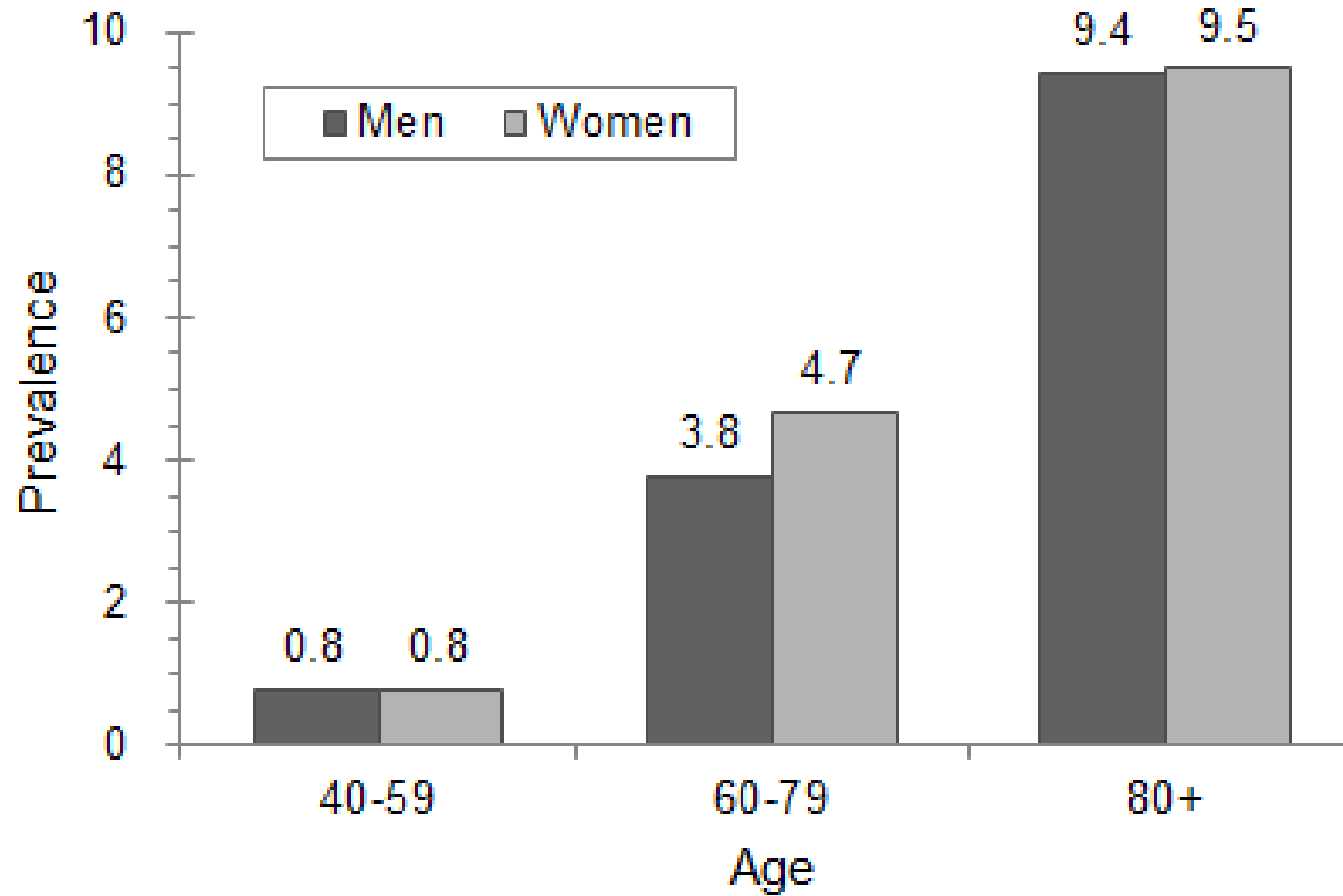
