at 2 hours and 6 hours with a significant decrease at 4 hours after plasma volume expansion. This resulted in a significant rise in pulse pressure at 2 hours after plasma volume expansion. In the control group the blood pressure and pulse pressure remained unchanged throughout.

The pulse rate was significantly increased 2 hours, 4 hours and 6 hours after plasma volume expansion.

## 2. Central venous pressure (CVP)

The mean central venous pressure before and after plasma volume expansion is shown in Table VII. There was a significant rise in CVP at 2 hours, 4 hours and 6 hours after plasma volume expansion. ( $p < 0.001$ ) The individual results are illustrated in figure 3.

## 3. Plasma volume

The plasma volume measurements before and 2 hours and 24 hours after plasma volume expansion are shown in Table VIII and illustrated in figure 4. There was a significant mean increase of 1,85 litres in the plasma volume 2 hours after plasma volume expansion. As only 500ml of SHS was infused this increase in plasma volume was unexpected and will be discussed later. There was no significant change in the control group.

## 4. Capillary permeability

The disappearance rate of the intravenously injected Evan's Blue dye from the circulation (EBDR) before and 2 hours after plasma volume expansion is shown in Table IX. There was no significant change.

## CHANGES 24 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION

### 1. Blood pressure, pulse pressure and pulse rate

The blood pressures, pulse pressures and pulse rates before and 24 hours after plasma volume expansion are shown in Table X.

There were no significant changes before and 24 hours after plasma volume expansion. The control group also showed no change.

### 2. Central venous pressure

The change in CVP 24 hours after plasma volume expansion is shown in Table VII. The increase after 24 hours is significant. ( $p < 0.001$ )

### 3. Plasma volume

The plasma volume measurements 24 hour after plasma volume expansion are shown in Table VIII. There is no significant change after 24 hours.

#### 4. Haematocrit

The values for haematocrit before and 24 hours after plasma volume expansion are shown in Table XI. No change was noted. The haematocrit was not measured in the 6 hours following plasma volume expansion.

#### 5. Renal Function

The 24 hour urine volume, creatinine clearance, serum creatinine, serum urea and serum urate before and 24 hours after plasma volume expansion did not differ in the two groups. See Table XII.

#### 6. Capillary permeability, total protein and albumin

The changes in the disappearance rate of the intravenously injected Evan's blue dye from the circulation (EBDR) before and 24 hours after plasma volume expansion are shown in Table IX. The increase in serum albumin reaches significance. (Table XIII)

CHANGES IN PROSTAGLANDIN LEVELS BEFORE AND 2 HOURS AFTER  
PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION

The changes in prostacyclin and thromboxane  $A_2$  was determined by measuring the levels of 6 keto  $PGF_{1\alpha}$  (the stable metabolite of prostacyclin) and of thromboxane  $B_2$  (the stable metabolite of thromboxane  $A_2$ ) before and 2 hours after plasma volume expansion.

These changes were analysed statistically using the sign test and are shown in Table XIV. The number of patients with an increased level of 6 keto  $PGF_{1\alpha}$  and a decreased level of thromboxane  $B_2$  after plasma volume expansion was significant. The mean 6 keto  $PGF_{1\alpha}$  to thromboxane  $B_2$  ratios before and 2 hrs after plasma volume expansion are shown in Table XV.

## DISCUSSION

Pregnant women with either chronic hypertension or gestational hypertension have contracted plasma volumes.<sup>31</sup> A low plasma volume is related to a low birth weight and a poor pregnancy outcome.<sup>10,33,34</sup>

The relationship of blood volume, total vascular capacity and central venous pressure in normotensive and hypertensive pregnancies has been poorly studied. Colditz and Josey (1970)<sup>35</sup> reported that the mean CVP in non-pregnant patients was 9 cmH<sub>2</sub>O and progressively fell during pregnancy to 3.8 cmH<sub>2</sub>O in the third trimester. (See Table XVI) Cloeren, Lippert and Hinselman (1973)<sup>1</sup> found a mean CVP of -4.2 cmH<sub>2</sub>O in 15 hypertensive patients. This was increased after plasma volume expansion to a mean of 2.4 cmH<sub>2</sub>O. (See Table XVI) in the present study the mean value before expansion was 2.3 cmH<sub>2</sub>O and this increased after volume expansion to approximately 6.7 cmH<sub>2</sub>O which was then maintained for 24 hours. The data is meagre but these findings nevertheless suggest that at least some hypertensive patients may have a reduced CVP and that there may be true "under-filling" of the circulation and that this may be reversed by plasma volume expansion with 500ml SHS.

After plasma volume expansion there was a significant decrease in the diastolic blood pressure at 2 hours and 4 hours, a significant increase in pulse pressure at 2 hours and a significant increase in pulse rate at 2 hours, 4 hours and 6 hours. This suggests that there is an increase in cardiac output in response to plasma volume expansion with 500ml SHS, but that this effect is relatively short lived.

The fall in diastolic blood pressure in response to plasma volume expansion is surprising and suggests that not only is there a passive increase in the vascular capacity but also an active arterial or arteriolar vasodilatation. The changes in the prostaglandin levels after plasma volume expansion in this study suggest that the prostaglandins may be a mediating factor. There was a significant increase in prostacyclin and a decrease in thromboxane after plasma volume expansion. The relationship of prostacyclin to thromboxane by comparison of the ratio of 6 keto  $\text{PGF}_{1\alpha}$  to thromboxane  $\text{B}_2$  before and after plasma volume expansion also suggests a tendency to prostacyclin dominance after expansion.

Prostacyclin is a vasodilator and an increase could account for the decrease in diastolic blood pressure. The effect is probably similar to the hypotensive effect reported by

Lidler et al (1980)<sup>36</sup> after prostacyclin infusion in pregnant hypertensive patients. The only previous study of the prostacyclin response to plasma volume expansion in hypertensive pregnancies suggested that prostacyclin release was suppressed by the vasodilatation caused by the volume expansion. (Gallery, Mitchell, Redman 1984).<sup>29</sup>

Botha, Leary, Asmal (1980)<sup>37</sup> and Pace-Asciak et al (1978)<sup>38</sup> have shown that not only does distension and stretch cause a release of prostacyclin from the rat's aorta but this effect is increased in hypertensive rats. The effect of plasma volume expansion in lowering the blood pressure may thus be due to the local release of prostacyclin in the walls of the resistant arterioles as a result of distension of the blood vessel.

An alternative explanation for the fall in blood pressure would be the presence of a direct vasodilating agent in the SHS. In natural plasma protein substitutes a direct vasodilating agent has been found which is a protein of molecular weight approximately 100,000 and stable in plasma.<sup>39</sup> The effect however is short-lived and has disappeared two to three minutes after stopping the infusion. Perhaps an initial brief period of vasodilatation accompanied by volume expansion allows resetting of blood pressure and volume homeostatic

mechanisms with subsequent prolongation of the beneficial clinical effect. However, a local release of prostacyclin is probably a more plausible explanation for the fall in diastolic blood pressure.

The increase in pulse pressure, pulse rate and plasma volume immediately after the infusion of SHS suggests that there is an increased venous return and an increased cardiac output. This may have the potential beneficial effect of increasing renal and possibly uterine blood flow, though this effect is not sustained.

The changes in creatinine clearance, serum creatinine and serum urea 24 hours after plasma volume expansion did not reach statistical significance. It is possible that, as with the cardiovascular system, the beneficial changes in the renal system were lost at 24 hours after plasma volume expansion and that if the renal function tests had been repeated within 6 hours after expansion a significant change may have been observed. It is also possible that any increase in renal blood flow in response to plasma volume expansion may have led to an increase flow through the renal cortex and not through the glomeruli so that little change in the glomerular filtration rate was noted.

The mean increase in plasma volume of 1.85 litres 2 hours after plasma volume expansion suggests that though SHS is reputedly iso-osmotic, it does increase the colloid osmotic pressure and does cause a transfer of fluid from the extravascular to the intravascular space. No significant change was noted in the capillary permeability as measured by the disappearance rate of the intravenously injected Evan's blue (EBDR) after plasma volume expansion. Considering the increase in plasma volume, this finding may be difficult to explain. The Evan's blue dye dilution technique for measuring plasma volume has been extensively used and widely accepted in the past. When injected intravenously the Evan's blue immediately binds to albumin and mixing is considered to be complete by 10 minutes, with very little of the dye having left the circulation. The following possibilities cast doubt on the method of measuring capillary permeability in this study and could explain the findings :

1. There may be an abnormality in the mixing of Evan's blue in gestational hypertensives. In hypertensives there is a tendency towards a shift in blood volume from the peripheral circulation to the central circulation.<sup>40</sup> It is likely that mixing is fast in the central blood volume and markedly slowed down in the constricted peripheral vascular bed. The effect of plasma volume expansion may again affect the peripheral circulation and influence the mixing of the dye. The change in the cardiac output is unlikely to affect the mixing of the dye.<sup>41</sup>

2. The rate of protein exchange between the intravascular and extravascular compartments is also a confounding factor. It is likely that the Evan's blue attached to this carrier albumin is moving from the circulation into the extracellular space and then slowly being released back.<sup>42</sup> There was a significant increase in serum albumin after plasma volume expansion and it is likely that rate of protein exchange was also altered.
3. Water may have shifted between the interstitial space and the intravascular space whilst the measurements were being performed. The patients in this study remained in a supine position before and during the observation periods, making this explanation unlikely. In retrospect, the use of the Evan's blue disappearance rate as a measure of capillary permeability may not be acceptable.

