

# Neuro-ophthalmology Review

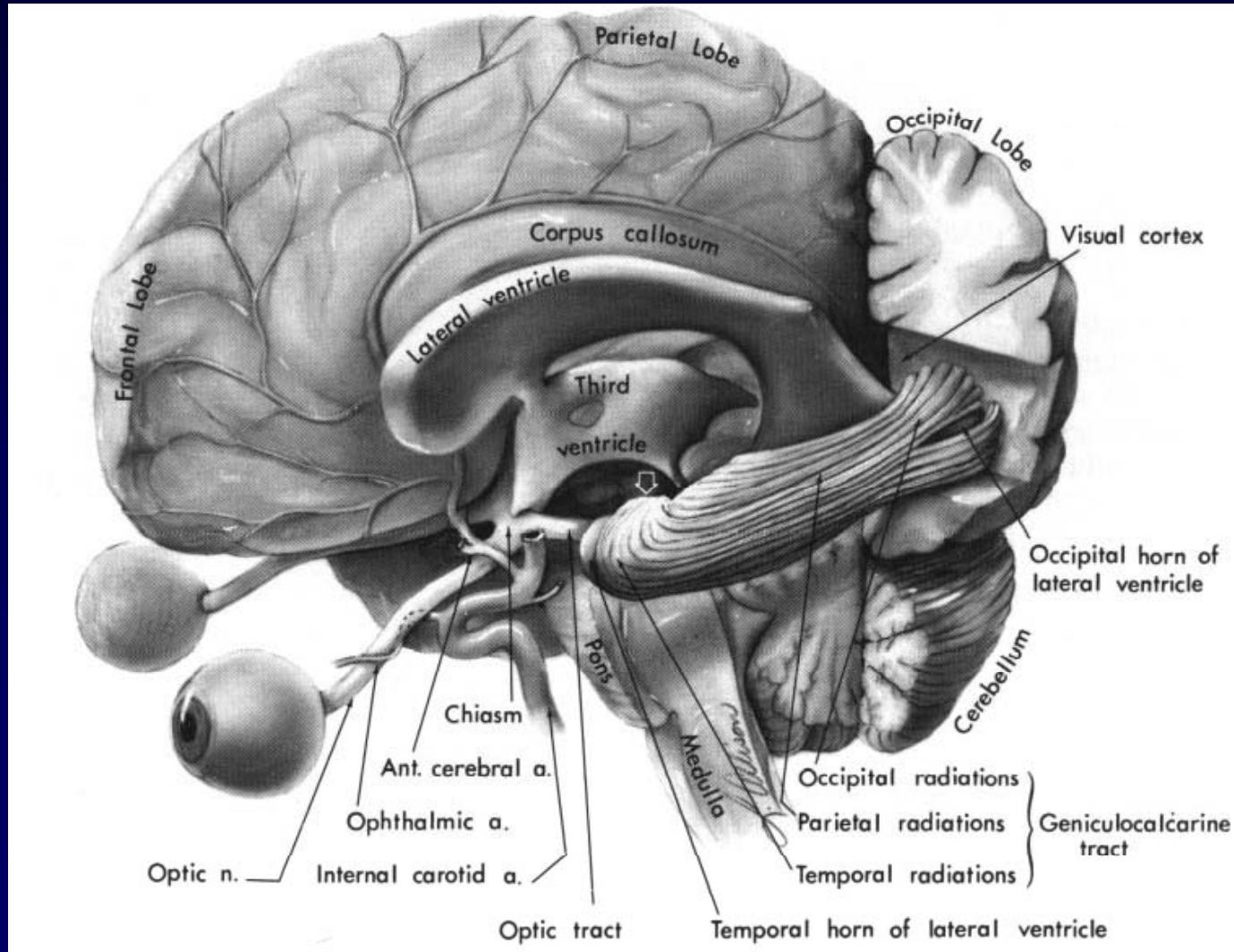
## First Hour

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# Neuro-ophthalmology

- Afferent
- Efferent
- Other
- Anatomy
- Examination
- Diagnoses
