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The majority of growth and remodeling of the vascular network takes place when blood circulation has already initiated and the endothelium is exposed to flow-derived mechanical forces such as shear stress, circumferential stress and axial stress. Shear stress is the force parallel to the tissue surface that arises due to shear flow of the viscous fluid and depends on the flow rate, viscosity of the blood, as well as on the geometry of the tube. The other two forces are governed by the intraluminal pressure. Circumferential stress is the force peripheral to the vessel wall in the azimuthal direction (around the circumference) and axial stress is the force along the longitudinal (long) axis of the vessel. These three stresses dictate blood vessel mechanics and influence geometrical parameters of vessels, such as the radius, wall thickness, and length. Although the importance of axial stress has long been recognized, its impact on blood vessel morphogenesis is still less well studied. EC behaviors induced by shear stress or circumferential stretch are better studied, particularly during embryonic development. Besides intravascular flow, there is also interstitial (transvascular) flow due to vessel permeability, which generates shear stress that has been shown to influence sprouting angiogenesis and is particularly relevant in the context of tumor vascular biology.

Based on the short paragraph, please answer the following questions:

- 1. What cause shear stress? (20%)
- 2. The magnitude of shear stress is affected by? (20%)
- 3. Please draw a figure to explain three forces discussed here, including shear stress, circumferential stress, and axial stress. (30%)
- 4. What is interstitial flow? (15%)
- 5. Where does the vascular network growth most frequently occur? (15%)