The effect of plasma volume expansion with 500ml SHS may thus be a beneficial one in terms of lowering of blood pressure, increasing blood volume and increasing cardiac output with a possible increase in renal and uterine blood flow. Though this effect is relatively short-lived, plasma volume expansion may provide a useful physiological approach to the reversal of the deleterious effects of severe hypertension in the acute situation particularly when associated with hypovolaemia.

### FURTHER RESEARCH

SHS may not be the optimal solution for plasma volume expansion. A better preparation may be a hyperosmotic 20-24% albumin solution which may increase the plasma volume as well as the oncotic pressure and result in a more prolonged effect. It could be that the infusion should continue until a certain CVP is reached or that the infusion is repeated on one or more occasions in order to achieve a more prolonged beneficial effect. This form of therapy represents a potentially useful adjunct to traditional anti-hypertensive regimens, particularly in the acute management of severe pregnancy hypertension. The measurement of plasma proteins, the plasma oncotic pressure, the CVP and pulmonary capillary wedge pressure may be important adjuvants in the management of these patients.

Figure 1

DEVELOPMENT OF SYMPTOMS OF SEVERE PRE-ECLAMPSIA<sup>14</sup>

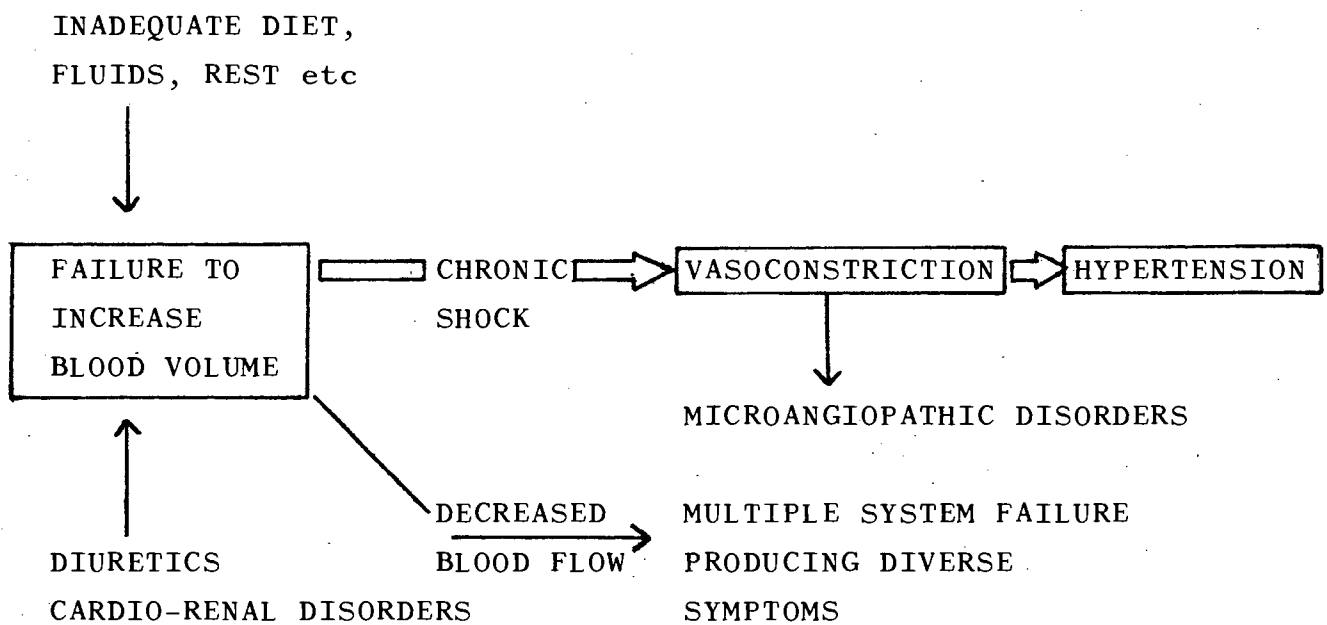


Figure 2

SUMMARY OF RESULTS OF SYSTOLIC BLOOD PRESSURE (SBP),  
 DIASTOLIC BLOOD PRESSURE (DBP), PULSE PRESSURE (PP)  
 AND PULSE RATE (PR).

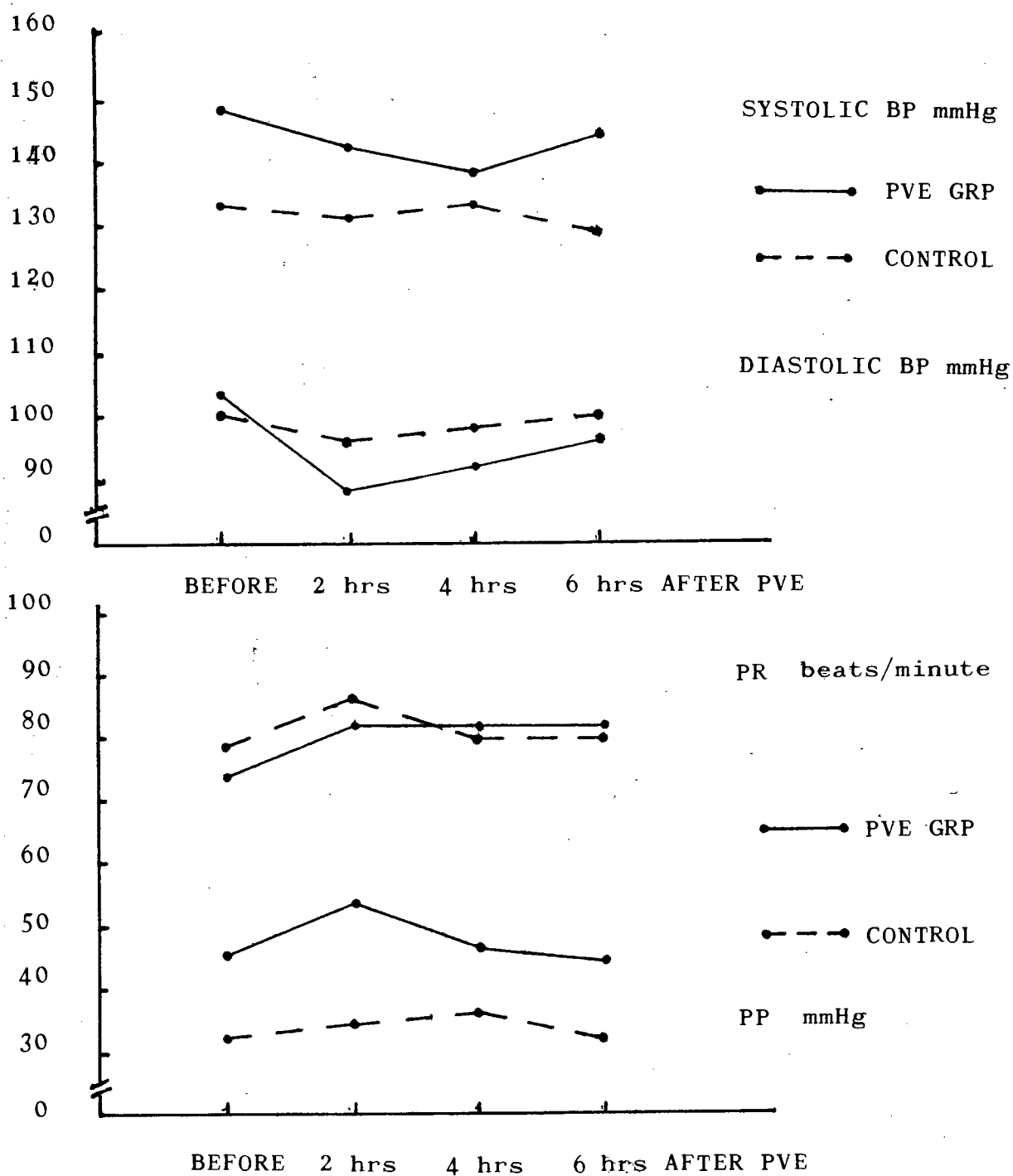


Figure 3

INDIVIDUAL CVP RESULTS BEFORE AND AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