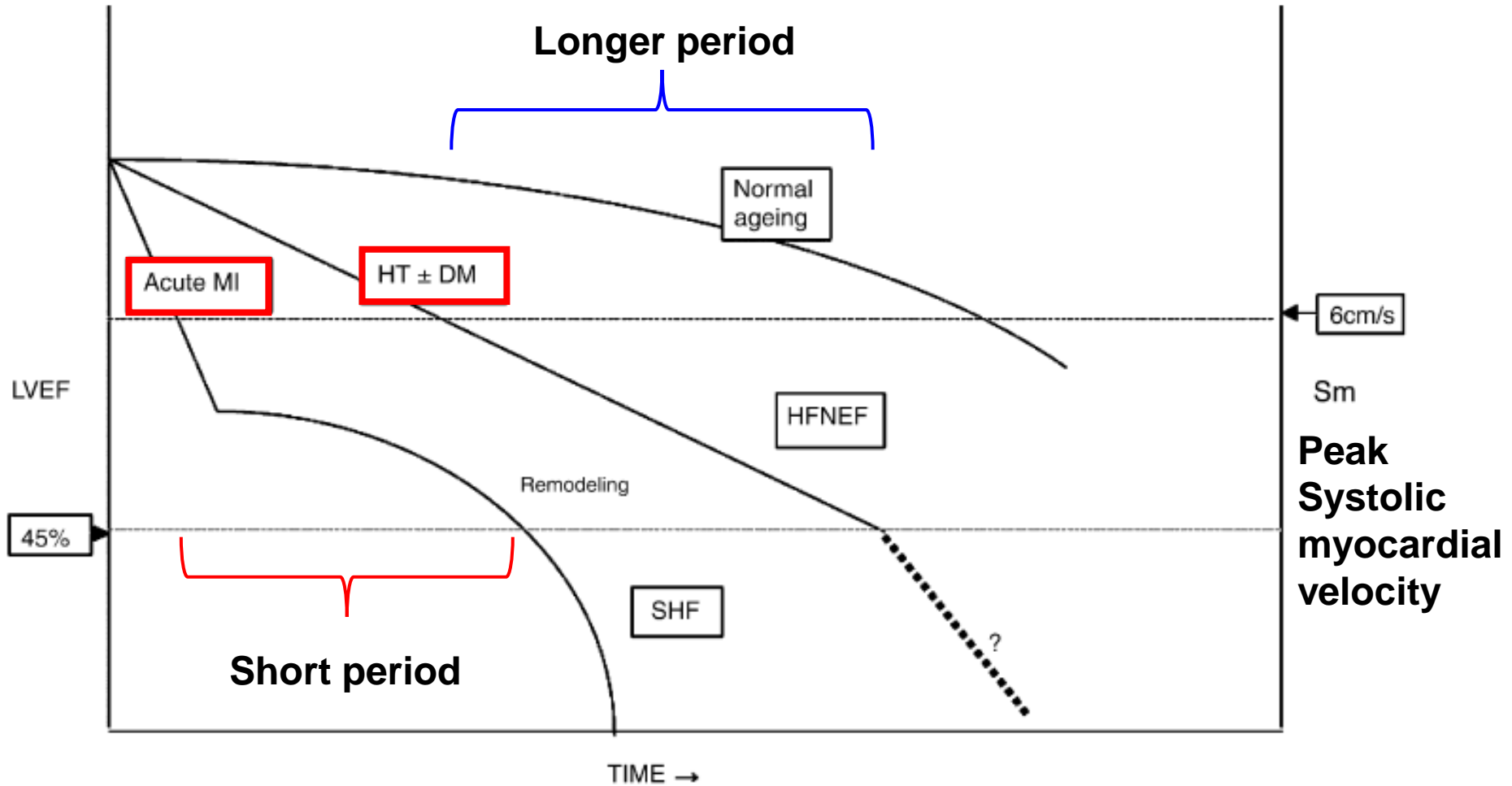