- Tests

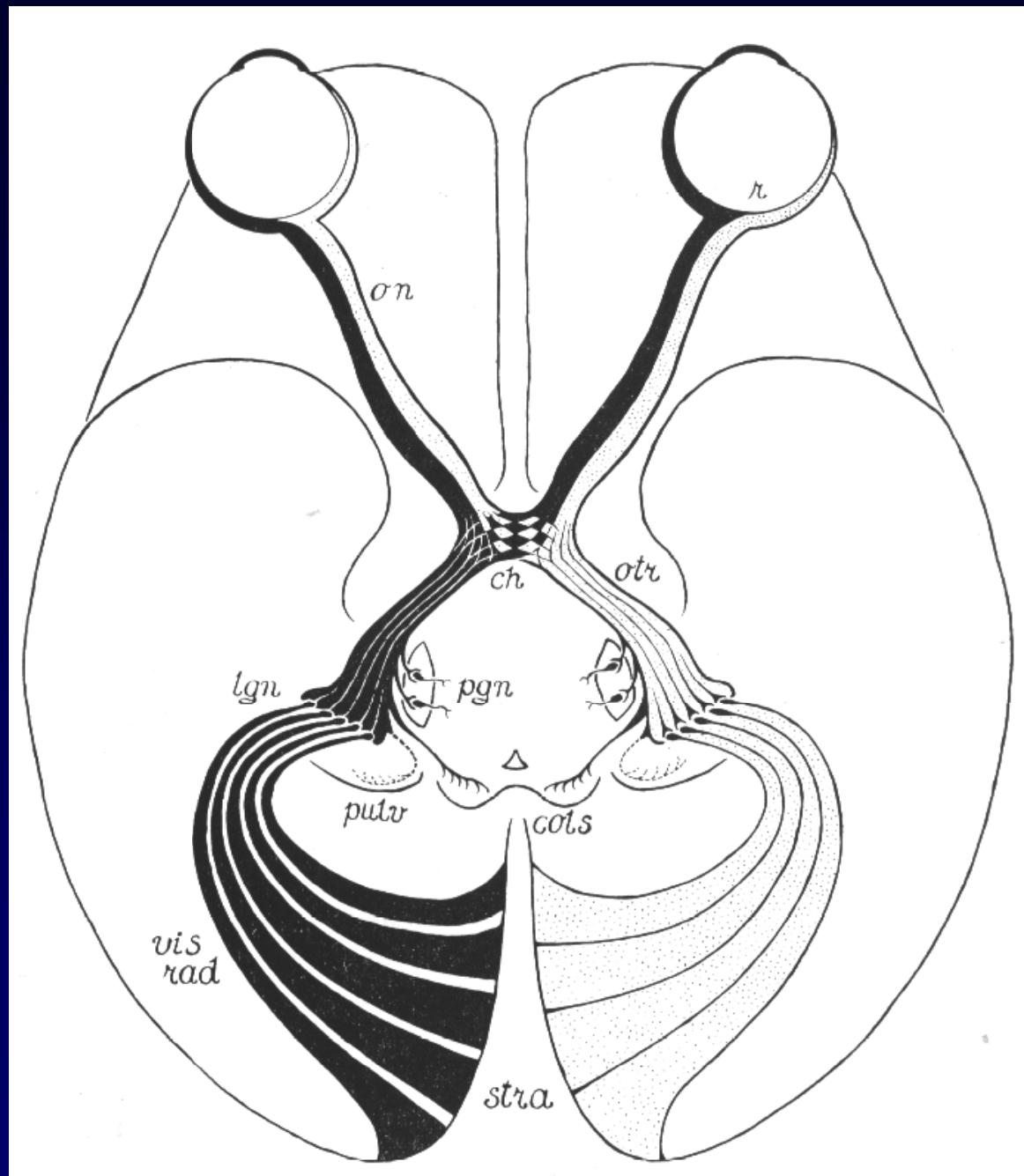
# Afferent Anatomy



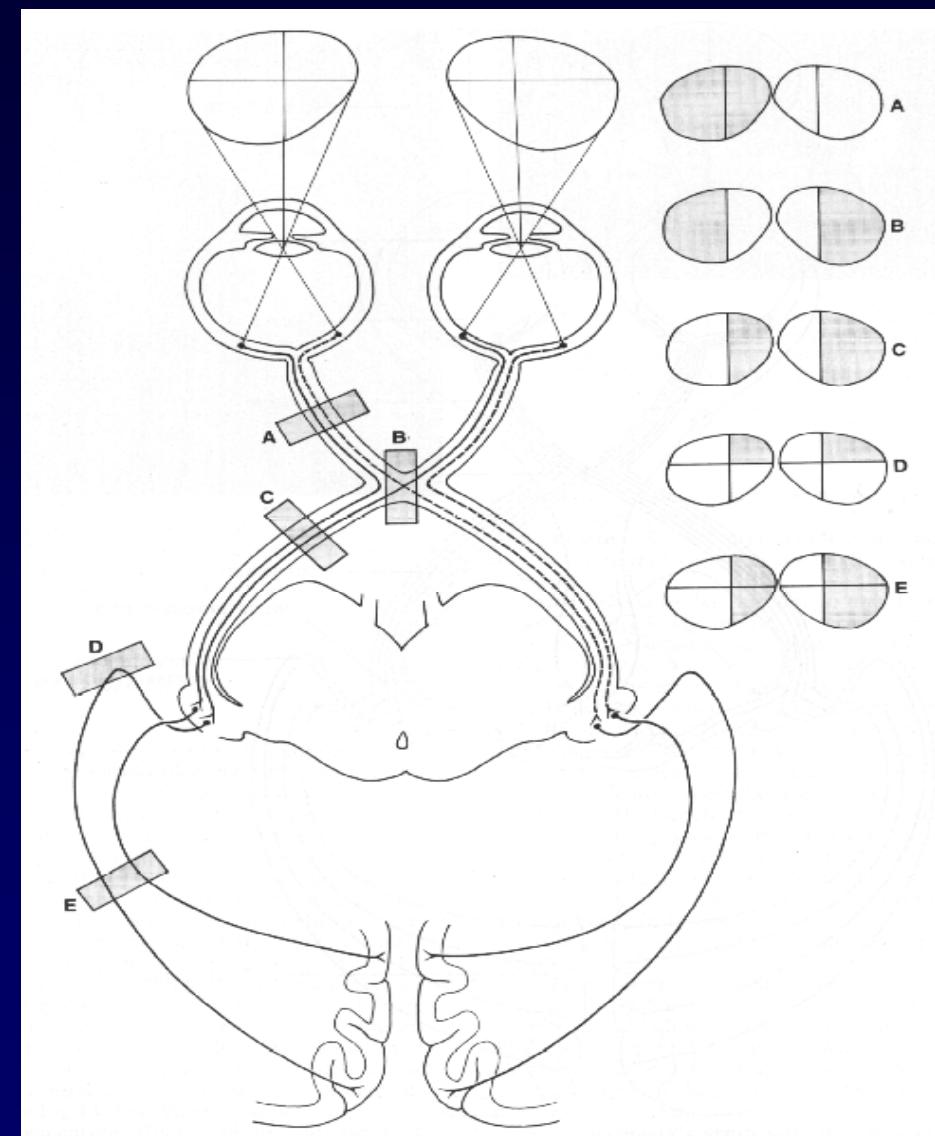
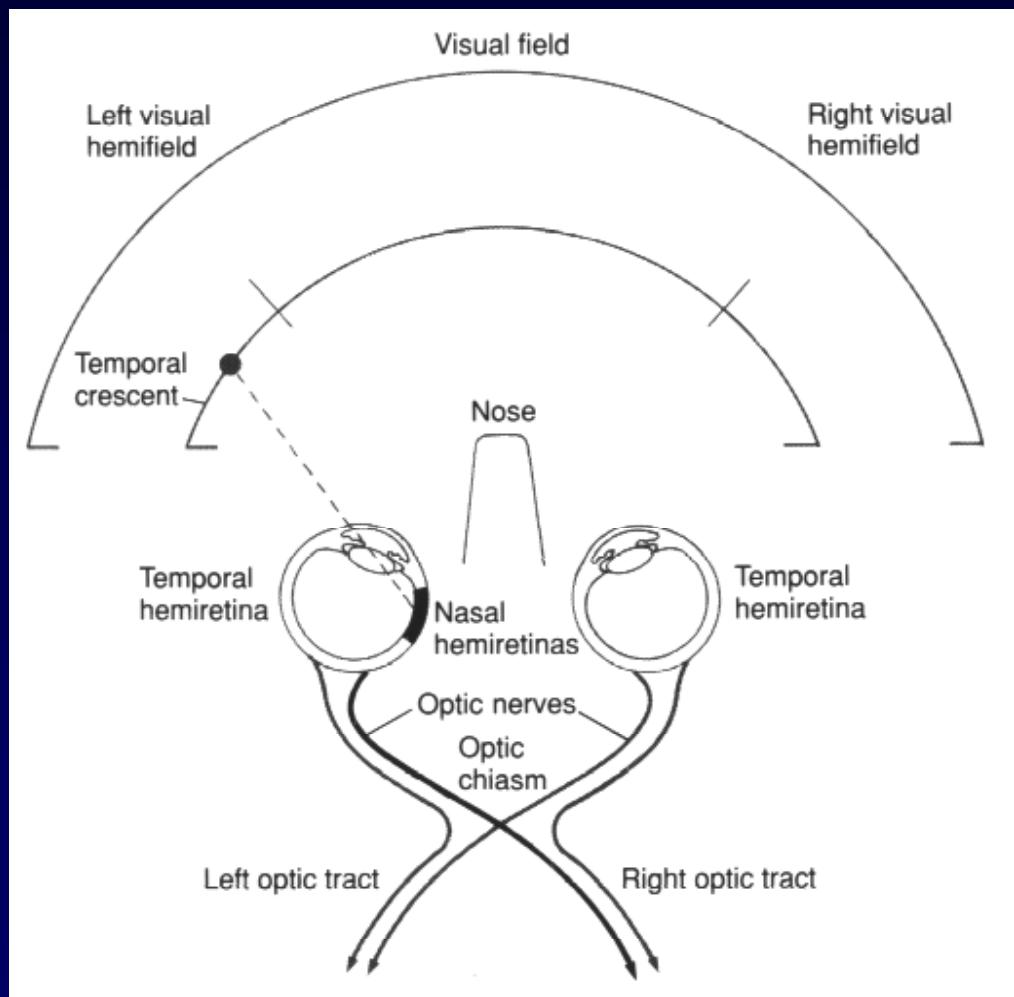
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# Human Afferent Visual System