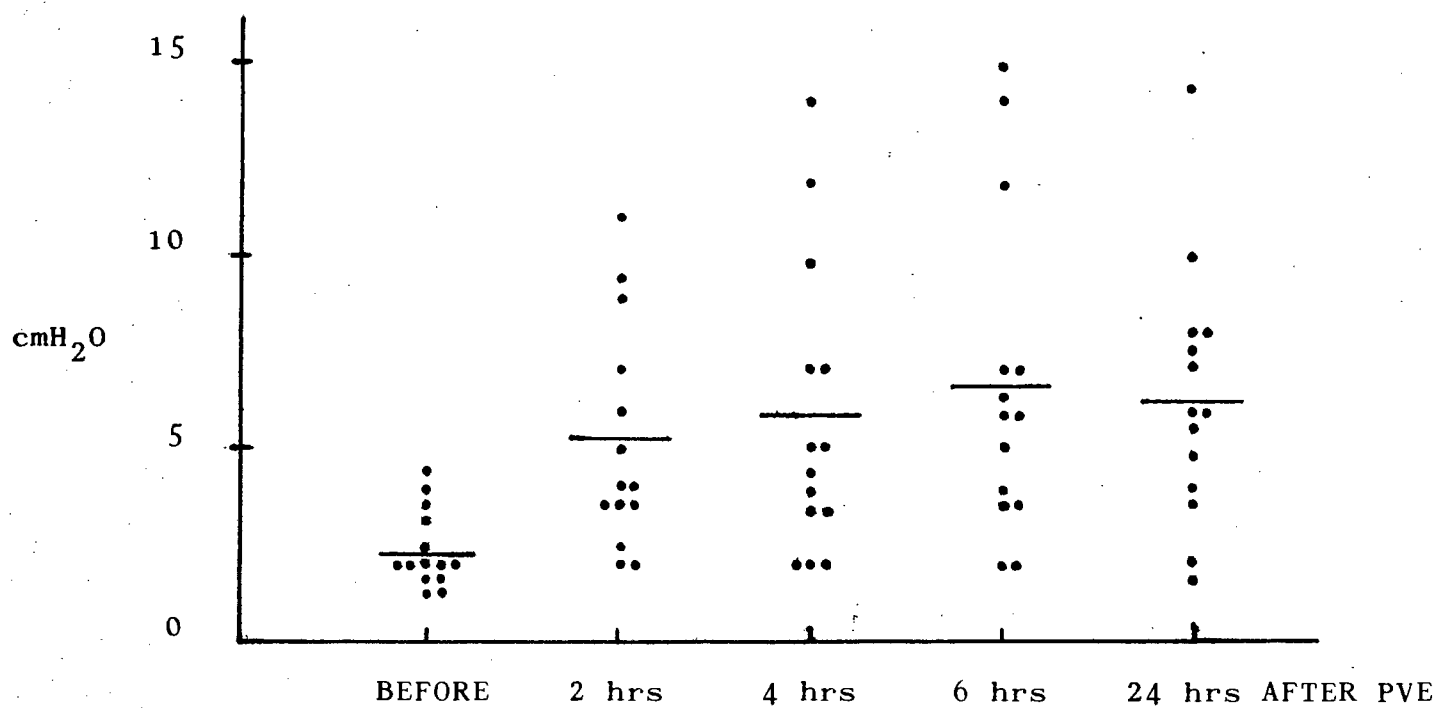


Figure 4

HISTOGRAM SUMMARY OF PLASMA VOLUME (PV) RESULTS IN THE PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION GROUP (PVE GRP) AND THE CONTROL GROUP.

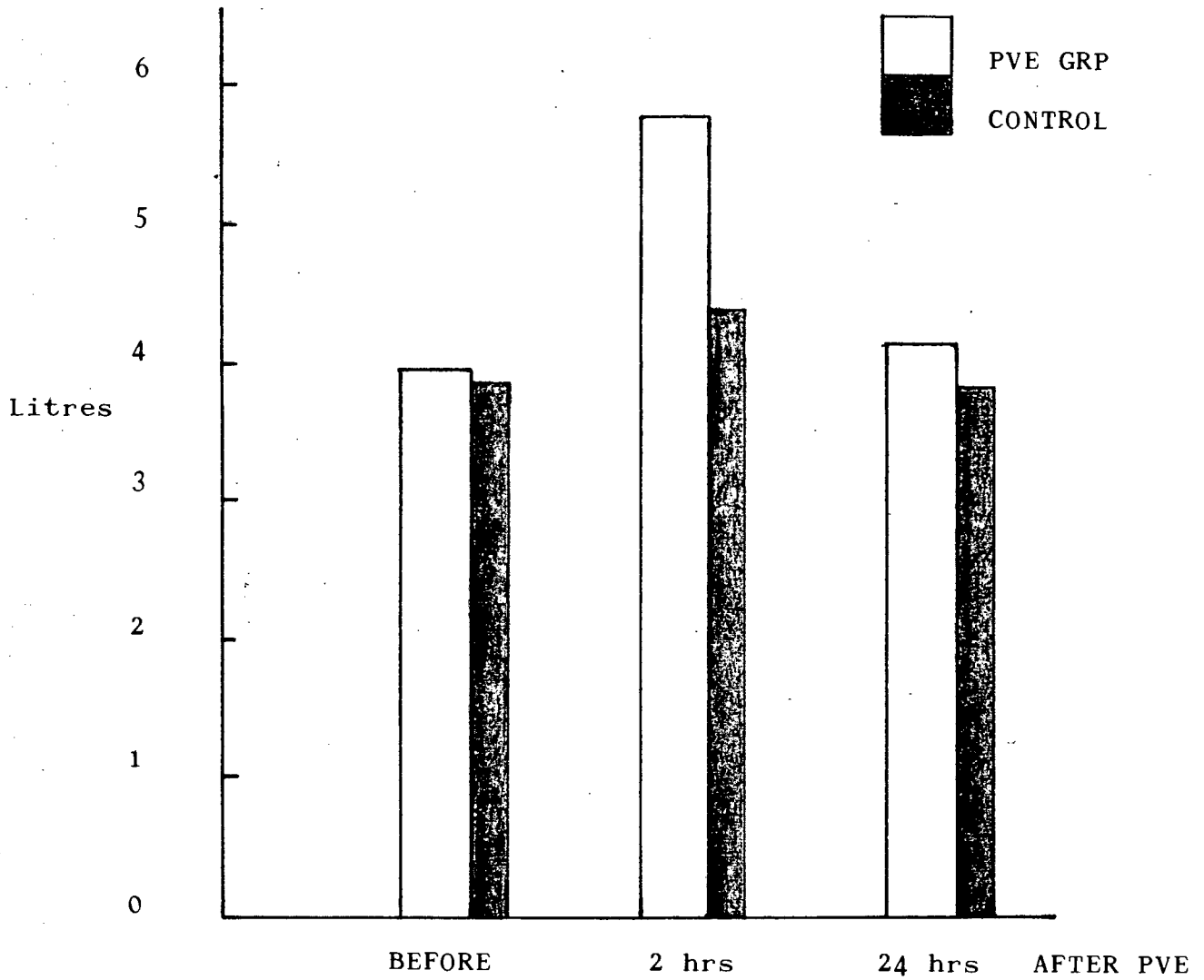


TABLE I

PLASMA VOLUMES IN NORMAL AND PRE-ECLAMPTIC PREGNANCIES

Author	<u>Normal</u>		<u>Pre-Eclamptic</u>		Decrease (%)
	<u>Pregnancy</u> Cases	Mean (ml)	<u>Pregnancy</u> Cases	Mean (ml)	
Werkö and co-workers	4	3865	9	3145	18
Freis and Kenny	7	4287	5	3045	29
Roettger	20	3383	18	2890	15
Cope	29	3470	14	2820	19
Friedberg and Lutz	10	3104	17	3257	+5
Kolpakova	20	3309	15	2918	12
Hønger	20	3800	19	3300	13
Haering and co-workers	18	3721	21	3148	15
Broder and Spetz	46	4245	34	4010	5
MacGillivray	18	4040	35	3535	12
Blekta and co-workers	55	3133	14	2590	17
Totals and Means	247	3668	201	3150	14

TABLE IITIMETABLE OF INVESTIGATIONDAY 1

BP and PR 6 hrly for 24 hr

24 hr urine collection

Overnight fast (before plasma volume measurement)

DAY 2Before Plasma Volume Expansion

CVP

Haematocrit, serum creatinine, urea urate

Plasma volume 0, 10, 20, 30, 60 min

2nd 24 hr urine collection commenced

Serum prostacyclin and thromboxane A<sub>2</sub>

Plasma volume expansion over 90 min

BP, PR, CVP recorded every 15 min during expansion

2 hr after plasma volume expansion

Repeat plasma volume measurements

BP, PR, CVP 2 hrly for 6 hr

Repeat prostacyclin and thromboxane A<sub>2</sub>

DAY 324 hr after start plasma volume expansion

BP, PR 6 hrly for 24 hr

CVP

Plasma volume 0, 10, 20, 30, 60 min

Haematocrit, serum creatinine, urea and urate.

3rd 24 hr urine collection commenced.

TABLE IIICOMPOSITION OF STABILISED HUMAN SERUM (SHS)

Total protein	50g <sup>±</sup> 5g/L
Albumin	31g <sup>±</sup> 2g/L
Immunoglobulin G	7,75g <sup>±</sup> 1,25g/L
Immunoglobulin A	1,65g <sup>±</sup> 0,35g/L
Immunoglobulin M	1,25g <sup>±</sup> 0,75g/L
Sodium	120-140 mmol/L
Potassium	3-4 mmol/L
Calcium	1-1,5 mmol/L
Chloride	120-140 mmol/L
Osmolarity	260 <sup>±</sup> 20 mOsm/kg
pH	7,5 <sup>±</sup> 0,5
Erithrocyte Antibodies: Anti-A and Anti-B titres are both	
	1 in 4 or less at 20°C

Serum proteins also present :

Alpha-1-antitrypsin, haptoglobin, alpha-2-macroglobulin, caeruloplasmin, transferrin and haemopexin. Stabilised Human Serum contains no detectable lipoproteins or fibrinogen. No preservative is present in Stabilised Human Serum.