Increasing prevalence of HF following ageing

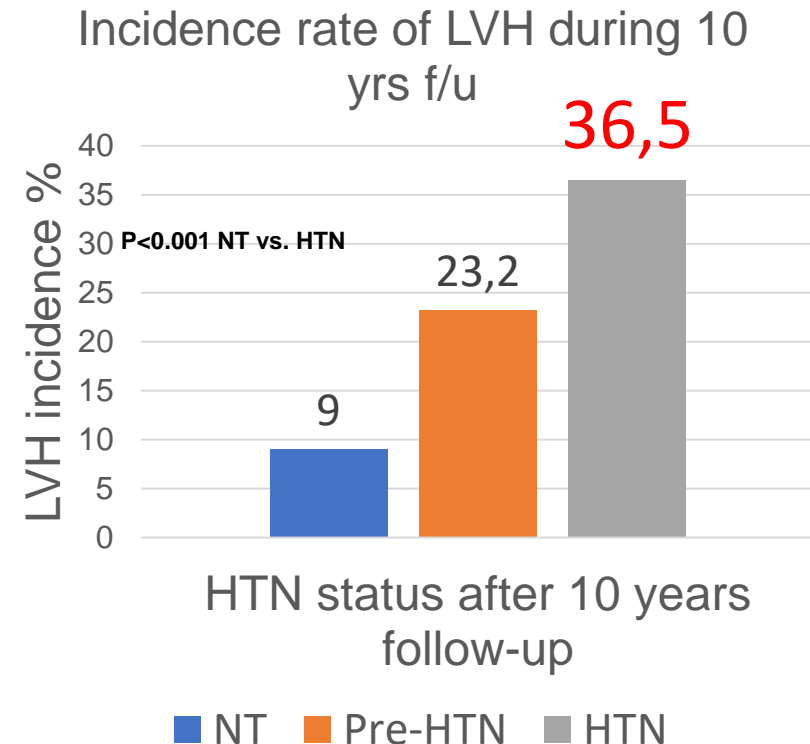
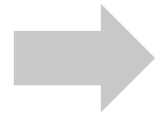
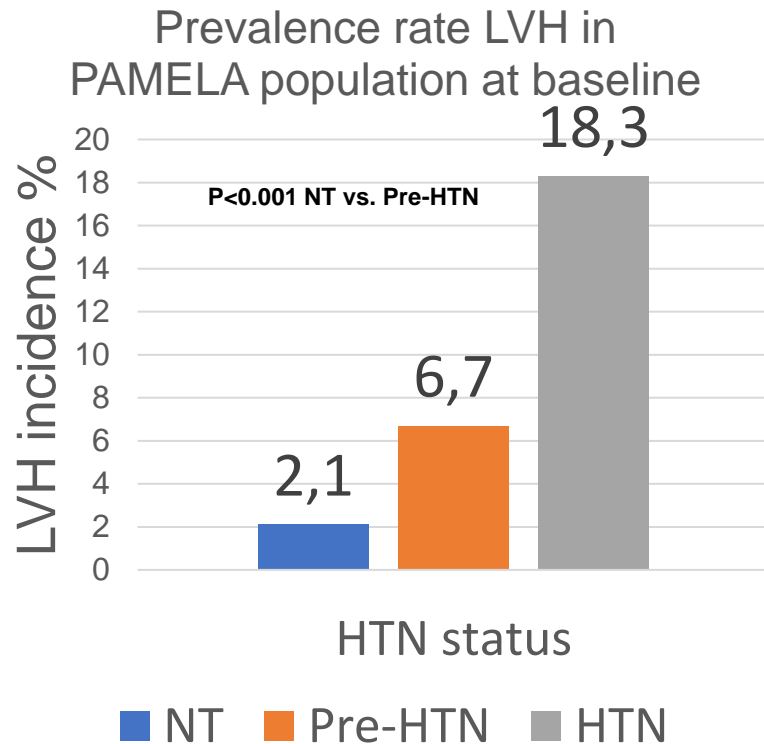


HF prevalence rises with age especially in the population > 60 yo vs < 60 yo.