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VISUAL SYSTEM, 1957



# Afferent Anatomy



# Afferent Visual System

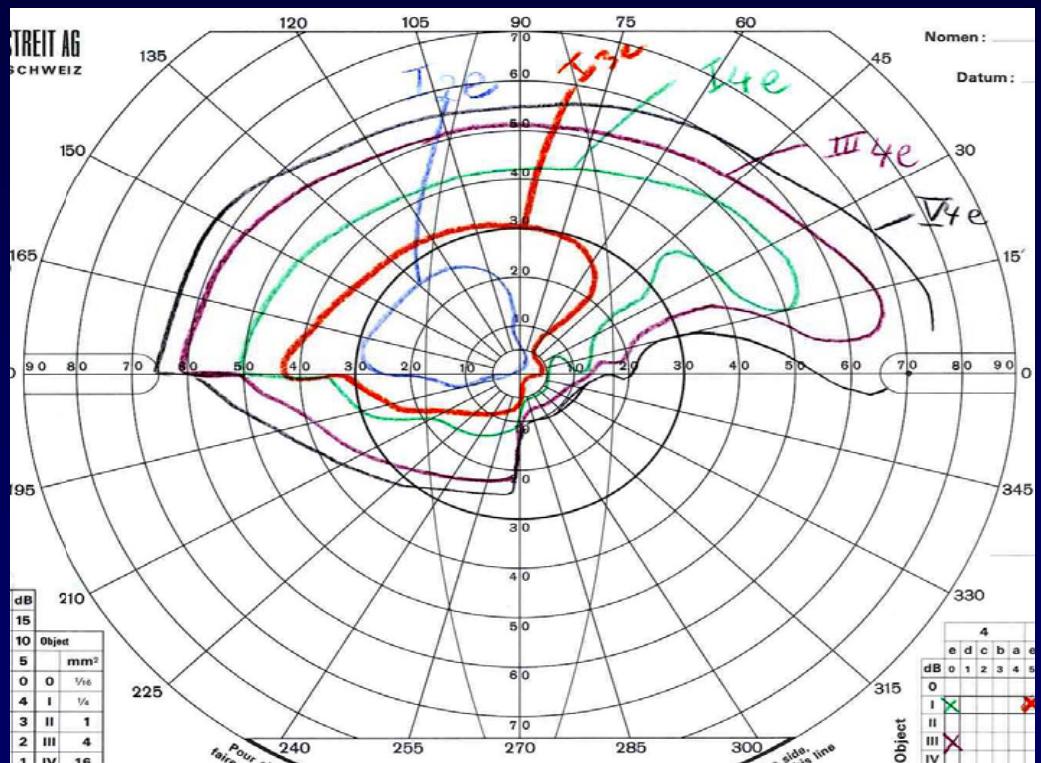
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- Color vision
- Visual field
- Pupil examination
- Fundoscopy
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# Examination

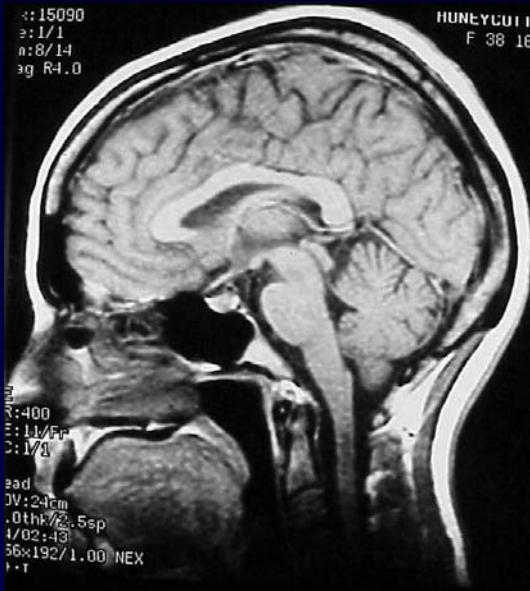
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| • Visual acuity     | Distance<br>Ishihara   |
| • Color vision      | Near   |
| • Visual field      | Confrontation<br>A&C   |
| • Pupil examination | Gagtmann   |
| • Fundoscopy        | Direct ophthalmoscopy<br>Slit lamp and lens<br>Indirect ophthalmoscopy |

# 35 yo woman

- Reported 3 months of gradual visual loss OU
- 7 months pregnant
- Rapid visual loss OU over 1 week before N-O evaluation
- VA at presentation OD 20/40 and OS NLP



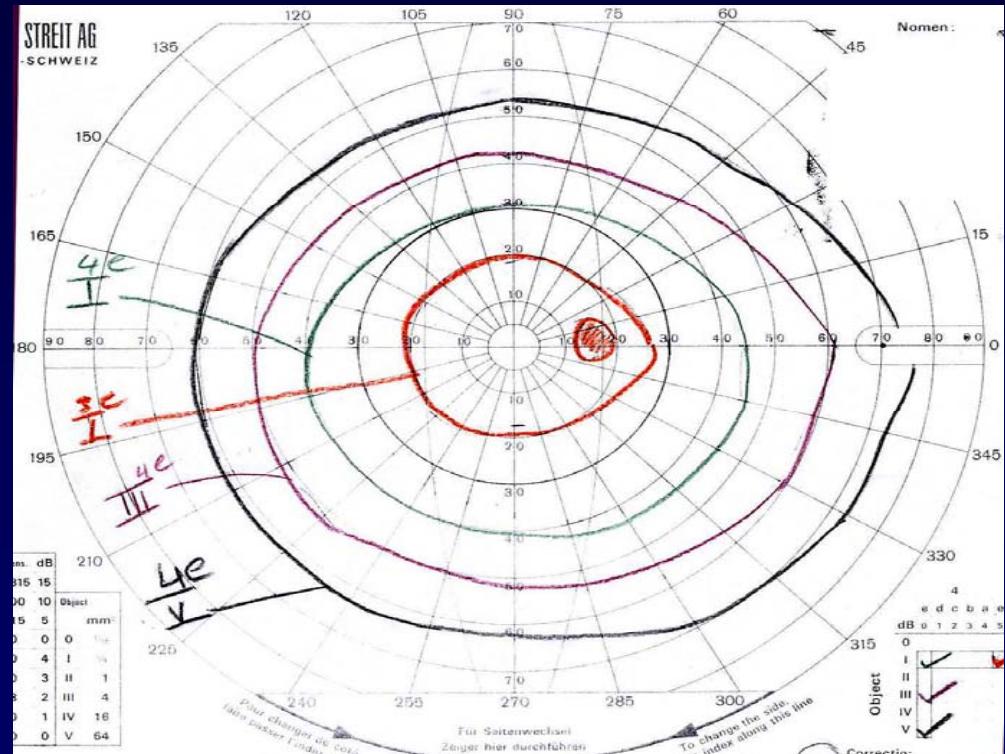
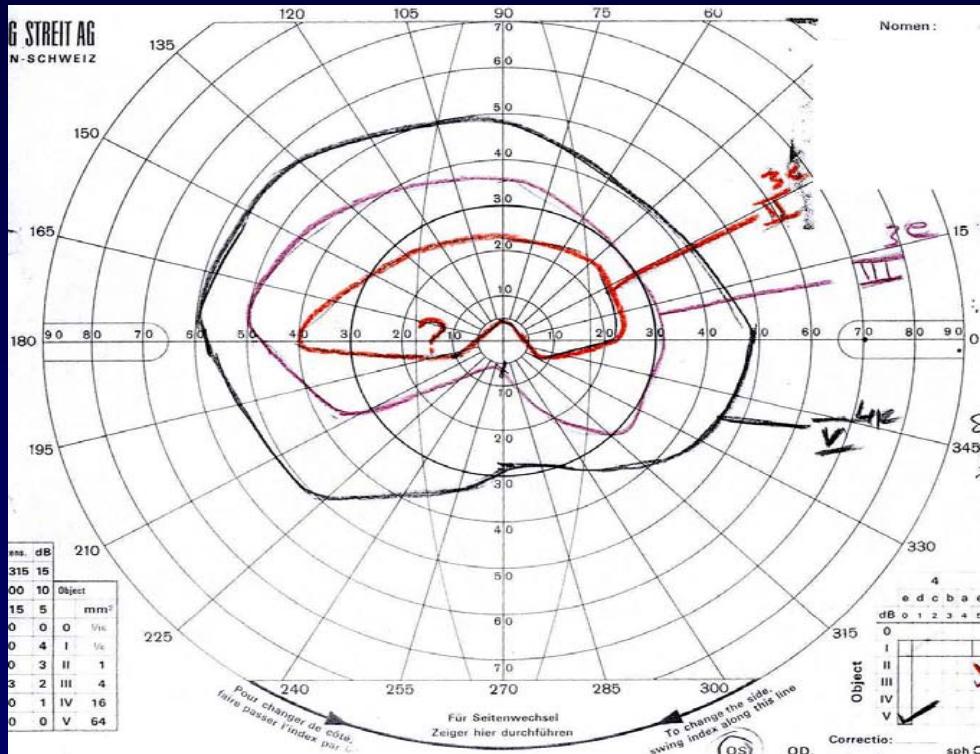
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Normal sagittal scan