Each unit negative for HBsAg.

TABLE IV

THE SYSTOLIC (SBP) AND DIASTOLIC (DBP) BLOOD PRESSURES  
(mmHg), PULSE PRESSURES (PP) AND PULSE RATE PER MINUTE  
(PR) BEFORE AND 2 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE)

	BEFORE (Mean $\pm$ SD)	2HR AFTER (Mean $\pm$ SD)	DIFFERENCE $\bar{d}$ (Mean $\pm$ SD)	
PVE GRP SBP	148 $\pm$ 16	142 $\pm$ 19	3.9 $\pm$ 9.7	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL SBP	133 $\pm$ 20	131 $\pm$ 16	1.7 $\pm$ 11.8	p > 0.5
	0.05 < p < 0.1			
PVE GRP DBP	103 $\pm$ 9	89 $\pm$ 9	13.7 $\pm$ 6.8	p < 0.001
CONTROL DBP	100 $\pm$ 14	96 $\pm$ 14	4.1 $\pm$ 6.9	0.1 < p < 0.5
	p > 0.5			
PVE GRP PP	45 $\pm$ 17	53 $\pm$ 19	7.6 $\pm$ 12.5	0.02 < p < 0.05
CONTROL PP	32 $\pm$ 10	34 $\pm$ 10	2.4 $\pm$ 10.6	p > 0.5
	p = 0.05			
PVE GRP PR	73 $\pm$ 10	81 $\pm$ 14	7.8 $\pm$ 7.9	0.001 < p < 0.01
CONTROL PR	78 $\pm$ 8	86 $\pm$ 4	8.5 $\pm$ 7.5	0.02 < p < 0.05
	0.01 < p < 0.5			

TABLE V

THE SYSTOLIC (SBP) AND DIASTOLIC (DBP) BLOOD PRESSURES  
(mmHg), PULSE PRESSURES (PP) AND PULSE RATE PER MINUTE  
(PR) BEFORE AND 4 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE)

	BEFORE (Mean $\pm$ SD)	4HR AFTER (Mean $\pm$ SD)	DIFFERENCE $\bar{d}$ (Mean $\pm$ SD)	
PVE GRP SBP	148 $\pm$ 16	138 $\pm$ 22	9.9 $\pm$ 11.5	0.001 < p < 0.01
CONTROL SBP	133 $\pm$ 20	133 $\pm$ 24	0.7 $\pm$ 12.3	p > 0.5
	0.05 < p < 0.1			
PVE GRP DBP	103 $\pm$ 9	92 $\pm$ 11	10.3 $\pm$ 9.7	0.001 < p < 0.01
CONTROL DBP	100 $\pm$ 14	98 $\pm$ 16	2.5 $\pm$ 5.2	0.1 < p < 0.5
	p > 0.5			
PVE GRP PP	45 $\pm$ 17	46 $\pm$ 17	0 $\pm$ 12.0	p > 0.5
CONTROL PP	32 $\pm$ 10	36 $\pm$ 9	3.8 $\pm$ 11.0	0.1 < p < 0.5
	p = 0.05			
PVE GRP PR	73 $\pm$ 10	81 $\pm$ 10	7.4 $\pm$ 7.8	0.001 < p < 0.01
CONTROL PR	78 $\pm$ 8	80 $\pm$ 8	3.2 $\pm$ 5.9	0.1 < p < 0.5
	0.01 < p < 0.5			

TABLE VI

THE SYSTOLIC (SBP) AND DIASTOLIC (DBP) BLOOD PRESSURES  
(mmHg), PULSE PRESSURES (PP) AND PULSE RATE PER MINUTE  
(PR) BEFORE AND 6 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE)

	BEFORE (Mean $\pm$ SD)	6 HR AFTER (Mean $\pm$ SD)	DIFFERENCE $\bar{d}$ (Mean $\pm$ SD)	
PVE GRP SBP	148 $\pm$ 16	144 $\pm$ 20	3.9 $\pm$ 11.4	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL SBP	133 $\pm$ 20	129 $\pm$ 15	3.8 $\pm$ 9.6	0.1 < p < 0.5
	0.05 < p < 0.1			
PVE GRP DBP	103 $\pm$ 9	100 $\pm$ 10	2.8 $\pm$ 9.1	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL DBP	100 $\pm$ 14	96 $\pm$ 14	3.7 $\pm$ 2.3	0.001 < p < 0.01
	p > 0.5			
PVE GRP PP	45 $\pm$ 17	44 $\pm$ 16	2.0 $\pm$ 13.9	p > 0.5
CONTROL PP	32 $\pm$ 10	32 $\pm$ 9	0.4 $\pm$ 11.1	p > 0.5
	p = 0.05			
PVE GRP PR	73 $\pm$ 10	81 $\pm$ 9	7.3 $\pm$ 8.9	0.001 < p < 0.01
CONTROL PR	78 $\pm$ 8	80 $\pm$ 10	2.8 $\pm$ 10.9	p > 0.5
	0.01 < p < 0.5			

TABLE VII

CENTRAL VENOUS PRESSURE (cmH<sub>2</sub>O) BEFORE AND 2 HOURS, 4 HOURS,  
6 HOURS AND 24 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

	BEFORE	2HR AFTER	4HR AFTER	6HR AFTER	24HR AFTER
MEAN	2.3	5.2	5.8	6.7	6.3
RANGE	1 to 4.5	2 to 11	2 to 14	2 to 15	1.5 to 14

TABLE VIII

THE PLASMA VOLUME (litres) BEFORE AND 2 HOURS AND 24 HOURS  
AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

	BEFORE (Mean <sup>±</sup> SD)	2 HR AFTER (Mean <sup>±</sup> SD)	
PVE GRP	3.94 ± 0.59	5.79 ± 1.40	p < 0.001
CONTROL	3.83 ± 0.70	4.37 ± 0.90	0.1 < p < 0.5

p > 0.5

	24 HR AFTER (Mean <sup>±</sup> SD)	
PVE GRP	4.14 ± 0.73	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL	3.82 ± 0.85	p > 0.5

TABLE IX

THE CAPILLARY PERMEABILITY (EBDR) BEFORE AND 2 HOURS  
AND 24 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION.

	BEFORE (Mean <sup>±</sup> SD)	2 HR AFTER (Mean <sup>±</sup> SD)	DIFFERENCE $\bar{d}$ (Mean <sup>±</sup> SD)	
PVE GRP EBDR	-0.00103 <sup>±</sup> 0.002	-0.00123 <sup>±</sup> 0.001	0.00019 <sup>±</sup> 0.003	p>0.5
CONTROL EBDR	0.00527 <sup>±</sup> 0.015	-0.00131 <sup>±</sup> 0.001	0.00657 <sup>±</sup> 0.016	0.1<p<0.5
	0.1<p<0.5			
		24 HR AFTER		
PVE GRP EBDR		-0.00394 <sup>±</sup> 0.007	0.00291 <sup>±</sup> 0.007	0.1<p<0.5
CONTROL EBDR		-0.00180 <sup>±</sup> 0.002	0.00707 <sup>±</sup> 0.015	0.1<p<0.5

TABLE X

THE SYSTOLIC (SBP) AND DIASTOLIC (DBP) BLOOD PRESSURES (mmHg), PULSE PRESSURES (PP) AND PULSE RATE PER MINUTE (PR) BEFORE AND 24 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

	BEFORE (Mean $\pm$ SD)	24 HR AFTER (Mean $\pm$ SD)	DIFFERENCE $\bar{d}$ (Mean $\pm$ SD)	
PVE GRP SBP	147 $\pm$ 14	148 $\pm$ 13	2.1 $\pm$ 8.8	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL SBP	142 $\pm$ 13	140 $\pm$ 22	2.2 $\pm$ 11.9	p > 0.5
	0.1 < p < 0.5			
PVE GRP DBP	99 $\pm$ 6	96 $\pm$ 9	2.3 $\pm$ 5.9	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL DBP	97 $\pm$ 7	93 $\pm$ 13	4.0 $\pm$ 8.2	0.1 < p < 0.5
	p > 0.5			
PVE GRP PP	48 $\pm$ 10	52 $\pm$ 5.436	3.8 $\pm$ 7.7	0.05 < p < 0.1
CONTROL PP	46 $\pm$ 7	47 $\pm$ 12	1.7 $\pm$ 10.5	p > 0.5
	p > 0.5			
PVE GRP PR	83 $\pm$ 8	82 $\pm$ 9	1.1 $\pm$ 8.3	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL PR	87 $\pm$ 6	85 $\pm$ 8	2.7 $\pm$ 11.8	p > 0.5
	0.1 < p < 0.5			

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VOLUME EXPANSION

	BEFORE	24 HR AFTER	
PVE GRP	$34 \pm 5$	$34 \pm 5$	$p > 0.5$
CONTROL	$36 \pm 4$	$36 \pm 5$	$p > 0.5$

 $0.1 < p < 0.5$

TABLE XII

THE CREATININE CLEARANCE ml/min (CC), SERUM CREATININE  $\mu$ mol/l (SCR), SERUM UREA mmol/l (SU), SERUM URATE mmol/l (SUR) AND 24 HOUR URINE VOLUME ml/24 HR (UV) BEFORE AND 24 HR AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