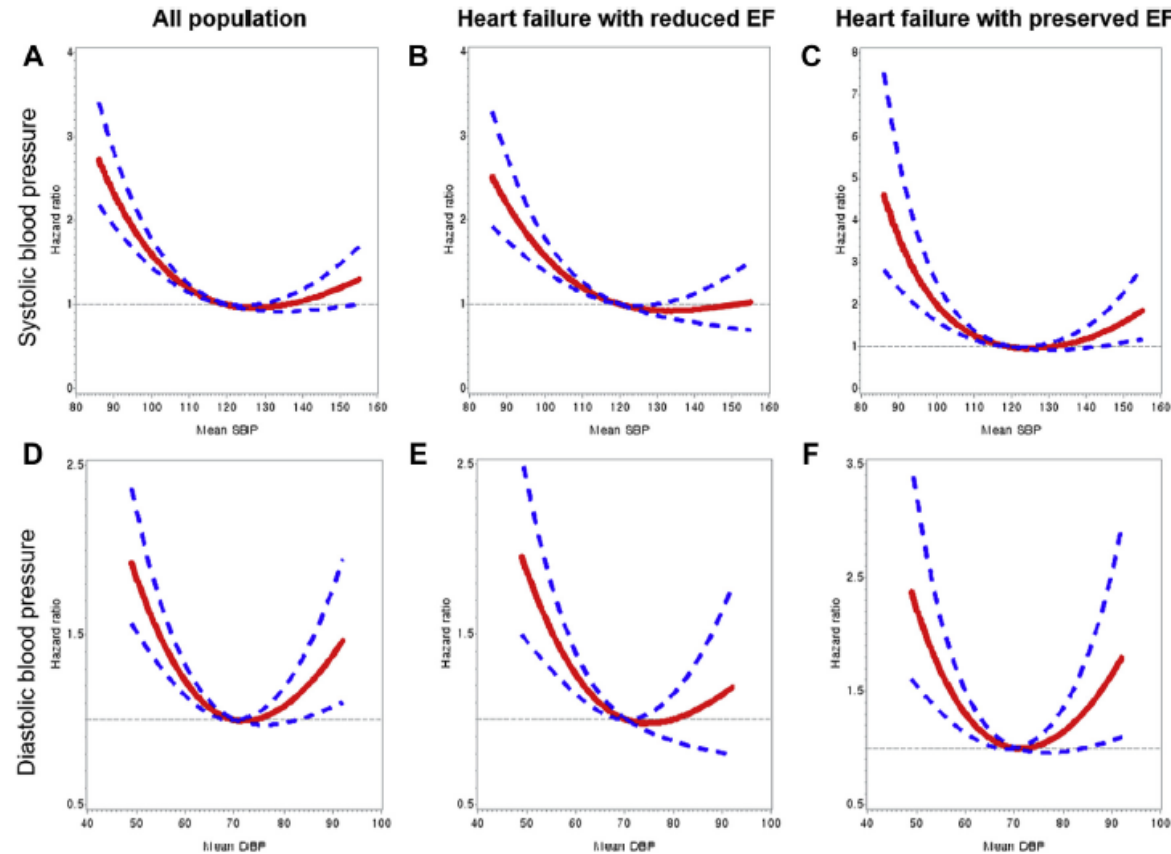
Time course of HF progression



Incidence rate of LVH in 10 yrs follow up



BP at discharge and outcome of acute HF



- **J-curved relationship btw BP and all-cause mortality in AHF Pts.**
 - The J-curve relationship is most obvious in patients with HFpEF
 - SBP < 110mmHg or DBP < 60mmHg might be dangerous

Elderly HF patients might better tolerate lower BP