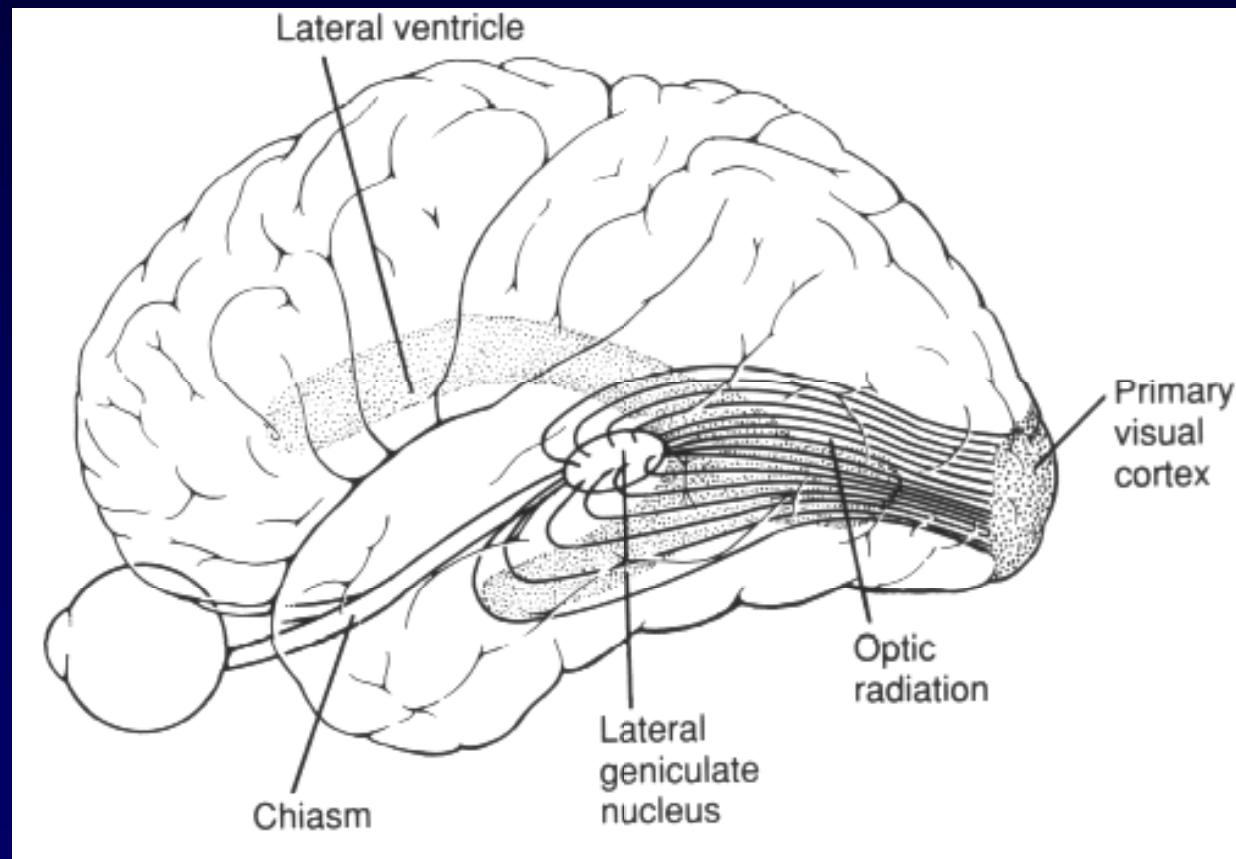


# Post-op visual fields

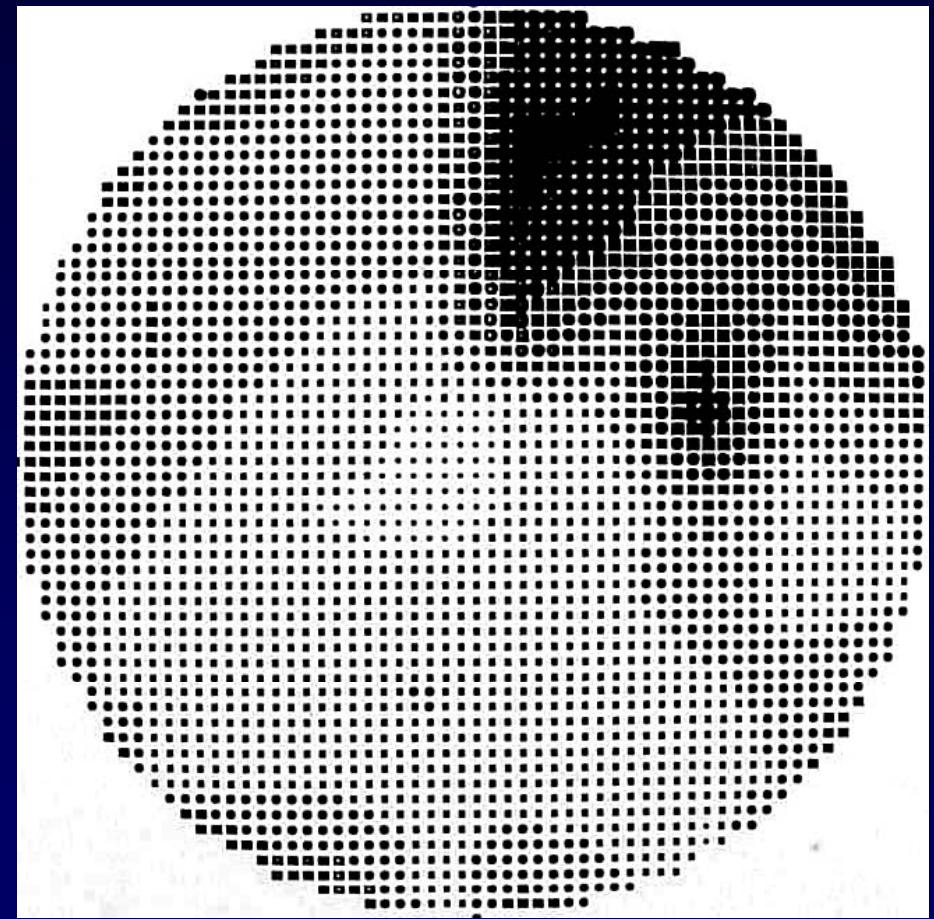
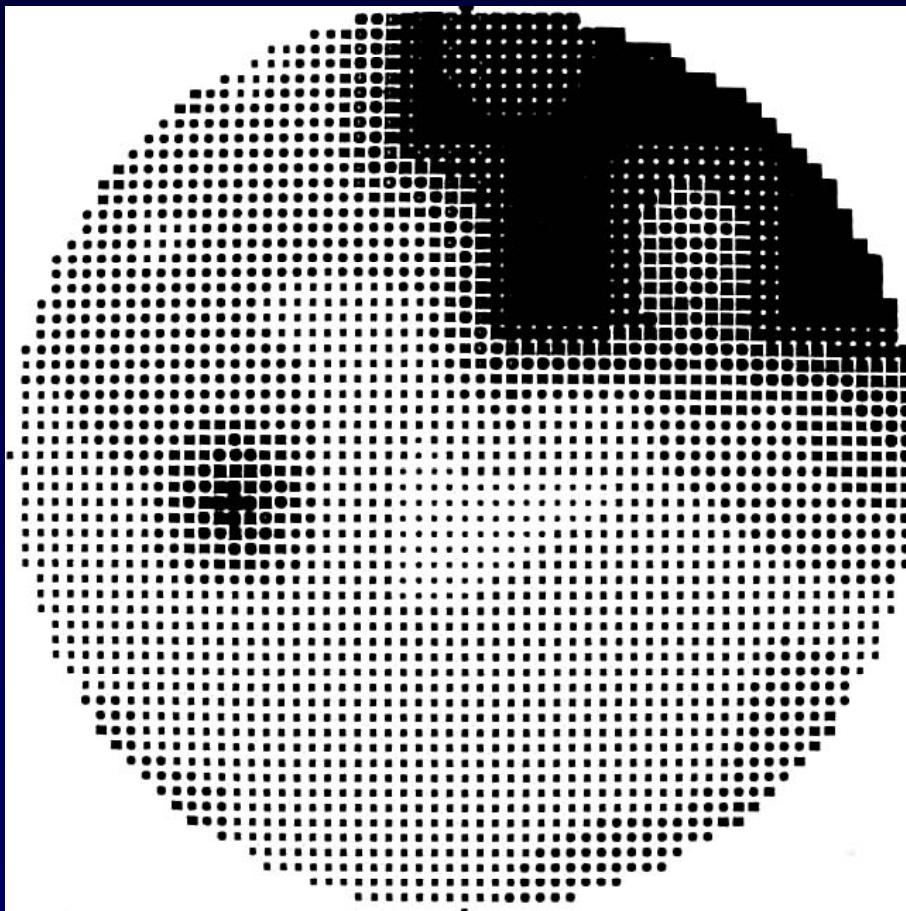


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# Before Temporal Lobectomy



# After temporal lobectomy



# Afferent Visual System

- Compression
- Trauma
- Inflammation
- Ischemic
- Congenital and genetic problems
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# Afferent Diagnoses

- Compression Intraorbital ON
- Trauma Intracranial ON
- Inflammation Optic chiasm