	BEFORE (Mean $\pm$ SD)	24 HR AFTER (Mean $\pm$ SD)	DIFFERENCE $\bar{d}$ (Mean $\pm$ SD)	
PVE GRP CC	93 $\pm$ 44	101 $\pm$ 45	8.0 $\pm$ 38.9	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL CC	101 $\pm$ 35	96 $\pm$ 33	5.5 $\pm$ 32.1	p > 0.5
	p > 0.5			
PVE GRP SCR	64 $\pm$ 10	59 $\pm$ 9	4.3 $\pm$ 10.3	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL SCR	59 $\pm$ 14	59 $\pm$ 12	0.0 $\pm$ 8.3	p > 0.5
	0.1 < p < 0.5			
PVE GRP SU	3.2 $\pm$ 1.0	2.7 $\pm$ 0.8	0.4 $\pm$ 0.85	0.05 < p < 0.1
CONTROL SU	3.1 $\pm$ 0.7	3.1 $\pm$ 0.9	0.07 $\pm$ 0.57	p > 0.5
	p > 0.5			
PVE GRP SUR	0.28 $\pm$ 0.06	0.28 $\pm$ 0.07	0.003 $\pm$ 0.03	p > 0.5
CONTROL SUR	0.35 $\pm$ 0.10	0.35 $\pm$ 0.12	0.006 $\pm$ 0.02	0.1 < p < 0.5
	0.1 < p < 0.5			
PVE GRP UV	1334 $\pm$ 816	1378 $\pm$ 504	43.3 $\pm$ 593.3	p > 0.5
CONTROL UV	1254 $\pm$ 478	1514 $\pm$ 701	261.1 $\pm$ 453.5	0.1 < p < 0.5
	p > 0.5			

TABLE XIII

THE SERUM TOTAL PROTEIN g/l (STP) AND SERUM ALBUMIN g/l (SAL) BEFORE AND 24 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

	BEFORE (Mean $\pm$ SD)	24 HR AFTER (Mean $\pm$ SD)	DIFFERENCE $\bar{d}$ (Mean $\pm$ SD)	
PVE GRP STP	61 $\pm$ 6.3	63 $\pm$ 6.7	1.7 $\pm$ 3.6	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL STP	63 $\pm$ 4.9	62 $\pm$ 4.8	0.6 $\pm$ 2.2	p > 0.5
	0.1 < p < 0.5			
PVE GRP SAL	32 $\pm$ 2.8	33 $\pm$ 3.5	1.1 $\pm$ 1.9	0.02 < p < .05
CONTROL SAL	34 $\pm$ 2.9	34 $\pm$ 2.8	0.3 $\pm$ 0.7	0.1 < p < 0.5
	0.1 < p < 0.5			

TABLE XIV

THE CHANGE IN 6 KetoPGF<sub>1α</sub> AND THROMBOXANE B<sub>2</sub> BEFORE AND 2 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

PVE GRP	PATIENTS	PATIENTS	
	WITH INCREASED LEVEL	WITH DECREASED LEVEL	
6 Keto PGF <sub>1</sub> (n=11)	9	2	0.02 < p < 0.05
Thromboxane B <sub>2</sub> (n=13)	3	10	0.02 < p < 0.05
CONTROL	PATIENTS	PATIENTS	
	WITH INCREASED LEVEL	WITH DECREASED LEVEL	
6 Keto PGF <sub>1</sub> (n=7)	4	3	0.05 < p < 0.1
Thromboxane B <sub>2</sub> (n=7)	6	1	0.05 < p < 0.1

TABLE XV

THE MEAN 6 KETO PGF<sub>1</sub>α TO THROMBOXANE B<sub>2</sub> RATIO BEFORE AND  
2 HOURS AFTER PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION (PVE).

	BEFORE	2 HR AFTER	
PVE GRP (n=11)	2.37	3.07	0.1 < p < 0.5
CONTROL (n=7)	3.53	2.46	0.1 < p < 0.5
	p > 0.5		

TABLE XVI

THE CENTRAL VENOUS PRESSURE (cmH<sub>2</sub>O) IN NORMAL AND  
AND HYPERTENSIVE PREGNANCIES.

	COLDITZ AND JOSEY (1970)				CLOEREN et al (1973)	
	NON PREGNANT (n=7)	FIRST TRIMESTER (n=4)	SECOND TRIMESTER (n=6)	THIRD TRIMESTER (n=8)	BEFORE PVE (n=15)	AFTER PVE (n=15)
MEAN	9.0	7.5	4.0	3.8	-4.2	2.4
RANGE	7.8 to 11.2	6.5 to 8.7	3.6 to 4.6	2.0 to 4.4	-7 to 0	-3 to 5.5

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APPENDIX 1

EXAMPLE OF DATA SHEETS USED DURING THE TRIAL TO RECORD  
THE FINDINGS OF EACH PATIENT.



PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION PROJECT 1985

DAY 2 OBSERVATIONS

TIME	PLASMA VOLUME MEASUREMENT								PLASMA VOLUME MEASUREMENT				
CVP													
PULSE													
SBP													
DBP													
		0	15	30	45	60	75	90		2	4	6	
		MINUTES								HOURS			
		DURING VOL. EXPANSION								AFTER EXPANSION			





APPENDIX 2GLOSSARY OF ABBREVIATIONS

CC	Creatinine clearance (ml/min)
CVP	Central venous pressure (cmH <sub>2</sub> O)
DBP	Diastolic blood pressure (mmHg)
DYE CONC	Evan's blue dye concentration measured spectrophotometrically
EBDR	Evan's blue disappearance rate
GEST	Gestational
HCT	Haematocrit (%)
PGI <sub>2</sub>	Serum prostacyclin
PP	Pulse pressure (mmHg)
PR	Pulse rate (beats per minute)
PRU	Proteinuria (mg)
PT	Patient
PV	Plasma volume (l)
PVE	Plasma volume expansion
SAL	Serum albumin (g/l)
SBP	Systolic blood pressure (mmHg)
SCR	Serum creatinine (μmol/l)
STP	Serum total protein (g/l)
SU	Serum urea (mmol/l)
SUR	Serum urate (mmol/l)
TxA <sub>2</sub>	Serum thromboxane A <sub>2</sub>
UV	Urine volume (ml)

APPENDIX 3

## SUMMARY OF INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

## (1) PLASMA VOLUME EXPANSION GROUP (PVE GRP)

PATIENT NO 1 - 14

## (2) CONTROL GROUP

PATIENT NO 1 - 7

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 1

PT AGE (yrs) 39 GRAVIDA 6 HEIGHT (cm) 150  
 GEST AGE (wks) 30 PARA 5 WEIGHT (kg) 76

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 135 AV 24hr DBP 93 PR 85  
 24hr UV 1800 24hr PRU 0 CC 167

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 134 DBP 95 CVP 4 PR 62  
 STP 66 SAL 35 SCR 64 SU 2.2  
 SUR 0.19 PGI<sub>2</sub> — TxA<sub>2</sub> —  
 DYE CONC 10 0.151 20 0.141 30 0.159 60 0.149 HCT 40  
 PV 3558 3810 3379 3606

DURING PVE

SBP	134	127	134	128	133	118	143
DBP	95	95	87	93	97	103	96
CVP	4	3.5	2.5	4.5	4	5	7
PR	62	63	69	73	70	79	69

2, 4, 6hrs AFTER PVE

	131	120	120
	78	83	94
	5	4.5	7
	54	87	85

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min      2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 0.111 20 0.116 30 0.114 60 0.112 PGI<sub>2</sub> —  
 PV 4840 4631 4712 4797 TxA<sub>2</sub> —

DAY -3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 130 Av 24hr DBP 90 CVP 7.5 PR 84  
 24hr UV 1500 24hr PRU 0 CC 123 SUR 0.17  
 STP 68 SAL 35 SCR 61 SU 2.2  
 DYE CONC 10 0.113 20 0.094 30 0.105 60 0.111 HCT 37  
 PV 4399 5288 4734 4478

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 2

PT AGE (yrs) 35 GRAVIDA 6 HEIGHT (cm) 153  
 GEST AGE (wks) 26 PARA 4 WEIGHT (kg) 80

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 174 AV 24hr DBP 106 PR 106  
 24hr UV 1000 24hr PRU 0 CC 178

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 170 DBP 96 CVP 1.5 PR 95  
 STP 54 SAL 30 SCR 63 SU 2.8  
 SUR .29 PGI<sub>2</sub> 600 TxA<sub>2</sub> 157  
 DYE CONC 10 .125 20 .122 30 .119 60 .118 HCT 33  
 PV 3875 3971 4071 4105

DURING PVE

SBP	170	175	179	155	161	152	159
DBP	96	114	112	94	102	97	108
CVP	1.5	8	4.5	8.5	5.5	7	7
PR	95	104	88	88	86	99	95
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	172	160	170
	99	100	114
	11	14	14
	104	99	96
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .093 20 .098 30 .093 60 .084 PGI<sub>2</sub> 843  
 PV 5209 4943 5209 5767 TxA<sub>2</sub> 279

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 170 Av 24hr DBP 110 CVP 8 PR 90  
 24hr UV 1250 24hr PRU 0 CC 119 SUR .30  
 STP 59 SAL 33 SCR 63 SU 2.2  
 DYE CONC 10 .170 20 .163 30 .165 60 .158 HCT 34.5  
 PV 3570 3724 3678 3841

PVE GRP PATIENT No. **3**

PT AGE (yrs) **21** GRAVIDA **1** HEIGHT(cm) **152**  
 GEST AGE (wks) **32** PARA **0** WEIGHT(kg) **69**

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP **155** AV 24hr DBP **100** PR **80**  
 24hr UV **750** 24hr PRU **680** CC **76**

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP **157** DBP **112** CVP **4.5** PR **56**  
 STP **53** SAL **29** SCR **55** SU **2.1**  
 SUR **.21** PGI<sub>2</sub> **—** TxA<sub>2</sub> **500**  
 DYE CONC 10 **.196** 20 **.183** 30 **.183** 60 **.175** HCT **24**  
 PV **3435** **3679** **3679** **3848**

DURING PVE

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

SBP	157	146	136	156	142	150	158
DBP	112	119	120	113	115	114	117
CVP	4.5	9.5	10	12	9.5	8.5	11
PR	56	73	68	66	80	69	70

156	147	134
90	82	109
9.5	10	15
54	76	78

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min                      2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 **.127** 20 **.126** 30 **.129** 60 **.118** PGI<sub>2</sub> **—**  
 PV **5302** **5344** **5220** **5706** TxA<sub>2</sub> **293**

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP **160** Av 24hr DBP **108** CVP **14** PR **90**  
 24hr UV **1000** 24hr PRU **1712** CC **85** SUR **.22**  
 STP **53** SAL **28** SCR **57** SU **1.9**  
 DYE CONC 10 **.134** 20 **.130** 30 **.126** 60 **.140** HCT **24**  
 PV **4175** **4304** **4440** **3996**

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 4

PT AGE (yrs) 33 GRAVIDA 5 HEIGHT(cm) 162  
 GEST AGE (wks) 30 PARA 4 WEIGHT(kg) 87

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 166 AV 24hr DBP 110 PR 80  
 24hr UV 1500 24hr PRU 1306 CC 178

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 173 DBP 114 CVP 2.5 PR 75  
 STP 61 SAL 34 SCR 57 SU 3.6  
 SUR .26 PGI<sub>2</sub> 600 TxA<sub>2</sub> 264  
 DYE CONC 10 .178 20 .183 30 .179 60 .187 HCT 41.5  
 PV 3583 3485 3563 3410

DURING PVE

SBP	173	165	174	163	174	161	180
DBP	114	107	117	114	109	110	107
CVP	2.5	4.5	5	6.5	9	10	10.5
PR	75	80	78	76	78	83	76

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	172	180	180
	98	107	106
	9	7	7
	95	90	89

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .159 20 .155 30 .154 60 .161 PGI<sub>2</sub> 715  
 PV 4011 4114 4141 3961 TxA<sub>2</sub> 221

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 163 Av 24hr DBP 108 CVP 7.5 PR 94  
 24hr UV 1250 24hr PRU 720 CC 112 SUR .32  
 STP 66 SAL 34 SCR 62 SU 2.9  
 DYE CONC 10 .133 20 .132 30 .123 60 .111 HCT 39  
 PV 4064 4095 4394 4869

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 5

PT AGE (yrs) 42 GRAVIDA 8 HEIGHT (cm) 162  
 GEST AGE (wks) 36 PARA 7 WEIGHT (kg) 66

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 164 AV 24hr DBP 106 PR 80  
 24hr UV 1050 24hr PRU 0 CC 135

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 159 DBP 116 CVP 2 PR 77  
 STP 58 SAL 30 SCR 70 SU 5.7  
 SUR - PGI<sub>2</sub> 486 TxA<sub>2</sub> 207  
 DYE CONC 10 0.115 20 0.103 30 0.112 60 0.125 HCT 33  
 PV 5219 5828 5359 4802

DURING PVE

SBP	159	156	145	146	148	150	154
DBP	116	114	101	111	110	114	109
CVP	2	6	6.5	5	6	8	6
PR	77	71	77	74	72	76	72
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2, 4, 6hrs AFTER PVE

	172	143	150
	100	101	105
	2	2	4
	79	79	77
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 0.099 20 0.093 30 0.092 60 0.092 PGI<sub>2</sub> 671  
 PV 6063 6454 6524 6524 TxA<sub>2</sub> 200

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 166 Av 24hr DBP 110 CVP 3.5 PR 77  
 24hr UV 1480 24hr PRU 0 CC 86 SUR -  
 STP 65 SAL 34 SCR 70 SU 3.2  
 DYE CONC 10 0.114 20 0.110 30 0.105 60 0.108 HCT 32  
 PV 5588 5791 6067 5898

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 6

PT AGE (yrs) 26 GRAVIDA 3 HEIGHT (cm) 149  
 GEST AGE (wks) 28 PARA 3 WEIGHT (kg) 83

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 143 AV 24hr DBP 98 PR 92  
 24hr UV 429 24hr PRU 1063 CC 49

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 160 DBP 95 CVP 1.5 PR 77  
 STP 49 SAL 28 SCR 70 SU 4.3  
 SUR .36 PGI<sub>2</sub> 671 TxA<sub>2</sub> 193  
 DYE CONC 10 .139 20 .131 30 .127 60 .121 HCT 28  
 PV 4580 4859 5013 5261

DURING PVE

SBP	160	152	168	153	163	159	156
DBP	95	93	94	92	93	96	90
CVP	1.5	4	6	3.9	7	7	8
PR	77	74	63	80	89	95	87

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	150	165	154
	86	98	109
	3.5	12	12
	82	88	82

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .103 20 .096 30 .096 60 .096 PGI<sub>2</sub> 878  
 PV 6180 6631 6631 6631 TxA<sub>2</sub> 146

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 154 Av 24hr DBP 98 CVP 10 PR 84  
 24hr UV 960 24hr PRU 4664 CC 71 SUR .38  
 STP 48 SAL 27 SCR 79 SU 5.0  
 DYE CONC 10 .118 20 .117 30 .109 60 .102 HCT 27  
 PV 5333 5379 5773 6170

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 7

PT AGE (yrs) 39 GRAVIDA 6 HEIGHT (cm) 159  
 GEST AGE (wks) 24 PARA 5 WEIGHT (kg) 61

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 138 AV 24hr DBP 98 PR 88  
 24hr UV 1300 24hr PRU 472 CC 137

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 160 DBP 90 CVP 1 PR 78  
 STP 62 SAL 34 SCR 53 SU 3.6  
 SUR 0.19 PGI<sub>2</sub> 1007 TxA<sub>2</sub> 279  
 DYE CONC 10 0.116 20 0.121 30 0.118 60 0.134 HCT 29  
 PV 4611 4420 4532 3261

DURING PVE

SBP	160	156	152	150	145	148	149
DBP	90	90	92	90	92	90	86
CVP	1	2.5	4	5	5	4.5	3
PR	78	74	74	70	71	84	69
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2, 4, 6hrs AFTER PVE

	158	152	148
	72	78	76
	3.5	3.5	3.5
	90	85	84
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 0.079 20 0.080 30 0.080 60 0.072 PGI<sub>2</sub> 357  
 PV 6770 6685 6685 7428 TxA<sub>2</sub> 236

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 134 Av 24hr DBP 88 CVP 4 PR 95  
 24hr UV 800 24hr PRU 865 CC 202 SUR 0.15  
 STP 70 SAL 39 SCR 44 SU 3.2  
 DYE CONC 10 0.161 20 0.149 30 0.149 60 0.136 HCT 30  
 PV 4116 4447 4447 4872

PVE GRP PATIENT No. **8**

PT AGE (yrs) **24** GRAVIDA **2** HEIGHT (cm) **154**  
 GEST AGE (wks) **32** PARA **1** WEIGHT (kg) **96**

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP **150** AV 24hr DBP **98** PR **82**  
 24hr UV **1380** 24hr PRU **0** CC **131**

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP **132** DBP **116** CVP **3.5** PR **64**  
 STP **65** SAL **34** SCR **53** SU **2.5**  
 SUR **.31** PGI<sub>2</sub> **700** TxA<sub>2</sub> **264**  
 DYE CONC 10 **.133** 20 **.117** 30 **.105** 60 **.091** HCT **38**  
 PV **4229** **4807** **5357** **6181**

DURING PVE

SBP	132	150	140	148	146	148	141
DBP	116	114	110	115	114	108	109
CVP	3.5	4.5	4.5	6	7	7	7
PR	64	68	60	62	56	55	55

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

SBP	137	140	154
DBP	103	109	110
CVP	6	5	5
PR	74	56	66

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 **.061** 20 **.060** 30 **.051** 60 **.053** PGI<sub>2</sub> **857**  
 PV **922** **9375** **11029** **10613** TxA<sub>2</sub> **228**

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP **140** Av 24hr DBP **89** CVP **6** PR **79**  
 24hr UV **1200** 24hr PRU **0** CC **165** SUR **.32**  
 STP **62** SAL **34** SCR **53** SU **2.1**  
 DYE CONC 10 **.113** 20 **.101** 30 **.100** 60 **.088** HCT **37**  
 PV **3678** **4115** **4157** **4723**

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 9

PT AGE (yrs)

25

GRAVIDA

2

HEIGHT(cm)

166

GEST AGE (wks)

37

PARA

1

WEIGHT(kg)