- Ischemic Optic tract
- Congenital and Posterior afferent system  
genetic problems

# Afferent Diagnoses

- Compression
  - Trauma
  - Inflammation
  - Ischemic
  - Congenital and genetic problems
- Globe  
Intraorbital ON  
Optic canal  
Optic chiasm  
Occipital lobe

25 yo man

- Firecracker exploded near left eye
- NLP OS

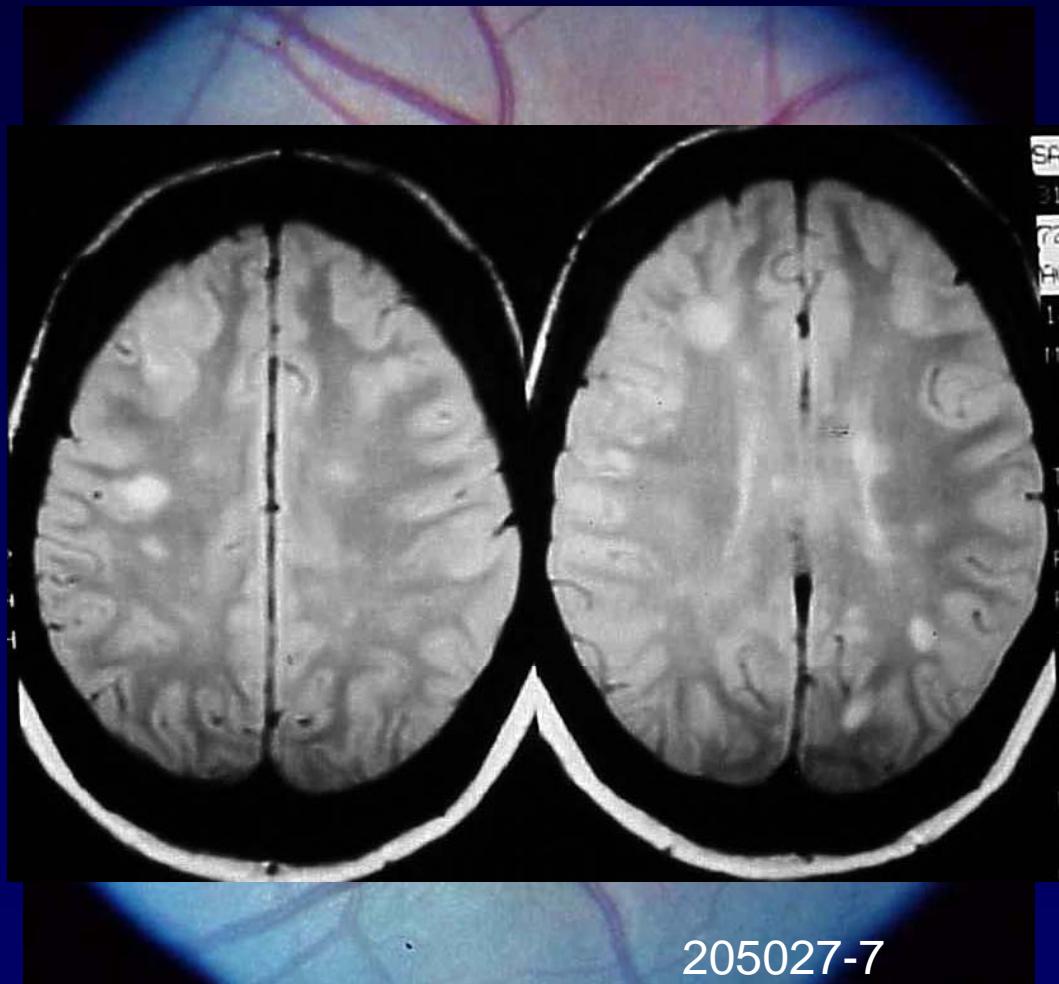


# Afferent Diagnoses

- Compression
  - Trauma
  - Inflammation
  - Ischemia
  - Congenital and  
Genetic problems
- Optic neuritis
- Orbital pseudotumor
- Other