70

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP

147

AV 24hr DBP

98

PR

80

24hr UV

1250

24hr PRU

1548

CC

147

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP

135

DBP

94

CVP

1

PR

86

STP

58

SAL

32

SCR

88

SU

3.6

SUR

.35

PGI<sub>2</sub>

786

TxA<sub>2</sub>

429

DYE CONC

10

.120

20

.120

30

.124

60

.113

HCT

33

PV

4484

4484

4339

4762

DURING PVE

SBP	135	122	128	115	127	122	120
DBP	94	92	101	98	99	103	110
CVP	1	1	2	3	3	3.5	3.5
PR	86	76	84	87	84	91	90

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

SBP	125	116	130
DBP	88	91	94
CVP	4	5	3.5
PR	87	88	77

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC

10

.086

20

.094

30

.098

60

.085

PGI<sub>2</sub>

821

PV

6257

5724

5490

6330

TxA<sub>2</sub>

214

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP

150

Av 24hr DBP

99

CVP

5

PR

80

24hr UV

2250

24hr PRU

2082

CC

177

SUR

.34

STP

58

SAL

33

SCR

62

SU

3.2

DYE CONC

10

.121

20

.117

30

.133

60

.133

HCT

31

PV

4721

4882

4295

4295

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 10

PT AGE (yrs) 17 GRAVIDA 1 HEIGHT (cm) 153  
 GEST AGE (wks) 36 PARA 0 WEIGHT (kg) 60

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 120 AV 24hr DBP 93 PR 80  
 24hr UV 3850 24hr PRU 1571 CC 119

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 161 DBP 105 CVP 2 PR 74  
 STP 67 SAL 33 SCR 53 SU 1.8  
 SUR .28 PGI<sub>2</sub> 714 TxA<sub>2</sub> 1571  
 DYE CONC 10 .191 20 .191 30 .183 60 .178 HCT 38  
 PV 3370 3370 3517 3616

DURING PVE

SBP	161	169	167	167	168	160	164
DBP	105	113	116	108	115	107	107
CVP	2	3	2	2	3	3.5	3
PR	74	76	76	73	79	75	85

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	139	136	172
	83	99	106
	2	2	2
	86	79	86

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .124 20 .116 30 .114 60 .105 PGI<sub>2</sub> 543  
 PV 5191 5549 5646 6130 TxA<sub>2</sub> 464

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 145 Av 24hr DBP 95 CVP 1.5 PR 75  
 24hr UV 2250 24hr PRU 1074 CC 60 SUR .24  
 STP 67 SAL 33 SCR 44 SU 1.8  
 DYE CONC 10 .121 20 .096 30 .085 60 .029 HCT 39  
 PV 4890 6276 7087 20777

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 11

PT AGE (yrs) 27 GRAVIDA 3 HEIGHT (cm) 168  
 GEST AGE (wks) 25 PARA 2 WEIGHT (kg) 50

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 128 AV 24hr DBP 90 PR 72  
 24hr UV 552 24hr PRU 0 CC 34

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 125 DBP 97 CVP 3 PR 68  
 STP 70 SAL 29 SCR 62 SU 2.5  
 SUR .36 PGI<sub>2</sub> 543 TxA<sub>2</sub> 157  
 DYE CONC 10 .181 20 .176 30 .170 60 .162 HCT 30  
 PV 3373 3469 3591 3769

DURING PVE

SBP	125	129	128	129	133	135	144
DBP	97	97	89	101	96	100	96
CVP	3	3.5	4	5	4	6	6.5
PR	68	70	66	70	70	68	70
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2, 4, 6hrs AFTER PVE

	123	115	113
	86	82	90
	3.5	4	6
	82	77	71
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .129 20 .128 30 .121 60 .119 PGI<sub>2</sub> 550  
 PV 4733 4770 5046 5130 TxA<sub>2</sub> 193

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 128 Av 24hr DBP 81 CVP 6 PR 82  
 24hr UV 750 24hr PRU 0 CC 68 SUR .35  
 STP 71 SAL 31 SCR 62 SU 2.1  
 DYE CONC 10 .153 20 .154 30 .146 60 .145 HCT 33  
 PV 3446 3424 3611 3636

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 12

PT AGE (yrs) 33 GRAVIDA 3 HEIGHT (cm) 157  
 GEST AGE (wks) 20 PARA 2 WEIGHT (kg) 72

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 150 AV 24hr DBP 98 PR 88  
 24hr UV 1250 24hr PRU 0 CC 79

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 133 DBP 99 CVP 2 PR 87  
 STP 66 SAL 35 SCR 62 SU 3.6  
 SUR .29 PGI<sub>2</sub> - TxA<sub>2</sub> 264  
 DYE CONC 10 .184 20 .183 30 .189 60 .192 HCT 35  
 PV 3000 3016 2921 2875

DURING PVE

SBP	133	130	136	135	141	146	145
DBP	99	94	92	99	92	92	102
CVP	2	3	5.5	3.5	6	7	7
PR	87	84	85	94	87	89	96
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2, 4, 6hrs AFTER PVE

	134	135	137
	82	89	96
	4	3.5	6
	95	90	93
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .139 20 .138 30 .135 60 .134 PGI<sub>2</sub> -  
 PV 3971 4000 4089 4119 TxA<sub>2</sub> 164

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 153 Av 24hr DBP 93 CVP 7 PR 84  
 24hr UV 1800 24hr PRU 0 CC 151 SUR .28  
 STP 65 SAL 37 SCR 53 SU 2.1  
 DYE CONC 10 .188 20 .185 30 .191 60 .180 HCT 35  
 PV 3145 3196 3095 3285

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 13

PT AGE (yrs) 29 GRAVIDA 2 HEIGHT(cm) 159  
 GEST AGE (wks) 38 PARA 1 WEIGHT(kg) 91

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 148 AV 24hr DBP 104 PR 72  
 24hr UV 1900 24hr PRU 0 CC 76

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 152 DBP 114 CVP 2 PR 63  
 STP 60 SAL 30 SCR 62 SU 2.5  
 SUR .35 PGI<sub>2</sub> 164 TxA<sub>2</sub> 128  
 DYE CONC 10 .134 20 .125 30 .134 60 .128 HCT 40  
 PV 3807 4081 3807 3985

DURING PVE

SBP	152	128	122	141	131	141	139
DBP	114	110	103	98	109	109	114
CVP	2	3	3	6	8	9	10
PR	63	62	63	66	58	64	61

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	121	134	147
	105	107	106
	7	7	6.5
	66	68	63

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .094 20 .092 30 .092 60 .086 PGI<sub>2</sub> 264  
 PV 5426 5544 5544 5931 TxA<sub>2</sub> 139

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 148 Av 24hr DBP 93 CVP 6 PR 67  
 24hr UV 2000 24hr PRU 0 CC 61 SUR .34  
 STP 57 SAL 30 SCR 68 SU 3.5  
 DYE CONC 10 .160 20 .135 30 .140 60 .119 HCT 39  
 PV 3577 4240 4089 4810

PVE GRP PATIENT No. 14

PT AGE (yrs) 25 GRAVIDA 2 HEIGHT(cm) 154  
 GEST AGE (wks) 33 PARA 1 WEIGHT(kg) 53

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 138 AV 24hr DBP 92 PR 76  
 24hr UV 672 24hr PRU 0 CC 88

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 124 DBP 101 CVP 2 PR 70  
 STP 72 SAL 37 SCR 79 SU 3.9  
 SUR .19 PGI<sub>2</sub> 278 TxA<sub>2</sub> 296  
 DYE CONC 10 .128 20 .114 30 .093 60 .104 HCT 39  
 PV 4075 4576 5609 5016

DURING PVE

SBP	124	147	153	147	137	142	142
DBP	101	113	105	108	105	101	105
CVP	2	2	2	2	3	2	2.5
PR	70	88	66	68	66	60	65
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	110	93	116
	82	73	90
	2.5	2	2
	92	73	88
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .065 20 .079 30 .095 60 .075 PGI<sub>2</sub> 357  
 PV 8025 6603 5491 6955 TxA<sub>2</sub> 111

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 135 Av 24hr DBP 88 CVP 2 PR 64  
 24hr UV 800 24hr PRU 0 CC 63 SUR .17  
 STP 70 SAL 39 SCR 53 SU 2.5  
 DYE CONC 10 .183 20 .169 30 .165 60 .153 HCT 38  
 PV 3268 3539 3624 3909

Equivalent Data  
CONTROL PATIENT No. 1

PT AGE (yrs) 31 GRAVIDA 6 HEIGHT(cm) 165  
 GEST AGE (wks) 34 PARA 4 WEIGHT(kg) 86

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 168 AV 24hr DBP 110 PR 88  
 24hr UV 1450 24hr PRU 847 CC 102

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 170 DBP 125 CVP - PR 67  
 STP 58 SAL 31 SCR 81 SU 4.2  
 SUR .42 PGI<sub>2</sub> 643 TxA<sub>2</sub> 214  
 DYE CONC .147 .140 .137 .135 HCT 35  
 PV 4013 4214 4306 4370

DURING PVE

SBP	170	169	165	160	169	174	162
DBP	125	126	124	127	128	128	120
CVP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PR	67	65	67	62	70	73	70
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	168	190	158
	126	132	120
	-	-	-
	79	78	78
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC .126 .120 .120 .115 PGI<sub>2</sub> 393  
 PV 4682 4916 4916 5130 TxA<sub>2</sub> 193