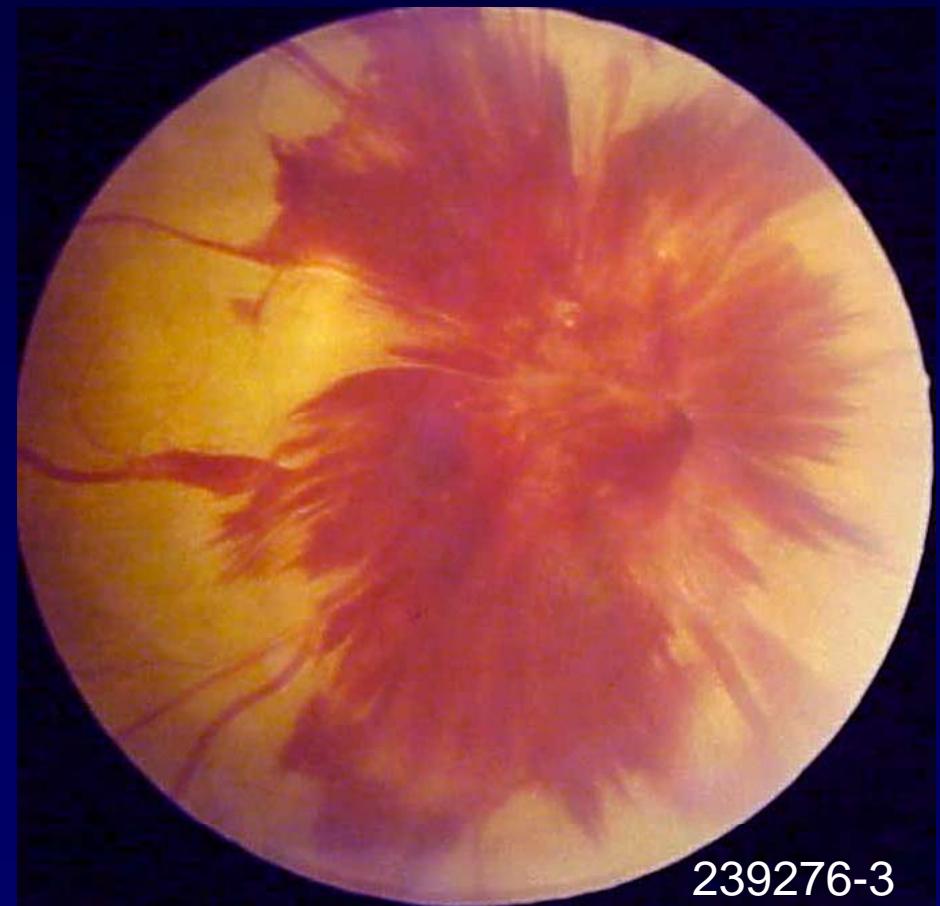
# 27 yo woman

- Developed blurred vision OD and mild right periorbital pain
- VA 20/50
- MRI abnormal
- Diagnosis multiple sclerosis



## 28 yo woman

- Developed modest left periorbital pain 3 weeks ago
- Some blurring of vision OS
- B-scan showed posterior scleritis

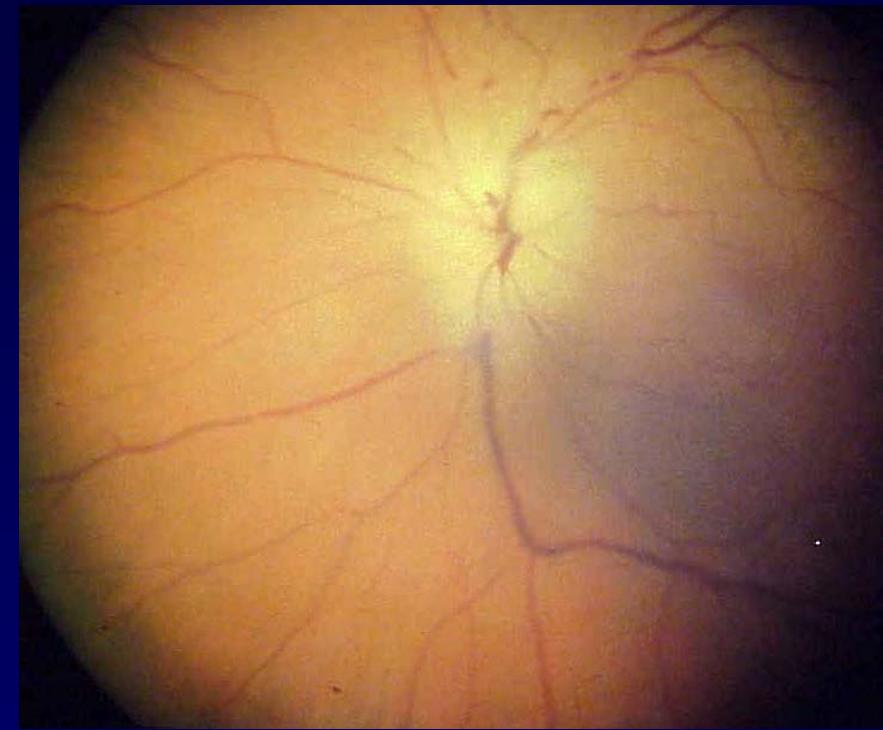


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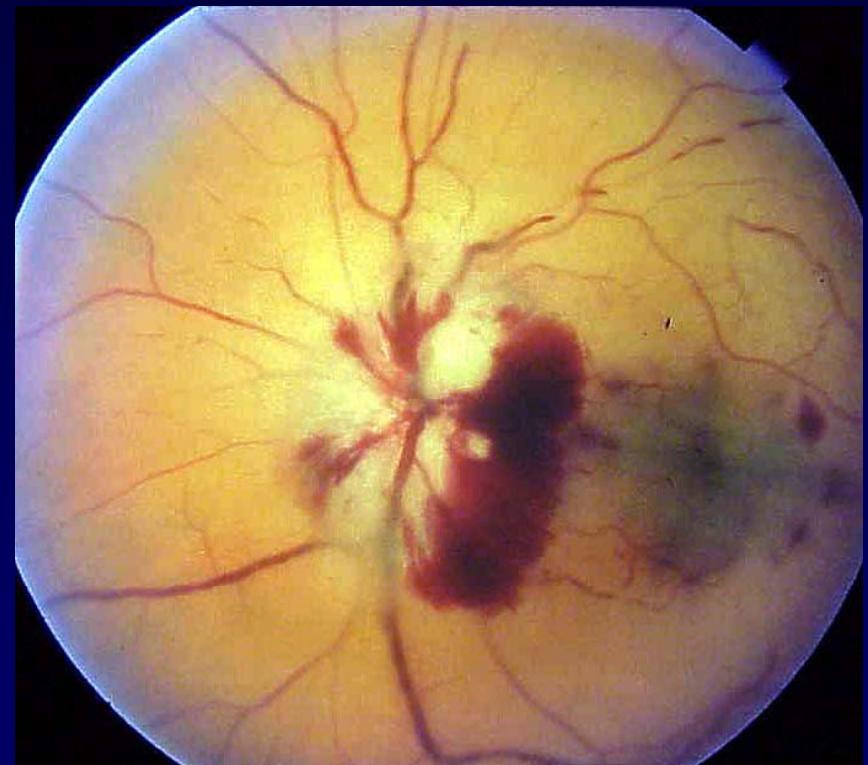
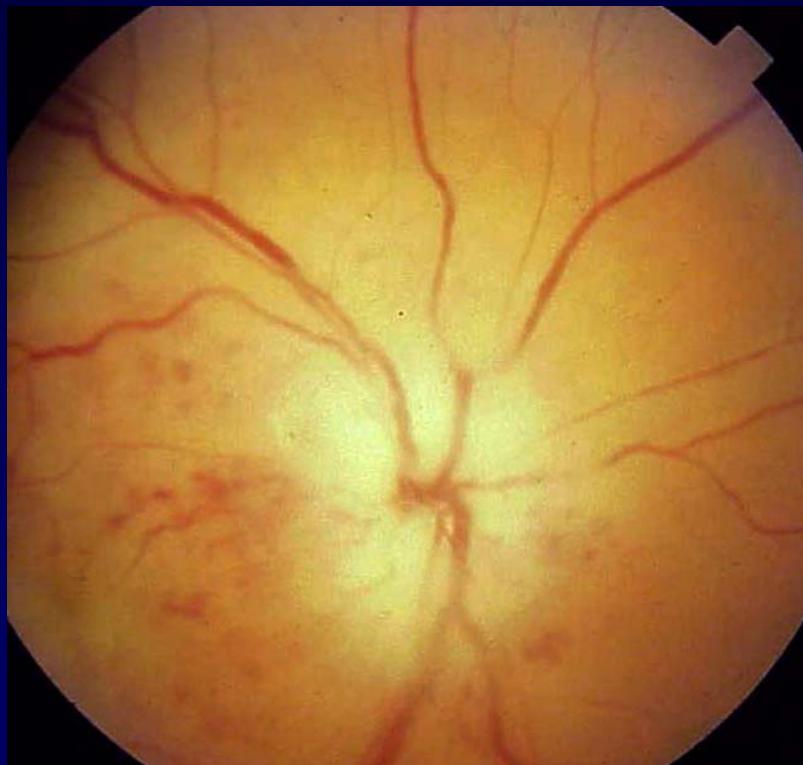
# Afferent Diagnoses

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  - Trauma
  - Inflammation
  - Ischemia
  - Congenital and genetic problems
- Non-arteritic ischemic optic neuropathy
- Central retinal artery occlusion
- Other retinal emboli
- Giant cell arteritis with ION

# Giant Cell Arteritis, Day 2



# Giant Cell Arteritis, Day 4



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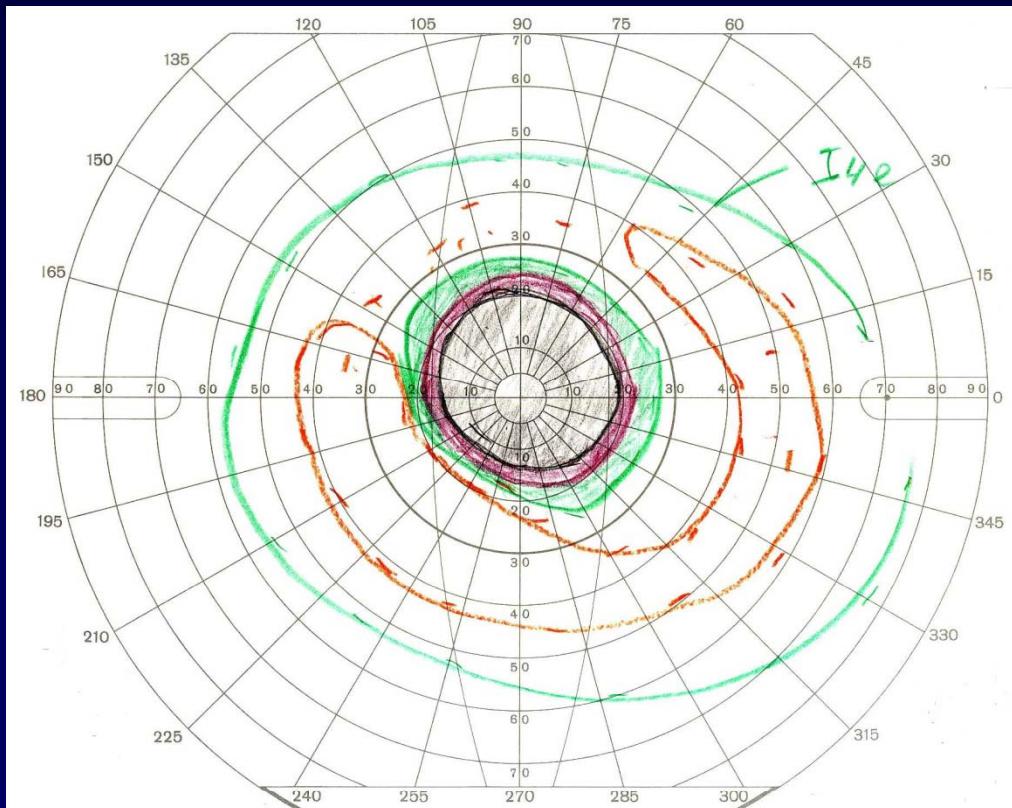
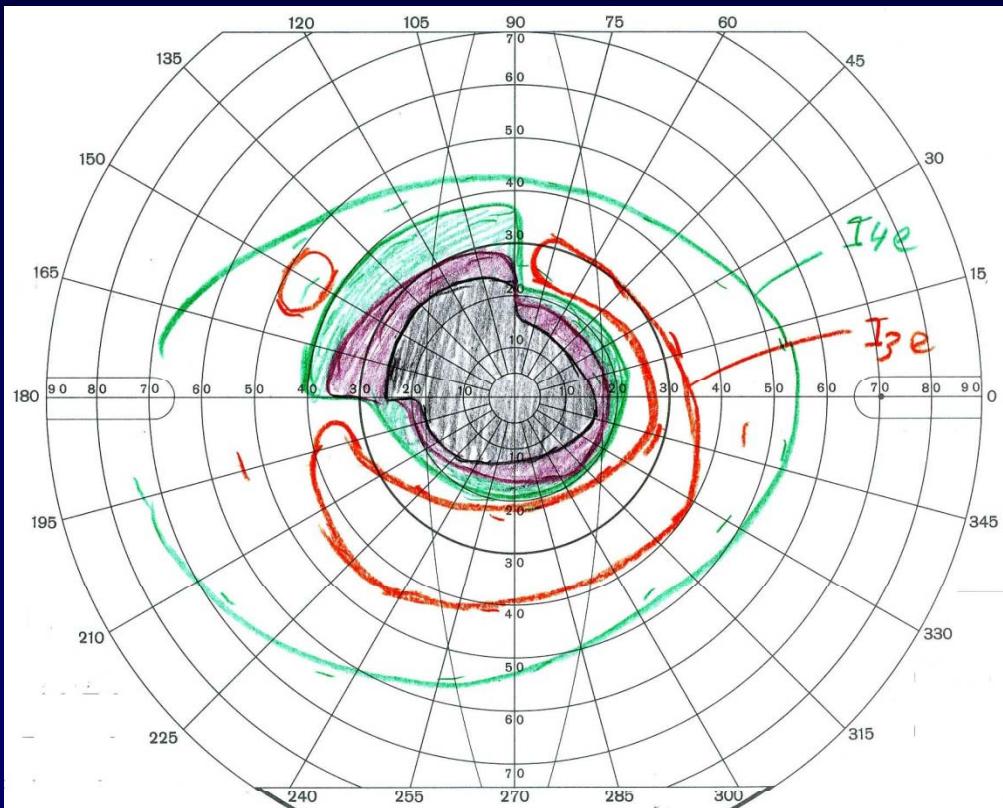
- Compression
- Trauma
- Inflammation
- Ischemia
- Congenital and genetic problems
  - Congenital retinal dystrophies
  - Optic nerve hypoplasia
  - Leber hereditary optic neuropathy
  - Dominant and recessive optic atrophy
  - Glaucoma