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 185 Av 24hr DBP 115 CVP - PR 77  
 24hr UV 1700 24hr PRU 1966 CC 93 SUR .43  
 STP 60 SAL 32 SCR 81 SU 3.5  
 DYE CONC .131 .131 .127 .126 HCT 35  
 PV 4913 4913 5068 5108

Equivalent Data  
CONTROL PATIENT No. 2

PT AGE (yrs) 17 GRAVIDA 1 HEIGHT (cm) 168  
 GEST AGE (wks) 31 PARA 0 WEIGHT (kg) 61

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 128 AV 24hr DBP 91 PR 90  
 24hr UV 1632 24hr PRU 0 CC 133

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 128 DBP 87 CVP - PR 70  
 STP 63 SAL 34 SCR 35 SU 3.4  
 SUR .25 PGI<sub>2</sub> 750 TxA<sub>2</sub> 336  
 DYE CONC 10 .168 20 .151 30 .151 60 .157 HCT 27.5  
 PV 3501 3895 3895 3747

DURING PVE

SBP	128	117	128	114	125	111	122
DBP	87	83	95	86	87	73	85
CVP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PR	70	73	72	69	60	99	67

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

122	119	114
87	90	85
-	-	-
84	75	71

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .185 20 .169 30 .172 60 .158 PGI<sub>2</sub> 1357  
 PV 3179 3480 3420 3723 TxA<sub>2</sub> 671

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 110 Av 24hr DBP 80 CVP - PR 75  
 24hr UV 1820 24hr PRU 0 CC 166 SUR .22  
 STP 60 SAL 33 SCR 53 SU 3.9  
 DYE CONC 10 .097 20 .092 30 .107 60 .110 HCT 27  
 PV 4378 4616 3969 3861

Equivalent Data  
CONTROL PATIENT No. 3

PT AGE (yrs) 24 GRAVIDA 3 HEIGHT (cm) 171  
 GEST AGE (wks) 32 PARA 2 WEIGHT (kg) 66

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 140 AV 24hr DBP 96 PR 98  
 24hr UV 1400 24hr PRU 530 CC 70

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 130 DBP 94 CVP - PR 78  
 STP 70 SAL 36 SCR 62 SU 3.2  
 SUR .42 PGI<sub>2</sub> 285 TxA<sub>2</sub> 221  
 DYE CONC 10 .241 20 .235 30 .211 60 .200 HCT 41  
 PV 2923 2997 3338 3522

DURING PVE

SBP	130	127	132	133	121	126	141
DBP	94	102	107	99	99	102	107
CVP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PR	78	69	77	79	75	78	75

2, 4, 6hrs AFTER PVE

SBP	129	128	120
DBP	97	90	94
CVP	-	-	-
PR	89	90	92

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .192 20 .182 30 .166 60 .181 PGI<sub>2</sub> 629  
 PV 3669 3870 4243 3892 TxA<sub>2</sub> 228

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 130 Av 24hr DBP 84 CVP - PR 93  
 24hr UV 750 24hr PRU 663 CC 58 SUR .46  
 STP 72 SAL 37 SCR 53 SU 3.6  
 DYE CONC 10 .175 20 .137 30 .125 60 .141 HCT 41  
 PV 2496 3188 3495 3098

Equivalent Data  
CONTROL PATIENT No. 4

PT AGE (yrs) 26 GRAVIDA 2 HEIGHT (cm) 157  
 GEST AGE (wks) 41 PARA 1 WEIGHT (kg) 91

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 130 AV 24hr DBP 95 PR 76  
 24hr UV 1000 24hr PRU 0 CC 94

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 105 DBP 90 CVP - PR 88  
 STP 66 SAL 37 SCR 62 SU 2.9  
 SUR .29 PGI<sub>2</sub> 535 TxA<sub>2</sub> 228  
 DYE CONC 10 .136 20 .124 30 .121 60 .116 HCT 42  
 PV 4354 4776 4894 5105

DURING PVE

SBP	105	104	110	101	100	110	117
DBP	90	86	97	94	92	90	85
CVP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PR	88	86	85	94	93	90	83

2, 4, 6hrs AFTER PVE

SBP	115	121	113
DBP	87	86	84
CVP	-	-	-
PR	88	88	98

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .109 20 .105 30 .103 60 .100 PGI<sub>2</sub> 550  
 PV 5433 5640 5750 5922 TxA<sub>2</sub> 279

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 133 Av 24hr DBP 80 CVP - PR 100  
 24hr UV 1200 24hr PRU 0 CC 310 SUR .29  
 STP 63 SAL 37 SCR SU 2.1  
 DYE CONC 10 .125 20 .115 30 .114 60 .107 HCT 42  
 PV 3956 4300 4337 4621

Equivalent Data  
CONTROL PATIENT No. 5

PT AGE (yrs) 33 GRAVIDA 3 HEIGHT (cm) 164  
 GEST AGE (wks) 20 PARA 2 WEIGHT (kg) 81

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 134 AV 24hr DBP 90 PR 84  
 24hr UV 2000 24hr PRU - CC 160

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 116 DBP 86 CVP - PR 80  
 STP 69 SAL 39 SCR 44 SU 2.5  
 SUR .19 PGI<sub>2</sub> 614 TxA<sub>2</sub> 228  
 DYE CONC 10 .108 20 .104 30 .105 60 .106 HCT 36  
 PV 4650 4829 4783 4738

DURING PVE

SBP	116	118	118	119	120	117	121
DBP	86	81	81	76	84	70	85
CVP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PR	80	76	74	75	75	77	78
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	132	114	129
	78	82	79
	-	-	-
	90	80	66
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .097 20 .097 30 .097 60 .097 PGI<sub>2</sub> 1036  
 PV S178 S178 S178 S178 TxA<sub>2</sub> 371

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 135 Av 24hr DBP 85 CVP - PR 80  
 24hr UV 3000 24hr PRU 0 CC 91 SUR .19  
 STP 67 SAL 39 SCR 44 SU 1.8  
 DYE CONC 10 .144 20 .136 30 .136 60 .128 HCT 36  
 PV 3656 3871 3871 4113

PT AGE (yrs) 27 GRAVIDA 3 HEIGHT(cm) 170  
 GEST AGE (wks) 40 PARA 2 WEIGHT(kg) 72

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 145 AV 24hr DBP 95 PR 88  
 24hr UV 500 24hr PRU 0 CC 72

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 128 DBP 107 CVP - PR 88  
 STP 57 SAL 32 SCR 62 SU 2.1  
 SUR .35 PGI<sub>2</sub> 150 TxA<sub>2</sub> 10  
 DYE CONC 10 .113 20 .108 30 .108 60 .112 HCT 34  
 PV 4572 4784 4784 4613

DURING PVE

SBP	128	134	130	132	127	120	123
DBP	107	101	95	102	99	101	106
CVP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PR	88	89	77	88	75	87	83

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

SBP	123	128	124
DBP	104	98	103
CVP	-	-	-
PR	83	89	75

0 15 30 45 60 75 90 min

2 4 6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .099 20 .098 30 .097 60 .094 PGI<sub>2</sub> 121  
 PV 5218 5272 5326 5496 TxA<sub>2</sub> 43

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 129 Av 24hr DBP 95 CVP - PR 80  
 24hr UV 980 24hr PRU 0 CC 81 SUR .35  
 STP 59 SAL 33 SCR 62 SU 2.5  
 DYE CONC 10 .112 20 .108 30 .098 60 .092 HCT 34  
 PV 4625 4796 5286 5430

Equivalent Data CONTROL PATIENT No. 7

PT AGE (yrs) 21 GRAVIDA 1 HEIGHT (cm) 163  
 GEST AGE (wks) 36 PARA 0 WEIGHT (kg) 60

DAY 1

AV 24hr SBP 151 AV 24hr DBP 101 PR 88  
 24hr UV 800 24hr PRU 1240 CC 71

DAY 2 BEFORE PVE

SBP 152 DBP 112 CVP - PR 72  
 STP 59 SAL 31 SCR 70 SU 3.9  
 SUR .50 PGI<sub>2</sub> 750 TxA<sub>2</sub> 236  
 DYE CONC 10 .169 20 .161 30 .157 60 .158 HCT 38  
 PV 2814 2954 3030 3010

DURING PVE

SBP	152	136	138	167	161	150	154
DBP	112	106	108	112	101	114	116
CVP	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PR	72	71	68	63	61	65	67
	0	15	30	45	60	75	90 min

2,4,6hrs AFTER PVE

	128	134	144
	93	105	110
	-	-	-
	90	66	83
	2	4	6 hrs

2hrs AFTER PVE

DYE CONC 10 .146 20 .136 30 .138 60 .130 PGI<sub>2</sub> 650  
 PV 3258 3497 3447 3659 TxA<sub>2</sub> 243

DAY 3 24hr AFTER PVE

Av 24hr SBP 158 Av 24hr DBP 109 CVP - PR 88  
 24hr UV 1150 24hr PRU 2848 CC 86 SUR .52  
 STP 57 SAL 31 SCR 70 SU 4.3  
 DYE CONC 10 .176 20 .164 30 .156 60 .148 HCT 38  
 PV 2733 2933 3084 3250

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