# 14 yo girl

- Vision OS began to decline gradually without pain
- First visit with VA OD 20/40 and OS CF at 3'
- Pale, flat optic disks OU
- VA 1 month later CF at 3' OU
- VA 10 months later 20/20 OU
- Diagnosis LHON-like optic neuropathy

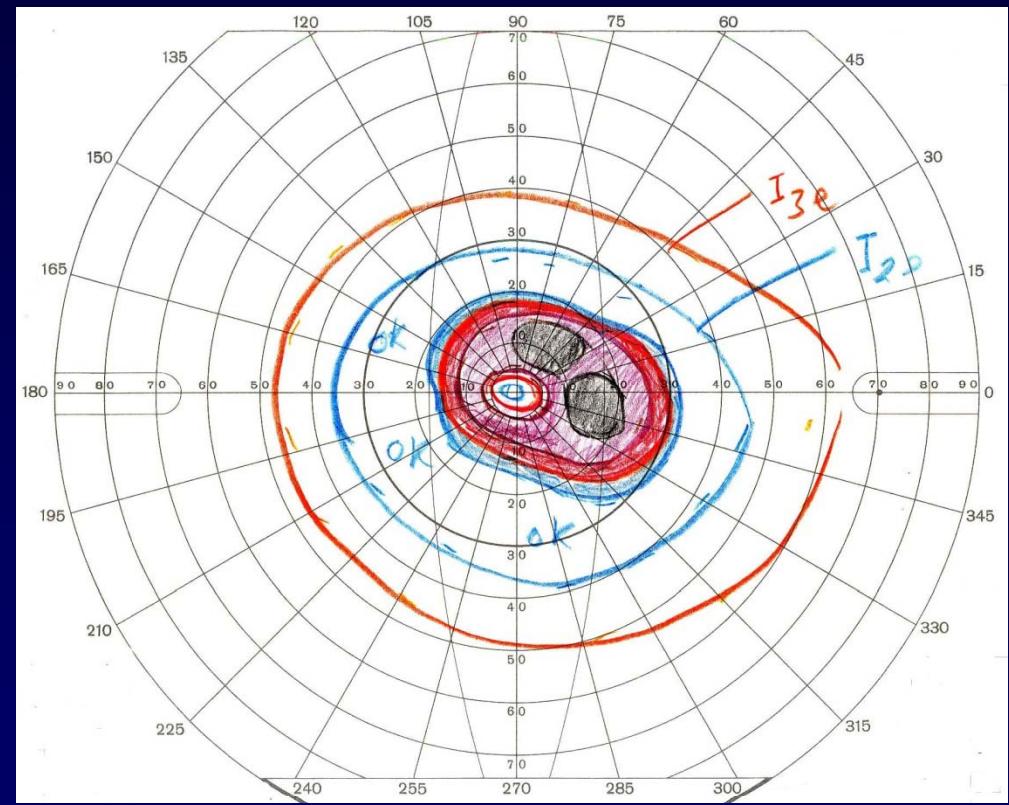
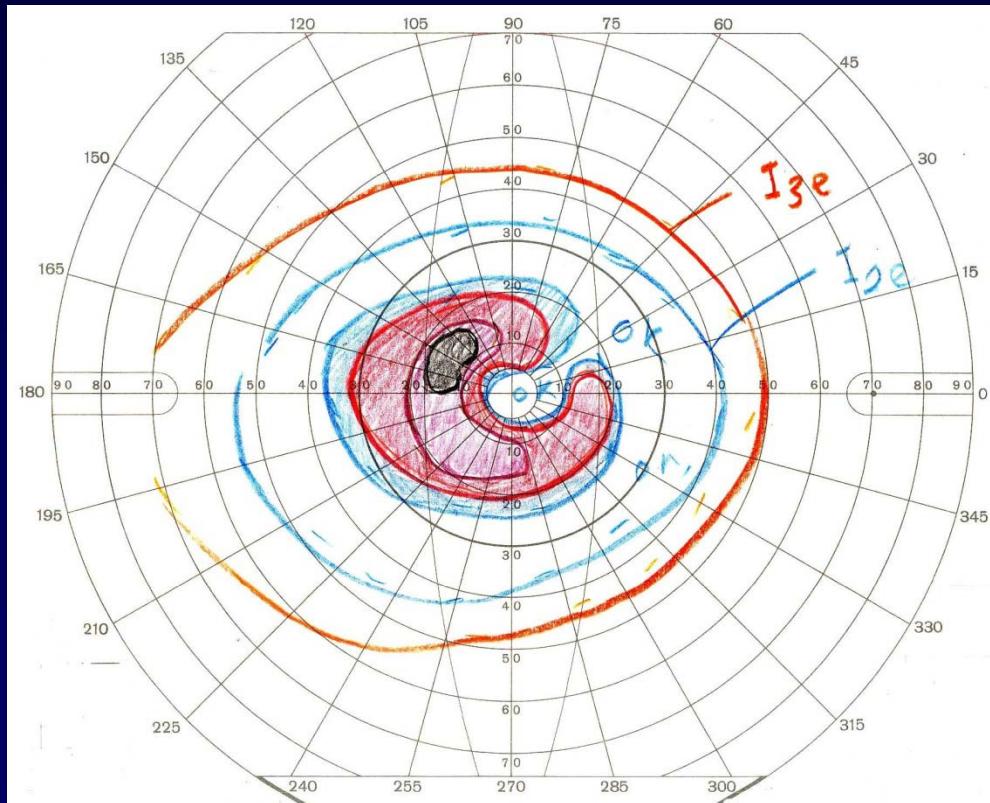
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# VF 1 month later



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# VF 10 months later



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# Tests

- During exam
- Neuro-imaging
- Blood tests
- Ultrasound
- Visual fields
- A-T and B-scans
- Vasculitis (ESR, CBC, ANA, DPT scan, VDRL)
- ERG/VER, ION, Dopamine, U/A
- Carotid Doppler
- Liver function tests (SGOT, SGPT, alkaline phosphatase)
- Electrolytes
- Genetic evaluation